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MASS SCHEDULE:

SUN. MARCH 3, 2013 - HOLY MASS/BENEDICTION - 9:00AM

MON. MARCH 4, 2013 - WEEKDAY MASS OF LENT - 9:00AM

TUE. MARCH 5, 2013 - WEEKDAY MASS OF LENT - 9:00AM

WED. MARCH 6, 2013 - WEEKDAY MASS OF LENT - 9:00AM
STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 7:00PM

THU. MARCH 7, 2013 - WEEKDAY MASS OF LENT - 9:00AM

FRI. MARCH 8, 2013 - WEEKDAY MASS OF LENT - 9:00AM

SAT. MARCH 9, 2013 - WEEKDAY MASS OF LENT - 9:00AM

SUN. MARCH 10, 2013 - INSTITUTION OF THE P.N.C.C. **SOLEMNITY**

ENTRANCE RITES

LITANY (SUNG) pg 64 in the Mass Booklets

HIGH MASS IN THE COMTEMPORARY RITE - pg. 63

TODAY'S READINGS

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF EXODUS

Moses was tending the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian. Leading the flock across the desert, he came to Horeb, the mountain of God. There an angel of the Lord appeared to Moses in fire flaming out of a bush. As he looked on, he was surprised to see that the bush though on fire, was not consumed. So Moses decided, "I must go over to look at this remarkable sight, and see why the bush is not burned." When the Lord saw him coming over to look at it more closely, God called out to him from the bush, "Moses! Moses!" He answered, "Here I am." God said, "Come no nearer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place where you stand is holy ground."

"I am the God of your fathers," he continued, "the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob." Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God. But the Lord said, "I have witnessed the affliction of my people in Egypt and have heard their cry of complaint against their slave drivers, so I know well what they are suffering. Therefore I have come down to rescue them from the hands of the Egyptians and lead them out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey." Moses said to God, "But when I go to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' if they ask me, 'What is his name? what am I to tell them?' God replied, "I am who am." Then he added, "This is what you shall tell the Israelites" I AM sent me to you." God spoke

further to Moses, "Thus shall you say to the Israelites: The Lord, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob, has sent me to you. "This is my name forever; thus am I to be remembered through all generations."

READER - THIS IS THE WORD OF THE LORD! PEOPLE - THANKS BE TO GOD!

PSALM RESPONSE - THE LORD IS KIND AND MERCIFUL!

A READING FROM THE FIRST LETTER OF ST. PAUL TO THE CORINTHIANS

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud and all passed through the sea, and all of them were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea. All ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink, for they drank from a spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was the Christ. Yet God was not pleased with most of them, for they were struck down in the desert. These things happened as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil things, as they did. Do not grumble as some of them did, and suffered death by the destroyer. These things happened to them as an example, and they have been written down as a warning to us, upon whom the end of the ages has come. Therefore, whoever thinks he is standing secure should take care not to fall.

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+ A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ST. LUKE +

Some people told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with the blood of their sacrifices. Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did! Or those eighteen people who were killed when the tower at Siloam fell on them- do you think they were more guilty than everyone else who lived in Jerusalem? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" And he told them this parable: "There once was a person who had a fig tree planted in his orchard, and when he came in search of fruit on it but found none, he said to the gardener, 'For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none. So cut it down. Why should it exhaust the soil?' He said to him in reply, 'Sir leave it for this year also, and I shall cultivate the ground around it and fertilize it; it may bear fruit in the future. If not, you can cut it down.'"

PRIEST - THIS IS THE GOSPEL OF THE LORD!

PEOPLE - PRAISE BE TO YOU LORD JESUS CHRIST!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The monthly collection for the MISSIONS will be taken up as usual today, the first Sunday of the month.

Next Sunday is the observance of the Institution of the Polish National Catholic Church. It is a Solemnity in our Church's liturgical calendar and thus breaks us out of the Lenten mode, into a spirit of celebration. You will notice the Hymn of Faith will be sung and the Gloria (normally omitted during the Lenten Season) will also be sung or recited. Our Church is a gem among Catholic bodies, made up of local parishes scattered throughout the USA and overseas. Let us all help to make it more known to others in our work places and among family members and friends as we stand faithfully beneath the Cross of Christ, welcoming all people of good will who wish to live and practice the Catholic faith.