

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 9, 2023 – Solemnity – Resurrection of our Lord

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL)

For All Departed

Monday, April 10, 2023 – Easter Weekday

Tuesday, April 11, 2023 – Easter Weekday

Wednesday, April 12, 2023 – Easter Weekday

Thursday, April 13, 2023 – Easter Weekday

Friday, April 14, 2023 – Easter Weekday

Saturday, April 15, 2023 – Easter Weekday

Sunday, April 16, 2023 – 2nd Sunday of Easter

9:30 AM – Holy Mass (EN/PL)

† Deceased Members of Statkiewicz & Misiewicz Family – requested by Henry Jackowicz & Marianne Woodland

04/23/23	Su	9:30 AM	† Dominick Jeblonski – requested by Jeblonski, Kuncivi and Matulewicz Families
04/30/23	Su	9:30 AM	† Danica Mulholland – requested by Frank Brzozowski
05/07/23	Su	9:30 AM	RESERVED
05/14/23	Su	9:30 AM	Mother’s Day – For All Mothers
05/18/23	Th	7:00 PM	OPEN (Ascension of our Lord)
05/21/23	Su	9:30 AM	† Hedwig Jackowicz – requested by Henry Jackowicz & Marianne Woodland
05/28/23	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
06/04/23	Su	9:30 AM	† Dariusz Slawecki – requested by Bill Quilty
06/08/23	Th	9:30 AM	OPEN (Corpus Christi)
06/11/23	Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
06/18/23	Su	9:30 AM	Father’s Day – For All Fathers
06/25/23	Su	9:30 AM	† Jan Dryfik, Jan Pelka For God’s Blessing for Jan Dryfik & Fr. Jan

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS AND RELATIVES

Let us pray for: Ewelina Filyushchenko, Julie & Cliff Brown, Ed Kapuscinski, Joseph Smith, Wanda Groman, Antoinette Drake, Bernice Michlinski, Marianna Pelka, Bronisław Korus, Jean Slowakiewicz O'Brien, Marie Turlinski-Kelley, Ewa Nowak.

Please keep us informed that we might minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital or nursing home.



FAITH SHARING

We are not supposed to lie buried in the tomb of our sins, evil habits, dangerous addictions, despair, discouragement, or doubts. Instead, we are expected to live a joyful and peaceful life, constantly experiencing the living presence of the Risen Lord Who loves us in all the events of our lives and amid the boredom, suffering, pain, and tensions of our day-to-day life.



Proclamation and witness-bearing are the main themes of today’s readings.

In the first reading, St. Peter shares his own experience of Christ’s Resurrection and its joy with the members of the pagan Cornelius’ family who received the Holy Spirit as he spoke and then were baptized.

In the second reading, St. Paul, bearing witness to his conversion experience and Faith in the risen Lord, reminds the Colossians, “you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God! When Christ your Life, appears, then you, too, will appear with Him in glory.”

Today’s Gospel explains the empty-tomb Resurrection experiences of Mary Magdalene, Peter, and John. Mary Magdalene proclaims her personal experience: “I have seen the Lord” (Jn 20:18).

EASTER GIVES MEANING TO OUR PRAYERS

Easter supports our belief in the Real Presence of the Risen Jesus in and around us, in His Church, in the Blessed Sacrament, and in Heaven, hearing our prayers, and so gives meaning to our personal as well as our communal prayers.

Easter is a feast which gives us hope and encouragement in this world of pain, sorrows and tears. It reminds us that life is worth living. It also gives us strength to fight against temptations and freedom from unnecessary worries and fears.

EASTER FLOWERS PURCHASED AND DONATED

Our church again looks beautiful with all those Easter flowers. Lilies were purchased from your offerings mailed to us (\$79.80) and all other flowers were donated from Lowe’s Store on Aramingo Ave and Home Depot on Castor Ave (\$769 donation value).



RENEWAL OF OUR BAPTISMAL PROMISES

My dear brothers and sisters:

In this most sacred time, we recall the death and burial of our Lord Jesus Christ. In return for His great love, we keep watch. And, celebrating His glorious resurrection, we are filled with joy that knows no end. As the Apostle Paul teaches, by our baptism we have been buried with Christ into death. As Christ has risen from the dead, by our baptism we too are raised up to walk in newness of life. We know that by baptism our old self has been crucified with Christ, so that we may no longer be slaves to sin. Let us remember, then, that we have died to sin, and are to live for God, in Christ Jesus, our Lord.

Now that we have completed our preparation during this Great and Holy Lent, let us reaffirm the promises of our baptism, by which we once renounced all evil and turned our backs to that world which is the enemy of God, and promised to serve God faithfully in the Holy Catholic Church.

- C. And so I ask you: Do you renounce the evil one?
R. I do.
- C. Do you renounce all evil works?
R. I do.
- C. Do you renounce all pomp, lies, and hypocrisy?
R. I do renounce them.
- C. Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth?
R. I do believe.
- C. Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only-begotten Son, our Lord,
Who was born and Who suffered for us?
R. I do believe.
- C. Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church,
the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection
of the body and life everlasting?
R. I do believe.

CHURCH IN NEED OF SOME ITEMS

If you can help us by purchasing for the parish the following things:

- Copy paper 8.5x11
- USPS Forever Stamps
- Envelopes #10
- Trash bags 30 Gallon heavy-duty and 40 gallon heavy-duty

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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Uroczystość – Zmartwychwstanie Pańskie

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