



# *Sunday Church Bells*

***of the St. Valentine's  
Polish National Catholic Church***

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**Twelfth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
*Fathers' Day*  
June 21, 2015**

**Dwunasta Niedziela  
w Okresie Zwykłym  
*Dzień Ojca*  
21 Czerwca 2015**



*God of storms, seas and seasons, we believe that it is You Who separated the waters and contain it so that creation does not drown. We are sorry that we panic and lose faith in Your abiding protection when the waves unground and scare us. In Christ, we are to trust You, because in Him You trust Yourself to dwell in us. Anchor us in faith, that we may trust You amid smooth waters and turbulent waves. You are the God of all creation and You hold us tenderly in the palm of Your powerful hands. Thank you!*

*Teach us to love and reverence our Dads today, as reflections of Your fathering love for us!*

## Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle B - *Fathers' Day*

**9:15 a.m. - Sunday Morning Prayer**

**9:30 a.m. - Holy Mass - Traditional Rite - Mass Book, page 13.**

*Mass intention: For all Fathers.*

**ENTRANCE HYMN** (Psalm 46:2-4a)

*Priest:* God is our refuge and our strength, an ever-present help in distress.  
Therefore, we fear not, though the earth be shaken and mountains  
plunge into the depths of the sea; though its waters rage and foam.

**All: For He is the living God, enduring forever; His kingdom shall not  
be destroyed, and His dominion shall be without end.**

*Priest:* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

**All: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world  
without end. Amen.**

**FIRST READING:** Job 38:8-11

**GRADUAL** (Psalm 107:28-29)

*Priest:* They cried to the Lord in their distress; from their straits He  
rescued them.

**All: He hushed the storm to a gentle breeze, and the billows of the sea  
were stilled.**

**SECOND READING:** 2 Corinthians 5:14-17

**ALLELUIA** (Isaiah 43:2-3a)

*Priest:* Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

*Priest:* When you pass through the water, I will be with you. For I am the  
Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.

**All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**GOSPEL:** Mark 4:35-41

*Priest:* A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Mark

**All: Glory be to You, Lord!**

On that day, as evening drew on, Jesus said to his disciples: "Let us cross to the other side." Leaving the crowd, they took Jesus with them in the boat just as he was. And other boats were with him. A violent squall came up and waves were breaking over the boat, so that it was already filling up. Jesus was in the stern, asleep on a cushion. They woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified?"

Do you not yet have faith?" They were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?"

*Priest:* This is the Gospel of the Lord.


**All: Praise be to You, Lord Jesus Christ.**

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## Reflection Questions:



1. What pleased you most in this Gospel reading? Why?
  2. What situation do Jesus and his disciples find themselves in, and what is their reaction?
  3. What was the stormy sea in the times of Jesus? What is the stormy sea in the days Mark is writing his Gospel? What is the stormy sea for you today?
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*Raging waves of war crash around us.*

*Squalls howl through our lives.*

*From sinking boats, we cry,*

*"We are going down!*

*Jesus, save us."*

*O calm our storms!*

*"Peace! And be still!"*

*We long to hear these words from you.*

*Breeze or maelstrom, sunny day or gray,*

*You never leave our boats.*

*Make our ride holy, Lord of wind and sea.*



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## Readings for next Sunday

First Reading: **Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24**

Second Reading: **2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15**

Gospel: **Mark 5:21-43**

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## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ Collection for Clergy Pension Fund - there is a basket in the vestibule for this collection
- ◆ Parish Committee Meeting: Monday, June 22 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall
- ◆ Solemnity of St. John the Baptist - Wednesday, June 24 - Holy Mass at 10:00 am
- ◆ Society for the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Meeting: Monday, June 29 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall
- ◆ Cathedral of the Pines, Rindge, NH - Annual Prayer Service - Sunday, July 12, 2015 at 3:30 pm



Coffee Hour Sponsors:  
 Today - **Fred Zimnoch**  
 Next Sunday - **Jean Gromacki**



Cleaning of the Church  
 Saturday, June 27 at 8:00 am

Support

## Convo 2016

and buy the raffle tickets. For tickets contact Fr. Adam

Name	_____
Address	_____ _____
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**Convo 2016 PNCC Fundraising Raffle**  
*Proceeds to lower the cost to attend Convo 2016*

1<sup>st</sup> Prize - New iPad

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - Bose Bluetooth  
 Sound Link Speaker

Drawing Sunday, Nov. 29, 2015

Donation - \$5.00 each; 3 for \$10.00

*Checks should be made payable to: Convo 2016 Committee  
 c/o Blessed Trinity Parish 37 Winthrop St. Fall River MA 02721*

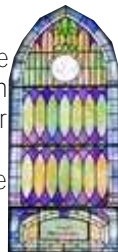


## New Storm Windows

Donations are still being accepted to help defray the cost of the storm windows which were recently purchased for the church. Any amount will be gratefully appreciated. Your donation will be acknowledged in our Church bulletin. Please notify us if you do not want to have your named mentioned in the bulletin. The amount received thus far \$725.00.

Special thanks to Wallace Forman, Krysia and Eugene Newman who sponsored the purchase of storm windows for the south side of the Church in memory of Joan Forman.

***Thank you. Bóg zapłać!***



## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:**

**Shirley Krawczynski** - 18 Dickinson Street, Northampton, MA 01060

**John Lenkowski** - 31 Denise Court, Northampton, MA 01060

**Grace Mackiewicz** - 9 Chestnut Street, #6, Amherst, MA 01002

**Very Rev. Fryderyk Banas** - 61 Maple St, Ware, MA 01082

**Rt. Rev. Stanley Bilinski** - 9201 West Higgins Rd, Chicago, IL 60631

**Rev. Jan Wilczek** - 839 County Street, New Bedford, MA 02740

*Please say a prayer for peace, comfort and healing  
 for our sick sisters and brothers; send a card to them.*

### **PASTORAL CARE AT HOME AND HOSPITAL**

If you have a family member or friend at hospital or home unable to take part in Holy Mass and Sacraments, please notify Fr. Adam at 584-0133.

Jesus healed  
 the sick.



## **Holy Mass Schedule:**

**Sunday - 9:30 am**

**Solemnities & Feasts**

**- see bulletins**

For Holy Mass intentions contact Fr. Adam after Sunday Holy Mass or anytime by phone (413) 584-0133.