

HOLY MOTHER OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL

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

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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.

Website: holymotheroftherosary.org

Sunday, March 17, 2024 Thursday, March 21, 2024 Benedict, Ab. **Passion Sunday** Patrick of Ireland, Bp. 8:00 AM Mass of the Day 9:00 AM Fish Fry prep 8:30 AM Choir warm up 10:00 AM Seniors Gathering 9:00 AM Holy Mass 11:00 AM Stations of the Cross Lector: Nancy Pokriki Friday, March 22, 2024 10:30 AM Adult Bible Study & SOCL Paul of Narbonne, C. Monday, March 18, 2024 8:00 AM Mass of the Day Cyril of Jerusalem, Bp. 4:00 PM Fish Fry 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross 8:00 AM Mass of the Day 11:30 AM Bingo Saturday, March 23, 2024 7:00 PM Harmonia Choir rehearsal Victorian & Companions, M. Tuesday, March 19, 2024 8:00 AM Mass of the Day Solemnity – Joseph, Spouse of the BVM 4:30 PM Choir warm up 5:00 PM Holy Mass 9:00 AM Holy Mass Lector: Christina Giczkowski 10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry Sunday, March 24, 2024 Palm Sunday Wednesday, March 20, 2024 Gabriel, N.T., Archangel Photina the Samaritan N.T. & Companions, M. 8:30 AM Choir warm up 8:00 AM Mass of the Day 9:00 AM Holy Mass 12:00 PM Ministerial Service – Holy Mother of Lector: Jenna Lightcap the Rosary Cathedral 10:30 AM Adult Bible Study & SOCL

PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS MARCH: James Chester, Charles Daehn, Robert Giczkowski, Sherry Mack

Fr. Nadeem's office hours are Mondays and Tuesdays, and Wednesdays by appointment. Please schedule any office appointments during those days. He is available for daily Mass and covering any emergency calls 24/7.

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday:	Daniel 13:41-62	John 8:1-11
Tuesday:	Numbers 21:4-9	John 8:21-30
Wednesday:	Dan 3:14-20, 91, 95	John 8:31-42
Thursday:	Genesis 17:3-9	John 8:51-59
Friday:	Jeremiah 20:10-13	John 10:31-42
Saturday:	Ezekiel 37:21-28	John 11:45-57

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

STW #56	\$ 485
BROWN #54	\$ 1,000
BONUS BALL	\$ 235
QUEEN OF HEARTS	\$ 2,400

This Week's Team: Team 2



NO BINGO ON APRIL 8! Normal bingo schedule resumes on April 15! Jesus replied, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. I tell you the truth, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds. The man who loves his life will lose it, while the man who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves Me must follow Me, and where I am, My servant also will be. My Father will honor the one who serves Me."

- John 12:23-26

Lancaster/Depew Ministerium

The ministerium is sponsoring a Lenten Series of ecumenical services on five Wednesdays in Lent entitled "Guided to the Cross." All services begin at noon at given locations. A free-will offering is taken at each service with proceeds given to the Tri-Community and Trinity food pantries. Posters are on the bulletin board.

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 Sue Bett, Dave Lasek, Fr. Joe Pasquella, Diane Scher, Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak, Jim Swan, Clara Swan, and Ken Swan.

Help Wanted: Fish Fry!



We have a lot of fish fry dinners throughout Lent, and we could always, **always** use some help!

Please contact Norm at 716-704-5458 with questions or

if interested in serving your church. Thank you!

Coffee Hour!

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

Polka Mass & Swięconka

Sunday, April 7! Mass at 10:00 AM, with Swięconka in the parish center afterward. Music by Special Delivery!

Towel Bingo

On Sunday, April 21, our Church Ushers are running a Towel Bingo fundraiser at our Bishop 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. If needed, contact Dave Pecynski at 716-668-6838. Thank you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Seniors Gathering: April 4, 10:00 AM <u>Healing Mass</u>: April 4, 7:00 PM <u>General Confession & Absolution</u>: April 6 at 4:50 PM, April 7 at 8:50 AM <u>Polka Mass & Swięconka</u>: April 7, Mass at 10:00 AM, Swięconki following <u>Parish Committee Meeting</u>: April 10, 7:00 PM <u>Towel Bingo</u>: April 21, doors open at 10:30 AM, games start at 12:00 PM

National Mission & Evangelism Workshop

This year's Mission Workshop will be hosted by St. Barbara's Parish in Houtzdale, PA on April 12-14. The theme of the workshop is "The Ambassador's Toolbox." The workshop registration fee is \$50. Deadline for registration is **April 2**. Materials for registration, hotel, and the schedule are available on the table in the vestibule.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Dyngus Day at St. Stanislaus

The Chopin Singing Society, in combination with St. Stanislaus Parish, is holding its 61st annual celebration of Dyngus Day at 12:00 PM on Monday, April 1. They will be singing traditional Polish melodies, with additional music provided by John Gora and the Gorale, the Polka Country Band, and Al Piatkowski's Polka Allstars.

General admission is \$15 per person and comes with a free Polish sausage sandwich, with many other foods available to purchase. Admission can be paid at the door.

Chopin Singing Society Raffle

The Chopin Singing Society is sponsoring a raffle to benefit their cultural program, with total prizes of about \$16,500. They are providing tickets for \$25 each. The raffle will run throughout April, with daily prizes. Contact Tom Pawlak at 716-341-1640 for tickets, or the parish office if you want a copy of the flyer and order form.

Trivia Night

The Lancaster Youth Foundation and Lancaster Youth Bureau are hosting their 8th annual Trivia Night at St. Mary's High School on April 18. Teams of up to 4 individuals will compete for prizes starting at 7:00 PM. All ages welcome!

Team registration and fees (\$80 for adult teams, \$40 for student teams) are due April 10. For more information, call the Lancaster Youth Bureau at 716-683-4444, <u>kkowalski@lancasterschools.org</u>, or <u>jtrojanowsky@lancasterny.org</u>.

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

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