

# LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, July 1, 2018 – 13<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday

• 9:30 AM Holy Mass

+ Frank & Bernice Samiec – requested by family.

Monday, July 2, 2018 – Solemnity – Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, July 3, 2018 – Weekday

Wednesday, July 4, 2018 – Independence Day

Thursday, July 5, 2018 – Weekday

Friday, July 6, 2018 – Weekday

Saturday, July 7, 2018 – Weekday

Sunday, July 8, 2018 – 14<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday

• 9:30 AM Holy Mass

+ Frank & Bernice Samiec – requested by family.

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## Parish Committee Meeting Today after Mass.

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### FAITH SHARING

Today's readings speak of the gift of life, both physical and spiritual, that God has given us. They urge and challenge us to be grateful for our health in body and soul and to use God's gifts of life and health responsibly.

Today's Gospel describes two of our Lord's miracles, the healing of a woman who suffered from a chronic bleeding disease and the returning of the dead daughter of Jairus to life. These healings teach us that Jesus willed life, and willed full life for all God's children. The two healings also reveal Jesus as a generous, kind and compassionate God who wills that men

should live their whole lives fully. They also give us further proof of the Divine power and the Infinite mercy of our Savior. These miracles were worked by Jesus as reward for the trusting Faith of a synagogue ruler and of



a woman with a hemorrhage. Although the Faith of the ruler might have been defective, and the woman's Faith might have been a bit superstitious, Jesus amply rewarded the Faith they had by granting them health and life.

### WE NEED TO ACCEPT GOD'S CALL TO HEALTH

Jesus accepts us as we are. Therefore, let us bring before him our bodily illnesses and spiritual wounds and ask for his healing touch. As Christians, we believe that Jesus continues to heal us through his instruments in the medical profession like doctors, nurses and medical technicians. Hence, when we go to a doctor, we need to offer a prayer to Christ *The Divine Healer*, that we may choose the right doctor, and that he or she will make



the correct diagnosis, prescribe the correct treatment and give us the right medicine. Let us not forget the truth, that Christ still works wonders of healing. Let us also thank God for the great gift of health and use it for helping those who are sick.

### SURVEY AFTER PARISH FESTIVAL

As I mentioned before, it would be good to hear each other's opinion about our parish event. Some things were very good, some little bit less good, some ideas were bad ideas. Let us gather our thoughts together and learn from what we experienced in order to work better next time. Thank you for your cooperation. The survey can be found in this bulletin and will be emailed to you as well.

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**PARISH COMMITTEE MEETINGS IN 2018**

Sunday, July 1, 2018, after Mass.

**PIEROGI AND GOLABKI FOR SALE**

There are frozen pierogies and golabki available for sale. Limited quantity!

You can benefit St. Valentine's Parish by purchasing them. Available after Mass on Sunday or please call at 215-535-4978.



**WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS**

We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! Please introduce yourself to the Pastor after Mass and write your names in the guest book located in the vestibule of the church. Please remember that you are always welcome to join us in worship at St. Valentine's Parish.

**ST. VALENTINE'S PARISH**

**Polish National Catholic Church**

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Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM (English)



**MASS INTENTION REQUEST FORM**

Mass for \_\_\_\_\_

Date Requested \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Requested by \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Please mail this form and Mass stipend to: St. Valentine's PNCC, 2330 Margaret St, Philadelphia, PA 19137 or call parish office at (215) 535-4978.*

**13<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday**

**13 Niedziela Zwykła**

**July 1, 2018**