

Sunday, Jan. 21st – The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am: *Jamie Kotula (7th An.) of. by Fr. Jason*

11am (English): *Open Intention*

Readings: *Jonah 3:1-5,10; 1Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20*

Lector – *Chuck Repede*

Greeters – *Jeanette Chambers & Barb Bogzevitz*

Collectors – *John Kasperczyk & Greg Hodor*

- SOCL & Coffee Hour follow 9am Holy Mass
- Blood Drive at Parma Lutheran – see announcement
- 3pm – Bowling at Red Circle Lanes

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, January 22nd

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6pm – Polish Language Class

TUESDAY, January 23rd

WEDNESDAY, January 24th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6pm – Bible Study

THURSDAY, January 25th

5pm – Holy Mass – the Conversion of St. Paul

7pm – Women's AA Meets

FRIDAY, January 26th

Evening – Polish School Meets

SATURDAY, January 27th

8pm – Parma Saturday Meets

SUNDAY, January 28th – Septuagesima – First Sunday of Pre-Lent

9am Mass only: *Hanna Pryer of. by husband Len & family*

Readings: *Leviticus 13:1-2,44-46; 1Cor 10:31-11:1; Mark 1:40-45*

Lector – *Barb Bogzevitz*

Greeters – *Rose Kronen & Martha Repede*

Collectors – *Bob Samelson & Gene Stepanik*

- St. Mary's Annual Parish Meeting takes place after 9am Mass

Announcements

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER – Today, and for all of January, we will use the 5th Eucharistic Prayer, the Union of Utrecht Canon, on pg. 92.

PARISH REPORTS – We are looking for the reports of all parish societies/organizations to be turned in by January 22nd at the latest. They will then be made available for the Annual Meeting on the 28th.

SCHEDULING MASSES – As New Year has arrived, now is the time to grab Fr. Jason's ear and schedule a Mass before the good dates are taken. Contact Fr. Jason in person, via email, or by phone. Thanks!

EPIPHANY BLESSINGS – Please reach out to Fr. Jason if you would like a Pastoral Blessing and Visit to your home this Epiphany Season. You may call or email to set up an appointment. He will call/email some parishioners to check their interest in the coming weeks as well.

PARISH ANNUAL MEETING – The Annual Meeting takes place Sunday, Jan. 28 after 9am Mass. There is only one Holy Mass this day.

CHECK YOUR MAILBOXES! – Please make sure to check your mail pouches, as many Christmas Cards are still waiting to be delivered.

TODAY Fr. Greg will be the celebrant of our liturgies: The 11am Mass will be celebrated in the English language. Thank you to Fr. Greg for his continued ministry of service.

DOES CHRISTMAS CONTINUE? The Church enters a funny time in its Calendar next Sunday – though it is still in the 40 days of celebration of our Savior's birth, it also is beginning Pre-Lent, the first portion of the countdown to Easter. This means that although the new season takes precedent, as will be seen in the rose colored vestments and removal of flowers from the sanctuary, the traditions of the former (Christmas) season continue, as

BLOOD DRIVE – It is that time again – there is another Blood Drive at Parma Lutheran Church on Sunday January 21 from 9am until noon. All donors receive a free pair of LifeShare socks!

WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE – The United YMSofR Winter Clothing Drive has concluded. We had an impressive turnout of donated items: we will post the results shortly and how we matched up with other PNCC parishes across the country. The items were donated to the City Mission, directly benefitting our local community.

BLESSING OF THROATS – Takes place on Sunday, February 4 at all Holy Masses. This is done in honor of St. Blaise, whose Feast Day is February 3rd. It is done with the candles blessed at *Candlemas*, on the Solemnity of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd.

UPCOMING

Jan 28 – Annual Meeting
Jan 21 – Bowling Sunday
Feb 11 – Parish Comm. Meets
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Feb 14 – Ash Wednesday
Feb 16 – Stations of the Cross

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP – Information for scholarships from the National United Choirs is available by seeing the forms posted on the bulletin board or by talking to Chris Paulus or Cleric Ploskonka.

POINSETTIAS – Per our church schedule, Christmas decorations came down in the church proper this week. If you are interested in taking one (or more) home, please let Elaine Ploskonka know after Mass.

NEWSLETTERS – For the month of January were distributed last week – make sure you didn't miss your copy!

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Jeanette Chambers	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Johanna Markiewicz	Anna Dawidziuk	Frank Dominik
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Mary Ann Loschelder	Tom Petrie
Chester & Helen Budney	Elaine Rzonca	Len Pryer
Chester & Ann Warzala	Gerald Beres	Louise Cygan
Craig Atherton	Gail Perz	Amy Dreger

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

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Michael Cosevin
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Paul Kazinetz Jr.
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	Mike Sikut
Donna Kidd	Anne Komorowski	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Bp. Stanley Bilinski	Muffie B.
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Charlotte Williamson	Fr. Gus Sicard	Chris Minch
Bob Phipps	Edna Samelson	Daniel Morgan
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzurhoff	Mike Curran
Chet Nezelkewicz	Rich Dombrowski	Brooke Beutner
Larry Bernacki	Marcia Klein	Coleen Fisteck
Mark & Kim Andreas	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Marilyn Girard
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Brian Sidle
Al Tomasello	Shannon Alberino	Bill Chambers Sr.
Larry Hoekstra	Daniel Morgan	Gene Hiatt
George & Linda Makovicka	Jeremy Steinbrick	Mary Cawley

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.

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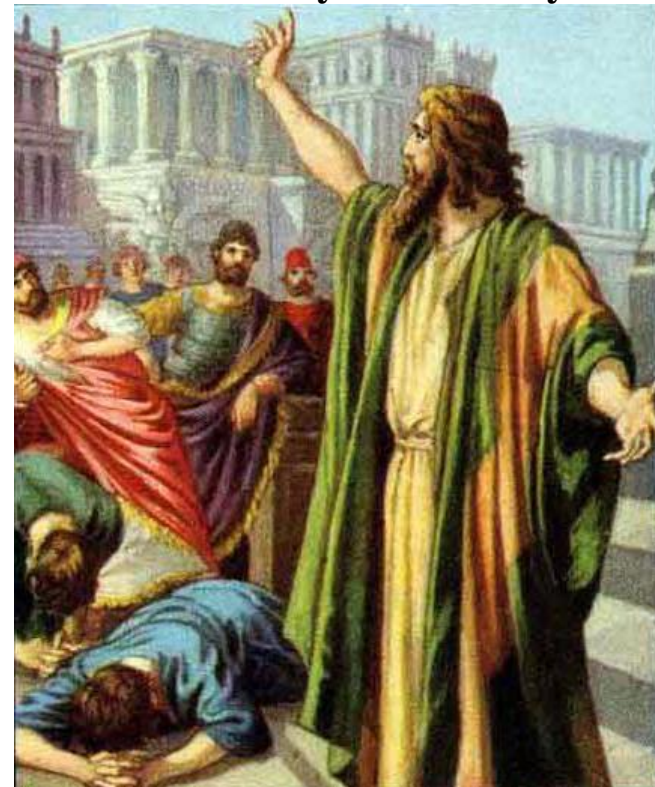
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Jonah in Nineveh

January 21, 2018

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.