

**Holy Ghost Parish**  
**Polish National Catholic Church**  
**90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Organizing (1922 - 2012)**

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**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle “B”**  
Czternasta Niedziela Zwykła

**July 8, 2012**

**EVENTS for the WEEK**

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

**Today, July 8<sup>th</sup> – XIV Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Prophetic voices are important in every generation, but their message is not always welcome.

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

△ Monthly meeting of the Parish Committee.

### WEEKDAY READINGS:

**Mon.**, Hosea 2:16.17c-18.21-22; Matthew 9:18-26; **Tue.**, Hosea 8:4-7.11-13; Matthew 9:32-38; **Wed.**, Hosea 10:1-3.7-8.12; Matthew 10:1-7; **Thu.**, Hosea 11:1-4.8e-9; Matthew 10:7-15; **Fri.**, Hosea 14:2-10; Matthew 10:16-23; **Sat.**, Isaiah 6:1-8; Matthew 10:24-33

**TUESDAY, July 10<sup>th</sup>** – *Weekday*

**7:00PM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

**THURSDAY, July 12<sup>th</sup>** – *Weekday*

**7:00PM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

**FRIDAY, July 13<sup>th</sup>** - *Weekday*

**11:00AM** - ? - “Bleenie” Sale in Frackville. The preparation begins at 7:30AM.

**7:00PM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

**NEXT SUNDAY, July 15<sup>th</sup>** – XV Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

### **Today's liturgy**

**ASPERGES** – **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** (Isaiah 1:4; 2 Chronicles 15:2b)

V. Ah! Sinful nation, people laden with wickedness, evil race, corrupt children! They have forsaken the Lord, spurned the Holy One of Israel, apostatized.

**R. The Lord is with you when you are with Him, and if you seek Him, He will be present to you; but if you abandon Him, He will abandon you.**

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.**

**I Reading:** Ezekiel 2:2-5

*Ezekiel is to carry out his prophetic ministry come what may.*

**GRADUAL** (Jeremiah 5:23; 2 Kings 17:14)

V. But this people's heart is stubborn and rebellious; they turn and go away.

**R. They did not listen, but were stiff-necked as their fathers, who had not believed in the Lord, their God.**

**II Reading:** 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

*St. Paul examines his own experience and realizes his strength comes only from God.*

**ALLELUIA** (1 Samuel 10:19a)

V. Alleluia, alleluia.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

V. But today you have rejected your God, Who delivers you from all your evils and calamities.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

**GOSPEL:** Mark 6:1-6

*Jesus is unable to minister in His own town because of the suspicion of the people.*

## 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 (Hebrews 10:29)**

V. Do you not think that a much worse punishment is due the one who has contempt for the Son of God, considers unclean the covenant-blood by which He was consecrated, and insults the Spirit of Grace?

### **COMMUNION VERSE (Luke 10:16b)**

V. And whoever rejects Me rejects the One Who sent Me.

May God the Father watch over you. May God the Son fill you with His peace. May God the Holy Spirit strengthen you.

## COMING EVENTS

### GENERAL CHURCH

Sep. 14<sup>th</sup> Bishops consecration (Scranton, PA)

### CENTRAL DIOCESE

Oct. 11-13<sup>th</sup> Diocesan Synod in Scranton, PA.

### SHENANDOAH

July 29<sup>th</sup> Automobiles blessing (after the Holy Mass)

Aug. 4<sup>th</sup> Yard Sale

### FRACKVILLE

July 13<sup>th</sup> "Bleenie" Sale (11:00AM - ?)

July 29<sup>th</sup> Automobiles blessing (after the Holy Mass)

Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> Animals blessing (2:00PM)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THANK YOU** 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.

**THANK YOU** – very much to **Joe Karvois** and **Dylan Whitecavage** for your help at the altar.

**CHURCH NEWS** – the Special Synod of the PNCC held in Scranton, PA on Friday, June 22 elected two candidates for Bishop's office: **the Rev. Stanley Bilinski** and **Rev. Bernard Nowicki**. A special meeting of the Supreme Council was held at the conclusion of the Synod. The Rt. Rev. John E. Mack will be transferred back to the Buffalo-Pittsburgh Diocese. Bishop-Elect Stanley M. Bilinski will be assigned to the Western Diocese. Bishop-Elect Bernard Nowicki goes to the Central Diocese. Assignments will be effective as of August 1, 2012.

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

**THIS WEEK PRAYER:** for **Father Jan Kość**, his family, parishioners of Church of the Holy Trinity & St.

Joseph's in Linden, NJ.

**THE PARISH MEMBERSHIP** – to keep our parish membership list up to date – please pay your dues during the fiscal year, a deadline is December 31, 2012. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.



**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES.** The Classes will start in **September 2012**. I'm asking the parents whose children were born in **2004** or older (age 8 and older) did not receive the Holy Communion, please encouraged your children to attend the classes. If your child will be at least **9** years old in **May 2013** is eligible to receive his/her First Holy Communion.



**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!** Anniversary best wishes are extended to: July 12 – William and Kellie Solnoki.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK** – especially for Helen Menzyk – James Panco - Connie Sincavage – Frank Gill. Dolores Halaburda. *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.

**UPCOMING SUNDAY'S MASS INTENTIONS: Aug. 19:** sp. William Zamonas Sr. *Please, do not order the mass intentions ahead of 1 year. Thank you.*

**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!



**CONFESSIONS FOR THE YOUTH** – 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. 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.

**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 2012.** 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 2012 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, Bleenie Sales (we had a great time last year, come out help out, join in the fun...), Chinese Auction, and Christmas Donations.

**Never Alone**

Sometimes, oh Lord, when I cannot pray,  
I sit very still with nothing to say.  
But never-the-less, I know You are there;  
I whisper Your name' cause I know You care.  
You know that I'm troubled with things on my mind,  
And You know I've been weak, so often unkind,  
But Your spirit is with me,  
          right here in this home;  
And I know that I never am walking alone.

*(Helen Parker)*

**Polish Proverbs**

Człowiek jest kowalem swojego życia.  
Man is the maker of his destiny.

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