

## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday, February 13, 2022 – Pre-Lent Septuagesima Sunday**

**9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL)**

† Nicole Bryan – requested by Frank Brzozowski

**Monday, February 14, 2022 – Solemnity - St. Valentine, Martyr**

**Tuesday, February 15, 2022 – Weekday**

**Wednesday, February 16, 2022 – Weekday**

**Thursday, February 17, 2022 – Weekday**

**Friday, February 18, 2022 – Weekday**

**Saturday, February 19, 2022 – Weekday**

**Sunday, February 20, 2022 – Pre-Lent Sexagesima Sunday**

**9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL)**

† Renee Flores-Thomas – requested by Frank Brzozowski

02/27/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Paul Brandt – requested by Kathy Hull
03/02/22	We	7:00 PM	For God's blessing for Ada & Michael Plawecki (Birthday) † Franciszek Plawecki (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Death)
03/06/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Elizabeth S. Boyk (58 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Death) – requested by Leon Boyk
03/13/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Alfred Karolkiewicz (Birthday) – requested by Daughters Trish & Kathy
03/19/22	St	7:00 PM	Solemnity of St. Joseph <b>OPEN</b>
03/20/22	Su	9:30 AM	For God's blessing and good health for Izabela
03/25/22	Su	7:30 PM	<b>OPEN</b>
03/27/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Helen Misiewicz (in remembrance of her Birthday) – requested by Marianne Woodland and Henry Jackowicz
04/03/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Thomas & Helen Misiewicz, Deceased Members of the Statkiewicz Family – requested by Marianne Woodland and Henry Jackowicz
04/10/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Albert DeBiase Jr. – requested by Kathy & Trish
04/14/22	Th	7:00 PM	Maundy Thursday
04/16/22	St	7:00 PM	Holy Saturday <b>OPEN</b>
04/17/22	Su	9:30 AM	For our beloved Deceased
04/24/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Dominick Jeblonski – requested by Jeblonski, Kunciw and Matulewicz Families
05/01/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Florence Kapuscinski (90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday) – requested by Kapuscinski Family
05/08/22	Su	9:30 AM	Mother's Day – For All Mothers
05/15/22	Su	9:30 AM	<b>OPEN</b>
05/22/22	Su	9:30 AM	<b>OPEN</b>
05/26/22	Th	7:00 PM	Ascension of our Lord <b>OPEN</b>
05/29/22	Su	9:30 AM	<b>OPEN</b>
06/05/22	Su	9:30 AM	† Helen & Thomas misiewicz (remembering 64 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary) – requested by Marianne Woodland & Henry Jackowicz
06/12/22	Su	9:30 AM	<b>RESERVED</b>
06/16/22	Th	9:30 AM	Corpus Christi (Boże Ciało) <b>OPEN</b>
06/19/22	Su	9:30 AM	Father's Day – For All Fathers

## 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, Thomas Costello, John Chien, Michał 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

On February 14, 1910, St. Valentine Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church was organized. Forty-three men met to declare their independence and form a new parish. From the first group of organizers, Francis Wydro was selected as president. The first meeting took place on St. Valentine's Day, therefore, it was unanimously adopted by the organizing members that the Parish bear the name of that Saint – Saint Valentine's.

Additional meetings were held frequently. During the first organizational days, the newly formed St. Valentine's Parish was under no given Church jurisdiction, therefore, the Committee, wishing to secure this jurisdiction, called upon the Archbishop of the Philadelphia Roman Catholic Archdiocese, requesting him to consider accepting the newly-organized Parish and appoint a Polish priest. The Archbishop declined the request, and that postponed the organizing of another Polish parish in Philadelphia for a period of one year.

In the meantime, on September 20, 1911, the Rev. Józef Zielonko, a former pastor of the Holy Cross Parish of the PNCC in Baltimore, MD, came to Philadelphia at the request of the newly organized Parish. A meeting was called to convene over four hundred (400) persons. After the group was enlightened about the principles, ideals, and mission of the Polish National Catholic Church, it then unanimously decided to seek the jurisdiction of the Bishop of the Polish National Catholic Church and accept the Rev. Józef Zielonko as Pastor. The newly organized group did not lose time in seeking out and purchasing land for the construction of a Church and Rectory.



