

## Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup> – The Sixth Sunday of Easter

9am: *Dorothy Tracy of. by husband Bruno*

11am: *open (English Traditional)*

Readings: Acts 8:5-8,14-17, 1Peter 3:15-18, John 14:15-21

Lector – **Bob Samelson**

Greeters – **Gail Perz & Claire Hunek**

Collectors – **Bob Samelson & Pete Moritz**

- Coffee Hour and SOCL takes place after 9am Holy Mass
- Blood Drive at Parma Lutheran – See announcement

## The Week Ahead

### MONDAY, May 22<sup>nd</sup>

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

4:30-5:45 – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Class

### TUESDAY, May 23<sup>rd</sup>

6pm – Monthly Meeting of St. Mary’s Parish Committee

### WEDNESDAY, May 24<sup>th</sup>

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

5:45pm – Bible Study starts early today! With soup, bread & dessert

7pm – Guppy Club meets

7pm – May Devotions (English)

7:30pm – Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, May 25<sup>th</sup> - Ascension Day – 40<sup>th</sup> Day of Easter

7pm – Ascension Day Holy Mass

6-8pm – Women’s AA meets

### FRIDAY, May 26<sup>th</sup>

6pm – Polish School Meets

### SATURDAY, May 27<sup>th</sup>

8-9pm – Parma Saturday Meets

### SUNDAY, May 28<sup>th</sup> – The Seventh Sunday of Easter

9am: *Bob Cygan of. by wife Louise*

11am: *dla parafia*

Readings: Acts 1:12-14, 1Peter 4:13-16, John 17:1-11

Lector – **Natalie Soltysiak**

Greeters – **John Kobalka & Katie Repede**

Collectors – **Greg Hodor & Gene Stepanik**

- Coffee Hour and SOCL takes place after 9am Holy Mass

## Announcements

**MOTHERS DAY BRUNCH** – Thank you to Branch #29 for hosting the Mothers’ Day Brunch. There was a wonderful turnout and plenty of food and beverages were enjoyed. We’ll just have to make sure the nice “morning drinks” flow a little longer next year!

**BLOOD DRIVE** – It is that time again – there is another Blood Drive at Parma Lutheran Church today- Sunday, May 21 from 9am until noon. All donors will be entered one of two \$10 Giant Eagle Gift Cards!

**MAY DEVOTIONS** – May Devotions to the Blessed Virgin take place May 24 (English) & May 31 (Polish). Please consider attending these devotions to the Blessed Mother, patroness of our Parish. It is an opportunity to see one of the unique liturgies of the church: Litany, Exposition, a short procession, all in about 30 minutes.

**MEMORIAL DAY** – Services for Memorial Day take place at the Sacred Heart Cemetery on Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup> at 10am. In the case of inclement weather, a sign will be posted and the services will be moved to St. Mary’s for 10:15am. Please honor and remember in prayer those fallen men and women of our armed services this day.

**CANON/EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**- Today, and for all of May, we use the 2<sup>nd</sup> Eucharistic Prayer, the Canon of St. Hippolytus, on pg. 82.

**POLISHFEST 2017** - There will be a meeting for the 2017 PolishFest on Wednesday, May 31 at 6pm. For those interested – please plan on attending and staying around for the last service of May Devotions.

**SOCL CLOSING/GRADUATION** – We will be holding closing exercises for our SOCL on Sunday, June 11 at the 9am Holy Mass. Also, graduates from the parish will be recognized. Please contact Fr. Jason with any information.

**KURS 2017** – What is Kurs? It is a youth camp for the entirety of the Polish National Catholic Church that has been functioning for nearly a century. It takes place on historic Spojnia Farm in Waymart, PA from

July 1-8<sup>th</sup>. Info is available from Fr. Jason- please do not hesitate to ask.

**BIBLE STUDY** –Please note a time change for our Wednesday Bible Study – we will meet 15 minutes earlier & eat while we study, wrapping up with enough time to attend evening Marian Devotions.

**HONOR A FATHER ON FATHERS’ DAY** – Acknowledge or remember our Fathers, lay or clergy, for their dedication to us and at the same

### UPCOMING

May 30 – Memorial Day

May 31 – PolishFest Meeting

June 4 – 1<sup>st</sup> Comm. Sunday

June 7 – Next Food Ministry

June 11 – SOCL Closing

June 14 – Next Bible Study

June 25- Confirmation Sunday

July 6-9 – PolishFest

Aug 5 – Dinner & Car Show

Aug 19- Golf Tourney

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 Hwy, Park Ridge, IL 60068, and include your name and the name of the Father you wish to honor. Donations received by June 12 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.

## Prayer List

### Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Jeanette Chambers	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Stan Dobrowski	Anna Dawidziuk	Frank Dominik
Craig & Judy Atherton	Mary Ann Loschelder	Tom Petrie
Chester & Helen Budney	Floyd & Elaine Rzonca	Amy Dreger
Chester & Ann Warzala	Hilda Grabowski	Louise Cygan
Pat Glatzer	Len Pryer	Johanna Markiewicz
Kathleen Beres	Pete Moritz	

### Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary's:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Michael Cosevin
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Baby Emma
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	David Vaden
Joemel Rollen	Anne Komorowski	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Bp. Stanley Bilinski	Muffie B.
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Fr. Gus Sicard	Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak	Chris Minch
Alison Jambor	Edna Samelson	Jason Dreger
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzurhoff	Mike Curran
Chet Nezelkewicz	Rich Dombrowski	Greg Soucie
Rose Kazinetz	Bp. Thomas Gnat	George Pofok
Mark & Kim Andreas	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Doris Repede
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Brian Sidle
Al Tomasello	Shannon Alberino	Corey Wasko
Daniel Morgan	Marilyn Girard	Donna Kidd
Helen & Gene Hiatt		

### Also those who are in nursing homes or assisted living:

Gene Mora                      Polly Gajda

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING  
ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

**Lord, bring all service personnel safely home!!!**

**Bless them, O Lord.                      Pobjogoslav im, O Boze**

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### The Sixth Sunday of Easter

They who

have my  
commandments  
and keep  
them are  
those who  
**LOVE**  
me . . .

*John 14:21*

**May 21, 2017**

**TO OUR VISITORS** – We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. We hope you enjoyed your time with us and plan on worshipping with us again.