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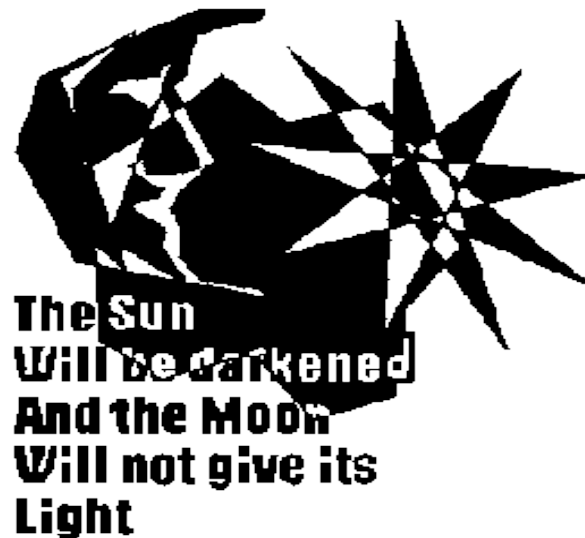
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**Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle “B”**

**November 15, 2009**

“Accept that some days you’re the pigeon, and some days you’re the statue.” – ROGER C. ANDERSON

### **Events for the Week**

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

**Today, November 15<sup>th</sup> – XXXIII Sunday in Ordinary Time**

We gather here today to give thanks to our God., Father, Son and Holy Spirit, in remembrance of all the great blessings we receive.

**11:00AM – Holy Mass** with reading of the *Memorial List*, intention: for sp. **Robert Hoppes** and **Charles Hoppes**, of. by Mrs. Mary Ann Hoppes.

- Monthly meeting of the Parish Committee.
- 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.**, 1 Maccabees 1:10-15.41-43.54-57.62-63; Luke 18:35-43; **Tue.**, 2 Maccabees 6:18-31 ; Luke 19:1-10; **Wed.**, 2 Maccabees 7:1.20-31; Luke 19:11-28; **Thu.**, 1 Maccabees 2:15-29; Luke 19:41-44; **Fri.**, 1 Maccabees 4:36-37.52-59; Luke 19:45-48; **Sat.**, Zechariah 2:14-17; Matthew 12:46-50

#### MONDAY, November 16<sup>th</sup> – *Weekday*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

#### TUESDAY, November 17<sup>th</sup> – *Weekday*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

#### WEDNESDAY, November 18<sup>th</sup> – *Weekday*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

#### THURSDAY, November 19<sup>th</sup> – *Weekday*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

#### FRIDAY, November 20<sup>th</sup> – *Weekday*

**8:30AM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

#### SATURDAY, November 21<sup>st</sup> – Solemnity – Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Together with Christians of the East, the Catholic Church preserves the early tradition that a small child, Mary was presented to the Lord by her parents in the Temple. This celebration calls our attention to the total dedication of Mary to God's service and her obedience to God's plans. We, too, are called to serve God joyfully and without seeking any human glory in return.*

**8:00AM** – Holy Mass in Frackville.

**9:00AM** – First Holy Communion Catechism Class in **Shenandoah**.

#### NEXT SUNDAY, November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Solemnity – **Jesus Christ the King - Thirty Fourth (last) Sunday in Ordinary Time.**

**11:00AM** – Holy Mass with reading of the *Memorial List* intention: for sp. Eleanor Hovanec, of. by Mrs. Geraldine Andrews.

### **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**

*(1 Corinthians 15:41-42)*

V. The brightness of the sun is one kind, the brightness of the moon another, and the brightness of the stars another. For star differs from star in brightness.

**R. So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown corruptible; it is raised incorruptible.**

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: Daniel 12:1-3**

*The prophet Daniel tells of the end of the world and how some will be saved.*

### **THE GRADUAL**

*(Psalm 68:20-21)*

V. Blessed day by day be the Lord, Who bears our burdens; God who is our salvation.

**R. God is a saving God for us; the Lord, my Lord, controls the passageways of death.**

### **II Reading: Hebrews 10:11-14.18**

*Jesus has made just one sacrifice – Himself. This has done more than any of the sacrifices made by priests. Through Christ's sacrifice he has achieved eternal perfection.*

### **THE ALLELUIA**

*(Matthew 24:21)*

V. Alleluia, alleluia.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

V. For at that time there will be great tribulation, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until now, nor ever will be.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

### **GOSPEL: Mark 13:24-32**

*Jesus tells His followers of a dark time coming soon, when the Son of Man will come in glory. Nobody knows the day or hour, not even the Son Himself.*

### **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.

**Through Christ's sacrifice and victory, we are offered salvation. May we follow in Christ's ways.**

### **COMING EVENTS**

## SHENANDOAH

**Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>** First Holy Communion Catechism Class – 9:00AM  
**Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>** Advent Penitential Service – 10:45AM  
Christmas Party – around 12:15PM

## FRACKVILLE

**Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>** Thanksgiving Eve service – First United Methodist Church (7:00PM)  
**Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>** Advent Penitential Service – 8:30AM

## **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.

**PASTOR'S INSTALLATION** – thank you to everybody who attended the pastor's installation service (last Sunday). Thank you for donating cakes and to the members of the Choir for help during the liturgy. A special *thanks* to **Mrs. Violet Cegielski, Mrs. Loretta Kovalewski, Mr. John Golba, Mrs. Mary Ann Hoppes, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rejent, Mrs. Anne and Amy Adrsuscavage, Mr. Jacob Komara, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Petrusky** for the installation gifts. May God bless you all.

**THANK YOU** very much to **Mr. Jacob Komara** and **Joe Karvois** for help during the liturgy, last Sunday (November 8).

**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.



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!** Birthday best wishes are extended to: November 20 – Julian Bednarek.



**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:** **Nov. 22:** sp. Eleanor Hovanec; **Nov. 29:** sp. William Lorah; **Dec. 6:** sp. Robert Hoppes, Charles Hoppes, Maria, Ignacy Stypik, Joseph

Stypik, Charles Stypik (All Souls); **Dec. 13:** sp. Matthew Menzyk, Catherine Menzyk (All Souls).



**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.



**CHRISTMAS PARTY** - will be held in our Holy Ghost church hall on Sunday, **December 6, 2009** following 11:00AM Holy Mass. If someone is interested to participate please sign your name on the sheet at the vestibule. If someone is planned to participate, please bring one inexpensive gift. The **deadline is November 29.**

**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!



**Every  
Priest  
Stands  
Daily At  
His Ministry  
Offering  
Sacrifice**

**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.

