

#### HOLY MOTHER OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL

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We welcome and love one another as God loves us with open doors, open minds, and open hearts.

Please join us for Mass on
Saturday at 5 PM and Sunday at 9 AM.

# Sunday, November 17, 2024 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle B

8:30 AM Choir warm up

9:00 AM Holy Mass

**Lector: Janice Jones** 

10:15 AM Coffee Hour, Adult Bible Study, &

**SOCL** 

# Monday, November 18, 2024

Romanus of Antioch, Dc, M

**Gregory the Wonderworker, Bp** 

8:00 AM +Richard Wilk, by Family

11:30 AM Bingo

7:00 PM Harmonia Choir rehearsal

#### Tuesday, November 19, 2024

Nerses of Armenia, Bp, M

8:00 AM +Florence Gorlick (Annv.), by Children

10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry

### Wednesday, November 20, 2024

Dasius of Nicomedia, M

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

#### Thursday, November 21, 2024

Solemnity - Presentation of the BVM

9:00 AM Holy Mass

10:00 AM Seniors Gathering – Hand Towel Bingo

Friday, November 22, 2024

Cecilia, V, M

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

#### Saturday, November 23, 2024

Clement of Rome, Bp, M

**Lector: Beverly Basinski** 

8:00 AM + Marie Gorgol, by Bp. John

4:30 PM Choir warm up

5:00 PM Holy Mass

# Sunday, November 24, 2024

**Solemnity – Christ the King** 

8:30 AM Choir warm up

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Lector: Anne Marie Szpylman

10:15 AM Coffee Hour, Adult Bible Study, &

SOCL

12:00 PM Towel Bingo

#### **PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS**

NOVEMBER: Frank Russo, Christina Giczkowski, Christopher Lightcap, Norman Glowka

#### **READINGS FOR THIS WEEK**

Monday: Rev 1:1-4, 2:1-5 Luke 18:35-43

Tuesday: Rev 3:1-6, 14-22 Luke 19:1-10

Wednesday: Revelation 4:1-11 Luke 19:11-28

Thursday: Solemnity – Presentation of the BVM

Isaiah 61:9-11 Galatians 4:4-7

Luke 1:39-47

Friday: Revelation 10:8-11 Luke 19:45-48

Saturday: Revelation 11:4-12 Luke 20:27-40

#### **HMRC BINGO**

Every Monday at 11:30AM Door opens at 10:00 AM

STW #54	\$0
BROWN #51	\$ 1,000
BONUS BALL	\$0
QUEEN OF HEARTS	\$ 6,781

#### This Week's Team:

Team 1



#### **Check Out Our Facebook Page!**

Our Facebook page has up-to-date event information, photos, inspirational quotes, and more! Follow us for updates and messages, and don't forget to share what you like!

Visit us at Holy Mother of the Rosary National Catholic Church, or follow the link on our website!

# **YMSofR Winter Clothing Drive**



We are collecting used or new clothes for the needy from now until January 31, 2025. This is an excellent opportunity to be Christ to others.

Thank you for your generosity!



# **Prayer for the Sick**

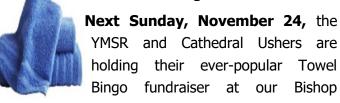
Heavenly Father of mercy and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. May they find consolation, lasting health, and deliverance in Your healing presence, and we thank You for all Your gifts. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We pray for Cheryl Eckert, Bob Giczkowski, Paul Kosek, Dave Lasek, Debbie McArthur, Fr. Joe Pasquella, Nick Piechowicz, Jerry Ruszala, Diane Scher, Yvonne Seekins, Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak, Jim Stevens, and Denise Swantek.

Flowers at the main altar,
Blessed Sacrament altar, and
Blessed Virgin Mary altar
are offered to the Glory of God
and in Loving Memory of
+Joseph & +Helen Swendra

by daughters Frances & Elizabeth

#### **Towel Bingo**



Peplowski parish center. Doors will open at 10:30 AM, Towel Bingo will start at 12:00 noon. Food will be available from 11:00 AM. We will also have a 50/50 raffle and a Chinese auction of various prizes. Come join us, have some fun calling TOWEL instead of Bingo!

If you would like to donate some **new** bath towels or **new** prizes toward our event, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

#### **FREE LUNCH WITH SANTA**

Saturday, December 7
12:00 Noon - 3:00 PM
Meet Santa & Mrs. Claus!
Free Lunch: Chili, Mac & Cheese,
Soft Drinks, and Cookies!
Christmas Movies!



# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

General Confession & Absolution: November 30 at

4:50 PM, December 1 at 8:50 AM

Seniors Gathering: December 5, 10:00 AM

Healing Mass: December 5, 7:00 PM

Lunch with Santa: December 7, 12:00 PM to 3:00

PM

Alden Ecumenical Choir Concert: December 7, 7:30

PM, reception following

#### Reflection for this week's readings

by Fr. Joe Pasquella, Rector

As we approach the end of the liturgical year, Our Lord has finally made to Jerusalem. Because His passion and death draw near, He gives us a teaching of hope; Jesus teaches us how it will be when He returns again in glory. Today's Gospel is taken from the end of a long discourse in which He describes tribulations the likes of which haven't been seen "since the beginning of God's creation." He describes what amounts to a dissolution of God's creation, a "devloution" of the world to its original state of formlessness and void. First, the human community—nations and kingdoms—will break down. Then the earth will stop yielding food and begin to break apart. Next, the family will be torn apart from within and the last faithful individuals will be persecutred. Finally, the earth will be emptied of God's presence.

In today's reading, God is described putting out the lights that He established in the sky in the very beginning: the sun, the moon, and the stars. Into this "uncreated darkness," the Son of Man, by whom all things were made, will come.

Jesus has already told us that the Son of Man must be humiliated and killed. Here, He describes His ultimate victory, using royal-divine images draw from the Old Testament: clouds, glory, and angels. He shows himself to be the fulfillment of all God's promises to save "the elect," the faithful remnant (see Isaiah 43:6).

As today's First Reading tells us, this salvation will include the bodily resurrection of those who sleep in the dust. We are to to watch for this day, when His enemies are finally made His footstool, as today's Epistle envisions. We can wait in confidence knowing, as we pray in today's Psalm, that we will one day delight at His right hand forever.

# MASS SCHEDULE - DAILY 8 AM WEEKEND: SATURDAY 5 PM & SUNDAY 9 AM

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