

St. Mary's

Polish National Catholic Church

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The Solemnity of Pentecost



**All of them were
filled with
the Holy Spirit!**

Sunday May 31st, 2020

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

10:30am: Mass is posted on YouTube

Readings: Acts 2:1-11, 1Corinthians 12:3-7,12-13, John 20:19-23

Lector – Greeters – Collectors –

-All in attendance at church asked to adhere to guidelines posted on our website, Facebook, and emailed to parishioners

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, June 1st

Holy Mass celebrated privately at St. Mary's

TUESDAY, June 2nd

Fr. Jason attends virtual PNCC National Liturgy Meetings

WEDNESDAY, June 3rd

Morning : Fr. Jason attends virtual PNCC National Liturgy Meetings
5pm – Weekly Food Ministry provided

THURSDAY, June 4th

FRIDAY, June 5th

Holy Mass celebrated privately at St. Mary's

SATURDAY, June 6th

SUNDAY, June 7th – The Solemnity of the Holy Trinity

9am Mass: Livestream: Joan Spilka (Wedding Anv.) of. by husband John Spilka

10:30am: Mass is posted on YouTube

Readings: Exodus 34:4-6,8-9, 2Corinthians 13:11-13, John 3:16-18

Lector – Greeters – Collectors –

-We will be inside for worship Sunday, June 7th

Announcements

LAST WEEK- We were humbled last week by the wonderful turnout of parishioners who participated in the “soft reopening” of St. Mary's. Mass was held in the parking lot, with Fr. Jason celebrating and using a PA system donated a few years back. It was a wonderful welcome back, and we plan on staying outside again today, although we are prepared to go back in church. Thanks to all who felt comfortable enough to be told where to park, to sit at the assigned seats, or attend Mass from your car or open hatch of your trunk- we had about 45 attendees.

GOING FORWARD: WORSHIP AT ST. MARY'S– Public worship will be relegated to one Mass on Sunday morning at 9am for the foreseeable future. The clergy will continue to provide online worship on other days. We will also be recording Mass live on Sundays, so please be aware of the cameraman. Next Sunday, June 7, we plan on being inside the church for worship. There are a number of restrictions in place in order to worship in person. In order to be allowed into church, a mask is a must – and we extend from there. Please be open to

being escorted to a pew that might not be “yours”, as well as being patient in exiting church. Communion is available from the clergy after Holy Mass or by appointment. All of our information for participating in worship has been made available prior to Sunday Holy Mass.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION – This prayer is to be used when you are unable to receive the Sacrament and desire to do so:
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.

MAY DEVOTIONS – Marian Devotions have concluded for the month of May. They were offered each Wednesday, live at 6pm. We were lucky to have the ability to broadcast live and to feature our organist and assistants. Each week provided a reminder of the role of the Mother of God in the life of Catholicity.

WEEKLY FOOD MINISTRY – As an aid to those who may be struggling, Deacon Jim has stepped forward to lead a weekly serving of our parish Food Ministry. Every Wednesday at 5pm, a brown bag meal is brought to the car of those visiting us in the parish parking lot – no questions asked. Last week, over 40 were served – the highest weekly tab yet – great things happening!

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MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES – Thank you to all who participated in Memorial Day services. The ground had dried well enough for the clergy to go around and bless the graves of those bravely and faithfully departed who served in the armed forces. The service was broadcast live and is available on our YouTube Channel.

ONLINE PAYMENTS – St. Mary’s website, stmaryspncc.org, has been

updated to include an option to make a donation online with your credit card. If the hassle of a check and a stamp is too much, simply visit our website- you can even note what the donation is for. Your

UPCOMING

- June 2-3- Fr. Jason participates in National Liturgy Meetings
- Jun 18-20- Men’s Spiritual Retreat
- July 4-11 – Kurs Encampment
- Sept 14 – Consecration of Bishops

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Prayer List

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

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| 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 | Anthony Grad | Elaine Repede |
| John Radon | Steve Wisniewski | David Micka |
| Wanda Clark | Beth Chihill | Keith Reynolds |
| Helen Cummings | Jane Hunter | Paul S. |
| Jay Grabowsky | Pam Chesar | Rose Petrosky |
| Ed Kidd | Emma Freshwater | Jennifer Knitt |
| 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 Dzuroff | 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 | John Clark Sr. | Mary Cawley |
| George & Linda Makovicka | Shannon Alberino | Kim Penney |
| Loretta Baldwin | Julia Badarzynski | Kate Stallbaum |
| Wendy Andrzejewski | Carol Hreha | Baby Layla |
| Ewelina Filyushchenko | Baby Parker | Gene Stepanik |

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.

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SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST May 31, 2020

It is quite strange to ask, but part of the guidelines for the PNCC to open up our churches involve a temporary discontinuation of congregational singing. Though this would be difficult with a mask on anyway, we ask that you refrain from this. The people in the choir have been isolating together and will offer hymns today....a good distance from the top of the rail!

OPENING HYMN*(Hymnal #1, Verse 1 & 4)*

We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing. He chastens and hastens His will to make known. The wicked – oppressing - now cease from distressing. Sing praises to His Name, He forgets not His own.

Beside us to guide us, our God with us joining, ordaining, maintaining His kingdom divine; so from the beginning our fight we were winning. Thou, Lord was at our side – All Glory be Thine!

*We celebrate the Contemporary Rite of Mass
that is on Pg. 63*

THE INTROIT *(Wisdom 1:7-8)*

C: For the Spirit of the Lord fills the world, is all-embracing, and know what man says. Alleluia! **R: Therefore no one who utters wicked things can go unnoticed, nor will chastising condemnation pass him by. Alleluia!** 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

THE OPENING PRAYER

LET US PRAY...Holy Spirit, Giver of Life, Who proceeds from the Father, have mercy on us. As You descended upon the disciples in the upper room, so now once again descend on Your Church. In flame our hearts, enlighten our minds and purify our souls. For together with the Father and the Son, You live and reign, one God, forever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD
THE FIRST LESSON**

A reading from the Acts of Apostles (Acts 2, 1-11)

When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven staying in Jerusalem. At this sound, they gathered in a large crowd, but they were confused because each one heard them speaking in his own language. They were astounded, and in amazement they asked, “Are not all these people who are speaking Galileans? Then how does each of us hear them in his native language? We are Parthians, Medes, and Elamites, inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the districts of Libya near Cyrene, as well as travelers from Rome, both Jews and converts to Judaism, Cretans and Arabs, yet we hear them speaking in our own tongues of the mighty acts of God.”

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

THE RESPONSORIAL PSALM

(Psalm 104:1,24,29-30,31,34)

R/ **Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD,
my God, you are great indeed!

How manifold are your works, O Lord!
the earth is full of your creatures;

R/ **Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

May the glory of the LORD endure forever:
may the LORD be glad in his works!

Pleasing to him be my theme; I will be glad in the LORD.

R/ **Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

If you take away their breath, they perish and return to their dust.
When you send forth your spirit, they are created,
and you renew the face of the earth.

R/ **Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**

THE SECOND LESSON

*A reading from the 1st Letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians
(12, 3-7, 12-13)*

Brothers and sisters: No one can say “Jesus is Lord,” except by the Holy Spirit. There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit. As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit.

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

THE SEQUENCE

Come Holy Spirit, come! And from Your celestial home, Shed a ray of light divine! Come, Father of the poor! Come, Source of all our store! Come, within our bosoms shine! You, of comforters the best; You, the soul’s most welcome guest; Sweet refreshment here below; In our labor, rest most sweet; Grateful coolness in the heat; Solace in the midst of woe. O most blessed Light divine, Shine within the hearts of Yours, And our inmost being fill! Where You are not, man has naught, Nothing good in deed or thought, Nothing free from taint of ill. Heal of wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour Your dew; Wash the stains of guilt away: Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill; Guide the steps that go astray. On the faithful, who adore, And confess You, evermore; In Your sev’nfold gifts descend. Give them virtue’s sure reward; Give them Your salvation, Lord; Give them joys that never end. Amen. Alleluia.

THE ALLELUIA *(Joel 3:1)*

C: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

R: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

C: I will pour out my Spirit upon all humankind. Your sons and daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions.

R: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

THE GOSPEL

*A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. John
(Jn 20:19-23)*

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, “Peace be with you.” When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send

you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.”

This is the gospel of the Lord.

R. PRAISE BE TO YOU LORD JESUS CHRIST!

THE HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Spirit come to me, touch my ears and let me hear
Your Word, Your Truth
Spirit come to me, touch my eyes and let me see
Your Word, Your Truth
Spirit come to me, touch my heart and let me love
Your Word, Your Truth
Spirit come to me, breathe on me and be my hope
Your Word, Your Truth

THE HOMILY - THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

Pentecost, Year A – Intercessions/Prayers of Faithful

Celebrant: Fifty days have passed since Easter. We welcome God’s Spirit among us: comforting, inspiring, consoling, and helping us as we pray to God for what we need.

Lector: For our sister of memory eternal Hanna Pryer; that the Spirit continues to be with her soul in Heaven, *(pause)* we pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For all who have been signed and sealed with the Holy Spirit, that this Church may be united as one body made of many parts, *(pause)* we pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For a desire to make Jesus Christ known. The people of Jerusalem heard the good news in their own languages. May we be constant in searching for fresh ways to teach and preach the Gospel, *(pause)* We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For a desire to live by the Spirit. Paul teaches that we are God’s children, living by the spirit of God. May we welcome the new life the Spirit brings to the church, *(pause)* We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For the outpouring of the Spirit of peace, that men and women may know the forgiveness of their sins, *(pause)* We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For the increased ability to recognize and eliminate prejudices we may hold onto in our hearts, *(pause)* We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: For a sense of renewal of not only Spirit, but health and well-being. We offer our thoughts and prayers for God’s people: those working the front lines in health care, national defense, and peace-keeping; for those who call out to the Creator in the midst of a world pandemic, for the safety of the people of Minneapolis

_____, for all on our prayer list, for all friends and family members, for those living in fear, *(pause)* We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Lector: And, for the souls of God’s faithful departed, especially our sister Hanna Pryer_____, our departed family, parishioners, and friends, that they may be made perfect in the life-giving Spirit *(longer pause)* We pray to the Lord, **Lord...**

Celebrant: Father, all-powerful, receive these prayers from a people made one by the Holy Spirit, who always dwells within us. We ask this all through Jesus Christ, our Lord. R: Amen!

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

THE OFFERTORY VERSE (*John 15:26, 16:13b-14a*)

When the Advocate comes Whom I will send you from the Father, the spirit of Truth that proceeds from the Father, He will not speak on His own, He will take from what is Mine and give it to you. Alleluia.

OFFERTORY HYMN (*Choir Selection*)

“Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”

THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Holy Spirit, Comforter and Advocate, sanctify our gifts. Guide us in truth, defend us from evil and enrich us with grace. For together with the Father and the Son You live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

PREFACE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

THE SANCTUS

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER #3, PAGE 84

(Please stand during the Canon & genuflect with Father during Consecration- note: this is the final Sunday we remain standing during the Canon)

POSTCOMMUNION HYMN

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord; we are one in the Spirit we are one in the Lord, and we pray that all unity may one day be restored. **Ref:** And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love. Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand. We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand and together we'll spread the news that God is in our land.

Ref:

THE COMMUNION VERSE (*Psalm 104:30*)

C: When You send forth Your Spirit, **R: they are created and you renew the face of the earth. Alleluia!**

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

LET US PRAY... Holy Spirit our Comforter, through this Holy Eucharist grant us a new vision and a new counsel, new wisdom and fresh understanding, the revival of our piety and the renewal of our fortitude, so we may go forth from this place faithful in service and fruitful in deeds. Establish us in the knowledge of God and in the fear of the Lord that we may see the kingdom of heaven upon the earth. For together with the Father and the Son You live and reign, one God for ever and ever. **R. AMEN.**

CLOSING HYMN

Lord, I come into Your awesome presence from the shadows into Your radiance. By the blood I may enter Your brightness; search me, try me, consume all my darkness. Shine on me, shine on me! **Ref:** Shine, Jesus, shine! Fill this land with the Father's glory. Blaze, Spirit, blaze! Set our hearts on fire! Flow, river, flow! Flood the nations with grace and mercy. Send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light!

Lord, the light of Your love is shining - In the midst of the darkness, shining Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us. Set us free by the truth You now bring us. Shine on me, shine on me! **Ref:**