LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 25, 2021 – 4 Easter Sunday

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL) (live on YouTube & Facebook)
† Stephen Kuhn, Esther Seltner – requested by Julie, Cliff & Jodie Brown
Monday, April 26, 2021 – Feast – St. Mark, Evangelist
Tuesday, April 27, 2021 – Easter Weekday
Wednesday, April 28, 2021 – Easter Weekday
Thursday, April 29, 2021 – Easter Weekday
Friday, April 30, 2021 – Easter Weekday
Saturday, May 1, 2021 – Feast – St. Joseph the Workman
Sunday, May 2, 2021 – 5 Easter Sunday
9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL) (live on YouTube & Facebook)
† Elizabeth S. Boyk (57th Anniversary of Death) – requested by Leon Boyk Jr. & Family

05/09/21	Su	9:30 AM	For All Mothers, Living and Deceased
05/16/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Matthew J. Suarez Sr. – requested by Frank Brzozowski
05/23/21	Su	9:30 AM	[†] Charles E. Bernard "Bippy" – requested Frank Brzozowski
05/30/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Stella Falisz – requested by Joyce Paluszkiewicz
06/03/21	Th	10:00 AM	OPEN
06/06/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Helen & Thomas Misiewitz – requested by Henry
			Jackowicz & Marianne Woodland
06/11/21	Fr	7:00 PM	O siłę wyjścia z nałogu dla Sophie
06/13/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Alfreda Janczuk – requested by Joyce Paluszkiewicz
06/20/21	Su	9:30 AM	For All Fathers, Living and Deceased
06/24/21	Th	10:00 AM	† Jan Pełka, Jan Dryfik
06/27/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Dorota Mendelewska, Aleksandra, Tadeusz i Janusz
			Wiaderek – requested by Ewelina Filyushchenko
06/29/21	Tu	7:00 PM	OPEN
07/02/21	Fr	7:00 PM	OPEN
07/04/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Barbara Ganteski – requested by Julie, Cliff & Jodie
			Brown
07/11/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
07/18/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
07/25/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/01/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/06/21	Fr	10:00 AM	OPEN
08/08/21	Su	9:30 AM	† Lewis E. Woodland Jr – requested by Marianne Woodland
08/15/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/22/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/24/21	Tu	7:00 PM	OPEN
08/26/21	Th	7:00 PM	OPEN
08/29/21	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS AND RELATIVES

Let us pray for: Ewelina Filyushchenko, Julie & Cliff Brown, Ed Kapuscinski, Josephine Zdanowicz, Anna Mendla, Joseph Smith, Andy Stachowicz, Wanda Groman, Antoinette Drake, Bernice Michlinski, Genevieve Root, Thomas Costello.

ALL MASSES ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE



In case you don't want to be recorded or visible (you or your minor children) while attending the Mass, please take a seat in the back of the church and receive the Holy Communion only spiritually. We apologize for the inconvenience.

FAITH SHARING

On the Fourth Sunday of Easter, called *Good Shepherd Sunday*, we continue to reflect on the meaning of the Resurrection. This is also the *World Day of Prayer for Vocations*. Today, we celebrate the risen Lord as the Good Shepherd who lays down his life for his sheep. The priest in charge of a parish is called pastor because "pastor" means shepherd. As shepherd, he leads, feeds, nurtures, comforts, corrects, and protects Christ's sheep, the people of the parish.

In today's first reading, Peter asserts unequivocally before the Jewish assembly that there is no salvation except through Christ, the Good Shepherd — the one whom the Jewish leaders have rejected and crucified and in whose name the apostles preach and heal.

In the second reading, St. John tells us how Yahweh, the Good Shepherd of the Old Testament, expressed His love for us through His Son Jesus, the Good Shepherd, by making us His children.

In today's Gospel Jesus introduces himself as the "Good Shepherd." Jesus claims that as Good Shepherd he knows his sheep and loves them so much he is ready to die for them.



The Gospel text offers us both comfort — Good Shepherd, knows us, provides for us and loves us – and a double challenge: to become *good shepherds* to those entrusted to our care and *good sheep* in our parish, the sheepfold of Jesus the Good Shepherd.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

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. Inflame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior.

Food boxes program at St. Valentine's is extended to the end of May.

Program rozdawania paczek żywnościowych w parafii św. Walentego przedłużony do końca maja.

THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The Annual Parish Meeting will be hosted at St. Valentine's on **June 6, 2021** at **3:00PM**. All registered Parishioners and our Friends and Supporters are invited. For your convenience there will be a short Holy Mass at 2:30PM, for those who can't come twice, for the morning Mass and the afternoon meeting.

The meeting is in person only. There will be no broadcasting of any kind.

All officers of the Parish Committee are obliged to be present.

All pandemic requirements are mandatory.

The meeting will be as short as possible. Neither food nor drinks will be served before, during or after meeting. In case there will be a larger number of people than the capacity of our Church Hall allows, the meeting will be in the church.

THE AUDIT

The meeting of the Auditors is scheduled for Thursday, May 15, 2021.

PARISH COMMITTEE MEETING

St. Valentine's Parish Committee meeting is scheduled for Sunday, May 19, 2021, 4:00 PM.

In person attendance preferred. Detailed information will be send by email.

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

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I AM the Good Shepherd.... John 10:11



4 Easter Sunday

4 Niedziela Wielkanocna

April 25,2021



