



Sunday Church Bells

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

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Sunday within the Octave of Corpus Christi

June 7, 2015

**Niedziela
w Oktawie
Bożego Ciała
7 Czerwca 2015**



God of the Covenant, You draw us to Yourself with embracing love. We are blood brothers and sisters with You by Your plan. We are betrothed in a life-commitment symbolized by blood, sprinkled on You and us. Jesus is our sacrifice and high priest. His blood has changed everything and united us with You. You have made us holy in His Blood and You feed us with His Body. We are what we eat and drink! Thank you, Holy God, for embracing and nurturing us, even as You embrace us and identify with us. Keep us faithful to your real presence in the Bread and Wine and in each other. You transubstantiate symbols of food and drink, that You might transubstantiate us, that we might transubstantiate our world. In Spirit us to eat and drink in memory of Jesus, knowing that at His table we are one with You and each other. Yes, we are what we eat and drink, Lord Jesus. Help us believe that and live from your sustenance.

Sunday within Octave of Corpus Christi, Cycle B

9:15 a.m. - Sunday Morning Prayer

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

Mass intention: For all parishioners living and dead.

ENTRANCE HYMN (Wisdom 16:20-21)

Priest: Lord You nourished Your people with food of angels and furnished them bread from heaven, ready to hand, untoiled for, endowed with all delights and conforming to every taste.

All: For this substance of Yours revealed Your sweetness toward Your children, and serving the desire of him who received it, was blended to whatever flavor each one wished.

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: Exodus 24:3-8

GRADUAL (Psalm 104:27-28)

Priest: Lord they all look to You to give them food in due time.

All: When You give it to them, they gather it; when You open Your hand, they are filled with good things.

SECOND READING: Hebrews 9:11-15

ALLELUIA (John 6:56)

Priest: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Priest: Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood remains in Me and I in him.

All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

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

All: Glory be to You, Lord!

On the first day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, when they sacrificed the Passover lamb, Jesus' disciples said to him, "Where do you want us to go and prepare for you to eat the Passover?" He sent two of his disciples and said to them, "Go into the city and a man will meet you, carrying a jar of water. Follow him. Wherever he enters, say to the master of the house, 'The Teacher says, "Where is my guest room where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?"'" Then he will show you a large upper room furnished and ready. Make the preparations for us there." The disciples then went

off, entered the city, and found it just as he had told them; and they prepared the Passover. While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many. Amen, I say to you, I shall not drink again the fruit of the vine until the day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God." Then, after singing a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

Priest: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise be to You, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reflection Question:



1. Surely the disciples didn't understand what Jesus was doing at the Last Supper, but they trusted him absolutely. Where do you go when you need help with trust? The Holy Spirit? Books? Priest? Friends?

*"This is my body; take it,"
and we become your body.
Christ, please stay with us forever.
Make us one with you,
one with each other.
Let your love course through our lives.
Make us one in your one body.*



Readings for next Sunday

First Reading: *Ezekiel 17:22-24*

Second Reading: *2 Corinthians 5:6-10*

Gospel: *Mark 4:26-34*



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ Today after Holy Mass will be Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament
- ◆ Collection for Missions - there is a basket in the vestibule for this collection
- ◆ Feast of Saint Barnabas, Apostle - Thursday, June 11 - Holy Mass at 10:00 am
- ◆ Solemnity of Sacred Heart of Jesus - Friday, June 12 - Holy Mass at 10:00 am



Coffee Hour Sponsors:

Today - **Danuta Czarnecka**

Next Sunday - **Krysia Newman**



Cleaning of the Church

Saturday, June 13 at 8:00 am

HONOR A FATHER ON FATHER'S DAY – Acknowledge or remember our FATHERS, LAY OR CLERGY, for their dedication to us and at the same time provide some much needed support to the PNCC Clergy Pension Fund. Send a minimum donation of \$25 to the Clergy Pension Fund Committee, c/o Western Diocese Chancery, 920 N. Northwest Highway, Park Ridge, IL 60068, and include your name and the name of the FATHER you wish to honor. Donations received by June 12th will be included in a listing to be published in an upcoming issue of God's Field. All donations received benefit the Clergy Pension Fund of the PNCC.

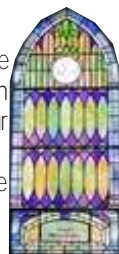


New Storm Windows

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 zapłaci!



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

Rt. Rev. Bernard Nowicki - 529 East Locust St, Scranton, PA 18505

Rev. Henry Smolinski - 8 Mills Rd, Windsor, CT 06095

Karen Dragon - 1116 Xavier Court, Bloomington, MN 55437

*Please say a prayer for peace, comfort and healing for our sick sisters and brothers; send a card to them; if you can, participate in the **Holy Mass** celebrated in their intention every **Monday at 10:00 am** (except holidays - see bulletins).*

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.



Holy Mass Schedule:

Saturday - 7:00 pm (in Polish)

Sunday - 9:30 am (in English)

Solemnities & Feasts - see bulletins

Daily - 10:00 a.m.

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