

June 18, 2023

FAITH SHARING

The main theme of today's readings is that we are commissioned or sent, to transform others with the "Good News" of God's love, mercy, forgiveness, and salvation through Jesus His Son.

The first reading gives Israel the good news that the God of Mount Sinai loves and cares for his people. God showed His continuing care for Israel by liberating the people from slavery in Egypt and by offering them a relationship in which they would be God's "special possession,"-- "a kingdom of priests, a holy nation."

Paul, in today's second reading, reflects on how Jesus in his life, death, and resurrection made manifest God's love and care for mankind.

Today's Gospel is, in effect, a reminder from God to each one of us: "You have received grace and talents from Me without charge, and so you have to give without charge through your simple, responsible, sharing lives." This is indeed the core of every Christian through his or her Baptism. Up to this point in the story, Jesus himself was the focus of the healing, teaching, and controversy. With the commissioning of his disciples, others began to assume some of the responsibility for the new movement that heralded the kingdom of God. That new movement was destined to grow later, with increasing diversity, as it extended beyond the borders of Galilee, into Gentile territory, becoming the Universal Christian Church.

Responsorial Psalm R. We are his people: the sheep of his flock.

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11 Ordinary Sunday / Father's Day

ENTRANCE HYMN (Psalm 65:12, Revelation 14:15b)

V. You adorn the year with Your bounty; Your paths drip with fruitful rain.

R. "Use your sickle and reap the harvest, for the time to reap has come, because the earth's harvest is fully ripe."

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.



Gospel M A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Matthew 9:36-10:8

At the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved with pity for them because they were troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd.

Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few;

so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest."

Then he summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits to drive them out and to cure every disease and every illness.

The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon called Peter, and his brother Andrew; James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew, Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James, the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddeus; Simon from Cana, and Judas Iscariot who betrayed him.

Jesus sent out these twelve after instructing them thus,

"Do not go into pagan territory or enter a Samaritan town. Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons.

Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give."

The Word of the Lord.

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Today's Hymns

Processional Hymn 001 Hymn of Faith

Hymn to the Holy Spirit 144 Come, Thou Creator

Offertory Hymn 159 Jesus, My Lord and Saviour

Communion Hymn 221 Turn Your Eyes to Jesus

> **Recessional Hymn** 224 Amazing Grace

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday, June 18 11 Ordinary Sunday / Father's Day 12:00 Noon – Holv Mass * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

Sunday, June 25 12 Ordinary Sunday 12:00 Noon - Holy Mass * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

Sunday, July 2 13 Ordinary Sunday 12:00 Noon - Holy Mass * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

SECOND COLLECTIONS IN 2023

6/18 - Father's Day – For the Clergy Pension Fund 7/2 - For the Mission Fund **8/6** - For the Mission Fund 8/27 - Youth Sunday – For the Youth Fund 9/3 - For the Mission Fund 9/10 - Solemnity – Brotherly Love – For the Bp. Hodur Retreat Center **10/1** - For the Mission Fund 10/15 - Heritage Sunday – Outreach to Poland Collection 11/5 - For the Mission Fund 12/3 - For the Mission Fund 12/31 - Solemnity- Humble Shepherds - Seminary Fund 1/7 - For the Mission Fund

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Let us pray for all of the sick and homebound members of our Parish, especially: Howard Friedman, Michael and Patricia Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank and Shellie Fisher, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Duane Schulte, Bill and Bernice Biroscak, Stephanie Besterci, David Potts, Andrew Chernesky, Joan Piechota, John Smith, Ernie Hoffman, Peggy Harris, Ina Reese, Tom Goff, Donald Gavenda, Michelle Freer, Kay Stampone, Jan Cherneski, Ewelina Mendelewski-Filvushchenko, Richard Golazewski, Jane Aldorshoff, Elizabeth McAlanis, Dolores McGlone, Marianna Pelka

Please keep us informed that we might minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital or nursing home.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. Inflame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior.

PASTOR TRANSFERRED

July 23, 2023 will be the last Sunday for Fr. Mariusz as an Administrator of St. Valentine's Parish, Philadelphia, PA and Our Saviour Parish, Lawrenceville, NJ.

Father is transferred to Holy Family PNCC Parish in McKeesport, PA. Please keep Fr. M and his Family in your prayers.

CLERGY PENSION FUND

On Father's Day we will pray for all our fathers, both lay and clergy, past and present, to express our gratitude, remembrance, and love for all they have done for our families and for our Church. Thank you for continued support of our Clergy Pension Fund. Consider making a donation to the P.N.C.C. Clergy Pension Fund to honor our clergy for their dedication to our Church and parishioners. Special second collection on June 18, Father's Day – for the Clergy Pension Fund.



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MASS INTENTION REQUEST FORM

Mass for _____

Date requested

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Please mail this form and the Mass stipend to Rev. Mariusz Mularczyk, 2330 Margaret St, Philadelphia, PA 19137