

HOLY MOTHER OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL

## National Catholic Church, 6298 Broadway, Lancaster, New York 14086

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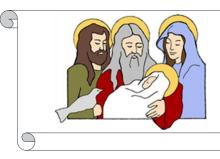
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We welcome and love one another as God loves us with open doors, open minds, and open hearts. Please join us for Mass on Saturday at 5 PM and Sunday at 9 AM.

# Sunday, February 2, 2025 Solemnity – Presentation of Our Lord

8:30 AM	Choir warm up
8:50 AM	General confession & absolution
9:00 AM	Holy Mass
	Lector: Mike Pokriki
10:15 AM	Coffee hour, Adult Bible Study, SOCL

#### Monday, February 3, 2025

Blaise of Sebastea, Bp, M

8:00 AM	Mass of the Day
11:30 AM	Bingo
7:00 PM	Harmonia Choir rehearsal

#### Tuesday, February 4, 2025

Nicholas Studites, Ab

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Wednesday, February 5, 2025

Agatha, V, M

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Thursday, February 6, 2025				
		Titus, Bp, NT		
8:00 AM	Mass of the Day			
10:00 AM				
7:00 PM	Healing Mass			
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Friday, February 7, 2025				
	Richa	rd the King, C, K		
8:00 AM	Mass of the Day			
Saturday, February 8, 2025				
	Me	ingold of Huy, M		
8:00 AM	Mass of the Day			
4:30 PM	, Choir warm up			
5:00 PM	Holy Mass			
		Lector: Sue Bett		
Sunday, Fe	ebruary 9, 2025			
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle C				
8:30 AM	Choir warm up & Ro	sary devotions		
9:00 AM	Holy Mass	-		
	Lecto	or: Nancy Pokriki		
10:15 AM	Coffee hour, Adult E	Bible Study, SOCL		

#### PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS

FEBRUARY: David Bett, Frank Russo, Christina Giczkowski, Christopher Lightcap

Dear Parish Family,

Please be aware that I am available for: spiritual direction, private confession, blessing of homes, visitation of the sick, visitation of the homebound, and other pastoral ministrations. Please call the office at 716-685-5766 for an appointment.

Love and blessing,

Fr. Joseph Pasquella

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

Monday:	Hebrews 11:32-40	Mark 5:1-20
Tuesday:	Hebrews 12:1-4	Mark 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15	Mark 6:1-6
Thursday:	Heb 12:18-19, 21-24	Mark 6:7-13
Friday:	Hebrews 13:1-8	Mark 6:14-29
Saturday:	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21	Mark 6:30-34

# HMRC BINGO Every Monday at 11:30AM Door opens at 10:00 AM

STW #54	\$ O
BROWN #56	\$ 1,000
BONUS BALL	\$ 0
QUEEN OF HEARTS	\$ 13,792

#### This Week's Team: Team 2



## **Calling all Prayer Warriors!**

Paul & Mary Kosek are requesting your heartfelt prayers for a successful stem cell transplant. He will start with chemotherapy and radiation before having the transplant, and will remain in the hospital until he can be safely discharged.

They are requesting prayers over the next few months. He will not be able to received flowers or visitors. If you wish to send a card, please send it to their home at 319 Voorhees Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14216.

Correction: the previous bulletin incorrectly listed their zip code as 14126. The correct zip code is listed above.

# 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 Tina Crane, Cheryl Eckert, Bob Giczkowski, Loren Harper, Paul Kosek, Sharon Kupkowski, Dave Lasek, Fr. Joe Pasquella, Nick Piechowicz, Vicki Rencewicz, Jerry Ruszala, Diane Scher, Yvonne Seekins, Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak, 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 +Henry S. Kowalewski, by wife Geraldine & daughter Lynn Kowalewski

Dear Holy Mother of the Rosary Parishioners, On behalf of the Lancaster Youth Bureau, I want to express our sincere appreciation for your generous donation of various gifts, toys, gift cards and clothing for our annual Day of Giving program. Your support helped us assist 108 families and 280 children in our surrounding communities this year! Thanks to vour contribution, families received gifts, clothing, food for a complete holiday meal, decorations, and fresh Christmas trees. Each child was also provided with numerous presents, gift cards, games, socks, hats, gloves, books, and stocking stuffers.

Our annual distribution would not be possible without the compassion of individuals like you. Much of the success of this program relies on the generosity of community members who help us provide presents for children 18 and under. We are truly grateful that you chose to support us and the children in your community, and we deeply appreciate the time and resources you dedicated to this cause.

Please know that your donation was greatly appreciated by the families who received it, and they, too, extend their heartfelt thanks.

Once again, thank you for your incredible generosity and support. Wishing you all the best in the year ahead!

Sincerely,

Danielle Pitirri Holiday Assistance Program Coordinator School and Community Social Worker

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Parish Committee Meeting: February 12, 7:00 PM

Fish Fry Prep: February 13, 9:00 AM

Seniors Gathering: February 13, 10:00 AM

<u>Fish Fry</u>: February 14, 4:00 PM to 6:30 PM or sold out

<u>New Members Luncheon</u>: February 16, after 9:00 AM Mass

<u>Ushers Meeting</u>: February 20, 6:00 PM; officer elections, refreshments, and meeting

## 26TH ANNUAL PĄCZKI DAY

Sunday, March 2 from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM at the Holy Mother of the Rosary Cathedral Bishop Peplowski Fellowship Hall.



Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Presale tickets are available until February 28. For tickets, table reservations, or more information, call 716-983-5084 or 716-681-0813. You can also get tickets at the Am-Pol Eagle Newspaper and at Salt Lamps, Etc.

#### Parish Annual Congregational Meeting



Our annual meeting will be held on Sunday, February 23 after the 9 AM Mass. All members in good standing are encouraged to attend.

Reminder: All year-end reports of organizations and fundraising efforts should be submitted to the office **by February 9**. We print these reports ahead of time so that they can be read and understood prior to the meeting. Thanks!

#### **Coffee Hour!**



Join us every Sunday for fellowship after church! We could use some help: please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule to provide a dessert! Thank you!

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





Expires 12/31/25



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Every Monday 11:30 AM

Lunch Available Starting At 10:00 AM

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