

St. Mary's

Polish National Catholic Church

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The 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time



September 20th, 2026

9am Mass: *George Stepanik of. by brother Gene*

Readings: Isaiah 55:6-9; Philippians 1:20-24,27; Matthew 20:1-16

Lector- Natalie Soltysiak

Greeter- Stella Pietka

Collectors- Mark Avondet & Pete O'Connor

Saint – Eustace & Companions, Martyrs

- Coffee hour follows 9am Holy Mass

- Fr. Jason presents a mini-class during Coffee Hour

Welcome

Welcome parishioners and visitors this day. Please enjoy Holy Mass and consider coming downstairs for coffee hour after. For our visitors, it is wonderful to have you, be it the first or fifth or fifteenth time worshipping with us. If you have not done so quite yet, we would love to get to know you better- Please fill out and submit the yellow cards found at each pew –thank you for being with us!

Sacraments

The Polish National Catholic Church (PNCC) acknowledges 7 Sacraments, available to the faithful. Communion is distributed by intinction, that is, the Body of Christ is dipped into the Blood of Christ and placed directly on the communicant's tongue. Penance is imparted generally at the beginning of each Mass; the Word of God is experienced as well. Should you desire private confession, please see a priest.

Discuss Baptism, Confirmation, Matrimony with Fr. Jason.

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, September 21st – Matthew, Evangelist/Apostle

8am-9am – Hour of Eucharistic Adoration

9am – Holy Mass (Traditional Rite) of the Day

TUESDAY, September 22nd – Maurice & Companions, Martyrs

WEDNESDAY, September 23rd – Thecla of Iconium, Virgin/Martyr

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

4pm – Food Ministry served in the parking lot

THURSDAY, September 24th – Gerard Sagredo, Bishop/Martyr

10am – Holy Mass of the Day – *Fr. P.*

12:30pm – Fellowship Luncheon – see announcement

6-8pm: Women's AA

FRIDAY, September 25th – Ladislaus of Gielnow, Priest/Confessor

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6pm – Polish School meets

SATURDAY, September 26th – Cyprian & Justina, Martyrs

10:30am-Noon – Polish Classes (adult)

8pm - AA meets

SUNDAY, September 27th – The 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9am Mass: *Florence Plocica of. by the family*

Readings: Ezekiel 18:25-28; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32

Lector- Barb Bogzevitz

Greeter- Cathy Avondet

Collectors – Bob Samelson & John Kasperczyk

Saint – Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs

- Coffee hour follows 9am Holy Mass

- 1st Day of SOCL/School of Christian Living

- 6pm – Opening Mass of PNCC Synod – Manchester, NH

Announcements

CANON – For the month of September, we will use the 4th Eucharistic prayer on p. 88.

PIEROGI DINNER – Mark your calendar: a pierogi dinner will take place, hosted by the parish on Friday, October 9 from 4:30-6pm. More information to come on the menu very soon!

PIEROGI MAKING–Pierogi making takes place Saturday morning, September 26. But there is a need always in the days ahead for peeling, chopping, prepping, etc. See Pattie Dotson or Barb Wisniewski and let them know when you can lend a hand!

PET COLLECTION – Next Sunday, September 27, as well as October 4th, we have a collection to support the Parma Animal Shelter in anticipation of October 4th's Feast of Francis of Assisi. Please consider bringing pet food, kitty litter, blankets, toys, etc. to our bin.

SEPTEMBER ADORATION –We will adore our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament again in September, early! 8am-9am, Monday the 21st followed by our celebration of Holy Mass.

SEPTEMBER'S FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON –takes place 12:30pm at Bistro on 130th on Thursday, September 24th. If interested, please see Barb Bogzevitz to be added to the reservation.

ST. MARY'S BOWLING –begins its league year today with a 3:30pm 1st game at Red Circle Lanes. It isn't too late to see Elaine Ploskonka (216/536-3496) if you would like to join a team or any other info.

PET BLESSING– Takes place on Sunday, October 4th at 6pm in the parish parking lot.

NEWSLETTERS - For September have been emailed, posted on our website, placed in parish mailboxes, and will be mailed.

ROSARY PROJECT – The Mission Team had their monthly workshop preparing our parish for Rosary month in October. On Sunday, October 4th, new rosaries will be blessed and distributed to all in attendance at 9am Holy Mass – there will also be a place to bring your personal rosaries in to be blessed as well. That Wednesday, October 7th, the Solemnity of the Holy Mother of the Rosary, an hour of Eucharistic Adoration will be held with the recitation of the Rosary.

SENIORATE MEETING – Yesterday, the Eastern Seniorate of the PNCC Western Diocese met to discuss the

upcoming General Synod of the PNCC as well as other issues. Please see our delegates for more info!

TODAY'S PENANCE – In building towards our rosary recitation, our penance today is reflection this previous weeks Feast of the Holy Mother of Sorrows, September 15. Please pray a Chaplet of the Seven Sorrows: begin & end with the sign of the Cross: before each Sorrow, offer an “Our Father” and a “Hail Mary” (or 7 Hail Mary's), then take a moment to meditate on each sorrow: 1: The Prophecy of Simeon (Luke 2:25-35). 2: The flight into Egypt (Matthew 2:13-15); 3:The Child Jesus Lost in the Temple (Luke 2: 41-50); 4: Mary meets Jesus carrying the cross (Luke 23: 27-29); 5: Mary at the foot of the cross (John 19: 25-30); 6: Mary receives the Body of Jesus (Psalm 130); 7: Mary witnesses her son being buried (Luke 23:50-56).

Prayer List

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

Helen Cummings	Shannon Alberino	Tom Pietka
Bill Kastak	Marty Bengela	Jay Jurczyk
Esther Stepanik	Sage McLane	Jim Lukas
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Wanda Clark	Shyanna Tiller
Dave Tuma	Sue Simenc	Marilyn Girard
Lew & Margaret Heifner	Ron Ference	Kathy Sagy
Andy Cannizzaro	Millie Dominik	Greg Banaszak
Jack Spilka & John Spilka	Nicole McGivern	Elaine Repede
Steve & Astrid Wisniewski	Jane Walo	Rev. Greg Gronn
Kieran Tippet-Natale	Beth Chihill	Matt Sefcik
Michelle Ostrowski	Jane Hunter	Joe Litto
Jay Grabowsky	George Bennett	Kenny Mach
Patrick & Jennifer Kmitt	Chester Johnson	Bill Zychowski
Chris Avondet	Amanda Monyak	Paulette Lilli
Cherise Pacanovsky	Loretta Baldwin	Cecelia Hall
George Makovicka	Judy Alexin	Louise Moritz
James & Bobbi Moss	Cathy Pieciak	Kenneth Parks
George & Rose Ann Ziefle	Sheri Sefcik	Jeffery Kirchner
Rich Dombrowski	Bryson Dzuroff	Diane Black
Margaret & Willy Moore	Stephanie Milla	Toni Colwell
Kathleen Sobocinski	Caroline O'Connor	Linda Marks
Linda & Rick Duffy	Kim Penney	Jean Moonlite
Sue Penney		

AND ALL OTHERS!

Bless them, O Lord.

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UPCOMING

Sep 21 – Eucharistic Adoration
 Sep 24 – Fellowship luncheon
 Sep 27 – 1st Day of SOCL
 Sep 27 – Bowling Sunday
 Sep 28-30- General Synod (NH)
 Oct 4 – Bowling Sunday
 Oct 4 – Pet Blessing
 Oct 7 – Eucharistic Adoration
 Oct 9 – Pierogi Dinner
 Oct 18 – Parish Comm. Meets
 Oct 25- Trunk and Treat
 Oct 26-29-Nat'l Liturgy Meetings
 Nov 1–All Souls Cemetery service
 Nov 22- Elvis Hymns of Praise
 Nov 25 – Kolaczki Sale
 Dec 12 – Cookie Sale
 Dec 23 – Wigilia Take-out Dinner