



THE CATHEDRAL VOICE

HOLY MOTHER OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL

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Welcome

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 4 PM Saturday and 10 AM Sunday

Sunday, August 23, 2026

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle A

9:30 AM Choir warm up

10:00 AM Holy Mass

Lector: Janice Jones

11:15 AM Coffee Hour

Monday, August 24, 2026

Feast – Bartholomew, Apostle

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

11:30 AM Bingo

Tuesday, August 25, 2026

Louis of France, K

8:00 AM +Lottie Kowalow (Annv.), by Family

Wednesday, August 26, 2026

Solemnity – Our Lady of Częstochowa

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Thursday, August 27, 2026

Poeman, Ab

8:00 AM +Clara Golembiewski, by Family

10:00 AM Seniors Gathering – Dogs and Corn

Friday, August 28, 2026

Augustine, Bp, D

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Saturday, August 29, 2026

Solemnity – Beheading of John the Baptist

9:00 AM Holy Mass

3:30 PM Choir warm up

4:00 PM Holy Mass

Lector: Beverly Basinski

Sunday, August 30, 2026

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle A

9:30 AM Choir warm up

10:00 AM Holy Mass

Lector: Mike Pokriki

11:15 AM Coffee Hour, YMSofR meeting

PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS

**AUGUST: Mary Ellen Sanfilippo, David Bett,
Frank Russo, Christina Giczkowski**

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: Feast – Bartholomew, Apostle

Sirach 44:22-23, 44:2-7

Revelation 21:9-14 John 1:45-51

Tuesday: 2 Thess 2:1-3, 14-16 Matt 23:23-26

Wednesday: Solemnity – Our Lady of Częstochowa

Sirach 24:1, 3-4, 8-12, 19-21

Galatians 4:4-7 John 19:25-27

Thursday: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 Matt 24:42-51

Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25 Matt 25:1-13

Saturday: Solemnity – Beheading of John the Baptist

Jeremiah 1:17-19 Acts 10:34-43

Mark 6:17-29

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.

Office Closed

The parish office will be closed
this Friday, August 28.

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, Thomas, Ken Brzezinski, Maureen Carlson, Jim Crane, Emily Decker, Cheryl Eckert, Bob Giczkowski, Tom Heftka, Janice Jones, Johanna Klusek, David Kopacz, Gerry Kowalewski, John LoDeco, Mike Logen, Joyce Michalak, Fr. Joe Pasquella, Vicki Rencewicz, Baby Rowan, Fr. Rick Rueberger, Jerry Ruzala, Yvonne Seekins, Marian Sleczkowski, Jim Swan, Denise Swantek, Ed Szpila, and Louise Szpila.

HMRC BINGO

Every Monday at 11:30 AM

Door opens at 10:00 AM

STW #54	\$ 0
BROWN #50	\$ 1,000
BONUS BALL	\$ 50
QUEEN OF HEARTS	\$ 10,246

This Week's Team:

Team 2

*Flowers at the main altar
are offered to the Glory of God
and in Loving Memory of
+Helen Bett*

*by cousins Geraldine & Lynn
Kowalewski*



Fall-O-Ween Festival

Saturday, October 17
12:00 PM to 3:00 PM



We're holding another family-friendly, fun-filled afternoon with our Fall-O-Ween Festival this year! There will be Trunk or Treating, a Raise your Spirits hayride, games and prizes, and heavenly snacks.

If you wish to participate in the Trunk or Treat by decorating your car and providing treats, contact the parish office for an instruction sheet and application.

Volunteers are always welcome and needed!



UPCOMING EVENTS

Seniors Gathering: September 3, 10:00 AM

Healing Mass: September 3, 7:00 PM

General Confession & Absolution: September 5 at 3:50 PM, September 6 at 9:50 AM

Mission & Evangelism Meeting: September 9, 6:30 PM

Fish Fry: September 11, 4:00 PM to 6:30 PM or sold out

Save the Date!



Bishop John's retirement Mass and party will be held on October 24 at 10:00 AM. More information to follow!

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.

YMSR Meeting

The YMS of R is holding a meeting **after Mass next Sunday, August 30**. There is important planning to be done, and food and refreshments will be served. Please attend.

Free Buffalo Bison Ticket Raffle

Enter a free raffle to win Buffalo Bison tickets!

We have four more tickets to be raffled the week before the September 6 Sunday game. All you need to do is enter your name and phone number on the signup sheet in the church vestibule. All are welcome to participate, parishioners and visitors alike.

Good luck!



COMMUNITY EVENT

Holy Family Spaghetti Dinner & Raffle

Holy Family Parish in North Java is holding their annual spaghetti dinner on Sunday, October 18 from 12:00 PM till sold out! They are also selling tickets for their building raffle, with prizes of up to \$500.

Raffle tickets are \$10 each and are available at the cathedral office.

MASS SCHEDULE – DAILY 8 AM

WEEKEND: SATURDAY 5 PM & SUNDAY 10 AM

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