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# Our Savior Parish of the PNCC

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## Quinquagesima Sunday

### **POSTPONED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER!!**

### **VALENTINE'S DBREAKFAST**

**NEW DATE – NEXT SUNDAY,  
FEBRUARY 22<sup>ND</sup> - 10:00 AM  
WHERE – FELLOWSHIP HALL  
PLEASE CONTACT LORETTA  
MIKOVSKY OR PAT SELIGA  
ADULTS \$10 – CHILDREN \$3**

### **A Sabbath Thought**

Like an ardent and faithful lover, God woos us and speaks to our hearts. Jesus proclaims that he is the bridegroom of the new covenant.

### **About Today's Bible Readings**

#### **HOSEA 2:16b, 17b, 21-22**

God calls Israel back to the innocence of their Exodus relationship. Like a lover, God calls Israel back to be healed and made righteous.

#### **PSALM 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13**

**R: The Lord is kind and merciful.**

#### **2 CORINTHIANS 3:1b-6**

Paul needs no letter of recommendation other than the faithful community at Corinth. God's own Spirit wrote the message of salvation in their hearts.

#### **MARK 2:18-22**

Jesus is the bridegroom; the sign of the marriage covenant between God and his people. In his presence, celebration, not fasting, is the appropriate response.

### **Worship Services**

#### **TODAY – February 15<sup>th</sup>**

#### **Quinquagesima – Pre Lent**

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

#### **WEDNESDAY – February 18<sup>th</sup>**

#### **ASH WEDNESDAY**

**7:00 pm** - Deacon's Service of Worship and Reception of The Holy Eucharist.

#### **Blessing and Distribution of Ashes.**

#### **SUNDAY – February 22<sup>nd</sup>**

#### **First Sunday of Lent**

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

### **Entrance Rite**

*V. I am the Lord, this is My Name; My glory I give to no other, nor My praise to idols. See now, the earlier things have come to pass, new ones I now foretell; before they spring into being, I announce them to you.*

**R. Sing to the Lord a new song, His praise from the ends of the earth.**

*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 (MARK 2:18-22)**

The disciples of John and of the Pharisees were accustomed to fast. People came to Jesus and objected, "Why do the disciples of John and the disciples of the Pharisees fast, but your disciples do not fast?" Jesus answered them, "Can the wedding guests fast while the bridegroom is with them? As long as they have the bridegroom with them they cannot fast. But the days will come when the bridegroom is taken away from them, and then they will fast on that day. No one sews a piece of unshrunk cloth on an old cloak. If he does, its fullness pulls away, the new from the old, and the tear gets worse. Likewise, no one pours new wine into old wineskins. Otherwise, the wine will burst the skins, and both the wine and the skins are ruined. Rather, new wine is poured into fresh wineskins."

**This is the Gospel of the Lord.**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PARISH NEWSLETTER:** Work is progressing nicely on a new newsletter for Our Savior Parish. We need a name for this publication. Please submit your ideas by adding your suggestion to the sheet in the Narthex next to the Bulletins. Thank you for your input.

**FACEBOOK:** Our Savior Parish now has a Facebook Page!! **Our Savior PNCC.** If you use Facebook or have friends or family who do, please check it out and "LIKE" us!

**BLESSING OF HOMES:** If you would like to have your house blessed this season, please let Deacon Donald know so that he can schedule a visit!

**My Brothers and Sisters:** Our prayers are needed: For all of the sick and homebound members of our Parish. For the health and growth of our Parish. For the health of Bishop Bernard Nowicki, Henry Nalepa and Robert Taddigs. For the increase in men called to the priesthood of the Polish National Catholic Church. For the repose of the soul of Lori McMahon and Annie Lopez **Our Father...**