

The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

St. Michael the Archangel

1703 Jackson Street, Scranton, PA 18504

1 S T S U N D A Y O F A D V E N T

DECEMBER 1, 2019

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

Low Mass: 8:00am

High Mass: 10:15am

Weekdays

Mon - Thu: 7:45am

Friday: 6:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 8:00AM	1ST	1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT, I <i>Mary & Michael Pheasant –Pheasant Family</i>
SUNDAY 10:15AM		<i>Pro Populo</i>
MONDAY 7:45AM	2ND	ST. VIVIAN, VIRGIN & MARTYR, III <i>Nicholas LaFata Jr.—His Parents</i>
TUESDAY 7:45AM	3RD	ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, CONFESSOR, III <i>Linda Spohr</i>
WEDNESDAY 7:45AM	4TH	ST. PETER CHRYSOLOGUS, DOCTOR, III <i>+ Marjorie Scragg—Mary Ann Czarnecki</i>
THURSDAY 7:45AM	5TH	VOTIVE JESUS CHRIST HIGH PRIEST, IV <i>John Pheasant—Pheasant Family</i>
FRIDAY 6:00PM	6TH	SCARED HEART OF JESUS, III <i>Lorraine Festa –Eric Kabitzke</i>
SATURDAY 9:00AM	7TH	IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY, III <i>+ George Staudinger –Maria Seesink</i>
SUNDAY 8:00AM	8TH	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF BVM, I <i>Concetta Cordora –Joe Ranieli</i>
SUNDAY 10:15AM		<i>Pro Populo</i>

DEVOTIONS

Confession

45mins before

Weekend Masses

Benediction

Fridays: 5:00pm

Saturday: 8:00am

Daily Rosary

Mon-Thu: After Mass

Fri -Sun: Before Mass

Office Hours: Monday by appointment, Friday 9am -3pm.



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Diocesan Annual Appeal: Appeal envelopes are in the vestibule. Please make sure that you donate something to the Annual Appeal. The Parish Code is #060.

The pastor asks that you contribute to the Diocesan Annual Appeal. You may be receiving a form letter from the Annual Appeal office which is signed by the Pastor. You are to take this as a personal invitation to make an offering to the Appeal. The Pastor would like 100% participation in this year's Appeal and will be contacting those who have not already made a contribution. So far participation is at less than 50%. This year it is possible to specify in which way you wish your Appeal donation to be applied. Please make every effort therefore to give something.

Advent Recollections: In preparation for Advent the Pastor offers two short Advent recollection in the Church Hall between Sunday Masses beginning at 9:00am on Sunday 1 December (1st Sunday of Advent) and Sunday 15th December (3rd Sunday of Advent).

Children's Christmas Choir

All children ages 5-15 are invited to sing in the Children's Christmas Choir which will perform one hour before Midnight Mass. Rehearsals will be every Sunday in Advent beginning around noon and lasting for at least one hour. Our first rehearsal will be on Sunday, December 1st. The children's Christmas binders are ready and can be picked up from the box in the choir loft. One binder per family please. Contact Mrs. Eileen Hanisch (570) 842-3049 if you have any questions.

First Friday & Saturday: This week sees the First Friday and Saturday of December. Please make every effort to pay homage to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary by attending the parish Holy Hour at 5:00pm on Friday and 8:00am on Saturday to better prepare for Christmas. Each Holy Hour is followed by Mass.

Rorate Mass: This year's Rorate Mass will be celebrated on Saturday 14th December at 8:00am.

Pastor: The Pastor will be out of town between Friday 6th and Sunday 8th December. Normal service will resume on Monday 9th December.

Children's Secret Santa: It's that time again. If you would like to participate in the Children's Secret Santa you must be aged between 5 and 12 years of age and place your name on the Secret Santa sign up sheets in the vestibule by Sunday 15 December. Names will then be drawn and distributed on Sunday 22 December. Gifts should be placed under the Christmas Tree in the Church hall before 31 January. No gift should cost more than \$10. Gifts will be distributed after the High Mass on Sunday 5th January 2020.

Juventutum Decoration Party: The Juventutum Group and any other young persons who wish to volunteer will gather after the High Mass on Sunday 22nd December to decorate the Church for Christmas.

Christmas Mass Schedule 2019

Tuesday 24th December - Vigil of Christmas - Mass at 7:45am.

Tuesday 24th December - Midnight Mass beginning with Carols - 11:00pm.

Wednesday 25th December - Christmas Day Mass - Low Mass with Hymns at 9:00am.

Thursday 26th December - Feast of St. Stephen - Mass at 9:00am.

The full Mass schedule for Christmastide is on the parish website: fsspscranton.org/news