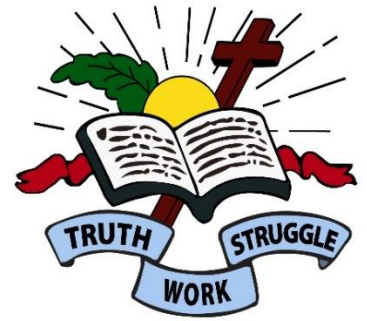




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Solemnity – The Ascension of Our Lord

A Festival Thought

This Easter season of joyous celebration now draws towards its close as we salute Jesus' return to the Father's glory. But what is the joy that marks this time? It is part and parcel of the journey from death to life.

About Today's Bible Readings

ACTS 1:1-11

Even as Jesus departs, he promises the sending of the Spirit. He will not leave us orphans.

Responsorial Psalm: 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

R. God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

EPHESIANS 1:17-23

In Jesus' resurrection and glorification, God has tipped his hand. The power at work in Jesus is also at work in us.

MATTHEW 28:16-20

In returning to the Father, Jesus leaves us neither lonely nor idle. In the power of the Spirit, he commissions his church to complete the task of redemption.

ENTRANCE RITE: Luke 24:25-53

V. As He blessed them He parted from them and was taken up to heaven. Alleluia.

R. They did Him homage and then returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and they were continually in the temple praising God. Alleluia.

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: Matthew 28:16-20

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had ordered them. When they saw him, they worshiped, but they doubted. Then Jesus approached and said to them, "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

This is the Gospel of the Lord!

Worship Services

TODAY – May 28th

**Solemnity – The
Ascension of Our Lord
Memorial Day**

9:00 AM – Holy Mass

Intentions for those who gave their lives in the service of our country.

Litany to the Blessed Virgin Mary

SUNDAY – June 4th

The Solemnity of Pentecost

9:00 AM – Holy Mass

**Adoration of the Most Blessed
Sacrament following Holy Mass**

PARISH COMMITTEE MEETING

The regular meeting of the Parish Committee for the month of June will be held after Mass in the Fellowship Hall next Sunday, June 4th. I sincerely hope that all members will be able to attend to continue their excellent work as they guide our parish into the future.

Father's Day

Father's Day is June 18th. If you would like to honor a living father or to remember a dearly departed one with a donation of flowers, envelopes can be found on the table in the narthex.

Coffee and Butter

If anyone is able and so inclined to donate coffee or butter for use during our Fellowship Time after Mass on Sundays, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance and God bless.

CLEANING THE CHURCH

Those members of the parish who have been cleaning the church on a regular basis for years are to be thanked for their service to God and to the rest of us. However, it is becoming difficult for them to continue to do so for various reasons and they would greatly appreciate some help. If anyone of you is willing and able to lend a hand, please let Pat Seliga or Loretta Mikovsky know. Thank you and God bless 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 and wellbeing of Jules Nagy, Bob Rush, Bill Rush, Howard Friedman, Bernice Muha, Stella Surma, Stanley Sostak, Rose Kubik, Janet Caruso, Nunzie Sospetti, Robert Paterson, Michael Havrilla, Patricia Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank Fisher, Anthony Tonzini, Erica Franta, Carol Parker, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Sally Urban, Duane Schulte, Ruth and Michael Pivovarnick, Tim Fischer, Bernice Biroscak, Patrick Toner, Chris White, Frank Gonzales, Gary Graham, Jackie Bayak, Eric White, Berne Bloom, Mary Ryan and Joan Mainzer For the repose of the souls of all those who gave their lives in the service of our country.

Our Father...

Annual Flea Market

June 10, 2017 (Rain Date – June 24, 2017)

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

In the Church of Our Saviour Parking Lot

Contact Peggy Kowalik (609-585-6296) for Information or to reserve space. \$10.00 per space in advance. No tables provided.

Donations of food, soda or money would be much appreciated in order to help make this event the rousing success it always is.

And don't forget to come and buy, sell or just socialize!

Today's Hymns

The Hymns listed below can be found in the Blue Hymnal Books in the pews. Please, join with the Choir.

Processional Hymn

#1 – Hymn Of Faith

Hymn to the Holy Spirit

#144 – Come, Thou Creator

Offertory Hymn

#263 – Mother, Most Gracious

Communion Hymn

#225 – Abide With Me

Recessional Hymn

America the Beautiful

Please see the accompanying sheet