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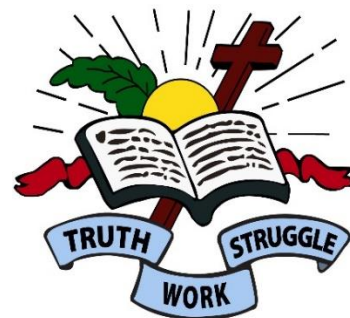
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August 21, 2016

Twenty First Sunday In Ordinary Time

A Sabbath Thought

God's love has universal scope. It goes well beyond our human standards of justice and fairness. Jesus has entered our history to gather nations of every race and language into the embrace of God's kingdom.

About Today's Bible Readings

ISAIAH 66:18-21

God's love knows no bounds. The prophet declares that God has entered creation to bless it. By redemption, the Lord loves each nation like every other nation.

Responsorial Psalm: 117:1, 2

R. Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

HEBREWS 12:5-7, 11-13

Do not lose heart, people of God - so proclaims this letter of the early church. Your trials shall produce great joy; your efforts shall produce great peace.

LUKE 13:22-30

God's kingdom is beyond our imagining. It will gather a variety of peoples into a unity of eternal joy and rejoicing.

ENTRANCE RITE – Psalms 65:2-3, 4-5

V. To You we owe our hymn of praise, O God on Zion; To You our vows must be fulfilled, You Who hear our prayers. To You all flesh must come with its burden of wicked deeds.

R. We are overcome by our sins; only You can pardon them. Happy the chosen ones You bring to dwell in Your courts. May we be filled with the good things of Your house, the blessings of Your holy temple!

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 13:22-30

Jesus passed through towns and villages, teaching as he went and making his way to Jerusalem. Someone asked him, "Lord, will only a few people be saved?" He answered them, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough. After the master of the house has arisen and locked the door, then will you stand outside knocking and saying, 'Lord, open the door for us.' He will say to you in reply, 'I do not know where you are from. And you will say, 'We ate and drank in your company and you taught in our streets.' Then he will say to you, 'I do not know where you are from. Depart from me, all you evildoers!' And there will be wailing and grinding of teeth when you see Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God and you yourselves cast out. And people will come from the east and the west and from the north and the south and will recline at table in the kingdom of God. For behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last."

This is the Gospel of the Lord!

Worship Services

TODAY – August 21st

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

SUNDAY – August 28th

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

3:00 PM – HOLY MASS

*The First Solemn Mass of
The Reverend Father
Donald E. Wunderlich*

CLERGY RETREAT

This past week I attended the annual Clergy Retreat and Conference at the Villa of Our Lady House in Mt. Pocono, PA. It was my first retreat and I was enlightened and uplifted by the fellowship of my brothers of the cloth. Our retreat master was Bishop John Mack of the Buffalo – Pittsburgh Diocese and his presentations were informative and most spiritual.

ORDINATION

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Bernard Nowicki, our Diocesan Ordinary, has set this Saturday, August 27, 2016, as the date of my ordination to the Holy Priesthood of the Polish National Catholic Church. This will take place at Saint Stanislaus Bishop and Martyr Cathedral in Scranton, PA at 10:00 AM. All are invited and I hope you will be able to attend. The next day, Sunday, August 28, 2016, I will celebrate my First Solemn Mass here at The Church of Our Saviour at 3:00 PM. Prime Bishop Anthony Mikovsky and our Diocesan Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Bernard Nowicki are expect to be in attendance. I hope to see all of you then as we join together to give praise and thanks to the Lord.

PRAVERS

As my Ordination Date quickly approaches, I humbly ask all of you to remember me in your prayers each day. Your constant support has helped me make it this far and will continue to strengthen and uplift me as I move forward in my service to the Lord and to you, His holy people. Thank you.

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, Marie and Nunzie Sospetti, Robert Paterson, David Wunderlich, Michael Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank Fisher, Anthony Tonzini, Erica Franta, Anne Rossetti, Carol Parker, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Marty Ruane, Sally Urban, Duane Schulte, Michael Pivovarnick, Dennis Fagan and Kathy Glaus.

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

#203 – God, Our Father

Hymn to the Holy Spirit

#144 – Come, Thou Creator

Offertory Hymn

#155 – Hallowed Be Forever

Communion Hymn

#221 – Turn Your Eyes To Jesus

Recessional Hymn

#195 – Morning Hymn
