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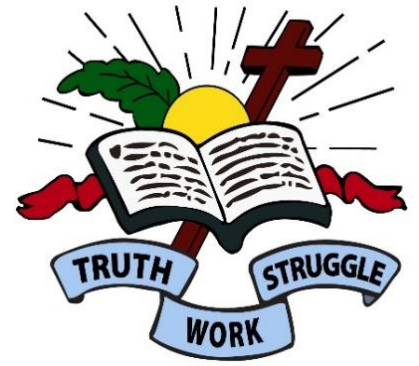
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Solemnity – Pentecost Sunday

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

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.

Worship Services

SUNDAY June 9th

Solemnity of Pentecost

9:00 AM – Holy Mass

Father Donald's last Mass at Our Saviour.

SUNDAY June 16th

Solemnity of the Holy Trinity

9:00 AM – Holy Mass

Father Tom Basta will celebrate.

Second collection will be for the Clergy Pension Fund. Please remember the men who serve so faithfully.

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Once again, Auf Wiedersehen

All good things must come to an end. Today will be my last regularly scheduled Mass at Our Saviour as next week I begin my new assignment at St. Stephen's in Reading PA. I will miss all of you very much. I will think of you often, pray for you always and never forget you. During my time here you have always made me feel welcome and wanted and I sincerely hope that you will continue to do so for my successor, Father Mariusz Mularczyk who will be joining you in two weeks. May the peace and blessings of Christ Jesus be with you and yours forever.

Committee Meeting

There will be a brief committee meeting after Mass to update everyone on the Clergy Coverage situation. I hope all will attend.

Next Sunday Father's Day

Next Sunday is Father's Day. Mass will be at 9:00 AM as usual as Bishop Nowicki has arranged for Father Tom Basta to celebrate Mass here at Our Saviour so as not to upset the breakfast plans. Please welcome him warmly as I believe that he and his wife will be attending the breakfast. Our thanks to Father Tom and Bishop Nowicki for their courtesy.

Father's Day Remembrances

Father's Day is June 16th. 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 next Sunday, June 16th in the Fellowship Hall.

TICKETS WILL BE:

\$10.00 – ADULTS

\$3.00 – CHILDREN 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.

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

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, Michael and Bernice Muha, Stanley Sostak, Janet Caruso, Michael and Patricia Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank and Shellie Fisher, Anthony Tonzini, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Duane Schulte, Ruth Pivovarnick, Bill and Bernice Biroscak, Stefan Revesz, Stephanie Besterci, David Potts, Andrew Chernesky, Joan Piechota, John Smith, Ernie Hoffman, John and Jane Aldershoff, Father Senior Gregory Mludzik, Peggy Harris, Ina Reese, Bob Stutz, Father Senior Ed and Ann Ratajack, Tom Goff, Milton Keiles, Claire Armstrong, David Gavenda, Michelle Freer, Kay Stampone, James Stenz, Dorothy Nabinger and Joseph Sub. For the repose of the soul of Irene Jugan.
Our Father...

Today's Hymns

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

The Asperges – Setting 2

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

#151 – O Ever Holy Sacrament