



THE CATHEDRAL VOICE

HOLY MOTHER OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL

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Welcome to Holy Mother of the Rosary Cathedral!
Whether you are a member, seeking a new spiritual home,
or just stopping in to visit, you are welcome here.

Mass is at 5 PM Saturday and 10 AM Sunday

<p>Sunday, May 17, 2026 Seventh Sunday of Easter – Cycle A</p> <p>9:30 AM Choir warm up 10:00 AM Holy Mass Lector: Mike Pokriki 11:00 AM Coffee Hour, Adult Bible Study</p>	<p>Thursday, May 21, 2026 Andrew Bobola, M</p> <p>8:00 AM +Lorraine Stempniak, by Family & Friends 10:00 AM Seniors Gathering – Memorial Day Luncheon 11:30 AM Marian Devotions</p>
<p>Monday, May 18, 2026 Venantius, M</p> <p>8:00 AM Mass of the Day 11:30 AM Bingo 7:00 PM Marian Devotions 7:30 PM Choir rehearsal</p>	<p>Friday, May 22, 2026 Julia of Carthage, M</p> <p>8:00 AM Mass of the Day</p>
<p>Tuesday, May 19, 2026 Dunstan of Canterbury, Bp</p> <p>8:00 AM +Brian Freier, by Mike & Terry Darlak</p>	<p>Saturday, May 23, 2026 Jerome Savonarola, P, M</p> <p>8:00 AM Mass of the Day 5:00 PM Holy Mass Lector: Sue Bett</p>
<p>Wednesday, May 20, 2026 Bernadine of Siena, C</p> <p>8:00 AM Mass of the Day</p>	<p>Sunday, May 24, 2026 Solemnity – Pentecost/Confirmation</p> <p>9:30 AM Choir warm up 10:00 AM Holy Mass Lector: Nancy Pokriki 11:00 AM Coffee Hour, Adult Bible Study</p>

PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS

MAY: Christina Giczkowski, Christopher Lightcap, Norman Glowka, Beverly Basinski

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:	Acts 19:1-8	John 16:29-33
Tuesday:	Acts 20:17-27	John 17:1-11
Wednesday:	Acts 20:28-38	John 17:11-19
Thursday:	Acts 22:30, 23:6-11	John 17:20-26
Friday:	Acts 25:13-32	John 21:15-19
Saturday:	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31	John 21:20-25

HMRC BINGO

Every Monday at 11:30 AM

Door opens at 10:00 AM

STW #54	\$ 0
BROWN #55	\$ 1,000
BONUS BALL	\$ 128
QUEEN OF HEARTS	\$ 3,647

This Week's Team:

Team 1

Bingo Workers Needed

Come join our two bingo teams! Help is needed for bingo and in the kitchen. Call Jan at 716-432-8715 for more information or to volunteer.

Invitation to learn more about our parish

For those interested in joining our parish or learning more about us: please contact our administrative assistant Cheryl at our parish office so as to set up an appointment to meet with Bishop John or Father Joe.

With Sympathy

As a parish family, we extend our sympathy to the family of +Helen Bett, who was called to the peace of the Lord on Monday, May 11. Please remember her and her family in your prayers.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon her.

Visitation at Barron-Miller is Monday, June 1 from 4:00 to 7:00 PM. The funeral is scheduled for Tuesday, June 2 at 10:00 AM.



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 Raul & Debbie, Margaret, Brian Anstett, Cheryl Eckert, Bob Giczkowski, Tom Heftka, Janice Jones, David Kopacz, Gerry Kowalewski, John LoDeco, Mike Logen, Joyce Michalak, Fr. Joe Pasquella, Vicki Rencewicz, Baby Rowan, Fr. Rick Rueberger, Yvonne Seekins, Marian Sleczkowski, Denise Swantek, and Louise Szpila.



A Concert of Classical Organ Music

Free concert June 14 at 3:00 PM

Back in the time of Bach, Handel, Mozart, and Beethoven churches hired the finest musicians, and this tradition continues today. Many WNY churches employ very talented and highly trained musicians. Most people rarely experience these talented musicians outside of the churches they were baptized in, married in, or raised their families in, never hearing what other churches and their musicians had to offer.

The Buffalo chapter of the American Guild of Organists is pleased to present a recital by some of its members at Holy Mother of the Rosary Cathedral.

Performances by Sarah Hamilton, oboe; Tino Scirri, flute; and organists Ji Hyun Woo, Tim Socha, Paul Cena, and Don Fellows will perform the music of Rutter, Bach, Vivaldi, Mushel, Shtegman, Rheinberger, Phillips, Thomas, and Guilman.

Come enjoy this classical music concert, followed by a reception!

Calling all bakers!



We're going to need baked goods for the reception following the concert on Saturday, June 14. If you're willing to help, please let us know!

We'll need them by noon the day of the concert.

A signup sheet is in the vestibule.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mission & Evangelism Meeting: May 27, 6:00 PM

Seniors Gathering: May 28, 10:00 AM, Olde Time Bingo

Parish Committee Meeting: June 3, 7:00 PM

Healing Mass: June 4, 7:00 PM

Saturday Mass Time Change!



Our Saturday evening Mass time is changing! Starting **Saturday, June 6**, Saturday evening Mass will be at **4:00 PM**.



May Devotions



Devotions to our Blessed Mother are held on Monday evenings at 7:00 PM and Thursdays at 11:30 AM. Please plan on attending these services during the month of May in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Clothing Drive

Holy Mother of the Rosary Cathedral will be having a summer clothing drive for St. Luke's Mission of Mercy from May 9 to May 30. Gently used items as well as new undergarments for adults and children are very much in need. A drop off container will be in the church vestibule and church hall closet. Questions can be directed to Terry Darlak at 716-864-6578 or Kathy Freier at 716-867-3851. Your donations are deeply appreciated.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Scholarship Fundraising Concert

Canisius University is holding a fundraising concert this Sunday, May 17, at St. Stanislaus Church in Buffalo following the Noon Mass, with music led by the Chopin Singing Society.

MASS SCHEDULE – DAILY 8 AM

WEEKEND: SATURDAY 5 PM & SUNDAY 10 AM

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Every Monday 11:30 AM

Lunch Available
Starting At 10:00 AM

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