

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, July 19, 2020 – **16 Ordinary Sunday**

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (also available online on YouTube)

† Leon Boyk, Sr. (11th Anniversary of Death) – requested by Leon Boyk, Jr. & Family

Monday, July 20 2020 – **Weekday**

Tuesday, July 21, 2020 – **Weekday**

Wednesday, July 22 2020 – **Weekday**

Thursday, July 23, 2020 – **Weekday**

Friday, July 24, 2020 – **Weekday**

Saturday, July 25, 2020 – **Weekday**

Sunday, July 26, 2020 – **17 Ordinary Sunday**

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (also available online on YouTube)

† Bernie Minakowski – requested by Barbara Sulikoski

08/02/2020 † Malissa Moczulski & Denny Boyle – requested by Trish, Kathy & Michael

08/09/2020 Thanksgiving Mass for all Volunteers helping with Share Food Program

08/16, 2020 † Stanley Widota – requested by Mary Ann Canto

08/23/2020 † Lewis E. Woodland – requested by Henry Jackowicz & Marianne Woodland

08/30/2020 † Malissa Moczulski & Denny Boyle – requested by Izabela & Fr. Mularczyk

09/06/2020 † Stanley Kozakowski – requested by Mary Ann Canto

09/13/2020 For health for Victoria Aristova

09/20/2020 † Hannah Hidey – requested by Izabela Dryfik

09/27/2020 † Diane Sacalis – requested by Julie, Cliff and Jodie Brown

10/04/2020 † George “Steve” Aument – requested by Frank Brzozowski

10/11/2020 † Raymond Farnicki – requested by Julie, Cliff and Jodie Brown

10/18/2020 OPEN

10/25/2020 OPEN

11/01/2020 For All Deceased

CHURCH IS RE-OPEN

Our church is now re-open for public liturgy. However, all Masses and funerals will be still limited to some low number of people. There is a lot of room for us

in our pews for the required social distance. Face masks are still required. No singing is allowed, no handshake and no socializing before and after Mass in front of the church, inside and in the church hall. No restroom available neither. All pews, doors must be sanitized after each Mass.

Receiving of the Holy Communion is optional. We will be still practicing the Spiritual Receiving of the Holy Communion. However, if you wish to receive it sacramentally it is available now



with all sort of precautions and safety regulations, such as sanitizing hands by priest between recipients and keeping 6 ft of social distance.

ALL MASSES ARE STILL AVAILABLE ONLINE

See our [website](#) and check your email for details. Please click on the YouTube icon on the very top of our webpage.



Please subscribe our YouTube channel and participate in our Sunday Mass.

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS AND RELATIVES

Let us pray for: Ewelina Filyushchenko, Julie & Cliff Brown, Ed & Florence, Kapuscinski, Josephine Zdanowicz, Anna Mendla, Barbara Ganteski, Joseph Smith, Andy Stachowicz, Wanda Groman, Antoinette Drake, Bernice Michlinski, Alfreada Janczuk, Lucy Lynch, Genevieve Root. If you like to add somebody to this list please let us know.

FAITH SHARING

Today's readings tell us about a very patient and compassionate God Who is hopeful that the so-called “weeds” among us will be converted. They warn us that we should not be in a hurry to eliminate such elements from the Church or society or the family based on unwarranted and hasty judgment. (An anecdote may be added)

The first reading from the Book of Wisdom shows us a merciful and patient God, rather than the disciplining and punishing God presented in the book of Genesis. The second reading from Romans reminds us that the Spirit of God constantly empowers us in our prayers and in our weakness. So, we should be patient with ourselves and with others. Finally, in the Gospel *parable of the wheat and the weeds*, Jesus presents a wise and patient God who allows the good and the evil to coexist in the world and blesses the evil ones for the little good they may have done, so that they may come to conversion before their time ends. “*Let the wheat and the weeds [darnel] grow together till the harvest time.*” In other words, God awaits repentant sinners, giving them the strength and good will to get reconciled with Him. God calmly recognizes that there is evil in the world, but He sees that evil is no excuse for the good people not to do good with the power of God at their disposal. Through the parable of the wheat and the weeds in today's Gospel, Jesus calls us to be patient with those who fail to meet the high ethical standard expected of a Christian.

SHARE FOOD PROGRAM AT ST. VALENTINE'S

A box of fresh fruits and veggies available each Wednesday at St. Valentine's.

Distribution takes place at the door of our church hall on Melrose Street.

Distribution time: **Wednesdays, 10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon**

There will be no other days and times available for picking up your order other than Wednesday 10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon.

Volunteers are welcome, at 8:30 AM to unload the delivery truck.



ONLINE GIVING

For your convenience, our parish webpage is now equipped with ONLINE GIVING service. Please look for the tab on our page. Instead of mailing your Sunday envelopes or other donation for St. Valentine's Parish you can do it online. Your donation will go straight to our parish checking account. Please use this tool or if you prefer, continue to donate traditional way by mail.

THANKSGIVING MASS FOR OUR VOLUNTEERS

Thanksgiving Mass for all Volunteers helping with Share Food Program will be held on Sunday, August 9, 2020, 9:30 AM. Please come with your relatives. Let's together thank God for your hard work. After Mass you are all invited for lunch (inside the church hall and outside).

MSZA DZIĘKCZYNNĄ ZA WOLUNTARIUSZY

Msza dziękczynna za Wolontariuszy pomagających przy rozdzielaniu paczek żywnościowych zostanie odprawiona 9 sierpnia o 9:30. Przyjedźcie razem ze swoimi bliskimi, aby wspólnie podziękować Bogu za Waszą ciężką pracę. Po Mszy św. zapraszamy na lunch (w sali parafialnej i na zewnątrz).

OUR CHURCH NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

Many aspects of our lives we transferred to the virtual world of internet, including Masses, devotions and prayers. Many of you are unable to come to worship in person due to high risk of infection. Therefore St. Valentine's Parish will tirelessly continue our online ministry and do all we can to be with you during this pandemic difficult time.

Please kindly remember about us in your budget. We cannot survive without your help. There are monthly bills to pay. We paid huge bill for cemetery cleaning and tree removal. Property and liability insurance bill is pending. And there are many other small expenses waiting in the line. Please be as generous as possible.

SHORT PARISH COMMITTEE ZOOM MEETING

Parish Committee members, please reserve your time on this Monday, July 20, 2020 at 7:00 PM for a short online meeting via Zoom. I'd like to discuss with you just few things. The meeting credentials will be emailed to you. Thank you for your time.



MASS INTENTION REQUEST FORM

Mass for _____

Date requested _____

Requested by _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Mass stipend \$ _____

Please mail this form and the Mass stipend to Rev. Mariusz Mularczyk, 2330 Margaret St, Philadelphia, PA 19137

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Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM (English)



16 Ordinary Sunday

16 Niedziela Zwykła

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