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**Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - Cycle "B"**

**October 4, 2009**

“The most important political office is that of the private citizen.” – LOUIS BRANDEIS

### **Events for the Week**

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

**Today, October 4<sup>th</sup> – XXVII Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Today we consider God’s creation, and the dignity of man and woman and child. Personal life and human society are built on honor, respect and love.

**11:00AM – Holy Mass**, intention: for **William Zamonas Sr.**, of. by Joseph & Barbara Snyder.

- Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
- Collection for Missions.

- The second weekly collection – second, third, fourth or fifth Sunday in the month - (after the Holy Mass) is for operation of the Holy Ghost parish – **THANK YOU!**

### **WEEKDAY READINGS:**

**Mon.**, Jonah 1:1-2:2.11; Luke 10:25-37; **Tue.**, Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 10:38-42; **Wed.**, Acts 1:12-14; Luke 1:26-38; **Thu.**, Malachi 3:13-20b; Luke 11:5-13; **Fri.**, Joel 1:13-15, 2:1-2; Luke 11:15-26; **Sat.**, Joel 4:12-21; Luke 11:27-28

#### **MONDAY, October 5<sup>th</sup>** - *Weekday*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass, intention for: sp. **Edward** and **Helena Zaborowski**, of. by Fr. Robert & family.

**1:00PM** – Plymouth Seniorate Pastors meeting – Plymouth, PA.

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



#### **WEDNESDAY, October 7<sup>th</sup>** – Solemnity – Holy Mother of the Rosary

*This feast was established on the anniversary of the naval victory won by the Christian fleet at Lepanto. The victory was attributed to the help of the holy Mother of God whose aid was invoked through praying the rosary. The celebration of this day invites all to meditate upon the mysteries of Christ, following the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary who was so singularly associated with the incarnation, passion and glorious resurrection of the Son of*

*God.*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass, intention: for all **Parishioners**.

#### **NEXT SUNDAY, October 11<sup>th</sup>** – Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Solemnity: Christian Family

**11:00AM** – Holy Mass, intention: for sp. Mary and James Albano, of. by Mr. & Mrs. Gerry Donnelly & sons.

- “Chinese” Auction. Doors open: 12:00 – Noon; the auction begins at 2:00PM.

### **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**

*(Sirach 25:1; 26:4)*

V. With these things I am delighted, for they are pleasing to the Lord and to men: harmony among brethren, friendship among neighbors, and the mutual love of husband and wife.

**R. Be rich or poor, his heart is content, and a smile is ever on his face.**

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: Genesis 2:18-24**

*The creation story in Genesis teaches us the equality of man and woman.*

**THE GRADUAL**

*(Sirach 36:24; 26:1)*

V. A wife is her husband's richest treasure, a helpmate, a steady column.

**R. Happy the husband of a good wife; twice-lengthened are his days.**

**II Reading: Hebrews 2:9-11**

*To save us from sin and death, Jesus endures the sufferings that these evils bring. Now risen, He is our hope of glory.*

**THE ALLELUIA**

*(Proverbs 19:14)*

V. Alleluia, alleluia.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

V. Home and possessions are an inheritance from parents, but a prudent wife is from the Lord.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

**GOSPEL: Mark 10:2-16**

*In the debate about marriage and divorce, Jesus directs our minds and hearts to issues of justice and respect for one another.*

**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.

May the Lord help you to rejoice in the gift of your life, and in the peace of Christ's family.

**COMING EVENTS**

**SHENANDOAH**

**Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>** "Chinese" Auction

**Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>** First Holy Communion Catechism Class – 9:00AM

**FRACKVILLE**

Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> "Bleenie" sale (every two weeks)

Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> "Chinese" Auction

Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> Pastor's Installation – 4:00PM

## CENTRAL DIOCESE

Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> Liturgy Commission meeting – Scranton, PA (10:30AM)

## GENERAL CHURCH

Oct. 20 – 22<sup>nd</sup> National Clergy Conference – Lancaster, NY

### **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 greeter, the people working on fundraisers, the decorators, repair and maintenance people and members of the choir.

**THANK YOU** very much to **Mr. Jacob Komara** for being a lector, **last** Sunday (September 27).

**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.

**MASS LITURGY CHANGES** – beginning today until Easter we will stop shaking hands during the Holy Mass – *the sign of peace* - due flu season.

**CHURCH'S ENVELOPES** – please, continue using the church envelopes given, adjust the actual date. Thank you.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK** – especially for Margaret Kruszynski – Helen Menzyk - Connie Sincavage - Maurice Curcio – James Panco – Catherine Marasco - Edward Ryszka Jr. - John Blickley.

**UPCOMING SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS:** **Oct. 11:** sp. Mary and James Albano; **Oct. 18:** sp. Stephanie and Edward Mendofik; **Oct. 25:** sp. Zelda Evans; **Nov. 1:** sp. William and Josephine Zamonas; **Nov. 8:** sp. William Mallick; **Nov. 15:** sp. Robert and Charles Hoppes; **Nov. 22:** sp. Eleanor Hovanec.



Sacrament of Anointing

**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.

*“Is anyone among you sick? He should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord...” (James 5:14).* If you, or a member of your family are sick and would like to receive the Holy Communion at home, please notify the rectory.



**CHINESE AUCTION** will be held on **October 11, 2009** in the parish hall. We are asking all parishioners to help with the fundraiser by donating **NEW ITEMS** for this event. We are also appealing to you for your help. Everyone’s help is needed especially on the day of the auction. **THANK YOU.** If you need help with

delivering your items to the church, please contact Father Robert and arrangements will be made for pick-up. THANK YOU.

**ALL SOULS ENVELOPES.** With the upcoming holydays of All Saints and All Souls in the not too distant future, we remind our parishioners and friends, to please submit the names of their departed loved ones for remembrance during this holy season. All Soul's Day remembrance request envelopes are placed next to the bulletins. Please fill them out (please: PRINT) and return them to Father Robert as soon as possible. (Thank you).

**PASTOR'S INSTALLATION** – the installation of Fr. Robert as a pastor of St. John the Baptist Parish (Frackville) will be held on **Sunday, November 8, 2009** at **4:00PM**. All of our Parishioners and Friends are cordially invited. The reception will follow after the service in our St. John's hall. In the vestibule there is a list where you can signed you name as a participant. The deadline is **Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup>**.

**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!



**CONFIRMATION CLASSES.** The Classes will start in **October 2009**. 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 2011 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 2011.



**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!



**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 is placed on the tongue, not in the hand.