



Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

5:00 PM †Anna Mae Halupka
 †Alice Mikovits – *Birthday Remembrance*
 (By: Daughter, Chris)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

7:30 AM *Por los parroquianos
 9:00 AM †Grzegorz & Maria Karkoszka (By: Family)
 10:30 AM †Agatha Szproch – **1 year anniv.**
 (By: Eva & Jessica Solana)
 †Maria Gronka (By: Anna Krzysik)
 †Mariana Rodáková (By: Marek & Andrea Homola)
 12:30 PM †Genara Matute Atencia (De: Hija y Familia)
 †Elfega Zuniga (De: Hijos y Nietos)
 †Jozef Becz
 †Victoria Oviedo De Gomez

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26

8:00 AM *For the people of the parish

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

8:00 AM †Daniel Sowa


WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

8:00 AM †Michael Paul Albanese (By: Jan Karkoszka)
 7:00 PM †Perla Montejo – *primer aniversario*
 (De: Hijos y Familia)

THURSDAY, MARCH 1

8:00 AM †Maria Pirchala – **1 year anniv.**
 (De: Daughter & Family)

FRIDAY, MARCH 2

8:00 AM †Rozalia & John Organisciak (By: Anna T. Organisciak)
 6:00 PM *Stations of the Cross - Spanish 
 7:00 PM *Stations of the Cross - English
 8:00 PM *Stations of the Cross - Slovak

SATURDAY, MARCH 3

5:00 PM †Helena & Dominik Soltys (By: Anna Krzysik)
 †Michael Paul Albanese (By: Ted Grzybowski)

SUNDAY, MARCH 4

7:30 AM *Por los parroquianos
 9:00 AM †Grzegorz & Antoni Karkoszka (By: Family)
 10:30 AM †Agatha Szproch – **1 year anniv.** (By: Brother, Andy)
 †Jan & Anna Jusko (By: Eva Juskova)
 12:30 PM *Por los parroquianos



Please Pray for the sick & homebound:

Dominik Kollar, Gloria Linares,
 Trudy Lucas, Lucille Martineau,
 Madelene Vargas & Maria Vargas

Second Sunday of Lent Readings

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18
 God ordered Abraham to take his beloved only son to Moriah and offer him as a sacrifice. Abraham built an altar and took out a knife to sacrifice his son Isaac. But God called out to him and told him of blessings that would be bestowed on him and his descendants because he had been willing to do what God had asked.

Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34
 Paul reminds the people that God did not spare his only Son, but gave him up for the sake of all people. This proves God views us all as his children, and that no person can harm or condemn us because God will protect us.

Gospel: Mark 9:2-10
 Jesus led Peter, James and John up a high mountain, where he conversed with Elijah and Moses. A voice proclaimed 'This is my Son, my beloved. Listen to him.' Then Jesus was alone and warned them not to tell anyone what they had seen until he had risen from the dead.

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Church Support for February 17-18, 2018

| Collection: | | Regular | Project Faith |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| English | 5:00 PM | \$476.00 | \$199.00 |
| Spanish | 7:30 AM | \$252.00 | \$96.00 |
| English | 9:00 AM | \$78.00 | \$66.00 |
| Slovak | 10:30 AM | \$461.00 | \$303.00 |
| Spanish | 12:30 PM | \$798.00 | \$452.00 |
| Total: | | \$2,065.00 | \$1,116.00 |

God bless your support and generosity!

2nd COLLECTION

- this weekend will be for: *Fuel*
- next weekend will be for: *Monthly*

DRUHÁ PÔSTNA NEDEĽA
RESPONZÓRIOVÝ ŽALM

Pred tvárou Pána budem kráčať v krajine žijúcich.



Križové cesty v slovenčine budú počas pôstu každý piatok o 8.00 hodine večer.

Pozývame Vás na posedenie pri káve a koláčoch, ktoré je po slovenskej svätej omši.

Podporte slovenskú komunitu a zaregistrujte sa za členov našej farnosti. Vyplnenú prihlášku, ktorá je v slovenskom a anglickom bulletine, dajte do košíka počas zbierky a sekretárka sa s vami skontaktuje, aby potvrdila vašu registráciu.

AVISOS PARROQUIALES



TALLER DE ORACIÓN Y VIDA

Viernes después de las 7:00 PM

COLECTA ESPECIAL PARA LOS ROCIADORES

Gracias a todos que han donado dinero para el costo de los rociadores para prevenir incendios del sotano de la iglesia. Seguiremos colectando dinero para tratar de cubrir el costo completo de \$38,000.00.

Donadores: 76 / Dinero Recaudado: \$10,930.00

Gracias y que Dios les pague.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Únete a nosotros para cantar, alabar, y escuchar de la palabra de Dios los miercoles despues de la misa de las 7:00 PM.

LOS VIERNES DE CUARESMA

Durante los viernes de cuaresma no hay Adoración Euarística de las 5:30 PM y no habra Misa de 7:00 PM.

Habrà las estaciones de la cruz:

6:00 PM-Español/7:00 PM-Ingles/8:00 PM-Eslovaco

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

WELCOME HOME TO HEALING



The Diocese of Paterson will open all Churches on Mondays from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM during Lent. This will provide us with the opportunity to come experience God's healing love and forgiveness through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – FRIDAYS OF LENT

6:00 PM in Spanish

7:00 PM in English

8:00 PM in Slovak



During Lenten Fridays there will be no Eucharistic Adoration at 5:30 PM

CHURCH HALL SPRINKLER NEWS

TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$38,000.00

DONORS: 76 / TOTAL COLLECTED: \$10,930.00

Donations are being accepted and are greatly appreciated for the Sprinkler Fund. God bless those who have already donated!

*Special Collection envelopes can be found by the bulletins

LENTE DAY OF RECOLLECTION AT SACRED HEART CHURCH

Our sister parish, Sacred Heart Church, will have a Lenten Day of Recollection on Saturday, March 3rd. The theme is "The Four Last things: Death, Judgement, Hell, Heaven". Cost is \$15 in advance. Registration is required – deadline Feb. 26th. Forms by bulletins...

LENTE REFLECTIONS: ABSTINENCE

External Sacrifice vs. Internal Conversion:

I don't get it --- All you do is give up candy?

Now, here is an interesting question. External sacrifices are the most obvious kind, so sometimes it does look like all we do is avoid chocolate. However, if you look closer, you'll realize that fasting and abstinence have always gone hand in hand with two of their best friends: prayer and almsgiving. External sacrifice is a manifestation of interior conversion: "...interior conversion urges expression in visible signs, gestures and works of penance" (CCC no. 1430). Interior conversion is where prayer and almsgiving come into play. In almsgiving, we show mercy and generosity to others, giving them a chance to experience the blessings we have. In prayer, we are communicating with God, asking him to bless and perfect our fasting and almsgiving: "... prayer is the living relationship of the children of God with their Father who is good beyond measure, with his Son Jesus Christ and with the Holy Spirit" (CCC no. 2565). It's not just avoiding sweets. It's glorifying God by growing in his Love.



**Front Cover Announcement Section*



*Church open for Confessions
Mondays of Lent
7:00 PM – 8:30 PM*