

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEKEND OF 21 & 22 NOVEMBER 2015

- 1. The parish will participate in the 2015 Festival of Trees in the Mall at Steamtown by making a parish "Heritage Tree" which will be decorated with ornaments we will make with photos of our family members. We will gather in the Church Hall after the 11:00 AM Mass this Sunday to make the ornaments. So, please bring your family photos and help make our parish tree entry special.**
- 2. The November meeting of the Holy Name Society will take place next Monday, November 23rd at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center. This is an important meeting to plan for the Annual Christmas Party, the 2016 Super Bowl Playoff Party and the 200-Ticket \$5,000 Raffle, and all members are urged to attend.**
- 3. The November meeting of the Sodality will be held on Sunday, November 29th at 12:30 PM in the Parish Center.**
- 4. The Sodality Christmas Party will be held on Sunday, December 6th, 2015 at 12:30 PM at Carl von Lugar's Steakhouse in downtown Scranton. The cost is \$25.00 per person. In lieu of gifts, members are asked to bring a donation of money or gift cards for the child victims of sexual abuse. Checks should be made payable to the Children's Advocacy Center of NEPA. 2016 Sodality dues of \$10.00 are payable at the party. Please reserve by calling Anne Hazzouri McAndrew 570-510-4997 so we will have a count for the restaurant.**
- 5. The Sodality is sponsoring a food drive for the holidays to benefit Saint Patrick's Food Pantry. A large hamper has been placed in the rear of the Church (in front of the Cry Room window). Donations of canned and dry food items may be placed in the hamper. The food drive will run until Christmas.**
- 6. The Daughters of Saint Ann are again sponsoring a Giving Tree. The Tree is set up in the rear of the Church, and you may take a name from the tree, purchase the gift and place the wrapped gift under the Giving Tree for delivery to that child at Christmas and make a local child's wish for Christmas come true.**