



United Young Men's
Society of Resurrection
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Call to the 74th United YMS of R Convention

With this official notice, The United Young Men's Society of Resurrection is calling its 74th Biennial Convention to be scheduled from Friday, **October 18th through Sunday, October 20th, 2019 at Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Schenectady, New York** in the presence of the Most rev. Anthony Mikovsky, Prime Bishop of the Polish National Catholic Church, Rt. Rev. Bernard Nowicki, Bishop Ordinary of the Central Diocese of the Polish National Catholic Church, and Fr. Jim Konicki and all the faithful of Holy Name of Jesus Parish. The United YMS of R has a two-fold objective: first to unite the youth of the Polish National Catholic Church in God's name and in the name of the endeavor for the perfection of life.

In the words of the YMS of R's organizer Prime Bishop Francis Hodur, "Our society is what individual members desire it to be, based on our own will and effort, coupled with God's eternal plan in the microcosmic world in which we live and work. If we seek a particular course and prepare ourselves properly for this pilgrimage, then surely we shall attain our designated objective and our goal. We learn from history, religion, and human experience."

We desire that all Polish National Catholic Church youth never lose their link to our Polish Heritage and traditions of our past generations, but to reunite them through strong ties and shall stand ready to fulfill mutual tasks and obligations.

This effort is a lofty and noble one, worthy of the combined efforts of the young and the old- but particularly of the youth. The United YMS of R needs your help to carry out this mission and preserve our heritage and traditions.

In order to realize this aim, it requires work and proper preparation, constant vigilance, and an energetic centralized administration. We need an organization committed to this cause; an organization that will unite the youth under one banner, inspire it with spirit and perseverance, and lead us to a brighter tomorrow.

The Young Men's Society of Resurrection is indeed such an organization. We cordially welcome the Bishops of the Polish National Catholic Church, the Very Reverend and Reverend Fathers, and our YMS or R Brothers to our 74th Convention.

Branches needing information can contact President Nick C. Kazinetz at (570) 604-2620, Robert Giczkowski (716)-783-9596 or Vice President David Micka at 570-947-3071

Nick C. Kazinetz President

74th Convention of The United Y.M.S. of R.

October 18th through 20th, 2019

Holy Name of Jesus Parish, 1040 Pearl Street, Schenectady, NY 12303

****AGENDA Saturday, October 19th ****

8:30 am – 9:00 am	Registration of Delegates- Coffee Hour
9:00 am	Convention Opening - prayer- daily scripture
12:30 pm	Convention Luncheon

1. Words of Welcome given by:
 - A. **Fr. Jim Konicki**, Pastor, Holy Name of Jesus

 - B. YMS of R President Branch #56
2. Greetings and Invocation: **Prime Bishop Anthony Mikovsky** of the Polish National Catholic Church
3. Singing of the Star Spangled Banner and the Hymn of the YMS of R- “Forward O Youth”
4. Official opening of the convention: President **Nick C. Kazinetz**
5. Selection of Convention Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, and Mandate Committee
6. Greetings by representatives of church committees and invited guests
7. Reading of telegrams and letters
8. Report of Mandate Committee
9. Swearing in of Delegates
10. Election of Committees: Resolution, Grievance, Press and Constitution.
11. Reading of the minutes of the previous Convention
12. Discussion of Minutes and Old Business
13. Reports of officers of the Central Committee
14. Report of various committees
15. New Business
16. Election of Officers to the Central Committee
17. Report of the Resolution Committee
18. Selection of the site of the next convention
19. Adjournment and benediction

Upon adjournment, delegates and guests are invited to meet at 7 PM, at The Rivers Casino and Resort in Schenectady. (10 miles from the church)

74th Biennial Convention Schedule of Events

- **Friday, October 18th**
 - Social Hour – Greeting of guests and hospitality at Comfort Inn & Suites, 168 Sacandaga Rd., Schenectady, NY 12302 from 7 to 11pm provided by Branch 56. Note - no need to drive. Stay in and relax!

- **Saturday, October 19th**
 - Breakfast at the Hotel.
 - Registration 8:30 to 9am. Coffee and light refreshments.
 - Convention begin promptly at 9am in the Parish Hall
 - Lunch will be provided by Branch 56 when the Convention breaks for recess.
 - Convention will last till approximately 4pm.
 - Upon adjournment, delegates and guests have a choice of two possible venues.
 - An evening of fun at the Rivers Casino & Resort, 1 Rush St., Schenectady, NY 12305. Many dining and gaming choices available. See <https://riverscasinoandresort.com>.
 - A play or other entertainment at Proctor's Theater, 432 State St, Schenectady, NY 12305. See <https://www.proctors.org>.

- **Sunday October 20th.**
 - Holy Mass at Holy Name of Jesus Polish National Catholic Church at 9:30am. Delegates must attend. Please assemble in the parish hall to process into Holy Mass as a unified body.