LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, July 7, 2019 – 14th Ordinary Sunday

9:30 AM Holy Mass

† Glenn Olszewski – requested by Cliff & Julie Brown

Monday, July 8, 2019 – **Weekday** Tuesday, July 9, 2019 – **Weekday** Wednesday, June 10, 2019 – **Weekday** Thursday, July 11, 2019 – **Weekday**

Friday, July12, 2019 – Weekday

Saturday, July 13, 2019 – Weekday

Sunday, July 14, 2019 – 15th Ordinary Sunday

9:30 AM Holy Mass

† Leon Boyk Sr. (10th Anniversary of Death) – requested by Leon Boyk Jr. & Family

SUNDAY MASS INTENSIONS:

7/21/2019 † Diane Towey – requested by Connie Quilty & Family
 7/28/2019 † Anne Jackson – requested by Julie & Cliff Brown

Committee Meeting July 21, 2019, after Mass

CALENDARIUM

Tuesday, August 6 Solemnity – Transfiguration of the Lord

Thursday, August 15 Solemnity – Dormition/Assumption of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

Monday, August 26 Solemnity – Our Lady of Czestochowa

Thursday, August 29 Solemnity – Beheading of Saint John the Baptist

Monday, September 2 Labor Day

Sunday, September 8 Solemnity – Brotherly Love

Monday, September 9 Solemnity – Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday, September 14 Solemnity – Exaltation of the Holy Cross Monday, September 16 Solemnity – Holy Mother of Sorrow

FAITH SHARING

Today's Scriptures are about announcing the Good News. They remind us that announcing the Good News of the Kingdom by words, deeds and life is not the task of only a few. Rather, it is a task for all baptized Christians.

In the first reading, Isaiah announces the good news to the returned Babylonian exiles that the ruined and desolate Jerusalem will take care of them "as a mother comforts her baby son." Isiah assures the returned Jews that they will live in the certainty of Yahweh's promises of love, protection, prosperity and salvation.

In today's second reading, Paul removes the confusion created by the Judaizers in the minds of the new Gentile Christians of Galatia. He clearly conveys the good news that it is Jesus' death on the cross which brings one's salvation and not Jewish heritage or practice of Torah laws. Paul reminds us that the mission of each member of the Church is to bear witness to the saving power of the cross of Christ through a life of sacrificial, self-giving service.

In today' Gospel, Luke describes the fulfillment of the prophetic promise made by Isaiah in Jesus' commissioning of 72 disciples to preach the Gospel or the good news of God's love and salvation in towns and villages in preparation for his own visit. Jesus gives the paired disciples "travel tips" for their



missionary journey. They must be walking witnesses of God's providence, relying on the hospitality of others, living very simple lives, preaching the Good News and healing the sick.

Today's Gospel reminds us that we, the 1.5 billion Christians in the world today, have the mission of the 72, to preach the Gospel of Christ to the rest of world's 4.5 billion non-Christians.

THE FORMS OF ANNOUNCEMENTS

There are two forms of announcements in our parish. The first and the main one is our Bulletin. All information and the things good to know are in there. Our Bulletin is printed out and distributed in the church. It's available before each Mass. It is emailed as well to many Parishioners and Friends on each Saturday evening. If you are not yet on our emailing list, please let us know and email us at style="email: center;">s

In the Bulletin are also the Mass intentions and our liturgical calendar.

Sometimes the announcements are made by priest verbally at the end of the Mass or in the very beginning, if needed.

Please note that the Mass intention doesn't need to be announced, but it is always printed in the Bulletin, unless the donor wants to keep it anonymously.

There is also a special form of announcements made by the letter which we send to each Family and individuals, registered Parishioners and Friends, whose address is known to us.

NEW WINDOW IN THE RECTORY BATHROOM

Big thanks to Janusz Plawecki, who replaced the window in the rectory bathroom. The old window was leaking and it was impossible to open it.

The whole bathroom ceiling and two walls were molded due to previous roof leak. The roof is fixed already, however the results of the water damage are serious. Ceiling partially collapsed and had to be replaced, two walls as well.

2019 PNCC SPECIAL SYNOD

The Special Synod of The Polish National Catholic Church will take place on Friday, October 25, 2019 at St. Stanislaus Youth Center in Scranton, PA. The election of two candidates for bishop will be the sole purpose of this one-day Synod. The Parishes and Standard Organizations of the Church are reminded to elect delegates in the same manner as they would for a General Synod.



BAPTISM

Lucas Lesnansky has been baptized last Sunday in our church. Congratulations to his Parents. Welcome Lucas! You are in our Catholic family!

FUNERAL

† Andrea Elliott (nee Michalak), 79, passed away on July 4, 2019. Dear wife of the late Thomas Elliot Jr. "Bulldog Tom". Beloved mother of Cookie Mahon (Tim) and Jane Elliot. Loving Gan of Juliet Clingan (Pete), Zachary, Luke (Danielle), Glen, Steven, Tommy, Dylan and Chloe. Great grandmother of Coco, Emma and Calvin. Relatives and friends are invited to her viewing and funeral Monday, July 8, 2019 beginning at 9:30 AM at the Slabinski Sucharski Funeral Home, 2614 Orthodox St., Phila. PA 19137. Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 AM at St. Valentine's PNCC. Interment at St. Valentine's Cemetery will follow.

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| 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. | |

ST. VALENTINE'S PARISH

Polish National Catholic Church

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Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM (English)



14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

14 Niedziela Zwykła

July 7, 2019