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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Cycle "B"

July 5, 2009

"Get your facts first, and then you can distort them as much as you please." - MARK TWAIN

Events for the Week

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

<u>Today</u>, <u>July 5th</u> – XIV Sunday in Ordinary Time

Those we might have thought closest to Jesus failed to recognize Him for who He was. Do we fall to see the good in others? Are we too misled by our assumptions or prejudices?

11:00AM - Holy Mass, intention: for sp. Mary Andrulonis, of. by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Petrusky.

- 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., Genesis 28:10-22a; Matthew 9:18-26; **Tue**., Genesis 32:23-33; Matthew 9:32-38; **Wed**., Genesis 41:55-57, 42:5-7a,17-24a; Matthew 10:1-7; **Thu**., Genesis 44:18-21.23b-29, 45:1-5; Matthew 10:7-15; **Fri**., Genesis 46:1-7.28-30; Matthew 10:16-23; **Sat**., Genesis 49:29-32, 50:15-26a; Matthew 10:24-33

MONDAY, July 6th

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

TUESDAY, July 7th - Weekday

8:30AM – Holy Mass in Frackville, intention for: sp. **Gertruda Rezmer**, of. by Janina Plichta & family.

THURSDAY, July 9th - Weekday

8:30AM - Holy Mass in Frackville.

FRIDAY, July 10th

11:00AM - sell out - "Bleenie" Sale in Frackville.

NEXT SUNDAY, July 12th - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00AM – Holy Mass, intention: for sp. Mary Andrulonis, of. by Mrs. Cathryn Zamonas.

• The special meeting of the Parish Committee (after the Holy Mass).

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

(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

The prophet speaks, even when he is not listened to.

THE 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 boasts of his weaknesses, for they are his real strength.

THE 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

Because of their lack of faith His fellow citizens fail to acknowledge Jesus.

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 you see the Lord's goodness in all you meet.

COMING EVENTS

SHENANDOAH

July 26th Blessing of cars (after the Holy Mass)

Sep. 11th "Bleenie" & Food sale

Oct. 11th "Chinese" Auction

FRACKVILLE

July 24th "Bleenie" sale (every two weeks)

July 26th Blessing of cars (after the Holy Mass)

Oct. 3rd Blessing of pets (at the parking) – 2:00PM

Oct. 25th "Chinese" Auction

CENTRAL DIOCESE

Aug. 18 – 20th Clergy Retreat and conference – Mt. Pocono, PA

GENERAL CHURCH

Sep. 5th Annual Track & Field Meet, Minooka

Oct. 20 – 22nd National Clergy Conference – Lancaster, NY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

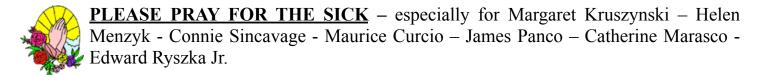
THANK YOU very much to our Parishioners and Friends for their donations, time and hard work this week to better our parish and Church. The Sunday greeter, the people working on fundraisers, the decorators, repair and maintenance people.

THANK YOU very much to **Mr. Jacob Komara** for being a lector last Sunday (June 28).

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 other times are necessary please contact Fr. Robert.

<u>PLEASE CALL FR. ROBERT</u> - ..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.

<u>LITURGICAL ROLES</u> – Anyone interested in becoming a lector should see Father Robert after Mass or call him at the rectory. There will be preparation sessions held for those who are interested. Thank you.



<u>UPCOMING SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS:</u> July 12: sp. Mary Andrulonis; July 19: sp. Anne Kowalonek; July 26: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Aug. 2: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Aug. 9: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Aug. 16: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Aug. 23: sp. Susan Bednarek; Aug. 30: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Sep. 6: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Sep. 13: all Parishioners; Sep. 20: sp. John Dziedziak Sr.; Sep. 27: Spójnia Sunday; Oct. 4: sp. William Zamonas Sr.; Oct. 11: sp. Mary and James Albano; Oct. 18: sp. Stephanie Mendofik; Oct. 25: sp. Zelda Evans; Nov. 1: sp. William and Josephine Zamonas; Nov. 8...; Nov. 15: sp. Robert and Charles Hoppes.

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 19, 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.

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!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES. The Classes will start in September 2009 (first Saturday after the Labor Day). I'm asking the parents whose children (age 8 and older) did not receive the Holy Communion, please encouraged your children to attend the classes.

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.



Do you go to church?

A friend was in front of me coming out of church one day, and the preacher was standing at the door as he always is to shake hands. He grabbed my friend by the hand and pulled him aside.

The Pastor said to him, "You need to join the Army of the Lord!" My friend replied, "I'm already in the Army of the Lord, Pastor."

Pastor questioned, "How come I don't see you except at Christmas and Easter?"

He whispered back, "I'm in the secret service.



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.