

**September 10, 2017** 

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## The Solemnity of Brotherly love

## September 11, 2001

Sixteen years later, we will never forget.

### **God Bless America!**

#### A Festival Thought

Jesus gives us the way to eternal life. He assures us that if we only follow the greatest of all the commandments that we will live.

## About Today's Bible Readings

#### **JEREMIAH 31:31-34**

The Lord shows all of His children who and what He is, and who and what He is, is Love.

## **Responsorial Psalm:** 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5

R. One who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

#### JOHN 4:17-21

John makes it clear, if we cannot love the brother we have seen, we cannot love the Lord we have not seen.

#### **LUKE 10:26-37**

The parable of the Good Samaritan is one we have all heard. Hearing it is one thing, living it is quite another. Let us all heed the Word of the Lord and love our neighbor as our self.

## ENTRANCE RITE - 1 John 4:7, 9

- V. Beloved, let us love one another, because love is of God; everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.
- R. In this way the love of God was revealed to us; God Sent His only Son into the world so that we might have life through Him.
- 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 – Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> Solemnity of Brotherly Love 9:00 AM – HOLY MASS

SUNDAY – Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 AM – HOLY MASS

Intentions for the remembrance of the 53<sup>rd</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Ruth Mechowski and our beloved, departed Pastor Father Frederick Mechowski and the 57<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination.

#### Parish Committee Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Parish Committee will take place after Mass today, in the Fellowship Hall.

#### Deacon's Service of Worship

I will not be here on Sunday, September 24, 2017. My wife, Beverly, and I will be visiting our daughter Danielle at college for the fall Parent's Days events. Deacon Michael Seward will be here and conduct a Deacon's Service of Worship, (remember those?).

#### Sponjia Sunday

September 24<sup>th</sup>, the fourth Sunday in September each year, is designated by the Church as Sponjia Sunday. Traditionally the intentions for the Mass on this day are for the departed members of Sponjis. Since I will be away and Deacon Seward will be here, we will observe the intentions the following week, October 1, 2017.

#### Autumn Breakfast

Next Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, we will hold our annual Autumn Welcome Back Breakfast. It will be at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

#### Tickets will be: AULTS - \$10:00 and CHILDREN (Under 12) - \$3:00

I hope that everyone will be able to join us for good food, good fun and Christian fellowship as we welcome back everyone from their summer travels and vacations.

#### 100th Anniversary Breakfast

Our 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Breakfast will be held on Sunday, October 15, 2017, after the 9:00 AM Mass. Mark your calendars, save the date, plan to attend, bring your families, loved ones, friends and neighbors. This a very special event, glorifying God and giving thanks to Him for blessing us by allowing us to serve Him for one hundred years and trusting in His goodness for another hundred years.

#### **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, Bill Rush, Howard Friedman, Bernice Muha, Stanley Sostak, Rose Kubik, Janet Caruso, Nunzie Sospetti, Robert Paterson, Michael Havrilla, Patricia Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank Fisher, Shellie Fisher, Anthony Tonzini, Carol Parker, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Sally Urban, Duane Schulte, Ruth and Michael Pivovarnick, Bernice Biroscak, Patrick Toner, Frank Gonzales, Gary Graham, Jackie Bayak, Berne Bloom, Joan Mainzer, Bob Agans, Victor McAlanis, Tom Goff, June Didun and Stefan Revesz, Stephanie Besterci and David Potts. For the repose of the souls of the victims of September 11<sup>th</sup>. Our Father...

## Today's Hymns

## The Solemnity of Brotherly Love

## **Processional Hymn**

#1 - Hymn Of Faith

## **Hymn to the Holy Spirit**

#144 - Come, Thou Creator

### **Offertory Hymn**

#114 - Forty Days And Forty Nights

### **Communion Hymn**

#229 - Just As I Am, Without One Plea

## **Recessional Hymn**

They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord And we pray that all unity may one day be restored And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love They will know we are Christians by our love

We will work with each other, we will work side by side
We will work with each other, we will work side by side
And we'll guard each one's dignity and save each one's pride
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love
They will know we are Christians by our love

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love They will know we are Christians by our love