

St. Mary's

Polish National Catholic Church

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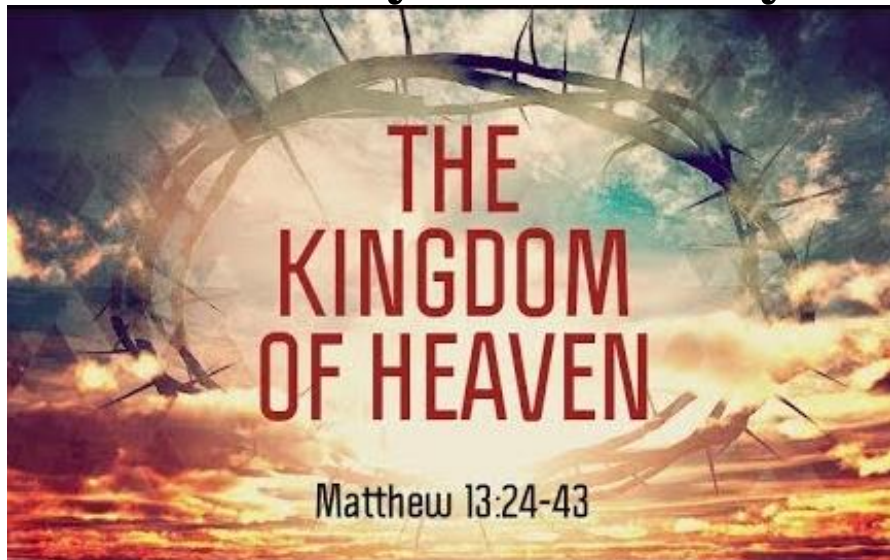
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The 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Sunday July 19th, 2020

9am Mass: Livestream: Frank Dominik (birthday in Heaven) of. by wife Millie

Mass is posted on YouTube by 10:30am

Readings: Wisdom 12:13, 16-19, Romans 8:26-27, Matt 13:24-43

Lector – Greeters – Collectors –

- Holy Mass will be outside in the parking lot, July 19th

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, July 20th

Holy Mass celebrated privately at St. Mary's

TUESDAY, July 21st

WEDNESDAY, July 22nd

3:30pm – A Zoom-for-kids, hosted by the PNCC

5pm – Weekly Food Ministry provided

THURSDAY, July 23rd

FRIDAY, July 24th

4-6pm – Drive-Thru Dinner #3 – See announcement!

SATURDAY, July 25th

SUNDAY, July 26th –The 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9am Mass: Livestream: Margaret Sobocinski (6th Anv.) of. by husband Clarence

Mass is posted on YouTube by 10:30am

Readings: 1Kings 3:5, 7-12, Romans 8:28-30, Matthew 13:44-52

Lector – Greeters – Collectors –

- Holy Mass will be inside on Sunday, July 26

Announcements

ONLINE YOUTH – With the cancelation of Convo 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the Polish National Catholic Church is hosting a virtual afternoon gathering of youth from throughout the Church on Zoom. We plan on having a spiritual reflection by Rev. Dr. Scott Lill as well as some time in prayer. This will be followed by an opportunity for all of you to reconnect with each other, possibly meet some new friends, find encouragement in this difficult time and also offer some perspectives for

Convo 2021. If you would like to attend, please send an email with your name

to pbmikovsky@pncc.org and you will receive a link to attend virtual Convo 3:30pm Wednesday.

DRIVE THRU #3 – St. Mary's next drive-thru dinner takes place this Friday from 4-6pm. We are running back the extremely popular dinner of two weeks ago and will be offering: 2 golabkis, mashed

UPCOMING

July 22 – Convo 2020 Zoom
July 24 – Take-out Dinner #3
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

potatoes, green beans, and a dessert for \$10. In addition, rather than the 115-ish meals we prepared last time, we are planning on 250 (!) for Friday's Dinner. Simply, people are in the mood for ethnic food!

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. They will be made available shortly. 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.

CUSTODIAL WORK – As we will (tentatively) be welcoming groups back to the church, we've held off a bit on our hiring process of a new custodian. We are looking for someone who would be available to keep a variety of weekly and monthly responsibilities regarding the upkeep of the worship area of the upstairs of the church and for the downstairs halls. Please contact Fr. Jason if you have some interest in these positions.

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. Delegates from St. Mary's will be contacted in short order about their availability for a mid-week synod and their desire to either meet at church or home.

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 – This past week, we held a second PolishFest 2020 planning meeting in our Fellowship Hall. 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. Thanks in advance!

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 Bogzevitz
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 16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME July 19, 2020

OPENING HYMN (NB #234)

This is the day, (this is the day) that the Lord has made (that the Lord has made),

I will rejoice (I will rejoice) and be glad in it (and be glad in it!)

This is the day that the Lord hath made. We will rejoice and be glad in it!

This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made!

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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 (Psalm 86:5-6)

C: Lord, You are kind and forgiving, most loving to all who call on You.

R: Lord, hear my prayer; listen to my cry for help. **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, Your patience is greater than our faults and Your pardon is stronger than our weakness. Keep us in the assurance of Your love that Your peace may remain in our hearts. We ask this through the our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE FIRST LESSON from the book of Wisdom (12:13,16-19)

There is no god besides you who have the care of all, that you need show you have not unjustly condemned. For your might is the source of justice; your mastery over all things makes you lenient to all. For you show your might when the perfection of your power is disbelieved; and in those who know you, you rebuke temerity. But though you are master of might, you judge with clemency, and with much lenience you govern us; for power, whenever you will, attends you. And you taught your people, by these deeds, that those who are just must be kind; And you gave your children good ground for hope that you would permit repentance for their sins.

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

THE RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Psalm 86:5-6,9-10,15-16)

R/ Lord, you are good and forgiving.

You, O LORD, are good and forgiving,
abounding in kindness to all who call upon you.

Hearken, O LORD, to my prayer and attend to the sound of my pleading.

R/ Lord, you are good and forgiving.

All the nations you have made shall come and worship you, O LORD,
and glorify your name.

For you are great, and you do wondrous deeds; you alone are God.

R/ Lord, you are good and forgiving.

You, O LORD, are a God merciful and gracious,
slow to anger, abounding in kindness and fidelity.

Turn toward me, and have pity on me; give your strength to your servant.

R/ Lord, you are good and forgiving.

THE SECOND LESSON the letter of Paul to the Romans (8:26-27)

Brothers and sisters: The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groaning. And the one who searches hearts knows what is the intention of the Spirit, because he intercedes for the holy ones according to God's will.

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

Please Stand: THE ALLELUIA (2 Peter 3:9a,c)

C: Alleluia, alleluia. **R: Alleluia, alleluia.** C: The Lord does not delay His promise, not wishing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance. **R: Alleluia, alleluia.**

THE GOSPEL according to St. Matthew (13:24-43)

Jesus proposed another parable to the crowds, saying: "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everyone was asleep his enemy came and sowed weeds all through the wheat, and then went off. When the crop grew and bore fruit, the weeds appeared as well. The slaves of the householder came to him and said, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where have the weeds come from?' He answered, 'An enemy has done this.' His slaves said to him, 'Do you want us to go and pull them up?' He replied, 'No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, 'First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn.''" He proposed another parable to them. "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that a person took and sowed in a field. It is the smallest of all the seeds, yet when full-grown it is the largest of plants. It becomes a large bush, and the 'birds of the sky come and dwell in its branches.'" He spoke to them another parable. "The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed with three measures of wheat flour until the whole batch was leavened." All these things Jesus spoke to the crowds in parables. He spoke to them only in parables, to fulfill what had

been said through the prophet: “I will open my mouth in parables, I will announce what has lain hidden from the foundation of the world.” Then, dismissing the crowds, he went into the house. His disciples approached him and said, “Explain to us the parable of the weeds in the field.” He said in reply, “He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom. The weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sows them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are angels. Just as weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all who cause others to sin and all evildoers. They will throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears ought to hear.”

This is the gospel of the Lord. R. PRAISE BE TO YOU...

THE HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT(NB #195)

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me! Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

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.

16^A- Sunday in Ordinary Time, –Intercessions

Celebrant: Jesus Christ has taught us how to enter the kingdom of heaven. Let us pray for the coming of that kingdom, knowing that the Holy Spirit is within us, helping us to pray.

Lector: For our brother of blessed memory, Frank Dominik, as Mass this morning is offered in his loving memory (*short pause*) we pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: That those entrusted with dispensing justice and interpreting the law may look to Christ as the source of wisdom, (*short pause*) We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: That cries for peace be heard throughout the world, that peace becomes a reality and not just a slogan, (*short pause*) We pray to the Lord, **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: That we may wait for God's harvest time and not pass harsh judgment on others, (*short pause*) We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: That those who are up-in-age in our community may be sustained by our thoughtfulness and friendship, (*short pause*) We pray to the Lord, **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Lector: For the health and protection of our brothers and sisters, especially 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, Kenny Mach _____, for all on our prayer list, for all friends and family members, for parishioners of our Parish, (*pause*) We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: That those who have died may be gathered into the harvest of the kingdom of Heaven, especially Frank Dominik_____for all departed friends and family members of our Parish, (*longer pause*) We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Celebrant: Lord of heaven and of earth, hear and grant our petitions, the pleas of your people, expressed with the power of the Holy Spirit, and always through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
R: Amen!

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

THE OFFERTORY VERSE (*1 Timothy 1:16*)

But for that reason I was mercifully treated, so that in me, as the foremost, Christ Jesus might display all His patience as an example for those who would come to believe in Him for everlasting life.

OFFERTORY HYMN (*NB #142*)

We will glorify the King of Kings, we will glorify the Lamb. We will glorify the Lord of Lords who is the great I AM.

Hallelujah to the King of Kings, Hallelujah to the Lamb, Hallelujah to the Lord of Lords who is the great I AM

Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty. We will bow before His throne. We will worship Him in righteousness, we will worship Him alone!

THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Gracious Lord, look upon this service of ours so that our gifts may be acceptable and worthy of gaining Your mercy. 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.**

THE PREFACE AND THE SANCTUS (*Sung*)

THE UNION OF UTRECHT 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 (NB #21)

Search me, O God, and know my heart today. Try me, O Savior, know my thoughts, I pray!

See if there be some wicked way in me; cleanse me from every sin and set me free!

I praise Thee, Lord, for cleansing me from sin. Fulfill Thy Word and make me pure within.

Fill me with fire where once I burned with shame. Grant my desire to magnify Thy name!

THE COMMUNION VERSE(2 Peter 3:15a)

Consider the patience of our Lord as salvation.

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

LET US PRAY...Heavenly Father, do not withhold Your patience from us for we have partaken at Your Holy Table. May Your presence strengthen us as we await Your Kingdom. 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 #96)

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever! I will sing, I will sing.

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever! I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.

With my mouth I will make known His faithfulness, His faithfulness! With my mouth I will make known His faithfulness to all generations!

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever! I will sing, I will sing.

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever! I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.