



Our Saviour

Parish of the PNCC

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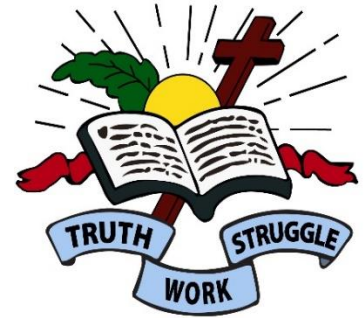
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July 10, 2016

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

A Sabbath Thought

For many, the past is a prison from which they cannot escape. But Christ has freed us from all that is past. Prejudice need not blind us, nor habit dull our minds. We live unfettered and our only responsibility is the burden of love.

About Today's Bible Readings

DEUTERONOMY 30:10-14

Moses reminds the people that God's law is not an ancient artifact but a recent reality. It is in their hearts.

Responsorial Psalm: 19:8, 9, 10, 11

R. Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life.

COLOSSIANS 1:15-20

After his greetings, Paul begins his letter to Colossae by describing Christ's place in the universe and our place to him.

LUKE 10:25-37

The story of the good Samaritan is a warping of the dimension of space. "Neighbors" are not only those near to us. Christ makes everyone near, so *all* persons are our neighbors.

ENTRANCE RITE – Psalm 25:1b-2

V. I lift up my soul to my God. In You I trust;

R. Do not let me be disgraced; do not let my enemies gloat over me.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

THE GOSPEL – LUKE 10:25-37

There was a scholar of the law who stood up to test him and said, "Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read it?" He said in reply, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." He replied to him, "You have answered correctly; do this and you will live."

But because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. Likewise a Levite came to the place, and when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight. He approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them. Then he lifted him up on his own animal, took him to an inn, and cared for him. The next day he took out two silver coins and gave them to the innkeeper with the instruction, 'Take care of him. If you spend more than what I have given you, I shall repay you on my way back.' Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

This is the Gospel of the Lord!

Worship Services

TODAY – July 10th

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM - Deacon's Service of Worship and Reception of The Holy Eucharist.

SUNDAY – July 17th

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM - Deacon's Service of Worship and Reception of The Holy Eucharist

Intentions for the repose of the soul of Father Frederick Mechowski offered by Helen Waseleski.

Parish Committee Meeting

There will be a special meeting of the Parish Committee today, July 10th after the 9:00 AM Service. It will be in the Fellowship Hall and it will be brief. I hope that all committee members will be able to attend.

CONGRATULATIONS!

To Stephanie Helen Ewaskiewicz and Ian Joseph Baker joined as one in the sacrament of Holy Matrimony last Sunday, July 3rd. Let us join together and offer our prayers that the Lord will bless them with a long and happy life together.

Neighbors

As the gospel teaches us today, we are all neighbors. In the light of the recent events in Dallas let us all pray for the Lord's blessings on all those affected by this outrageous act of cowardice and terror. Let us also pray for the gift of love between all people regardless of race, color or creed. We are all God's children, let's prove that we believe this by acting like the Good Samaritan.

INTENTIONS:

My Brothers and Sisters: Our prayers are needed: For the increase in men called to the priesthood and diaconate of the Polish National Catholic Church; For the health and growth of our Parish; For all of the sick and homebound members of our Parish; For the health of Howard Friedman, Jules Nagy, Raymond Priester, Bob Rush, Bernice Muha, Stella Surma, Stanley Sostak, Rose Kubik, Janet Caruso, Victor McAlanis, Walter Schilling, Marie and Nunzie Sospetti, Robert Paterson, David Wunderlich, Michael Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank Fisher, Anthony Tonzini, Chuck Shoemaker, Erica Franta, Anne Rossetti, Carol Parker and Henry Kudzik. **Our Father...**

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Today's Hymns

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Please, join with the choir to make a beautiful noise unto the Lord!

The Hymns listed below can be found in the Blue Hymnal Books in the pews.

Processional Hymn

#1 – Hymn Of Faith

Entrance Hymn

#180 – Come Unto Jesus

Hymn to the Holy Spirit

#144 – Come, Thou Creator

Offertory Hymn

#167 – At Thy Door I Come Before Thee

Communion Hymn

#221 – Turn Your Eyes To Jesus

Recessional Hymn

#231 – The Church's One Foundation
