



FEBRUARY 17-18, 2018



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00AM

Pastoral Council: Diane Stone, Chair

Finance Council: Chris DeMarco, Chair

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



ST. MARY OF THE LAKE
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:00AM

Pastoral Council: Bernie Garvey, Chair

Finance Council: Don Ames, Chair

Rev. Patrick L. Albert, Pastor
Deacon Raymond A. Pieretti, Pastoral Associate
Rev. Robert J. Kelleher (Ret.)
Rev. Dennis Bajkowski (Ret.)

Parish Office: Fr. Nallin Hall, Tunkhannock
Business Manager: Dick Schwoebel (570)677-7634
Secretary: Mary Lou Chackan
Office hours: 9:00AM – 2:00PM

WELCOME: We warmly welcome all to join us in worship of our God. If you are new to our parish community, please be sure to tell Fr. Pat that you will be joining our parish community. Contact the parish office if you have any questions. Visitor envelopes are available at all entrances.

MARRIAGE: Christian marriage is a sacred and serious commitment. Couples contemplating marriage should notify a parish priest at least nine months before the date on which they intend to marry. This should be done before any other arrangements are made so that a couple may be suitably served by the parish and diocese. All couples are required to take part in a Pre-Cana program or Engaged Encounter Weekend. **Sunday Weddings are not permitted.**

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a community journey that leads to transformation of mind and spirit. Guided by the gospel and the examples of parish members, newcomers can find their place in the RCIA community of believers and discover their own relationship with Christ. The program runs from September through Pentecost with reception of the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Information is available at the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Knowing the Catholic faith and tradition is essential if faith and tradition are to continue to be nourishing facets of our lives. Religious formation is valuable for both youth and adults. Classes are conducted from September to May following the 9:00AM Mass on Sunday. Information on religious education programs for youth of all ages and educational opportunities for adults are available at the parish office.

BULLETIN: If you have information that you would like to place in the bulletin (community news, society/social news, etc.), please have it at the parish office no later than Tuesday morning.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Forty-five minutes before Saturday evening Mass or by appointment.

SHUT-INS: If someone you know is unable to attend Mass but would like to receive Communion or receive a copy of our weekly bulletin, please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAM: All parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation meeting before this sacrament will be celebrated. Contact Father Pat at the parish office (570-836-3275) to schedule an appointment to discuss your child's baptism.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Visits are made on a regular basis.
PLEASE NOTE: The new privacy laws limit the amount of information that we receive from the hospitals or nursing/convalescent homes. It is necessary that family or friends notify us of these admittances.

HANDICAPPED SEATING AREA: Please note that the front pew nearest to the side door is reserved to accommodate those who have need due to disability. Please be kind enough to leave this pew available for that purpose.

PARKING LOT: [St. Mary's] Please keep the emergency lane in front of the church clear at all times. It is essential that vehicles are able to get in and out of the parking lot in case of an emergency. Please adhere to the parking spaces as delineated. Please be considerate of your fellow parishioners when you are backing up or turning to park or to exit the parking lot. There is ample parking on the upper level and supplemental parking on the side of the church.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**"TO KNOW, LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD
AND ONE ANOTHER
IN IMITATION OF MARY"**

*Approved by both Parish Pastoral Councils
January 2007*

FROM THE PASTOR'S NOTEBOOK:



And so our journey of faith begins anew. Lent, a season of quiet reflection, of engaging God in prayer, sacrifice and a contemplative spirit. Searching for a deeper meaning to life. Our world can become so immersed in material things that we begin to believe that we exist primarily for things and not for God. There is nothing new in this reality as past generations have found themselves in similar dilemmas. That is why Lent is a golden opportunity to re-focus on what is important in our lives. Living out the Christian life is not a cakewalk. It requires discipline, commitment and a genuine desire to confront ourselves over and over again. Our faith allows us the opportunity to grow in character and appreciate the contributions of all believers.

So take the journey; it's free. See where the Lord is calling you to be and who he is calling you to be. Remember, we are all a "work in progress", so be patient with yourself and with your world and you might be pleasantly surprised.

Fr. Pat

BVM "LIVING STATIONS": There will be an organizational meeting to coordinate this year's Living Stations. **Anyone interested in participating as cast or technical crew is invited to attend the meeting this Sunday, February 18th at 1:00PM in Nativity BVM church.** This dynamic representation of the Passion of Christ is a wonderful opportunity to engage the holy week celebration fully. All are welcome.

MISSING A RING? A unique mother's ring was found among the baby bottles that were donated in support of the Pro-Life Center. If it's yours, please contact the Parish Office (570-677-7634) and describe the ring. It may be picked up at the Parish Office during working hours.



PARISH MEETINGS SCHEDULE

St. Mary of the Lake
February 20th – **Building & Grounds Committee**
6:30PM – Parish Hall

MONTHLY HOME VISITATIONS: On or near the First Friday of every month (weather permitting), Fr. Pat, Deacon Ray and Diane Stone visit the homebound and bring them Holy Communion. **If you or a loved one is unable to attend Mass due to advanced age, sickness or disability/handicap, and desire to receive communion at home, please contact Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275) with your name, phone number and address and you will be placed on our monthly visitation list.**

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Clergy Care & EducationMarch 03-04
Catholic Relief Services.....March 10-11

WE'RE MAKING THE PIEROGIES!: Our 2018 pierogi-making program is off to a great start last Monday. A good group of volunteers were on hand and things went relatively smoothly considering that it's been almost a year since we last did this.

More volunteers are needed. The work schedule is:

Monday

- 7:00AM for potato peelers/prep workers
- 8:00/8:30AM for potato filling preparers / pinchers

Tuesday

- 1:00PM to package pierogies for storage and sales (this usually takes around an hour to complete depending on the number of volunteers)

Come join us either day in Fr. Nallin Hall. It's great comradery and a complimentary lunch is served on Monday.

Call the Parish Office (570-836-3275) if you have any questions.

We will once again be selling our frozen Potato and Cheese-filled Pierogies on Fridays in Father Nallin Hall and during the week at the Parish Office during normal business hours.

Friday sales take place from 10:00AM-5:00PM at Fr. Nallin Hall kitchen and will conclude on Friday, March 23rd. **The price still remains the same at \$7.00 per dozen.**



"THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU": This year, on **every Monday during Lent (February 19th – March 19th),** the "Light will be On for You" in the

Reconciliation Room - Confessional of **Nativity BVM Church in Tunkhannock from 5:30-7:00PM.** A priest will be available to hear your confession in preparation for Easter.

This is a special opportunity for Catholics who have not participated in this Sacrament in a long time to avail themselves of the incredible source of God's amazing Grace, Mercy and Healing in a relaxed and unhurried atmosphere of welcome.

Materials will be available to assist you in making a thoughtful examination of conscience and to help you with the form of Confession (Act of Contrition, etc.)

This is available for both of our parishes and for all Catholics in Wyoming County.

DR. CHRIS ANDRES OFFERS HAITI MEDICAL MISSION INFO SESSION

After the 11:00AM Mass this Sunday, February 18th in Fr. Nallin Hall, Dr. Chris Andres will offer a presentation on his recent medical mission to Haiti with The University of Scranton's Medical Alumni Council. Come listen to his stories, see pictures, and learn more about this wonderful program. Light refreshments will be provided.

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL 2017

Your gifts support the following ministries made possible by the Diocesan Annual Appeal:

- Catholic Social Services and Parish Social Justice Grants
- Catholic Education in Schools and Parishes
- Clergy Formation, Education and Support
- Parish Life and Ministry Formation
- Catholic Media and Communication

Please consider a gift to the 2017 Diocesan Appeal. Envelopes are available at the doors to the church. Thank you. Fr. Pat

2017 DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL As of February 5th

NATIVITY BVM CHURCH:

GOAL:..... \$34,000.00
 PLEDGED:..... \$31,270.00
 STATUS:..... 92.0%
UNDER GOAL:..... \$ 2,730.00
 PARTICIPATION: 19.23% (186 FAMILIES OUT OF 967)

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CHURCH:

GOAL:..... \$13,000.00
 PLEDGED:..... \$ 9,745.00
 STATUS..... 75.0%
UNDER GOAL:..... \$ 3,255.00
 PARTICIPATION: 12.73% (61 FAMILIES OUT OF 479)

Help to Strengthen and Heal Marital Relationships *Retrouvaille Program* (To Re- Discover)

A program that helps couples who may be experiencing tension, stress and loneliness in the marriage relationship. Program helps couples, even those separated and divorced, to better communicate and resolve conflicts in their relationships. Please call 1-800-470-2230 or visit the website www.helpourmarriage.org for more information or to pre-register. All calls confidential. Cost of program is by donation.

Next local weekend: March 2-4, 2018 at the Ramada Inn, Clarks Summit.

Contact Persons: Nettie and Bob Goldate
570-587-0415

VALENTINE DINNER DANCE: Thank you to everyone who helped with the Valentine Dance last weekend, from set up to tear down. Over 150 people attended and had a great time dancing the night away!!!!



Ruth & Donato Nole, Chairpersons



BIBLE STUDY: The Sunday Night Bible Study group is examining **Genesis**. We are using Scott Hahn's study book. Meeting time is **7:00PM on Sunday at Father Nallin Hall. All are welcome.**

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AT NATIVITY B.V.M.

**Wednesdays
3:00 to 7:00PM**

**This is a personal invitation to you from Jesus.
"Jesus waits for us in this sacrament of love."
(Pope Saint John Paul II)**



ALL ARE WELCOME

Holy Hour is the Roman Catholic devotional tradition of spending an hour in Eucharistic Adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Be Silent

Be Attentive

Be Alert

During INCLEMENT WEATHER

No Adoration - If school is closed for the day
or there is an early dismissal
There is Adoration - If there is a school delay
(report 1-2 hours later)

REMEMBER HIS WILL IN YOURS: You can express your commitment to our Church by making a bequest to either Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Tunkhannock or Saint Mary of the Lake Church at Lake Winola. Simply have the following statement included in your will:

"I leave to Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Tunkhannock, PA (or Saint Mary of the Lake Church, Lake Winola, PA), the sum of \$_____ (or ___ percent of the residue of my estate) for its religious, educational and charitable works" or words to that effect.

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING: February 10-11, 2018

Nativity BVM Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 4,800.00
Actual Offertory**\$ 5,549.00
Difference:.....\$ **749.00**

St. Mary of the Lake Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 2,000.00
Actual Offertory**\$ 1,884.00
Difference:.....\$ **(116.00)**

*Weekly Collection Goal represents the amount needed weekly if we are going to make our 2017-2018 Parish Collections goal (envelopes and loose). It does NOT include Fundraising, Religious Education Income or any other income.

**Actual Offertory represents the total amount received in the weekly collection (not including Easter or special collections).

The generosity of our people is truly appreciated. We may not always reach our budgeted goals, but we are grateful to those who make a sacrifice on a weekly basis to sustain our parish ministries.

LENTEN PREPARATION FOR EASTER: On **Wednesday mornings at 10:00AM at the Rectory**, we are gathering together to read the Bible book **Genesis**. **The meeting dates will be 2/21, 2/28, 3/7, 3/14 & 3/21.** If you are interested and need more information, please call Cindy at 570-836-4744.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE SET FOR MAY 5th: All Catholic men who want to grow in their faith are invited to the Diocese of Scranton Catholic Men's Conference scheduled for May 5th at **King's College** in Wilkes-Barre. The conference will feature inspirational speakers, Eucharistic Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and a concluding Mass celebrated by Bishop Joseph C. Bambera. Many ministries will be represented and a variety of books, CDs and other material will be available.

One of the featured guests at this year's conference is Jessie Romero, a dynamic bilingual Catholic speaker, former USA middleweight kickboxing champion and a retired sheriff. With his unique style, Jessie encourages his audience to rise above a life of mediocrity and embrace the true hope that is from Jesus Christ. Jessie explains that we are called to be powerful witnesses for Christ.

The Catholic Men's Conference will bring together hundreds of Catholic men for good fellowship and a re-commitment to promoting and living out our Christian heritage in our homes, workplaces and society. Information on other speakers will be forthcoming.

Register at www.beamanconference.com or call the Diocesan Pastoral Center at 570-207-2213.

For more information or to volunteer, please call or email Michael Kilmer at 570-746-0100 or mkilmer@thekilmergroup.com.

Regulations for Lent 2018

All faithful of the Diocese of Scranton are reminded of Diocesan Statute No. 41, which addresses the penitential aspect of Lent:

"The season of Lent is penitential in nature and during Lent penance should be not only internal and individual, but also external and social (*Sacrosanctum Concilium*, No. 5, 109). Pastors are obliged to avoid scheduling activities in the parishes which in any way could possibly detract from the external and social penance required by Lent."

Ash Wednesday, February 14th, marks the beginning of Lent. The following fast and abstinence regulations are observed:

+ **Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, March 30th, are days of fast and abstinence.**

+ **Fridays during Lent are days of abstinence.**

+ **All Catholics who have reached their 14th birthday are to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and on all Fridays during Lent.**

+ **All Catholics over 18 years of age to the beginning of their 60th year are bound to the obligation of fasting.** Those bound by this rule may take only one full meal and two smaller meals unless dispensed or excused.

Lenten Reminders

Lent is a time for sacrifice and for spiritual renewal as we reflect upon our baptism and the call given to each of us to walk as disciples of the Lord.

As faithful followers of Jesus, we are traditionally encouraged to honor the sacred season of Lent by embracing the three pillars of Lenten observance:

+ **Almsgiving** - generously giving to those in need

+ **Fasting** - practicing self-discipline and self-denial

+ **Prayer** - reading, hearing and reflecting on the Word of God

Lent is also a penitential season. It is a time to seek forgiveness, to look inward, and to admit our shortcomings and failures. It is a time to regroup and to prepare.

How can you spend your time during Lent?

+ By "giving up" things you hunger after, such as sweets or alcohol; or activities you desire, such as vacations, concerts or movies.

+ By "doing" things to help others, such as offering an extra donation to the poor or helping those in need by providing food or clothing.

+ By "adding" to our normal routine, such as going to daily Mass, praying the Stations of the Cross and going to confession.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: His Excellency, the Most Rev. Joseph C. Bambera, D.D., J.C.L., Bishop of Scranton and the Office for Parish Life wish to invite couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2018 to a **Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 10th.** The event includes a 2:30PM Mass at St. Peter's Cathedral followed by a reception. **Requests for an invitation, with a mailing address, should be made through your Pastor before March 12th.**

VIRTUS: A training session for adults in the Protecting God's Children (PGC-VIRTUS) program has been scheduled:

► **Monday, February 19th at Mary, Mother of God Parish, Scranton beginning at 6:30PM.**

Complete information is posted at:

www.dioceseofscranton.org (safe environment-child protection-VIRTUS)

If you are an adult employee or volunteer who has direct contact or routine interaction with children, please make every effort to participate in this training. Your attendance is important. Thank you.

EVENING OF REFLECTION ON THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM:

The Scranton Chapter of the National Association of Pastoral Musicians (NPM) will be holding an Evening of Reflection on the Paschal Triduum on **Tuesday, March 6th from 6:00-8:30PM at St. Ann's Basilica Parish, 1233 St. Ann Street, Scranton.** The Evening of Reflection will be facilitated by Sr. Catherine Luxner, IHM, Director of Campus Ministry at Marywood University. The evening begins with dinner, followed by the presentation and then Night Prayer. **There is no fee, but a free-will offering will be taken up to help offset the cost of dinner.**

For more information or to register, please contact David Baloga, Scranton NPM Program Director at 570-207-2213 ext. 1158, or visit ScrantonNPM.com by Thursday, March 1st.

NOTICE REGARDING REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR:

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis or at 1-800-932-0313.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska, at 570-862-7551 or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Msgr. Thomas M. Muldowney, V.G., at 570-207-2269.



A WELCOMING COMMUNITY:

You enter this church ... not as stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips

into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal ones who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayers and praise.

NATIVITY BVM ALTAR & ROSARY



"Wonders of Water"

Our trip to the PHILADELPHIA FLOWER SHOW

Tuesday, March 6th

- ▶ **Bus leaves Nativity parking lot @ 6:45AM**
 - ▶ **Breakfast stop @ Hickory Run**
 - ▶ **Bus departs Philadelphia @ 5:00PM**
 - ▶ **Cost: \$85.00 per person (bus + admission + tip)**
- Make checks payable to NATIVITY ALTAR & ROSARY**
Call Sue (570-836-1351) or Mary Lou (570-836-3275)
for reservations/questions

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Our daily Mass schedule is:

Nativity BVM Church

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 7:00AM

St. Mary of the Lake Church

Tuesday, Thursday 8:00AM

When there is a school delay or closure due to inclement weather, no Mass will be celebrated.

RCIA NEWS

The **Rite of Election will be celebrated by Bishop Bambera this Sunday, February 18th at 2:30PM** (please note the change in time from previous years). RCIA Coordinator Information and Enrollment forms are now available on the diocesan website under [Christian Initiation Resources](#).

Please keep in your prayers our RCIA candidates who will be participating in this important step on their journey of faith:

Nativity BVM Church.....Ronald Hampsey
St. Mary of the Lake ChurchZachary Beeman

We thank our RCIA Ministry Coordinators **Jody & Mae Nowalk** for guiding Ron and Zach on their journey to join our Catholic community.

2017 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Contribution statements for the 2017 calendar year are available. To request a statement of your contributions for 2017, please complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office. You may also call the Parish Office (570-836-3275) to request the statement.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Envelope Number: _____

DIGITAL DISCIPLES MINISTRY

Like our Facebook Page

When you think about it, being a Digital Disciple is all about four things:

Information – learning what you need to know about our parishes

Education - learning about our Catholic faith and how we are implementing that faith here in our parishes

Communication - making sure we all know what's going on

Evangelization – spreading our faith to others

If you are on Facebook, THE biggest way you can help INFORM, EDUCATE, COMMUNICATE, and EVANGELIZE is by LIKING our Facebook page, @nativitystmary, and by LIKING and SHARING our Facebook posts. When you like our page, you affirm that you want to know about your faith and how we are practicing it at Nativity and St Mary. By liking and sharing our posts, you affirm that you want others to know about our faith as well.

We currently have about 150 "likes" for our page. Realistically, we should have many more likes for two parishes of our size. We have set a goal of doubling the number of likes for our page. Here's how you can help:

- If you are on Facebook and have not yet liked our page, by all means do so.
- If you have already liked our page, start liking and sharing our posts to your friends, and encourage them to like the page as well.
- If you are not yet on Facebook, create a Facebook profile and like our page. If you need help, ask a friend or family member to help you.
- If you are a "computer person", offer to help a friend or family member create a Facebook profile.

Liking our Facebook page is one way of being an active parishioner. Support your parish by helping us reach our goal.

PLEASE NOTE: We have transitioned the email addresses for our parishes to take advantage of the options available through our website. While we still receive emails through the frontier.com email addresses, we are also utilizing the following website email addresses for our outgoing communications and receiving emails through them as well. Please make note of the following addresses in your email program's Address Book:

Fr. Pat Albert	pastor@nativitystmary.org
Deacon Ray	deacon@nativitystmary.org
Dick Schwoebel	busmgr@nativitystmary.org
Nativity Parish	nativity@nativitystmary.org
St. Mary Parish	stmary@nativitystmary.org

Echoes of Faith

Do you want to know more about your faith? Are you a catechist or DRE who is looking for a way to earn a certificate in catechesis? Can you spare an hour a week? The *Echoes of Faith* 3.0 is for YOU!

Created by the National Conference for Catechetical Leadership (NCCL) and published by RCL Benziger, *Echoes of Faith* is an online education program offering basic adult formation in the Catholic Faith. With fourteen modules divided into three categories, the *Echoes of Faith* Learning Center can be used for parish Adult Faith Formation and for Basic Catechist Certification. It is also one way to complete the pre-requisites for the Diocesan Certificate in Lay Ministry.

For information on how to get started for an affordable \$15.00 a year, contact Mary-Anne-Malone@dioceseofscranton.org

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: All adult Catholics (age 18 and over) are expected to be officially registered in a Parish and participating at Mass and the other Sacraments on a regular basis. If you have graduated from College or High School and are now employed, you are expected to join on your own unless you are attending college or a trade school.

In order for a child to receive First Penance, First Eucharist or Confirmation, at least one of their parents or legal guardian must belong to and participate in our Parish. If you need to register or have any questions, please feel free to contact the Parish Office at 570-836-3275.

ZUMBA & YOGAFIT: Zumba classes are held on Wednesdays in St. Mary's Parish Hall starting at 6:00PM with a Yogafit class to follow at 7:00PM. The cost for each is **only \$5.00 per session.** We hope to see you all there!!!

BOY SCOUT NEWS



**Next Committee Meeting:
March 12th**

Upstairs Classroom @ Father Nallin Hall

Alison Delano, Committee Chairperson
570-233-4000 adelano1230@gmail.com

CUB SCOUT NEWS

ADULT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Fr. Nallin Hall

February 26th



THE LOWER WYOMING COUNTY FOOD PANTRY:

The Food Pantry is located behind the Lake Winola United Methodist Church and is open the first and third Thursday from 9:00-11:30AM. If you or someone you know is in need of food, please do not hesitate to call me at 570-586-4811.

Love,

Mary Lou Franko

Vice President of the Lower Wyoming County Food Pantry



ST. MARY'S AED IS LOCATED IN THE FOYER
BETWEEN THE CHURCH & HALL

COME AND SEE
A unique opportunity to answer the call to
Missionary Discipleship

This retreat is designed to help **men aged 18 and older** to understand God's call to diocesan priesthood. Interactive presentations will include:

- Practical steps for discerning a vocation to Diocesan Priesthood
- Seminary life, academics, spiritual life and pastoral ministry
- Seminarians and priests sharing their vocation stories

Free time to relax, pray, and connect with others from throughout the Diocese.

- ▶ **February 23rd-24th**
- ▶ **Villa of Our Lady Retreat House**
245 Meadowside Road
Mount Pocono, PA 18344
- ▶ **Starts Friday at 7:00PM** and concludes with dinner on Saturday. Participants are welcome to stay through Sunday lunch.

▶ **Cost: no charge**

What to bring:

- Casual clothes
- Personal toiletries

Sheets, pillows, and towels provided

RSVP to Father Don Williams by February 19th:

Diocesan Vocation Office
570-207-1452

vocations@dioceseofscranton.org

PIEROGI-MAKING INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATION PROCEDURE

Each year, we set a goal to complete our Pierogi quota prior to Easter and usually encounter some weather event(s) along the way making it a challenge to attain. The following is a plan to address this and keep us on track:

In the event that the Tunkhannock School District is on a **2 hour delay OR total cancellation**, we will **NOT** make pierogies on that **Monday**. We will meet on the **WEDNESDAY** of that same week at the normal times to make pierogies and then on **THURSDAY** to package them at 1pm.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support of this very important fundraiser for our Parish. Possibly some new people will be able to join in the fun during our schedule change. Volunteers are always welcome!
The Pierogi Brigade

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that you inspire young people whom you call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow your will. Send workers into your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and your people are strengthened by the sacraments. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR
5th ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DAY
CELEBRATION & DINNER

The Little Sisters of the Poor are kicking off St. Patrick's Day in the city of Scranton at their fifth annual St. Patrick's Day Celebration and Dinner on **Sunday, March 11th, at Holy Family Residence, 2500 Adams Ave., Scranton**, located adjacent to Marywood University. The event will **begin with Mass at 11:00AM** with a bagpipe processional and recessional in the chapel followed by the **dinner and entertainment from 12:00 to 4:00PM** in the auditorium.

The menu includes ham and cabbage with potatoes and carrots, rolls and butter, vanilla ice cream with mint or chocolate syrup, and beverages. The entertainment for the afternoon includes D.J. Dr. Dragon – the Practitioner of Entertainment with Irish step dancing by the Crossmolina School of Dance.

Tickets are \$12.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children 10 and younger. Tickets can be purchased in advance online at www.littlesistersofthepoorscranton.org or by calling (570) 343-4065, or at the residence. They will also be available at the door.

In addition to the dinner, there will be a bake sale which will include the Sisters' famous homemade scones and an assortment of other baked goods. There will also be raffles for gift baskets and gift certificates for area restaurants and businesses as well as a 50/50 raffle.

There will be plenty of **free and convenient parking** in the residence's parking lot or via a handicap accessible van providing shuttle service from the Marywood University parking lot on the corner of Adams and University Avenues to the dinner.

The Little Sisters also have **numerous dinner sponsorship packages available** which are great advertising vehicles for businesses as well as a way to honor or remember someone you love.

For advance ticket purchases and sponsorship information, please contact Mrs. Jackie Galvin, M.S., director of development and communications, at scdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org or (570) 343-4065 ext. 3144.

All proceeds will be used to purchase beds for the residents at Holy Family Residence.

St. Mary's Visitation Church
MONDAY NIGHT BINGO
In the school at
625 Dundaff St., Dickson City
Progressive Jackpot
Weekly Minimum \$1,200.00
Call 489-2091 for info!
Early Bird at 6:40PM
Regular Games at 7:00PM
2 Floors – main floor handicapped-accessible!
Doors open at 4:30PM
Kitchen serving food and beverages
from 5:00PM!



MILITARY HONOR ROLL
PLEASE KEEP ALL MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY IN
YOUR PRAYERS
DURING THIS TIME OF UNCERTAINTY

If you have a relative or friend serving in the military, please let us know so that we can include their name on our Honor Roll

NIGHT PRAYERS
with DEACON RAY



Tuesday evening prayers
5:00PM @ Winola View Apartments
All are welcome!

PRO-LIFE ROSE

The Pro-Life red rose in front of the statue of Mary at Nativity this week is in memory of

John Pasternak

Donated by Peggy Finnegan



If you would like to donate for a Pro-Life Rose at Nativity, please contact Diane Stone (570-836-3055)

Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen, 54 Warren Street in Tunkhannock (formerly the P&G Credit Union building), serves a hearty meal every Monday through Friday from 5:00-6:30PM. There is no charge and all are welcome.



Those who desire to volunteer to work at the kitchen or to donate food or make a financial contribution are asked to contact 570-996-5005 or 570-836-3145.

Line Dancing

Wednesday evening
7:00-8:30PM Fr. Nallin Hall
All are welcome



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRIES



St. Mary of the Lake
Thursdays from 5:30-7:00PM in the Parish Hall

All women of the parish are invited to join us.

Nativity BVM

In need of a prayer shawl?
 Please call Sue Barziloski (570-836-1351)

If your child's crying or talking becomes excessive or disruptive to others, please be considerate and use the cry rooms in our churches.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST



St. Mary of the Lake Parish Hall
Sunday, February 18th
7:00-11:00AM

Pancakes, eggs, sausage, juice, coffee/tea
 Prepared & served by Boy Scout Troop 518

Only \$5.00 per person
(Kids under age 5 eat free!!)

Proceeds to benefit Troop 518

Easter Candy is Now on Sale!!



The Easter Bunny is Ecstatic!!!

Despite the snow, the Easter Bunny is ecstatic!!! Saint Mary of the Lake Easter Candy is now on sale! You can find it at all Saint Mary of the Lake weekend Masses. You can also find it on Fridays during Lent at Nativity's Lenten Food Sales. Remember, it's sinfully delicious with a little bit of heaven in each bite! Fill out your order form today!

THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT IS RESERVED WHERE MASS IS SAID
We respectfully ask that all observe a reverent silence and appropriate dress

Sacramental Preparation

BAPTISM

Parents must be registered in the Parish. In order to understand and appreciate the Sacrament of Baptism, first time expectant parents are required to attend one pre-Baptism instruction. A call to the Parish Office 4 months before your child is due will make the scheduling of your session easier and give you ample time to prepare for this Sacrament of Initiation to the life of grace.

MARRIAGE

The engaged couple is asked to call the Parish Office and arrange an appointment with the priest. Please allow 12 months for the completion of the necessary preparations. Do not enter into any other commitments before confirming a wedding date and time in the parish.

Confession Schedule

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated **every Saturday:**

- St. Mary of the Lake**
3:15-3:45PM
- Nativity of the BVM**
4:15-4:45PM

or **at any time by appointment.**
 Contact the Parish Office (836-3275).

Cemetery Lots Available

Pieta Cemetery, one of our Parish Cemeteries (located on Dark Hollow Road in Tunkhannock Township) **has burial lots available.** For further info, to view the map of available lots and to inquire about prices & regulations, please contact our Parish Secretary, Mary Lou, at the Parish Office (570-836-3275).



St. Mary of the Lake CCD News

Our Valentine Breakfast was a huge success! I would like to give a great big "Thank You" to my parents who lent a helping hand: **Amanda Holgate, Jen Pieretti & Lynn Berkhimer!** Also, thanks to my teachers for all you do!
There is no CCD this week! See you next Sunday.
 God Bless, Jenny Sinker

Words of Life

"Many parents want perfect children. Our culture is obsessed with perfection—a superficial perfection. Photos are airbrushed, and social media sites depict seemingly perfect lives. God calls us to seek perfection, too. He does not call us, however, to perfection of appearance or abilities, but to perfection in love."
USCCB Sec. of Pro-Life Activities
"A Perfect Gift"

PRO-LIFE ROSE



Looking for a wonderful way to remember a loved one on a special day?

Why not donate the Rose that is placed before the statue of

the Blessed Virgin Mary at Nativity BVM Church?

Simply contact **Diane Stone (570-836-3055)** to schedule the date that you desire and how you want it listed in the **bulletin.** Many weekends are available.

Have You Moved?

If you have recently moved or had an address change, please contact the parish office at 836-3275 so that our records may be updated. **If we don't have a mailable address on file for you, we will have to remove your name from our parish roster.**



AED IS LOCATED IN NATIVITY BVM CHURCH & ALSO IN FR. NALLIN HALL

St. Mary of the Lake Altar & Rosary

Reminder: the envelope for your dues for 2018 is in the envelope packet that you received.
 Our **next meeting** will take place on **Monday, March 5th at 6:45PM** in the hall. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

Nativity BVM CCD News

Safety concerns for Nativity CCD: Our children's safety is always a top priority while in our care at Nativity CCD. Therefore, it is requested that children attending Nativity CCD from Preschool through Second grade (that is **Preschool, Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade**) be **brought to their classroom and signed in by a parent or guardian.** The children are also to be picked up at the classroom at the end of CCD.

If you have any questions, please call the Parish office (570-836-3275) and leave a message for Judy Boyanowski, DRE. Thank you.

Congratulations again to our First Communion CCD class members who received First Penance last Saturday, February 10th:

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Emma Boock | Isabella Kuffa |
| Kaden Delvey | Ophelia Matalavy |
| Johana GERALY Diaz | Kyle Montross |
| Olivia Galella | Taryn Newswanger |
| Azlyn Gazzillo | Kinsley Sechrist |
| Kianna Hannon | Sophia Sobeck |



as seen on TV

Available at the Parish Office
 Only **\$5.00**

Parish Bulletin Advertising

Space is currently available in our weekly parish bulletin for your business advertisement. Contact our Parish Business Manager, Dick Schwoebel, at (570) 836-3275 or (570) 677-7634 for information and pricing. Various sizes are available; the cost is reasonable.



ST. MARY'S AED IS LOCATED IN THE FOYER BETWEEN THE CHURCH & HALL

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE - WEEK OF FEBRUARY 18, 2018

SATURDAY	FEB.	17	4:00PM	JOSEPH & GAIL O'MALLEY – OFFERED BY MARY ANN BROWN & FAMILY
SUNDAY	FEB.	18	9:00AM	HENRY HOFFMAN – OFFERED BY THE SINKER FAMILY
MONDAY	FEB.	19	8:00AM	NO MASS
TUESDAY	FEB.	20	8:00AM	HEALTH & BLESSING FOR LEONARD NASH – OFFERED BY ST. MARY OF THE LAKE PARISHIONERS
WEDNESDAY	FEB.	21	8:00AM	NO MASS
THURSDAY	FEB.	22	8:00AM	GINNY CLARKE – OFFERED BY ST. MARY OF THE LAKE ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
FRIDAY	FEB.	23	8:00AM	NO MASS
			7:00PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
SATURDAY	FEB.	24	4:00PM	ALBERT IGNATOVICH – OFFERED BY RICK & MARY LOU FRANKO
SUNDAY	FEB.	25	9:00AM	DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE HUDAK & WATERS FAMILIES – OFFERED BY THEIR FAMILIES

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

SAT. FEB. 17 & SUN. FEB. 18	SATURDAY 4:00PM	SUNDAY 9:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DEACON RAY	DEACON RAY
LECTORS	LISA JANOSKI	MARY LOU FRANKO
ALTAR SERVER(S)	JEWEL STOVER	TYLER BERKHIMER
		ADRIEN FRANKO
		ANTHONY WILLIAMS
USHERS	JIM BILLINGS & BILL SHAW	DAVID SINKER & DJ SINKER
GREETERS	DEE PASKO	JIM SNYDER
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS		JACK HADDOW & FRAN MOLLUSKY

SAT FEB. 24 & FEB. SUN. 25	SATURDAY 4:00PM	SUNDAY 9:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DEACON RAY	DEACON RAY
LECTORS	ASHLEY KENIA	STEVE ZDANIEWICZ
ALTAR SERVER(S)	JAMES MIKUS	MICHAEL GREEN
		RACHEL KENIA
		ZACH ZELNA
USHERS	JIM BILLINGS & BILL SHAW	STAN MALECKI & JEFF PIERCE
GREETERS	PAT STEAD	BILL WATERS
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS		JACK HADDOW & LEN NASH

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole who healed those who believed. Amen.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

- THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED, ESPECIALLY: SANDRA SLOWEY, LORI PIERCE, LISA FREITAS, TRACY IRISH, CHRISTINA REEVES, JACKI NIERATKO, CARMEN PIERCE, ELAINE HUG, CHASE RUSSELLO, ANNETTE SMITH, LYNN POLLINI, AVA MASON, LYNN McGLYNN, BONNIE KILGANNON, MSGR. DAVID L. TRESSLER, RUSTY PERKINS, JULIA KAIFER, MICHELLE HUERBIN, SHIRLEY DZIAK, JENNIFER BUNNELL, JOSEPH PIERCE, THELMA SHEBBY, EDD KILGANNON, AUDREY DAVIS, SHIRLEY ROCHA, DOT JOHNSON, JAMES DOUGHERTY, JESSICA MIGLIORI, STACIE MAGNECZ, TAMMY MIGLIORI, CAROLLYN DAVIS, LINDA ZALEWSKI, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MICHAEL BOGDON, JANET EVANS, ZACHARY WILLIAMS, KERSTIN LEE MIGLIORI, PAT STEAD, BILL STEAD, RON GORKO, KATIE PACKER, JOE IGNATOVICH, PETER POLINSKY, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., ANN SMITH, DELORES HEAGY, FRAN MOLLUSKY, PEARL PIERCE, BERNICE BURANICH, CEIL IGNATOVICH, MARY PETERSEN, LOUIS C. POLLINI JR., SUE MIGLIORI, JOE SCHIAVONE, JOSEPH FRANKO, LINDA NIEMIEC, JACK KARASACK, CAROLE GREENIP, JANE CAWLEY, FLORENCE KEYES, JEROME LAMONICA, JEAN LAMONICA, THEO FREAR, BROGAN PERFILIO.

- THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH AND PARISHIONERS

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SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF
FEBRUARY 18TH FOR **MARYANN KASZUBA**
OFFERED BY HER HUSBAND GEORGE

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$1,884.00

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CALENDAR

FEB. 18	NO CCD CLASS – WINTER BREAK	MAR. 24	COMMUNITY EASTER EGG HUNT
FEB. 18	PANCAKE BREAKFAST – 7:00 - 11:00AM – HALL	MAR. 25	CCD CLASS/EASTER TREATS
FEB. 23	STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM	MAR. 29	HOLY THURSDAY MASS – 7:00PM
FEB. 25	CCD CLASS	MAR. 30	GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE – 1:00PM
MAR. 02	STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM	MAR. 31	BLESSING OF THE FAMILY FOOD BASKETS – 1:00PM – HALL
MAR. 04	CCD CLASS/KINDERGARTEN & 1ST GRADE CLASS MASS	MAR. 31	EASTER VIGIL MASS – 8:00PM
MAR. 05	ALTAR & ROSARY MTG. – 6:45PM – HALL	APR. 01	NO CCD CLASS
MAR. 09	STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM	APR. 01	EASTER SUNDAY MASS – 9:00AM
MAR. 11	CCD CLASS/5TH GRADE CLASS MASS	APR. 08	CCD CLASS
MAR. 16	STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM	APR. 15	CCD CLASS
MAR. 18	CCD CLASS/CONFESSIONS	APR. 22	CCD CLASS/2ND GRADE MASS/LUNCHEON – 2:00PM
MAR. 18	LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE – 6:00PM	APR. 29	LAST CCD CLASS/CARNIVAL FOR JESUS FUN
MAR. 23	STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM		

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE – WEEK OF FEBRUARY 18, 2018

SATURDAY	FEB.	17	5:00PM	CHARLES & DOROTHY KOVALCHICK – OFFERED BY THEIR FAMILY
SUNDAY	FEB.	18	7:30AM	DOLORES RADWANSKI – OFFERED BY KEN & MILLIE FRANK
			9:00AM	PETER J. BROZUSKY – OFFERED BY ANNA HARDISKY
			11:00AM	DONALD OLSHAN – OFFERED BY HIS WIFE
MONDAY	FEB.	19	7:00AM	LORRAINE GELNETT – OFFERED BY STACEY & DOLORES
TUESDAY	FEB.	20	7:00AM	NO MASS
WEDNESDAY	FEB.	21	7:00AM	JOSEPH CHARLES – OFFERED BY LYLE & GRACE STURDEVANT
THURSDAY	FEB.	22	7:00AM	NO MASS
FRIDAY	FEB.	23	7:00AM	JOSEPH FRANK – OFFERED BY HIS PARENTS
			7:00PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
SATURDAY	FEB.	24	5:00PM	50 TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY FOR CHARLES & NANCY KOVALCHICK
SUNDAY	FEB.	25	7:30AM	GREGORY KANIA – OFFERED BY HIS FAMILY
			9:00AM	DAVID NOYLE – OFFERED BY ROY & JOAN BRODY & FAMILY
			11:00AM	SHARON VANDERMARK – OFFERED BY MARIAN STROKA

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

SAT. FEB. 17 & SUN. FEB. 18	SATURDAY 5:00PM	SUNDAY 7:30AM	SUNDAY 9:00AM	SUNDAY 11:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	SUSAN BARZIOSKI	DEACON RAY	LYNNE BINNER	DOLORES MANGANELLA
LECTOR	SABRINA TRAVER	JUSTIN ROTH	ART DAVIS	TONY ZEME
ALTAR SERVER(S)	BILLY PREBOLA MATTHEW PREBOLA MICHAEL PREBOLA	JOSEPH COLAVITTI SARAH DeMARCO GRACE HARDING	EVAN BRODY CORAL MILNER HANNAH MILNER	IAN BURKE SOPHIE BURKE MOLLY KEISER
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	KIANNA HANNON & FAMILY	KYLE MONTROSS & FAMILY
COLLECTION COUNTERS			R. ROWE, T. DEITZER, W. WALKER	

SAT. FEB. 24 & SUN. FEB. 25	SATURDAY 5:00PM	SUNDAY 7:30AM	SUNDAY 9:00AM	SUNDAY 11:00AM
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	JOAN CHAPDELAIN	DEACON RAY	ROY BRODY	DIANE STONE
LECTOR	PAT MURRAY	MARY SOHNS	3RD GRADE CCD CLASS	JOHN BURKE
ALTAR SERVER(S)	ALYSSA KOVALCHICK LAUREN KOVALCHICK TORI KOVALCHICK	NICHOLAS DeMARCO PAUL DeMARCO ZACH KEISER	KATHRYN CUSATIS LEAH DeMARCO MATTHEW KALETA	MAIA BURRY ROBERT BURRY THOMAS ELIAS
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	3RD GRADE CCD CLASS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS			B. KIRBY, W. OLIVER, R. THORNE	

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

---- **THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED**, ESPECIALLY: CAROLYN MYERS, ELISSA ROSE, LYLE STURDEVANT, MARYN KUKUCHKA, LILLIAN KRISTUNAS, TRUDY FISK, RUTH KUKUCHKA, JENNIFER BUNNELL, RITA BERCHEM, MARIE STAIR, MARY ANN BROWN, ELIZABETH CALLAHAN, RICHELE MORTIMER, SHERI RAIL, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., CHERYL MacDONALD SWEET, AIDAN HOLMAN, TRISTAN EVANS, JOSEPH E. QUINN, ANGELIQUE ALEXANDRA PREVOST, HEATHER STEGNER, MARGE HOLUB, BEN BROWN, ELEANOR FOSTER, MATTHEW LEWIS, DONALD TRAVER, DAWN DOMMES, MICHELLE HUERBIN, CAROLYN ROZANSKI, MARGARET KINTNER, DON WHITE, MARY KUKUCHKA, MARY BOLOUSKI, EMMY COIA, DARRIN McGAVIN, FATHER BILL WILSON, EDWARD KIMBEL, CHERYL SANDS, MARY DELMAR, CHARLES CAREY, CLETUS MacDONALD, NANCY ROBINSON, SUSAN BOLOUSKI McANDREWS, GARRET CONOVER, ANALISA DOMINIC, LUCAS SETH BOYANOWSKI, BILL IVEY, VERNA PRAWDZIK, CAROL McGINLEY, MATTHEW FORTESE, JACOB WALTER CURTIS, ARTHUR BUNNELL, TED BUNNELL, HELEN TALARICO, PAUL GOODRICH, MYRON LaBAR, TIKI LYONS, GRACE STURDEVANT, CAROL COBB, BRENT RANSOM, JEAN YABLONSKI, AUSTIN THOMAS, LYNNE BINNER, MAGDALENE FRONCZKIEWICZ, JIM BORDEN, JERRY STROKA, BONNIE LaFLEUR, LINDA NIEMIEC, DIANE THOMPSON, ROSEANN GEORGE, SHELLIE SEYMORE, MARILYN BRODY, MONTANA COLE, CAROL GAYLORD, CHRIS OLSHAN, JR., HELEN RAIL, CHARLOTTE SMITH, FLORENCE KEYES, LINDA RUEHLMAN, ROY PREVOST, ALLEN KEYES, CATHERINE LITWIN, JUDI HOWE, LEAH WILSEY, ANN ZACKARIAS, CHRISTOPHER BELL, NATHAN DELMAR, KATHLEEN ALTEMUS, CARL ALTEMUS.

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SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE IS AVAILABLE TO BURN FOR YOUR INTENTION. CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (570) 836-3275

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering \$5,549.00

NATIVITY BVM CALENDAR

FEB. 18 CCD CLASS	FEB. 26 MAKING PIEROGIES – FNH – 9:00AM
FEB. 18 BIBLE STUDY – 7:00PM – FNH	FEB. 26 THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU – 5:30-7:00PM
FEB. 19 MAKING PIEROGIES – FNH – 9:00AM	FEB. 27 PACKING PIEROGIES – FNH – 1:00PM
FEB. 19 THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU – 5:30-7:00PM	FEB. 28 BIBLE STUDY – 10:00AM – RECTORY
FEB. 20 PACKING PIEROGIES – FNH – 1:00PM	FEB. 28 EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – 3:00-7:00PM
FEB. 21 LENTEN SERVICE – TUNKHANNOCK	
	UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – 12:10PM
FEB. 21 BIBLE STUDY – 10:00AM – RECTORY	MAR. 02 SELLING PIEROGIES – 10:00AM - 5:00PM – FNH
FEB. 21 EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – 3:00-7:00PM	MAR. 02 STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM
FEB. 23 SELLING PIEROGIES – 10:00AM - 5:00PM – FNH	MAR. 04 CCD CLASS
FEB. 23 STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00PM	MAR. 04 BIBLE STUDY – 7:00PM – FNH
FEB. 25 CCD CLASS/3RD GRADE MASS – 9:00AM	MAR. 05 MAKING PIEROGIES – FNH – 9:00AM
FEB. 25 BIBLE STUDY – 7:00PM – FNH	MAR. 05 THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU – 5:30-7:00PM