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The Solemnity of Brotherly Love



September 13th, 2026

9am Mass: United Choirs Members, past and present of. by Christine Paulus

Readings: Proverbs 3:21-15/Jer. 31:31-34; 1Jn. 4:17-31; Luke 10:25-37

Lector- Carole D'Arcy

Greeter- Josephine Orlowski

Collectors- John Kasperczyk & Gene Stepanik

Saint – Eugenia, Virgin/Martyr

- *Today's Intention may be prayed with the bulletin insert*
- Coffee Hour to follow 9am Holy Mass
- Parish Committee Meets after Coffee Hour
- Bowling 3:30 Red Circle

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 14th – Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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

TUESDAY, September 15th – Holy Mother of Sorrows

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

WEDNESDAY, September 16th – Cornelius & Cyprian, Bishop/Martyr

4pm – Food Ministry served in the parking lot

THURSDAY, September 17th – Lambert of Maestricht, Bishop

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

6-8pm: Women's AA

FRIDAY, September 18th – Thomas of Villanova, Bishop

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6pm – Polish School meets

SATURDAY, September 19th – Gertrude of Altenberg, Abbess/Virgin

10am-Noon – Seniorate Meeting – Resurrection PNCC-Temperance, MI

10:30am-Noon – Polish Classes (adult)

8pm - AA meets

SUNDAY, September 20th – The 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

Announcements

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

LAST WEEK! – thank you to everyone who was a part of last Sunday's Holy Mass (10am) and Potluck. We had such a well-balanced spread of food and dessert after sharing such a blessed time of worship together. It was joyful in celebrating Jonah Godfrey-Cornish's last Sunday as he has matriculated at our PNCC Seminary. On behalf of Jonah, thank you for the kindness and the gifts, with special appreciation to the Mission Team's gift of the Liturgy of the Hours and the incredible generosity and support of the faithful.

SEMINARY – For anyone wishing to further support Jonah in his journey to the priesthood, send him a line at: Savonarola Theological Seminary, 1031 Cedar Avenue Scranton, PA 18505. The Seminary also has a website, Savonarola.net, where we can keep tabs on him via updates, their newsletter, and more!

TRUNK SALE CANCELED - As we saw/heard, our Trunk Sale seems to have run out of gas. Other local options seem to have interested our former purveyors, so we move beyond what was once a 2x a year staple.

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.

CATECHISM CLASSES – September brings anew the opportunity for children and adults to begin classes in preparation for 1st Communion or Confirmation. Please contact Fr. Jason with any questions or to enroll yourself/your child/etc. for this school year.

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.

WHY DID the Samaritan help the man on the road while the others walked by? Because the priest and the Levite were using GPS, and it told them to avoid all delays on the route.

ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM – (On today's gospel) Christ, not from this world, who was accused of being a Samaritan (John 8:48), is that compassionate stranger. He doctors mankind by His teachings (the bandages), His anointing with the Holy Spirit (the oil), and the Eucharist (the wine) by which He begins our healing.

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 Dzuoff	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 13 – Parish Comm. Meets
Sep 13 – Bowling Sunday
Sep 19 – Seniorate Meeting –
Temperance, MI
Sep 20 – Fr. Jason mini-lesson
Sep 21 – Eucharistic Adoration
Sep 24 – Fellowship luncheon
Sep 28-30- General Synod (NH)
Oct 4 – Pet Blessing
Oct 7 – Eucharistic Adoration
Oct 25- Trunk and Treat
Oct 26-29-Nat'l Liturgy Meetings
Nov 1–All Souls Cemetery service
Nov – Gospel Music event