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Membership Drive

It's that time again for our annual membership drive for 2019. Now is a great time to join the church if you have been a visitor and feel like this is your church home. Please see Debbie Niznik after each Mass and she will handle your membership. If you are a new member or already a member of St. Paul Parish, Diocesan and General membership dues for the year **2019** are **\$125.00** per person or **\$250.00** for a couple or family. (\$25.00 for Diocesan dues and \$100.00 for General dues) Please remember that these dues do not stay with the parish and are submitted to the diocese. There is a special offering envelope for your 2019 membership. Please make your check payable to: **St. Paul Parish**. On the memo line of your check write: **2019 Membership**. By being a member of St. Paul Parish, you will have a voice and vote. Let's strive to make this our most successful year ever! Members, if you have not yet picked up your 2019 offering envelopes you can find them inside of the social on the information table.



Annual Meeting



Our Annual Parish meeting will be held on Sunday, March 17, 2019 inside the social hall following the Breakfast Buffet around 1:30pm. We will be voting for the following offices of the Parish Committee:

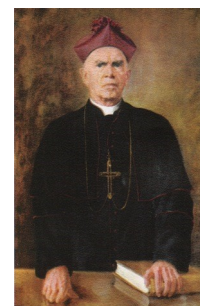
- Chairperson
- Vice Chairperson
- Treasurer
- Financial Secretary
- Recording Secretary
- 3 Board of Directors
- 3 Auditors
- 1 Tribunal Person

Requirements are that you have been a member of the church for 1 year and have met your financial obligations. Anyone that is interested in one of these positions, please see Deacon Angelo Pierro, Nominating Committee Chairperson, so your name may be added to the voting ballot.

Please mark your calendars for this meeting. All members are encouraged to attend.



February 16, 1953 66th Anniversary of death



Prime Bishop Francis Hodur

Francis Hodur was born near Krakow, Poland. He emigrated to the U.S. in 1893. That same year, he was ordained as a priest. On the March 14, 1897, Father Hodur became pastor of St. Stanislaus Cathedral, Scranton, PA. On Sept 29, 1907, Father Hodur was consecrated bishop by Old Catholic Bishops in Utrecht, Holland.



YMS of R Men's Group

The next YMS of R meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 20th at 9:00am at Cal's Restaurant in Belleview. All men of the parish are encouraged to attend. If you are new to the parish, this is a good opportunity for you to meet some of the men of our parish.



Our Friday Night Spaghetti Dinner and Sunday Breakfast Buffet has been a huge success and now we are in need of more volunteers. If this is something that you can help us out with, please see or contact Father Mark or Bob Canfield 352-454-8673 Even if you can only volunteer once a month it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!!

St. Paul Choir

We have a fantastic, spirited choir here at St. Paul's, under the direction of Charley Stoykovich. Anyone interested in joining the choir can meet here at the church on Tuesdays at 4:00pm for practice.



Ladies Adoration Society

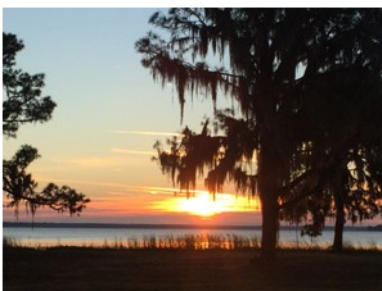
Below are pictures from the Ladies ANS Retreat that was held on January 24-26, 2019 at Lake Yale Baptist Conference Center in Leesburg.



Father Tom Basta Retreat Session: Broken & Bleeding



Father Mark blessing ANS medals for the new members



Sunrise on 1/25/19 at Lake Yale



Father Tom celebrating Mass with



Prayer Balloon release on the last day of retreat



ANS President, Dori Canfield with guest speaker Gaye Martin





Father Mark's bible study class meets every Thursday morning at 10:00am here at St. Paul's social hall. This ongoing class is for everyone interested in finding out more about their faith. Father Mark brings us many pearls of Scripture each week and whether you are a first time bible reader or an astute learned scriptural connoisseur, there's something special in the Word of God for everyone. You are encouraged to bring a friend.



Golf League



Our church golf league meets each Tuesday of every month at 8:30am at Spruce Creek Del Webb in Summerfield. Golfers are paired into groups of 4 players in scramble format. If any men or women are interested in joining our fun league, please contact Susan Hilt at 352-307-2129. Bring your friends. All are welcome. Sign up sheets will be posted in the social hall.



Birthdays

- 1st** Shawn Doome
Kathy Elstad
- 2nd** Bernice Karson
- 4th** Robert Casavant
Pat Mason
- 5th** Sandy Walver
- 6th** Ann Murray
- 7th** Marilyn Clark
Christine Kurlapski
- 10th** Stan Kustron
Kathy Stupak-Thrall
- 12th** Charley Stoykovich
- 14th** Don Klein
Gerry Zippilli
- 17th** Jean Rykaczewski
Irene Torresin
- 18th** Frank Stucynski
Dominick Suarez
- 25th** Lisa Chadwick
- 26th** Ray Murphy

Backpack Program



Our mainstay charitable program provides local homeless school children with personal care/hygiene items all year round. Please drop off items anytime on the rectory porch or at church on Sundays in the bins at the back of the church.



Anniversaries

- 13th** Tom & Peggy Coady
- 14th** Bob & Dori Canfield
Al & Donna Servidio
- 15th** Sandy & Kathy Elstad
- 16th** Harry & Deb Moebs
- 24th** Ron & Doris Harrelson
- 27th** Howard & Joanne Q. Doran

* Members: if your birthday or anniversary is not listed, please inform Debbie Niznik.

Members if you have not yet picked up your 2018 Weekly Offering Envelopes box, you can find them inside of the church. If anyone is interested in becoming a member of the parish, please see Debbie Niznik and she will sign you up.

Special Offering Envelopes

The month of January was designated for the *Music Scholarship Fund*. Parish members are encouraged to donate to this fund by using your Music Scholarship envelope. If you are not a member and would like to donate to this fund, please use a Love Offering envelope that are in the church pews and mark it "*Music Scholarship Fund*." This fund is used for giving scholarships to PNCC members who pursue music education.

Spaghetti Dinners



Come and bring your friends to our weekly all-you-can-eat spaghetti dinners on Fridays from 4:00-7:00pm. Dinners include salad, roll & butter, and your choice of a free beverage - either coffee, iced tea, or lemonade. Adults are just \$6.00 and Children 12yrs and younger are FREE. There are also homemade desserts from our Ladies ANS Society for only \$1.00 each. If you are bringing a large group, please contact Bob Canfield at 352-454-8673. Please let him know how many are in your party and what time you will arrive, and he will reserve your table(s) for you.

Words for Thought

*What happens when we live God's way?
He brings gifts into our lives, much the same way that fruit appears in an orchard - things like affection for others, exuberance about life, serenity. We develop a willingness to stick with things, a sense of compassion in the heart, and a conviction that a basic holiness permeates things and people.*

Galatians 5:22-23 The Message

Sunday Breakfast Buffet



Come join our Sunday morning Breakfast Buffet in our social hall from 9am to 1pm. Enjoy a spectacular all-you-can-eat buffet filled with lots of different breakfast items to select. Our buffet includes "Made-to-Order" Pancakes and French Toast, "Farm Fresh" Scrambles Eggs (Veggie, Meat Lovers and Classic) Sausage Links, Bacon, Biscuits & Gravy, Home Fries, Fresh Fruit, Bagels, Coffee, Tea and Assorted Juices. All for only \$10! Children 7-12 are \$5 and under 7 are FREE! All proceeds benefit local homeless school kids.

YMS of R March Raffle



Raffle tickets are now available for the YMS of R Annual Raffle. Tickets are a donation of \$10 each and the drawing will be in the month of March 2019.

The tickets are based on the daily numbers lottery, so there will be a winner everyday in the month of March. For tickets and more information, please see Deacon Angelo.

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