

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 1, 2018



				† MASS INTENTIONS †
	Sat.	3/31	8:00 PM	Easter Vigil For the People
	Sun.	4/1	7:30 AM	Easter Sunday Kenneth Kopczynskie by His Mother, Sisters, and Brothers
			10:30 AM	Easter Sunday Walter O. Allen by His Wife Ellen
	Mon.	4/2	9:00 AM	Televised Mass John Maranki by Dave and Elaine Superdock
			7:00 PM	Joseph Mattavi by Rose and Family
	Tue.	4/3	7:00 AM	Thomas C. Zoshak by Daniel and Louise Sarosky
	Wed.	4/4	7:00 AM	NO MASS
	Thur.	4/5	7:00 AM	George Dinofrio by Larry Walko and Joann Slavick
	Fri.	4/6	7:00 AM	Virginia Kalinovich by Linda and Chris Wackley
	Sat.	4/7	4:00 PM	For the People
\	Sun.	4/8	7:30 AM	Esther Yancus by Nancy Sisock and Family
/			10:30 AM	Anna and Michael Barna by Their Daughter Elsie Pshar and Family



Last Weekend:

Sunday \$4,309.25; Dues \$3,825.10; Care and Education of Priests \$31.50; Ash Wednesday \$5.00; Good Friday \$54.00; Holy Thursday \$49.00; Easter Flowers \$246.00; Easter 203.25; Poor Box \$347.79

CANDLES ON THE ALTAR are in Memory of Walter Allen by His Wife Ellen





FORGET-ME-NOT GIFT BAGS are due on the altar or in the Parish Office by Sunday, April 15th.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS: Classes will resume on Sunday, April 8th. Please have your children bring their Mass Attendance Cards with them on April 8th.

Sunday, April 15th, the 10:30 AM mass will be the First Grade/Kindergarten Mass.

First Eucharist Practice Schedule: Saturday, April 21st at 12:00 Noon; Sunday, April 22nd, at 8:30 AM; and Saturday, April 28th, at 12:00 Noon.



There will be a youth teen meeting **next** Sunday from 12:00 to 1:30 PM in Immaculate Conception Parish.



PARISH CRUISE: Come Aboard! We will be having a parish cruise to the Bahamas and Florida from January 26th to February 3, 2019. The cost varies depending on the type of room you choose. The cost will include transportation from the parish to and from Bayonne, NJ and a \$50.00 ship credit. We will have an informational meeting on



Wednesday, April 4th, in the Immaculate Conception parish center at 6:00 PM. If you can't make the meeting, contact the office at 570-636-3035, and we will send you information. Looking forward to a nice winter get-away.



Greetings and Happy Easter!

Today is the central event of the Catholic Church - The Resurrection of Jesus! If you're reading this, you probably came to church on Easter Sunday. Maybe you're there every week (thanks). Maybe we haven't seen you since Christmas (it was nice seeing you again). In

either case, the real joy of the Resurrection will be next Sunday, April 7/8. The reason I say this? If Easter means anything to you (more than just dressing up special, flowers, and chocolate bunnies), then you will be here next weekend. The church is always full Easter weekend, and I thank you for your presence. The real miracle of Easter is coming back again the NEXT Sunday. See you next week, or not?



A VIEW FROM THE VIEW, "HE TOOK BREAD..."

"And it happened that, while He was with them at table, He took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but He vanished

from their sight." (LK 24:31-32) With softer hearts and our eyes opened, let us go forward and spread the good news! He has truly risen! On behalf of the Liturgy Committee have a Blessed Easter!



FREELAND COMMUNITY CHOIR EASTER CANTATA - The Freeland Community Choir will be presenting the Easter Cantata, "Hallelujah, What a Savior" on April 15th at 3:00 PM at St. John's Reformed United Church of Christ, 829 Washington St. Freeland, and 7:00 PM at Conyngham United Methodist Church, 401 Main St.

Conyngham. Encore performance will be April 22nd at 3:00 PM at the Faith United Church of Christ, 21 Faith Drive, Hazleton. All performances are free. Refreshments will be served after the concerts.

PARISH BUS TRIP to see the play "Steel Magnolias" at the Hunterdon Hills Playhouse, Hampton, NJ on Thursday, April 19th. Cost is \$76 and includes lunch. Call Mary Lloyd 570-578-6720 for reservations. Money is due with reservation. Only a limited number of tickets remain.



REFRESH YOUR FAITH - The First Annual Catholic Women's Conference of the Diocese of Scranton will take place on Saturday, June 23rd, from 8:00 AM-4:00 at the Byron Complex at the University of Scranton. For information or to register go to www.diocesofscranton.org/catholic-womens-conference.

MOTHER'S DAY DINNER will be on Wednesday, May 2nd, at 5:30 PM at the Valley country Club. Ticket will go on sale beginning Saturday, April 7th. MoTHER Cost is \$28.00. Details will follow in future bulletins.

DIOCESAN APPEAL DONORS: Ms. Paula Gallagher and Miss Mary Ann Gera