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Corpus Christi Sunday - "C" Niedziela Bożego Ciała

June 2, 2013 EVENTS for the WEEK

Holy Mass – 11:00AM – Traditional liturgy in English

Today, June 2nd - Corpus Christi Sunday

11:00AM – Holy Mass, intention: for Sp. George Mallick, of. by Mrs. Claire Mallick.

- △ Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.
- ▲ Collection for missions.
- △ June is the Sacred Vocations Month.

WEEKDAY READINGS:

12:18-27; **Thu**., Tobit 6:10-11, 7:1bcde.9-17, 8:4-9a; Mark 12:28-34; **Fri**., **Ezekiel 34:11-16**; **Romans 5:5b-11**; **Luke 15:3-7**; **Sat**., Tobit 12:1.5-15.20; Mark 12:38-44

MONDAY, June 3rd – Within the Octave of Corpus Christi

6:30PM – Monthly meeting of the Parish Committee in Frackville.

TUESDAY, June 4th – Within the Octave of Corpus Christi

9:00AM – Holy Mass in Frackville; intention: for Sp. Jan Zaborowski, of. by Mr. Carl Guzik.

WEDNESDAY, June 5th – Within the Octave of Corpus Christi

8:30AM - Holy Mass in Frackville.

THURSDAY, June 6th – Within the Octave of Corpus Christi

7:00PM – Holy Mass in Frackville; intention: for Bishop, Priests and Deacons of the Central Diocese.

FRIDAY, June 7th - Solemnity – Sacred Heart of Jesus

Jesus knew and loved us each and all during his life, his agony and his Passion, and gave himself up for each one of us. He has loved us all with a human heart. For this reason, the Sacred Heart of Jesus, pierced by our sins and for our salvation, is quite rightly considered the chief sign and symbol of that love with which the divine Redeemer continually loves the eternal Father and all human beings without exception.

9:00AM – Holy Mass in Frackville.

5:00PM – **7:00PM** – Private Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Frackville.

SATURDAY, June 8th - Weekday

5:00PM – Holy Mass in Frackville; intention: for Sp. Dorothy Halaburda, of. by Mr. & Mrs. Paul Elsavage.

NEXT SUNDAY, June 9th – X Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00AM – Holy Mass, intention: for all Parishioners.

▲ Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Today's liturgy

<u>ASPERGES</u> – **Pokropisz mnie** Panie hyzopem, a będę oczyszczony, obmyjesz mnie, a nad śnieg będę wybielony. Zmiłuj się nade mną Boże, według wielkiego miłosierdzia Twego. Chwała Ojcu i Synowi i Duchowi Świętemu, jak była na początku, teraz i zawsze i na wieki wieków. Amen.

ENTRANCE RITE (Wisdom 16:20-21)

V. Lord, You nourished Your people with food of angels and furnished them bread from heaven, ready to hand, untoiled for, endowed with all delights and conforming to every taste.

R. For this substance of Yours revealed Your sweetness toward Your children, and, serving the desire of him who received it, was blended to whatever flavor each on e wished.

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.

ENTRANCE HYMN – **Jesus, My Lord And Savior** – PNCC Hymnal, p. 159

1. Jesus, my Lord and Savior, here would I worship Thee. All that I have I give Thee for Thou didst die for me. Here in this Bread of heaven, here in this Host Divine. Thanksgiving, praise and honor be ev'ry moment Thine. All my vain pride I humble, all my poor soul I give unto my Lord and Savior that with Him I may live.

I Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek, king and priest, brought bread and wine.

GRADUAL (Psalm 104:27-28)

V. Lord, they all look to You to give them food in due time.

R.When You give it to them, they gather it; when You open Your hand, they are filled with good things.

II Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

St. Paul describes the institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper.

ALLELUIA (John 6:56)

- V. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
- R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
- V. Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood remains in Me and I in him.
- R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL: Luke 9:11-17

From five loaves and two fish the crowd ate as much as they wanted, and the scraps filled twelve baskets.

HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit, come, let this be Your home; come and dwell among all of us who sing this song. Come into this place, shine on ev'ry face, fill us with Your love and grace, Holy Spirit come. Come and dwell among us. Amen.

OFFERTORY VERSE (John 6:57)

V. Just as the living Father sent Me and I have life because of the Father, so also the one who feeds on Me will have life because of Me.

COMMUNION VERSE (John 6:58)

V. This is the bread that came down from heaven. Unlike your ancestors who ate and still died, whoever eats this bread will live forever.

May you always grow in union with the Lord through the sacrament we have celebrated.

COMING EVENTS

PLYMOUTH SENIORATE

Sep. 29th 90th Anniversary Celebration of Organizing St. John the Baptist PNCC in Hazleton, PA Oct. ... 90th Anniversary Celebration of Organizing SS. Peter & Paul PNCC in McAdoo, PA.

<u>FRACKVILLE</u> – Each **First Friday** of the month – Private Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament (5:00PM – 7:00PM)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>THANK YOU</u> very much to our Parishioners and Friends for their donations, time and hard work this week to better our parish and Church. The Sunday greeters, the people working on fundraisers, the decorators, repair and maintenance people, and members of the choir.

<u>THANK YOU</u> very much to **Joe Karvois** for his help at the altar, and to **Mr. Stephen Karvois** for watching the parish property.

<u>PLEASE CALL FR. ROBERT</u> - ..if you or your relative are admitted to a hospital and nursing home; ..if your telephone number or **address change**; ..if you have a prayer concern.

<u>THIS WEEK PRAYER</u>: for Father Gary Spencer, his family and parishioners of the Holy Trinity Parish in Woodlawn, NY.

<u>THE PARISH MEMBERSHIP</u> – to keep our parish membership list up to date – please pay your dues during the fiscal year, a deadline is December 31, 2013. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Birthday best wishes are extended to: June 5 – Tammie Whitecavage; June 6 – Joseph Edmondson (son).

Sincavage – PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for Helen Menzyk – James Panco - Connie Frank Gill. Dolores Halaburda – Donna Kolwicz. *Providence Palace Drums, PA* - Violet Cegielski. *Trinity Mission (Shen. Hts.)* - Margaret Kruszynski (311) - Edward Ryszka Jr. (221).

HOSPITAL VISIT. If you, or a member of your family, are hospitalized or enter a long-term nursing facility, please personally or through a closest family member contact Fr. Robert. I will visit a sick member upon his or his family notification. Please remember that with privacy laws, the Parish is often not informed when someone enters. Please call the rectory so Fr. Robert can come for prayer.

SHOPPING at "REDNER" REMINDER – We would like to remind our Parishioners and Friends that if you go shopping at *Redner's* please use your "Redner's card" for purchase. When you will do it the Parish can get a credit – Thank you!

WELCOME OUR VISITORS – We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! Please write your names in the guest book located in the vestibule of the church. You are always welcome to join us in worship!

<u>CONFESSIONS FOR THE YOUTH</u> – Our younger members as well as their parents are reminded that Confession is an essential part of a child's religious upbringing. Remember this important part of their religious life. Confession is held on the **first Sunday** of every month at **10:45AM** (before Mass). Children before Confirmation age should come to **private** Confession. <u>If children (until Confirmation) would like to receive the Holy Communion in a worthy manner they must come for private confession at least once a month. If other times are necessary please contact Fr. Robert.</u>



<u>FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES</u>. The Classes will start in <u>September 2013</u>. I'm asking the parents whose children (<u>age 8</u> and older) did not receive the Holy Communion, please encouraged your children to attend the classes.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES. The Classes will start in October 2013. I'm asking the parents whose children was not confirmed, please encouraged your children to attend the classes. The minimum age for Confirmation is 14. Students who will be 14 years old or older in May 2015 are eligible to take confirmation classes. The course is two years, as required by the Church and will be completed in Spring of the year 2015.

RECEIVING THE HOLY EUCHARIST – those who believe in the true presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist are invited to partake of this Holy Sacrament. It is the practice of the PNCC to distribute the Holy Eucharist through the method of intinction. The Body and Blood of Christ are placed on the tongue, not in the hand.

MEMBERS DUES 2013. Since January 2005, a change was made that eliminated the 'family plan' method for paying Church dues. This change was voted upon and approved at the last General Synod.

Each adult member will now be recorded as an individual unit. This means every adult member is now responsible for his/her own dues. To continue to be a member at the Holy Ghost Parish and a member of the

Polish National Catholic Church each adult will be responsible for paying the following:

Total dues for 2013 per Adult Member: \$95.00 Per Year

The parish itself has an obligation to pay dues according to the number of active members to the General Church and Diocese and our financial administration distributes these monies also as directed by the General Synod. A breakdown of where these dollars are sent is available upon request.

There are also many other funds within your parish that require your attention and need your donations:

Sunday Collection, Fuel Fund, Cemetery Fund, Clergy/Pension Fund, Easter Donations, and Christmas Donations.

PARISH INFORMATION

Daily Masses as announced. Examples of the Mass intention are: for the Sick, in remembrance of the faithful departed (especially parents, grandparents, relatives...), to ask God's Grace, Birthdays and Anniversaries (...) To make arrangements, please contact Father Robert.

Holy Day Masses are held as announced in the bulletin.

Sacrament of Baptism – Arrangements should be made at least two weeks prior the ceremony. Only **practicing Christians** should be chosen as **godparents**.

Sacrament of Matrimony – Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance.

Emergencies, Sickness and deaths – please contact to the rectory immediately.

The parish bulletin - is made on THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS. All requested announcements should be submitted by FRIDAY 10:00AM.

THE EDUCATION AND YOUTH COMMISSION of the POLISH NATIONAL UNION is planning a tour to Poland. The trip will coincide with the 50th Anniversary of the Parish in Zarki, Poland, the hometown of Bishop Hodur. Plans have been made with a travel agent to fly from Newark, NJ to Krakow on September 18th, with a return to Newark on September 25th.

While in Poland:

Sightseeing in Zakopane, Wieliczka salt mine, the Royal Castle on Wawel Hill and Auschwitz

Scenic rafting trip on the Dunajec River

Participation in the 50th Anniversary Celebration of the parish in Zarki (September 21st)

The cost of \$2,550.00 per person includes:

- . Accommodations in hotels specified
- . Two meals daily, as specified
- . Transfers on arrival and departure
- . Air conditioned coach
- . Sightseeing tours with local guides
- . English speaking tour escort throughout
- . Baggage handling, one piece per person
- . Entrance fees to all sites specified in the tour program
- . Hotel taxes and fees

Bus transportation to Newark is available at additional cost.

RESERVATION DEADLINE - June 10, 2013

For further information, please contact Carol Mikovsky at 570-344-0916.