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Mission Statement

Baptized in Christ Jesus and nourished by his Word and Sacrament we strive to live our daily lives in love and service to God and neighbor.

Pastor:

Augustine K. Benti

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier
Cindi Sturm, Parish Administrator
Mary Uttecht, DRE

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Galloway

Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

MAY 15, 2022



Mark your Calendars!



May:

Sun. 15 - **Graduation Mass** 8:30 am

Coffee & donuts served after Mass

Mon. 30 - **Memorial Day Cemetery Service** 9 am
with refreshments to follow

June:

Fri. 3 - **Galloway Daze** 6 pm - midnight

Fireworks approximately 10 pm

Sat. 4 - **Galloway Daze** 10 am - midnight

Sun. 5 - **Galloway Daze** 10 am - 6 pm

Parade 1 pm

Thu. 9 - **St. Joseph Men's Society Meeting** 6:30 pm

Mon. 13 - **Parish Pastoral/Finance Council Mtg.** 7 pm

Mon. 20 - **Fall Breakfast/Soup Sales Mtg.** 6:30 pm

PRAYERS FOR THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO SERVE IN OUR ARMED FORCES.



Liturgies of the Week

Sun., May 22 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:30 am - Amy Britz by Marvin & Kathy Meronk

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

Sunday Mass 8:30 am - May 22

Lector: **Lisa Walder**

Eucharist: **Donna Kezeske**

Altar Servers: **Sami Kaminski**
Colton Kaminski

Ushers: **Aiden Bushman**
Marv Jr Meronk

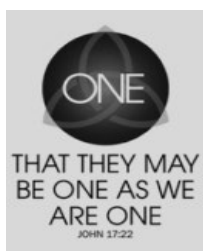
TV Monitors: **Brennen Bushman**

Rosary (Glorious): **Joe Bushman**

Gifts to Our Lord (May 2 - May 8)

Adult Tithing	\$1670.00
Youth Envelopes	24.00
Offertory Gifts	241.00
School Support Envelopes	25.00
<u>Building & Grounds Envelopes</u>	<u>225.00</u>
Total.....	2185.00

DAA - Diocesan Annual Appeal



Our Goal - \$22,465.00

Pledged - \$11,800.00

Under our Goal - \$10,665.00

Goal at 52% with 41 donors

We have until the end of June to meet our goal. All donations must be postmarked by June 30. We only have 2 months left to reach our goal. If we do not meet our goal the parish has to pay the Diocese the remaining balance. Extra pledge cards in foyer. Thank you for your support.

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Congratulations Graduates!

Congratulations to all our graduates.

May the Holy Spirit lead you in all your new endeavors.

Harvest Dinner Update

At the meeting held on April 25 after discussing different options it was decided to replace the dinner with a breakfast. We will have our soup sales, the St. Joseph Men's Society raffle, a 50/50 raffle along with the breakfast. We will discuss more details at the next meeting to be held on Monday, June 20 at 6:30 pm. A letter will be sent out to parishioners some time after this meeting with details on the breakfast and how they will be able to support and help with this fundraiser for our parish. All parishioners are invited to join in on the meeting in June to help with planning.

The Men's Society will be holding their Fall Harvest Raffle again this year. This year's raffle prizes will be CASH ONLY. We are accepting prize donations from parishioners as from individuals, businesses, memorials or as anonymous. **ALL donations MUST be in by June 12th** in order to finalize prize listing to be printed on the tickets. Please leave donations in an envelope clearly marked HARVEST RAFFLE in the collection boxes at the entry of the church. We are asking for a minimum prize donation of \$50. Please contact Ralph Konkel 715.393.7875 or Dick Golomski 715.253.2823 to pledge a donation or with any questions. Thank You!

Thank you!

Thank you to Fr. Eugene Wolf for his faithful and faith-filled ministry to us last weekend, May 7. We are so grateful to Fr. Eugene for his pastoral presence and for sharing his wealth of wisdom in his homily.

Knights of Columbus

Will have Corporate Communion here at St. Joseph Church on **Sunday, May 29** at the 8:30 am Mass. Rosary will be said at 8 am. The Knights are asking the St. Joseph Men's Society to join in praying the rosary with them for Ukraine.

Daily Prayer Versus Mass?

Question:

I have a friend who says she doesn't need to attend Mass because she prays to God every day. What are your thoughts on this justification?

Answer:

If the only reason for going to church were to talk to God, your friend might be right. Prayer is not something limited to a physical place or even a holy place. If the sole purpose of the Church were prayer, it would be a narrow purpose indeed. The Church is a community of believers, formed by "one Lord, one faith, one Baptism." It is an outward sign of our faith in God instituted by Christ, and the purpose of the Church is to give us grace, that is, a share in God's life.

Coming to Mass is not really for God's sake, but for ours. If we believe that Jesus is truly present in the holy Eucharist, then we will want to be in his presence. We will want to be fed by him. Our daily prayer and good works are strengthened by our authentic encounter with our Lord. For Catholics, it is at Mass that we celebrate the source and summit of our faith. If this is true, why would we ever stay away? ©LPi

WELCOME BACK TO MASS

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Job Opportunities

- Full-Time Classroom Teaching Position Available
Sacred Heart Catholic School in Polonia is accepting applications for two full-time teachers for 2022-2023 school year. Information may be found on our website at www.sacredheartpolonia.com/employment.
- Newman Catholic Schools is seeking a Religious Education Teacher
Please contact Carl Fech, Middle/High School Principal at 715-845-8274
For other open positions please visit <https://www.newmancatholicschools.com/domain/2128>

Galloway Days June 3, 4, 5

Softball, Volleyball and Beanbag Toss tournaments all weekend, Live Music and refreshments every day, Fireworks Friday at 10 pm Parade Sunday at 1 pm

Raffle Tickets available at
Tracy's Haircare and Jen & Tonics

Many volunteers are needed to make this a success.

You may sign up at Jen & Tonic's
or call one of the following people:

Grilling Help – Pat 715-454-6429

Bri's Fries – Brian 715-432-9680

Bartenders – Jen & Tonics 715-454-7077

Volleyball Tournament – Kash 715-574-2401

Softball Tournament – Nick 715-321-1828

Area Events


- ♦ **Holy Thunder Motorcycle Blessing & Faith Run Sunday, June 5 at 1:30 pm**
St. Bronislava Parish, 3200 Plover Rd, Plover
More info or sign up STBRONS.COM
- ♦ **St. Peter Parish Church Picnic**
St Peter Middle School, 708 1st St, Stevens Point
Saturday, June 11 Breakfast at 8 am
Old Car Show (registration at 8 am)
Bean Bag/Cornhole Tournament at noon
Music from noon to 10 pm
Food -Raffles-Silent Auction-Monte Carlo-Games
Sunday, June 12 - Mass with Polka music - 10:30 am
Grounds open from 11 am - 5 pm
Games - Beer - Raffles
Polish style chicken dinner 11 am-2 pm
Polka Music 11:30 - 5 pm
- ♦ **June Bug '22**
Sunday, June 12 - St. Mark Parish
602 Military Rd, Rothschild.
11 am - 4 pm Mass at 10 am
Music by Jeremiah Hansen 11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 4 pm
Bingo 1:30-2:30 pm-cake walk-cash raffle-petting zoo
bounce house-inflatable climbing wall/slide
- ♦ **Event in Bevent**
June 25 -26 - St. Ladislaus Parish, Bevent
4 pm Saturday Mass with Polka music
Music from 5 - midnight
10:10 am Sunday Mass with Polka music
Music from 11 - 6 and Sunday Bingo at noon
Chicken Dinner beginning at 11 on Sunday
Bounce House-Kids Games-Train Rides-Raffle
(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)

*"I will praise your name for ever,
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Palm 145:1

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