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Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 2, 2016

5:00PM +Joseph Jablonski
by Roberta Drozdowski

Sunday, July 3, 2016

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM +Lou Molinelli
by wife, Mary & Children
9:00AM +Christine Wyzsomiński
by Natalie & Boleslaw Halka
+Helena Golebiowski
by Sabina Jarney & Family
10:30AM +Joe Kotos
by Rosemary & Bob Kidd
+Alice Lewandowska Pyka
by MaryEllen Cacioppo & Family
+Robert Garza
by Rosemary & Bob Kidd
12:00PM +Edwin Miller
by sister, Barbara Thome

Monday, July 4

USA Independence Day
For Our Parishioners and

8:00AM +Michael Cleary
by aunt, Anne Suleski
+Rose Leahy by Michele Malinoski

Tuesday, July 5

8:00AM +Joseph Crevani
by daughters, Gloria & Irene
+Fr. Frank Podgorski & Loretta & Frank Podgorski
by Sylvia Kuzmik
+Buddy Kwasnicki by **Gary Iorio**

Wednesday, July 6

8:00AM +Joseph Malinoski
by daughter, Michele
+Michele Szwed by the Family

Thursday, July 7

8:00AM +Angela & Louis Karpowich
by Michele Malinoski
In Thanksgiving for Blessings Rec'd
by Pascale Joseph

Friday, July 8

8:00AM +Mario Maimone
by Jackie Vernace
+Michael Almeida
by son, Roman Almeida

Saturday, July 9

8:00AM +Adam E. Suleski
by Barbara Suleski

Saturday, July 9

5:00PM Peter Hohn & Family
by the Sokol Family
+Anthony Suleski
by Brian & Ayper Yarcich
+Stephen Spiech
by grandson, Matthew Spiech

Sunday, July 10

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM +Anthony Suleski
by John & Pat Spiech
9:00AM +Andrzej Cieslar by Polish American Club
+Henryka Swolinska by Pol American Club
+ Deceased Members of Pol American Club
10:30AM +Lou Molinelli by Liz Zima Cottrell
+Rose Leahy by the Leahy Family
+Robert Garza by Jane Donovan
12:00PM +Angela Karpowich by Larry Remo

Memorial Candles

Sacred Heart (Alcove)

In memory of **Cynthia**, my loving wife
From husband, Ed Plicinski

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS

For those who are ill: Christine Sanese-Brett, Joan Malone, JoAnn Best, Jaclyn Best, Nora Dempsey, Tara Arbia, Peter Rice, Maryann Titko, John LaPlaca, James and Barbara Straut, Irene Calotta, Nicholas Sorgine, Susan Saladino, Henry Baker, Louise Yankowski, Michael Cardinale, Nancy Mayer, Dave Conklin, Fred Tinoso, Richard Sito, Carol Zarcone, Emily Bobrowicz, Maryann Outwater, Allison Healy.

(Names on the sick list will be on five (5) weeks. If you wish to leave them on longer, call the rectory weekdays, 9:00AM-5:00PM.)

For the recently deceased: Anna Krupinski, Christina

Wyszomirski, Rose Leahy, Anthony Fontana, Helena Marut, Joseph Szwerz, Jack Dempsey, Marilyn Jasenzak, Gabriel Wolanski, Stanislaw Wrzesien, Anthony Suleski, Fr. Chester Szemborski, SDB, Edward Michalak, Richard Gotowoko, Eileen Conway, Stephanie Spiech, Joseph DiDomenico, Joseph DePiano, Robert Garza, Mary Strysko, Alice Levandowska-Pyka, Irene Nowacki, Ann Lake, Andrew O'Sullivan, Gloria Edlin, Pawel Gusciora, Andrzej Cieslar, Fr. Jim Marra, SDB, Susan Saladino, Frances Rappel, Robert Moris, Henryka Swolinska, John Freeburn, James Coty, Anne Caponegro.



July 3, 2016



Message from the Pastor:

Happy 4th of July!

"For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh: rather serve one another through love."

Galatians 5:13

For all the sacrifices so many before us have made to build and defend our country we are grateful! Let us continue to pray for peaceful solutions for all world conflicts - whether here at home or abroad - so that everyone can live in peaceful harmony as Jesus has directed us.

In today's Gospel of Luke, we hear about Jesus sending out the disciples to spread His message of peace. He instructs His disciples to take nothing with them as they do this. When they enter a house, they are to greet the people by saying, "Peace to this household." Jesus sent the disciples to tell all who have not heard the "Good News" of the Gospel that "The kingdom of God is at hand for you" because wherever disciples are present and received, God is present and received. Despite the disciples facing "wolves" and sometimes being rejected, their labor will bear fruit for it is God's power that works through them. The readings today invite us to hope in the future God has in store for us – one of blessing and joy. At the same time, because God's kingdom is already at hand, we live in that blessing and joy today and now!

Coming up at the end of this month (July 25th to August 1st) many pilgrims will be heading to Kraków, Poland, for World Youth Day. This year will be particularly significant as a tribute to St. John Paul II, founder of the World Youth Day, as Kraków was his home. There will be special activities to his devotion to the Merciful Jesus based on St. Faustina Kowalska's apparitions and message. Stay tuned for prayer services that we will have here as well as we get closer to these dates. Let us pray that God's mercy and love will shine through in us all.

*God, merciful Father,
in your Son, Jesus Christ, you have revealed your love
and poured it out upon us in the Holy Spirit, the Comforter,
We entrust to you today the destiny of the world and of every man and woman.
We entrust to you in a special way
young people of every language, people and nation:
guide and protect them as they walk the complex paths of the world today
and give them the grace to reap abundant fruits
from their experience of the Krakow World Youth Day.
Allow the spark of merciful love
that you have enkindled within us
become a fire that can transform hearts
and renew the face of the earth.*

God Bless You and have a wonderful and safe 4th of July holiday with your families and friends!
Fr. Jacek

Recent Collections

Sunday Collection \$4,613.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

June Parish Calendar June July Parish Calendar

July 4 Independence Day
Office Closed

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
every Friday 12:30-6:00pm
Chaplet of Divine Mercy every Friday 3:00PM

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will continue
Throughout the Centennial Year.*

Baptisms of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Please join us in welcoming the following new members into our parish family.

Annabella Marie Suarez
Daughter of Lisa & Edgar

Joseph Henry Schnackenberg
Son of Susana & Joseph

Grant Anthony Lintner
Son of Jessica & Lars



Our Father and Our God,

We praise You for Your goodness

*to our nation, giving us blessings
far beyond what we deserve.*

Pray for America You have said, "Blessed is the nation
whose God is the Lord." May this be a new era for
America, as we humble ourselves and acknowledge You
alone as our Savior and Lord.



Our prayers and best wishes are extended to
Lisa Marie Johnson and Edgar Suarez
Who celebrated their marriage on
Saturday June 25, 2016.
We wish you God's Blessings
as you begin your married life together

Summer Food Drive

Our Summer Food Drive benefiting the
Center for Food Action is underway!
Thank you for your participation.



Religious Education News

New student registration forms for the 2016-2017 Religious Education Program are available in the church vestibule.

Maryrest Cemetery will have a Monthly Remembrance Mass on July 6th at 9:30 a.m. in the Mausoleum Chapel. We invite all to Mass to pray and remember the faithful departed.

We Are Living Stones: Update:



OUR GOALS:

Parish Share	Gifts	Pledges
\$ 200,667.00	\$ 438,333.00	\$ 438,333.00

Currently:

Parish Share	Gifts	Pledges
\$ 15,113.00	\$ 67,226.00	\$ 260,506.00

A wise woman who was traveling in the mountains found a precious stone in a stream. The next day she met another traveler who was hungry, and the wise woman opened her bag to share her food. The hungry traveler saw the precious stone and asked the woman to give it to him. She did so without hesitation. The traveler left, rejoicing in his good fortune. He knew the stone was worth enough to give him security for a lifetime. But a few days later he came back to return the stone to the wise woman. "I've been thinking," he said, "I know how valuable the stone is, but I give it back in the hope that you can give me something even more precious. Give me what you have within you that enabled you to give me the stone."

"The Wise Woman's Stone"
Author Unknown

Missionary Co-op Sunday

Some give by going to the Missions
Some go by giving to the Missions
Without both, there are no missions.

Missionary Co-Op Sunday is August 13, 14 2016

Mother Teresa, who dedicated her life to helping India's poor, beatified in 2003 will be made a saint in the Roman Catholic Church September 2016.

IHMC Centennial Family Spirituality Committee



“Our Catholic Faith”

Ordinary Time

We are now in the longest season of the liturgical year – **Ordinary Time**. It refers to all those parts of the Catholic Church’s liturgical year that are not included in the major seasons of the Church, which are Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter. Prior to Vatican II these periods were referred to as the Sundays after Epiphany and the Sundays after Pentecost.

Depending on the year, Ordinary Time lasts for either 33-34 weeks and is broken into two distinct portions of the calendar. The first begins the Monday after the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord (In 2016-January 11) and ends on the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday. The second begins on the Monday after Pentecost (In 2016 – May 16) and will run until the evening prayer of the first Sunday of Advent. Ordinary Time is called “ordinary” because the weeks are numbered. The Latin word *ordinalis*, which means to numbers in a series, stems from the Latin word *ordo* from which we get the English word *Order*. During this time, the emphasis in the Mass and the Church’s daily prayer is on the Christ’s teaching and His life among his disciples.

Many people think ordinary time refers to the parts of the church year that are unimportant. But nothing could be further from the truth Ordinary Time is in fact the ordered life of the Church – the period in which we live our lives neither in feasting (as in the Christmas and Easter seasons) or in penance (as in Advent and Lent) but in watchfulness and expectation of the second Coming of Christ. Thus for Catholics, Ordinary Time is the part of the year in which Christ, the Lamb of God walks among us and transforms our lives!

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