



ALL SAINTS PARISH

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NOVEMBER 25, 2018

**OUR LORD JESUS
CHRIST, KING OF
THE UNIVERSE**

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

4:00 PM

Sunday

8:30 AM

11:00 AM

Weekdays

Please check for schedule
in bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday

3:00 to 3:50 PM

or by appointment

Religious Education

Grades K – 8

Sunday

9:45 AM – 10:45AM

Parish Mission Statement

We, All Saints Parish, are drawn together by the power of the Holy Spirit to be a living and convincing sign of God's unconditional love. We are gifted to build bonds among ourselves and others in order to live the Gospel in word, worship, community and service for the salvation of all and the building of God's kingdom.

We live as servants of Christ the King. That means we find ways to serve him by serving others both within and without our faith community. If we think we can't do that because of our limitations or fears, then we need to ask Jesus to show us what we can do. These actions replenish our depleted resolve and strengthen us for living in a chaotic world. We live as a people who see opportunity in the community of others. This includes embracing the stranger, the refugee and the homeless, those who have no helper. Just singling out one person in these categories and finding ways to help them are ways to honor Christ the King. We live as a people who hope in the life of the world to come. That doesn't mean we discount this world altogether. It is God's creation, given to us for our joy and benefit. But we know it is not where we are destined. Our hearts are restless as we await what is to come. Next Sunday, we begin a new church year and the season of Advent. As we sing, "O come, O come, Emmanuel," we are challenged to bring that coming closer with our hearts and minds and strength.

A COMMUNITY WHO WORSHIPS

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 25th

8:30 AM For all Parishioners

11:00 AM Bernice Simonds (Kay & Dori Mahiak)

Monday, November 26th

NO MASS

Tuesday, November 27th

12:05 PM All Souls

Wednesday, November 28th

12:05 PM Albert M. Romanick (Daughter, Mary & Mario)

NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION TODAY

Thursday, November 29th

NO MASS

Friday, November 30th

12:05 PM Stanley Gulbish (Leonard & Sylvia Magda)

Saturday, December 1st

4:00 PM John & Loretta Hogan (Jola, McCue & Hogan Families)

Sunday, December 2nd

8:30 AM For all Parishioners

11:00 AM Anna Hicks (Sister, Rose Mary Behm)

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 1, 2018

4:00 PM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – R. Coates, A. Brunick, C. Kellar, M.J. Wojtowicz

Lectors – C. Piczak, M. Kopko

Altar Servers – P. Pritchard, R. Young, Abigail Young

Sunday, December 2, 2018

8:30 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – M. Sipper, J. Sipper, J. Sipper Jr., M. Flynn

Lectors – J. Gabriel, Jonathan Korus

Altar Servers – N. Powell, T. Marchlenski, M. Marchlenski

11:00 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – T. Bradley, R. Heck, A. Mizzer, P. Roan

Lectors – M. Burns, R. Burns

Altar Servers – N. Rokosz, Jacob Rokosz, Jonathan Rokosz

November 25

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Dn 7:13-14

Rv 1:5-8

Jn 18:33b-37

(161)

November 26

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5

Lk 21:1-4 (503)

November 27

Rv 14:14-19Lk

21:5-11 (504)

November 28

Rv 15:1-4

Lk 21:12-19 (505)

November 29

Rv 18:1-2,

21-23; 19:1-3, 9a

Lk 21:20-28 (506)

November 30

St. Andrew

Rom 10:9-18

Mt 4:18-22 (684)

December 1

Rv 22:1-7

Lk 21:34-36 (508)

December 2

First Sunday of

Advent

Jer 33:14-16

1 Thes 3:12-4:2

Lk 21:25-28,

34-36 (3)

If you are unable to fulfill your obligation, please find a replacement

PARISH EVENTS

MEETING

Parish Council – Wednesday, November 28th, 6:00 PM, at the rectory

Eucharistic



Adoration

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration, Wednesday, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

If you are able to schedule a time, please call Joan Kaye at 570-779-2998.

PARISH LOTTERY WINNERS

Week of November 12th: \$50.00: #698 Marie T. Zielen, #589 N/A, #020 Megan Kelly, #533 Karen Fabian, #430 Jean M. Michael. \$100.00: #909 Mary Ann Stavetski.

CCD REGISTRATION FORMS

Faith Formation Registration Forms for the coming year, 2018-2019, are available on the ramp area of the Church, at the parish office and also online on our web page.

CEMETERY EXPANSION

St. Vincent's Cemetery expansion is now complete and graves are ready to be sold. There are 104 graves available for sale. They will be sold on a first come – first served basis. Please contact the parish office for more information.

WINTER IS COMING



This weekend Nov 24-25th will be the last weekend that chances will be sold in the church for the drawing on the Cub Cadet snow blower. Chances will still be available in the rectory office on Monday November 26th and up until 11:00 AM on Tuesday November 27th the day of the drawing. In order to make this raffle a success we need your help. If you haven't had the opportunity to purchase a chance please do so this weekend. Thank you for your continued support of All Saints Parish. Free delivery within a 10 mile radius.

CHOIR REHEARSAL

Choir practice will be held at 3:00 PM on Sunday, November 25th.

COOKIE WALK – December 16, 2018

The annual All Saints Parish Cookie Walk will be held on Sunday, December 16th. The event allows individuals to buy a variety of cookies, just in time for the holiday season. We are looking for some dedicated bakers to help with the event. Sign-up sheets are in both the ramp and back of the church or you can contact the parish office at 570-779-5323 or Debbie Madrack at 570-779-4913. Please put your name, the type of cookie and quantity. More information will follow in the coming weeks.

COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS

Coffee and Doughnuts the weekend of December 1st 2nd will be sponsored by the Worship Committee.

LOOKING FOR TRUCK

The parish is currently in the market to purchase a used late model heavy duty truck for plowing snow at our properties. We are interested in a vehicle such as a Chevrolet 2500 or a Ford F-250 or similar type of truck. We are asking parishioners to please call the office (570-779-5323) if they know of the availability of the type of truck we are interested in. Thank you.

NITE AT THE RACES PROFIT

This year's Nite at the Races and Basket Raffle generated a profit of \$2270.18. We would like to thank everyone who made this year's fund raiser a success. We look forward to seeing everyone again next year.


PARISH DIRECTORY

You can pick up your Parish Directory in the ramp area of the Church this weekend after Masses.

SAVE RECEIPTS

From Plymouth Hometown Market for our local firemen. For more information, please contact Mary Anne Meeker @ 570-779-9464. Containers are located in the ramp area and vestibule of the Church. Thank you.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Please always remember to pray for those in our nation's military; for firefighters, police and EMT's. Please also pray for all in the Parish who are ill or in any way distressed, especially those who have asked for prayers: Nathan Grey, Eugene, Mark, Emma, George,  Joseph, John, Danielle, Joseph, Rose Mary, Leah, Ed Harenza, George, Michelle, Stanley, Tom, Raina, Seth, Dorothy, Dave, Ray, Anthony Yuscavage, Anna Regan, Kubik & Rudnik Families, Kathleen K., Edmund Havira, John Brunick, Rose Mahoney, Joel Rivera, Joseph M., Donna, Frank, Daniel, Rosalie, Al, Marge Demarco, Theresa Kopko, Paul & Marilyn Irzinski, Joe, Audrey, Mollie, Louise, Elizabeth and Bill. If you or a loved one would like to be on the parish prayer list, please notify the office. If you are calling for someone else, please make sure you have that person's permission to publish their name in the bulletin.

PARISH MINISTRY

CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER Next food distribution, **Thursday, December 20th**, 9am – 11am. The Christian Service Center is in dire need of canned fruit, dried pasta, peanut butter, jelly, cereals & juices.

Our parish gratefully accepts the following donations:

- ~ In memory of **Edward Zellock** by Barbara ann Yuscavage
- ~ In memory of **Frank Palischak** by Mr. & Mrs. Bob Roberts, Marlene Kurilla

The Christian Service Center gratefully accepts the following donation:

- ~ In memory of **Sue Kane** by Terrence J. Kane

ADVENT ACTIVITIES

PRAYER PARTNERS

In the ramp and back of the Church there are prayer partner Angels bowls. Place your name on an Angel and put it in the bowl for a prayer partner. You can put as much information on the angel Paper's as you would want. If you only want prayers then just put your name on the angel. If you would like to have more contact with a parishioner then you can put your address, phone number, etc. You will be able to take a name from the bowl that contains Angel Paper's and pray for that person. Prayer partners will be available during Advent.

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE



The Social Service Committee will be sponsoring the Christmas Giving Tree starting on the weekend of November 24th and ending on the weekend of December 15th and 16th. Catholic Social Services supplies us with the names of children from our surrounding area. They also include a list of requested Christmas items from each child. We will then place tags on our Christmas Giving Tree specifying the items that the children requested. When a tag is removed we then ask you to bring back the gift wrapped and place it under the tree. The last weekend for drop off of gifts will be the weekend of December 15th and 16th.



ADVENT WREATH CANDLE

There are sign-up sheets on the ramp area and vestibule of the Church for you to volunteer to light the Advent Candle before the masses on the weekends during Advent. Please sign up today.



ORNAMENTS

We will once again offer our ornament sponsorship for the Christmas Remembrance Tree at the front altar. This year we have added the Angel Tree Topper for sponsorship in addition to the ornaments. Please see the insert in the bulletin for more information. Thank you in advance for your participation with this wonderful holiday tradition.

OPLATKI

The Christmas Wafers, Oplatki, are available at the ramp area of the church and also at the parish office. Please place a free will offering in the envelope. Thank you.

SIX-MINUTE REFLECTIONS

The Little Blue Book, for the Advent and Christmas seasons, contains six-minute reflections on the Sunday Gospels of the year C. The Little Blue Book is available in the ramp area of the church. The book is free. Please take one and you're sure to enjoy it.



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Adult preparation for the Sacrament of Initiation. If you know of anyone who might be interested in inquiring about the Catholic Faith, call the parish office or Maureen Dillon at (570) 779-9874. Classes are generally held on Sunday mornings after the 8:30 AM Mass.



Baptism of Infants: Parents requesting Baptism for their children should make an appointment with the Pastor to begin the process. Also, parents seeking Baptism must attend a Baptism preparation class prior to their child's Baptism.



Catholic Marriage: Diocesan Policy states that those considering celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage must meet with the pastor at least six months before any desired wedding date. Please call the office to schedule an appointment with the Pastor.



Communion for the Homebound: Homebound parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion please call the office at 570-779-5323.

Hospital Visitation: Please notify the Parish Office if you or a loved one is hospitalized as the hospital no longer notifies the parish. If a patient would like to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick or if he or she would just like a visit, please call the office to make arrangements.

Prayer for Life

Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness.

Awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your hands, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of life.

Grant this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God Forever and ever. Amen.

If you would like to purchase Altar Breads or Sanctuary Candles for a week in memory or in honor of a loved one, contact Jackie Karnes at 570-332-1176 (**Monday thru Friday only**) for available dates. Altar Breads are \$25.00 per week and Sanctuary Candles are \$15.00 per week.

Week of November 25th

Sanctuary Candle & Hosts – in memory of John T. Novak



Flowers at the altar this weekend are in memory of Anna Dougherty by her family.

<p>Happy Anniversary Leonard & Virginia Steczkowski Love, Charles, Leonard, John, Susan & Fabian</p>		<p>ADS - \$5.00</p>
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WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

November 17th & November 18th
 Offertory: \$4157 00

Loose Collection: \$66.00	Energy: \$680.00
Candles: \$117.00	Insurance: \$42.00
Cath. Ed.: \$20.00	
Clergy Care: \$2.00*	
\$5084.00	

Thank you! Your stewardship and generosity toward your parish is greatly needed and appreciated.
**Last week's Diocesan Collection amounted to \$2.00 which is sent directly to the Diocese of Scranton.*



*Miraculous Medal Novena
Prayed on Tuesday after
Mass*

*Novena to St. Jude
Prayed on Thursday*

*First Friday Prayer to
The Sacred Heart*



