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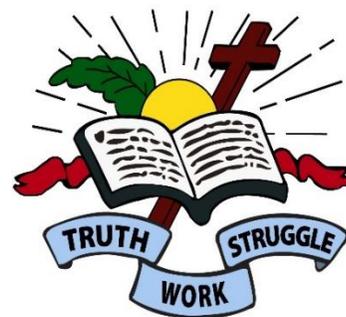
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## Solemnity – Pentecost Sunday

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### A Festival Thought

God finds us, not just by tearing down walls but by coming through them.

### About Today's Bible Readings

#### ACTS 2:1-11

Fear and confusion become manageable where there is faith in God's bold Spirit. Peoples of all ages from all areas of the world and from every walk of life have been gathered together in a prayerful and powerful assembly by the Spirit of God.

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34

**R. Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

#### 1 CORINTHIANS 12:3-7, 12-13

Where once there was an overwhelming and staggering variety of unanswered needs, now those needs can be met by the multiple gifts of the Spirit working through the unique talents of each member of the congregation. Different gifts and unusual talents are a cause for wonder and thanksgiving, not resentment and distrust.

#### JOHN 20:19-23

Where once there was alienation and resentment, now there was the possibility of forgiveness and peace because of the ever-present and ever-compelling Spirit of Jesus. Mutual forgiveness, freely given, bestows the gift of peace on the forgiven and the forgiver.

*V. For the Spirit of the Lord fills the world, is all-embracing, and knows what man says. Alleluia.*

**R. Therefore no one who utters wicked things can go unnoticed, nor will chastising condemnation pass him by. 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 SEQUENCE — Veni, Sancte Spiritus

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Come, Holy Spirit, come!  
And from your celestial home  
Shed a ray of light divine!

Come, Father of the poor!  
Come, source of all our store!  
Come, within our bosoms shine.

You, of comforters the best;  
You, the soul's most welcome guest;  
Sweet refreshment here below;

In our labor, rest most sweet;  
Grateful coolness in the heat;  
Solace in the midst of woe.

O most blessed Light divine,  
Shine within these hearts of yours,  
And our inmost being fill!

Where you are not, we have naught,  
Nothing good in deed or thought,  
Nothing free from taint of ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew;  
On our dryness pour your dew;  
Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will;  
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;  
Guide the steps that go astray.

On the faithful, who adore  
And confess you, evermore  
In your sevenfold gift descend;  
Give them virtue's sure reward;  
Give them your salvation, Lord;  
Give them joys that never end. Amen.

Alleluia.

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## Worship Services

**TODAY – May 20<sup>th</sup>**

***The Solemnity of Pentecost***

**9:00 AM – Holy Mass**

**SUNDAY – May 27<sup>th</sup>**

***Solemnity of the Holy Trinity***

**9:00 AM – Holy Mass**

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### ***Father's Day Remembrances***

Father's Day is June 17<sup>th</sup>. 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. Peggy Kowalk will be happy to help you with this.

### ***Father's Day Breakfast***

We will hold our annual Father's Day Breakfast honoring all fathers after Mass at 10:00 AM on Sunday, June 17<sup>th</sup> in the Fellowship Hall.

**TICKETS WILL BE:**

**\$10.00 – ADULTS**

**\$3.00 – CHILDRE UNDER 12**

I hope that everyone will plan on attending with their entire family. And please bring your family to Mass first as this is the right and proper way to start a day of celebration and remembrance for the fathers who have done so much for each and every one of us.

### ***Annual Flea Market and Used Book Sale***

**June 2, 2018**

**(Rain Date – June 9, 2018)**

**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, water 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!***

### ***BOOK DRIVE***

We will continue to collect books that will be sold during our Annual Flea Market on June 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you have books at home that you no longer need or want, please bring them in and we will find new homes for them.

## **THE GOSPEL: JOHN 20:19-23**

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

**This is the Gospel of the Lord**

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### **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 Howard Friedman, Bernice Muha, Stanley Sostak, Rose Kubik, Janet Caruso, 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, Tom Goff, Stefan Revesz, Stephanie Besterici, David Potts, Andrew Chernesky, Joan Piechota, George Jugan, Joseph Seliga, Frank Kaczmarczyk, Helen Young, John Smith, Dorothy Parchinsky and Father Senior Gregory Mludzik. **Our Father...**

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## ***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**

#141 – Holy Spirit

### **Communion Hymn**

#155 – Hallowed Be Forever

### **Recessional Hymn**

#227 – Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

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