

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, August 1, 2021 – 18 Ordinary Sunday

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL) (live on YouTube & Facebook)

† Benjamin Rzepski – requested by Frank Brzozowski

Monday, August 2, 2021 – Weekday

Tuesday, August 3, 2021 – Weekday

Wednesday, August 4, 2021 – Weekday

Thursday, August 5, 2021 – Weekday

Friday, August 6, 2021 – Solemnity – Transfiguration of the Lord

Saturday, August 7, 2021 – Weekday

Sunday, August 8, 2021 – 19 Ordinary Sunday

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL) (live on YouTube & Facebook)

† Benjamin Rzepski – requested by Frank Brzozowski

08/08/21 Su 9:30 AM † Lewis E. Woodland Jr – requested by Marianne Woodland

08/15/21 Su 9:30 AM † Irina Kurbat (Birthday) – requested by Veronika Erokhin

08/22/21 Su 9:30 AM † Alfred Karolkiewicz (32nd Anniversary of Death) – requested by Trish Haerberle and Kathy Hull

08/24/21 Tu 7:00 PM **OPEN**

08/26/21 Th 7:00 PM **OPEN**

08/29/21 Su 9:30 AM † Dorota Mendelewska, Aleksandra, Tadeusz i Janusz Wiaderek – requested by Ewelina Filyushchenko

09/05/21 Su 9:30 AM † Jan Dryfik (Anniversary of Death) – requested by Izabela

09/12/21 Su 9:30 AM † Benjamin Rzepski – requested by Emily Valentine

09/19/21 Su 9:30 AM † Geraldine Colisante – requested by Julie, Cliff & Jodie Brown

09/26/21 Su 9:30 AM † Josephine Zdanowicz – requested by Julie, Cliff & Jodie Brown

10/03/21 Su 9:30 AM † Josephine Zdanowicz – requested by Loretta Sucharski

10/10/21 Su 9:30 AM † Thomas Misiewicz – requested by Marianne Woodland and Henry Jackowicz

10/17/21 Su 9:30 AM † William Quilty, Jr. – requested by Bill Quilty

10/24/21 Su 9:30 AM † Larry Brzozowski – requested by Bill Quilty

10/31/21 Su 9:30 AM **OPEN**

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS AND RELATIVES

Let us pray for: Ewelina Filyushchenko, Julie & Cliff Brown, Ed Kapuscinski, Anna Mendla, Joseph Smith, Andy Stachowicz, Wanda Groman, Antoinette Drake, Bernice Michlinski, Genevieve Root, Thomas Costello, John Chien, Izabela Dryfik, Michal Mularczyk.

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

FAITH SHARING

Today's readings challenge us to be more concerned with spiritual food than with physical food and to get our spiritual food regularly from the word of God and from the Holy Eucharist – the Heavenly Bread — because only God can satisfy the various forms of our spiritual hunger.

The first reading shows us how God satisfied the physical hunger of His chosen people in the desert by giving them manna and quail.

In the second reading, St. Paul advises the Ephesians to satisfy their spiritual hunger by turning away from their former evil ways and by leading renewed lives of love, kindness, compassion and forgiveness. Paul reminds us that our acceptance of Jesus as the real source of our life and the nourishment of our souls, produces a total transformation in us.

In today's Gospel Jesus is offering the crowd Bread from Heaven, Bread that nourishes them for eternal life, the Bread available to people who have Faith in Jesus Christ — the presence and indwelling of God in their hearts. When Jesus instructed those who had sought after him for earthly food that they should be fed by the Bread that Jesus would give them, some accepted this teaching. But others turned away disappointed, because Jesus' challenge required a commitment that they were unwilling to make.



CLERGY RETREAT CANCELLATION

Our Clergy Retreat and Clergy Conference there which was to have taken place the middle of next week have been cancelled.

SUNDAY DONATIONS

If you participate in the Holy Mass online only, please kindly remember to send us a check with your Sunday Offering, simply mailing it as usually to the Parish Office.

For your convenience there is online donation available as well. Just go to our webpage www.stvalentinespncc.org and find the tab ONLINE GIVING. It is quick and safe way to donate and support St. Valentine's Parish.

FLEA MARKET

FLEA MARKET AT ST. VALENTINE'S

Summer is good time for cleaning the house, the garage and around. Please save some items you don't need any longer, maybe somebody else will see them as treasures. Bring them to St. Valentine's for flea market and let us make some money on it. We can do it in August.

We are ready to accept your donations. But please, no clothes, shoes, furniture, no old electronics nor books.

INSURANCE FUND

Every church building and property is required by law to be insured. All our premises are insured, however, you can imagine how costly it is. Maybe you noticed, there is a special envelope in your sets of envelopes, titled INSURANCE. Yes, we are all obliged to participate in this expense. Please help.

Remember, your church is old, 100 years old, and many unexpected things can happen in this building. What if somebody will sue us for some accident? Having no insurance we will be sold to pay off the claim.

The graves of your ancestors at St. Valentine's Cemetery must be insured as well. Can you afford the new tombstone when another storm will push the heavy tree on it?

Please help us to pay this bill. Please mail your donations to the Parish Office or directly to our Parish Treasurer Julie Brown.

APPEAL FROM THE HISTORY AND ARCHIVES COMMISSION OF THE P.N.C.C.

The P.N.C.C. Archives, located at the National Church Center of the P.N.C.C., 1006 Pittston Avenue in Scranton, PA, desperately needs your help. The quantity of items needed to be catalogued before being archived in the vault is growing faster than can be done by one person. It is a job requiring data entry into an Excel file. At present, Joseph Seliga, Chair of the P.N.C.C. History and Archives Commission, travels from New Jersey to Scranton once per month to work for a week at the Archives. However, additional assistance is needed. Surely there are people in the church who want to see the history of the P.N.C.C. preserved. Please consider donating some of your time to this worthy project. Please contact Joseph Seliga at seligal@optonline.net if you can assist in any way.

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18 Niedziela Zwyczajna

August 1, 2021

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