

St. Mary's

Polish National Catholic Church

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The 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time



God
Provides

Sunday August 2nd, 2020

*9am Mass: Livestream: In honor of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of
Chuck & Elaine Repede*

Mass is posted on YouTube by 10:30am

Readings: Isaiah 55:1-3, Romans 8:35, 37-39, Matthew 14:13-21

Lector – Greeters – Collectors –

- Holy Mass will be outside today, August 2

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, August 3rd

Holy Mass celebrated privately at St. Mary's

TUESDAY, August 4th

4-9pm – Swenson's Fundraiser – see announcement-bring a flyer!

WEDNESDAY, August 5th

5pm – Weekly Food Ministry provided

THURSDAY, August 6th

10am – Holy Mass for the Transfiguration – public are welcome, and this Mass will be broadcast live on Facebook

FRIDAY, August 7th

4-6pm – Drive-Thru Dinner #4- Kielbasa and Cabbage & Noodles

SATURDAY, August 8th

SUNDAY, August 9th –The 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9am Mass: Livestream: Frank Dominik of. by wife Millie

Mass is posted on YouTube by 10:30am

Readings: 1Kings 19:9,11-13, Romans 9:1-5, Matthew 14:22-33

Lector – Greeters – Collectors –

- Holy Mass will be inside on Sunday, August 9th

Announcements

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER – This Sunday, and for all of August, we use the 1st Eucharistic Prayer.

DRIVE THRU #4 UPCOMING– Our fourth drive-thru dinner takes place this Friday evening from 4-6pm. Fliers are posted via email, at church, and on Facebook. Patti Dotson has taken charge of the dinner for this Friday, which consists of a kielbasa link, cabbage and noodles, veggies, and dessert for \$10. Reservations are preferred, but must be picked-up by 5:30pm or

UPCOMING

Aug 4- Swenson's Fundraiser
Aug 7 – Take-out Dinner #4
Aug 12-13 – Diocesan Synod
Aug 15 – Trunk Sale
Aug 15 – Nat'l Golf Tournament
Aug 21 – Take-out Dinner #5
Aug 23 – Parish Comm. Meets
Sep 4-5 – PolishFest 2020
Sep 14–Consecration of Bishop

are forfeited. To reserve, email Fr. Jason at frjason82@gmail.com or call Patti at 216-801-1063.

SWENSON'S RESTAURANT FUNDRAISER – It certainly has been awhile since we did a restaurant fundraiser! Our next one takes place, appropriately, at a drive-in. On Tuesday, August 4 from 4-9pm, Swenson's in Seven Hills, OH offers 15% back to St. Mary's. You may bring a printed flyer or use one on your phone. Even if just for a milkshake, we hope that many will plan to grab a bite about 10 minutes south of the church on Broadview Road.

NEWSLETTERS – Looking for positive news! If you have anything to share about yourself or a family member, let us know, so we can pass on the good news to our parishioners. The good Lord knows we can use some good news in our lives.

TRUNK SALE – St. Mary's is holding a trunk sale in the parish parking lot once again, in conjunction with Parma's Ward 4 Garage Sale. The event will be held rain-or-shine. Sellers get 2 parking spaces, allowing for proper social distance as well as ability to sell from your trunk or to put a small table out. For customers – it is like attending a whole bunch of garage sales at once! Please contact Susan B. at 440-781-7912 or baylj@yahoo.com if interested in renting space to sell your wares.

PHONES IN CHURCH – As we are still in the midst of this pandemic and adjusting to these temporary rules, please feel free, if comfortable, to use your phone to follow along with Mass at church. Much of the prayers, readings, etc. are sent out before Sunday Mass, giving you the option to print or read from your phone.

GOLF – The National YMSofR Golf Tournament takes place August 15 within a short drive of the friendly confines of the Bishop Hodur Retreat and Recreation Center in Waymart, PA. Last year, a foursome attended – could we double that number? Considerations can be made for staying an extra day and leaving Sunday or, perhaps, staying at a hotel instead of the Center. See Fr. Jason.

POLISHFEST 2020 –It was decided that it will be a 2 day drive thru dinner, taking place Labor Day weekend: Sep. 4 & 5 from 4-8pm both Friday and Saturday. We will be looking for volunteers in the near future, especially in food prep in the weeks to come and for the event. We are also asking for donations: cases of bottled water as well as any monetary donation for anyone who may not be comfortable attending in-person or helping out for the event.

DIOCESAN SYNOD – The Synod of the Western Diocese will take place in a virtual format on August 12 & 13, emanating from the All Saints Cathedral in Chicago, IL.

SYNOD NOVENA – There will be a daily prayer offered for the 9 days leading up to the Diocesan Synod. The prayers will be offered publicly on Zoom, and you can receive the sign-in information by speaking to Fr. Jason. The prayer packet was emailed out.

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners, family and friends:

Barbara Baranowski	Patti Dotson	John Spilka
Bill Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Johanna Markiewicz	Anna Dawidziuk	Barb & Jim Lukas
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Mary Ann Loschelder	Tom Petrie
Helen Budney	Polly Gajda	Len Pryer
Chester & Ann Warzala	Tom Putynski	Louise Cygan
Craig Atherton	Millie Dominik	Amy Dreger
Jack Spilka	Carol Hreha	Elaine Repede
John Radon	Steve Wisniewski	David Micka
Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Keith Reynolds
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Paul S.
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	Jan Sobolewski
Ed Kidd	Emma Freshwater	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Nina Braquet	Paulette Lilli
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Jeremy Steinbreck	Chris Minch	Ricky Koehler
Richard & Edna Samelson	Cathy Pieciak	Daniel Morgan

Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzurhoff	Jim Giles
Rich Dombrowski	Linda Duffy	Diane Black
Debbie Washenko	John Michalczyk	Dave Colwell
Mark Magda	Caroline O'Connor	Linda Marks
Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Marilyn Girard	Jennifer Kless
Stephanie Milla	Baby Parker	Mary Cawley
George & Linda Makovicka	Shannon Alberino	Kim Penney
Loretta Baldwin	Julia Badarzynski	Kate Stallbaum
Wendy Andrzejewski	Kenny Mach	Baby Layla

ALL WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED LIVING
 ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING
 ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD
Bless them, O Lord. Pobłogosław im, O Boże

THE 18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME August 2, 2020

OPENING HYMN (*Hymn of Faith, pg. 13-Tan Massbooks*)

To Thee we come, O Lord, our God, before Thine altar, Father. Thou knowest best our yearning hearts; this supplication answer. Lift up from want Thy people, Lord; Bless us, O God; O Father, bless our toil.

We ask Thee not for bliss in life, Nor golden treasure's splendor But that we enter in the strife, Christ's kingdom to engender. Lift up from sin Thy people, Lord. And strengthen us; O Father, bless our toil.

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THE PENITENTIAL RITE

I confess to almighty God, in the presence of the Blessed Virgin Mary, all the saints and you, my brothers and sisters, that I have sinned through my own fault (*striking the breast three times and continuing*) in my thoughts, in my words, in what I have done or failed to do. I ask the Blessed Virgin Mary, all the saints and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord, our God.

THE INTROIT (*Isaiah 25:6a; Psalm 145:15-16*)

C: On this mountain the Lord of hosts will provide for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines. **R: The eyes of all look hopefully to You; You give them their food in due season. You open wide Your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.** C: 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.**

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the Highest and peace to His people on earth. Lord God, Heavenly King, Almighty God and Father. We worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory. Lord, Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father. Lord God, Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us! You are seated at the right hand of the Father, receive our prayer! For You alone are the Holy One! You alone are the Lord! You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE OPENING PRAYER

LET US PRAY... Heavenly Father, we come with minds that are hungry for truth, with souls that are thirsty for forgiveness and with wills that are seeking direction. You have invited us to the Banquet of Love. Feed us, refresh us, forgive us and gladden us. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE FIRST LESSON - *the book of the prophet Isaiah* (Is 55:1-3)

Thus says the Lord: All you who are thirsty, come to the water! You who have no money, come, receive grain and eat; Come, without paying and without cost, drink wine and milk! Why spend your money for what is not bread; your wages for what fails to satisfy? Heed me, and you shall eat well, you shall delight in rich fare. Come to me heedfully, listen, that you may have life. I will renew with you the everlasting covenant, the benefits assured to David.

This is the Word of the Lord. **R. THANKS BE TO GOD.**

THE RESPONSORIAL PSALM (*Psalm 145:8-9,15-16,17-18*)

R/ (cf. 16) **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and of great kindness.

The LORD is good to all and compassionate toward all his works.

R/ **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

The eyes of all look hopefully to you, and you give them their food in due season; you open your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.

R/ **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

The LORD is just in all his ways and holy in all his works.

The LORD is near to all who call upon him, to all who call upon him in truth.

R/ **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

THE SECOND LESSON- *the letter of St. Paul to the Romans (8:35-39)*

Brothers and sisters: What will separate us from the love of Christ? Will anguish, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or the sword? No, in all these things we conquer overwhelmingly through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

This is the word of the Lord. **R. THANKS BE TO GOD.**

Please Stand: THE ALLELUIA (*Song of Songs 2:4*)

C: Alleluia, alleluia. **R: Alleluia, alleluia.** C: He brings me into the banquet hall and His emblem over me is love. **R: Alleluia, alleluia.**

THE GOSPEL - according to St. Matthew (14:13 - 21)

When Jesus heard of the death of John the Baptist, he withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. The crowds heard of this and followed him on foot from their towns. When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, and he cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples approached him and said, "This is a deserted place and it is already late; dismiss the crowds so that they can go to the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "There is no need for them to go away; give them some food yourselves." But they said to him, "Five loaves and two fish are all we have here." Then he said, "Bring them

here to me,” and he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds. They all ate and were satisfied, and they picked up the fragments left over – twelve wicker baskets full. Those who ate were about five thousand men, not counting women and children.

This is the gospel of the Lord.

R. PRAISE BE TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST.

HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT (*Choir Selection*)

THE HOMILY

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one being with the Father. Through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit He was born of the Virgin Mary AND BECAME MAN. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in fulfillment of the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son He is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy catholic and apostolic church. I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A –Prayers of the Faithful

Celebrant: God's love is made visible in Christ Jesus, and the food of the Eucharist is the greatest gift of His love. Let us pray to the Lord who feeds us and answers all our needs.

Lector: For Chuck and Elaine Repede, as Holy Mass is celebrated in their honor as they celebrate 50 years of wedded life together we pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For government and relief agencies helping to feed the starving people of our world, and for those who produce, prepare, and serve the food we eat on a daily basis, We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For men, women, and children threatened or attacked because of their faith, We pray to the Lord, **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: That prayerful miracles continue to be a source of inspiration for Christian people, We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For those called to serve our parish in its fundraising activities; for their strength, patience, and protection, We pray to the Lord, **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For the health and protection of our brothers and sisters, especially for Chuck and Elaine Repede: for Richard & Edna Samelson, Shannon Alberino, Jeremy Steinbreck, Mary Cawley, Eugene Beggin, Diane Black, Len Pryer, Emma Freshwater, Jennifer Kless, Jack Spilka, John Radon, Jim Giles, Tom Slomka, Kim Penney, Nina Braquet, Tammy Teubl, Jan Sobolewski, Debbie Washenko, _____, for all on our parish's prayer list, for all friends and family members, for parishioners of our Parish, We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For the souls of the faithful departed, especially _____ for all departed friends and family members of our Parish, We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Celebrant: Most bountiful Father, grant the favors we seek, as we renew the covenant and look forward to the feast of the kingdom, the celebration of this Holy Mass. We pray this all, through Christ, our Lord. R: Amen!

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

THE OFFERTORY VERSE (*John 6:35*)

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to Me will never hunger, and whoever believes in Me will never thirst.

OFFERTORY HYMN (*Choir Selection*)

THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Merciful Father, accept these gifts and purify our hearts so that we do not come to the Heavenly Feast unworthily. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

THE PREFACE AND THE SANCTUS (*Sung*)

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER #1- BASED ON THE TRADITIONAL RITE CANON

LORD'S PRAYER: Let us pray with confidence to the Father in the words our Savior gave us:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name, Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Deliver us Lord, from every evil, and grant us peace in our day. In Your mercy keep us free from sin and protect us from all anxiety as we wait in joyful hope for the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

R: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours, now and for ever.

C. The Cup of Blessing which we bless, is it not a participation in the Blood of Christ?

C. The Bread which we break, is it not a participation in the Body of Christ?

R. Because there is one bread we who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one Bread.

C. May the union of divinity and humanity in Jesus Christ bring us sanctification and eternal life. **R. Amen.**

C. Lord Jesus Christ, You said to Your apostles: I leave you peace, My peace I give you. Do not look at our sins, but on the faith of Your Church, and grant us the peace and unity of Your kingdom where You live for ever and ever. **R. Amen.**

C. The peace of the Lord be with you always. **R: And also with you.**

C. Let us pray together the first Communion Prayer:

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Living God, by the will of the Father and the work of the Holy Spirit, Your death brought life to the world. By Your holy Body and Blood free me from all my sins and from every evil. Keep me faithful to Your teaching and never let me be parted from You.

Act of Spiritual Communion

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. In flame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior. Amen.

POSTCOMMUNION HYMN (Choir Selection)

THE COMMUNION VERSE (Proverbs 9:5-6)

C: Come, eat of My food, and drink of the wine I have mixed! Forsake foolishness that you may live; **R: advance in the way of understanding.**

***Please Stand:* THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

LET US PRAY...Heavenly Father, may we continue to grow in the knowledge and love of You, feeding on Your word, breathing in Your Spirit, resting on Your promises, and walking in Your way. We ask this in the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

CLOSING HYMN (NB #221)

Thank you, Lord, for saving my soul. Thank you, Lord, for making me whole; Thank you, Lord, for giving to me Thy great salvation so rich and free.