### LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, June 11, 2023 - Solemnity - Corpus Christi (transferred from Thursday)

9:30 AM - Holy Mass (EN/PL)

† Lois Kuhn – requested by Julie, Cliff & Jodie Brown

Monday, June 12, 2023 – Weekday

Tuesday, June 13, 2023 – Weekday

Wednesday, June 14, 2023 – Weekday

Thursday, June 15, 2023 – Weekday

Friday, June 16, 2023 – Solemnity – Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday, June 17, 2023 – Weekday

Sunday, June 18, 2023 – 11 Ordinary Sunday / Father's Day

9:30 AM - Holy Mass (EN/PL)

For All Fathers

06/25/23 Su	9:30 AM	† Jan Dryfik, Jan Pełka
		For God's Blessing for Jan Dryfik & Fr. Jan
07/02/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
07/09/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
07/16/23 Su	9:30 AM	† Leon Boyk, Sr. (14th Anniversary of Death) – requested by
		Leon Boyk, Jr. & Family
07/23/23 Su	9:30 AM	† Lewis E Woodfland, Jr. – requested by Henry Jackowicz
		& Marianne Woodland
07/30/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/06/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/13/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/20/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
08/27/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
09/03/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
09/10/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
09/17/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
09/24/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN
10/01/23 Su	9:30 AM	OPEN



#### 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 Pełka, 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.

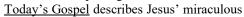
#### **FAITH SHARING**

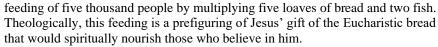
The last precious gift given to us by Jesus is the Holy Eucharist as our spiritual food. *Corpus Christi* is the celebration of the abiding presence of a loving God as *Emmanuel* – God-with-us – in order to give collective thanks to our Lord for his living with us in the Eucharist. The feast also gives us an occasion to learn more about the importance and value of the "Real Presence" so that we may appreciate it and better and receive maximum benefit from the Sacrament.

This year's readings for this feast emphasize the theme of the priesthood of Jesus. Today's <u>first reading</u> describes how the priest-king Melchizedek offered a thanksgiving-sacrifice of bread and wine to God for the welfare of the patriarch

Abraham and shows how the event prefigured the Eucharistic sacrifice of the Priest-King Jesus. It is also as a sign of thanksgiving for Jesus' victory won over sin and death.

In the <u>second reading</u>, St. Paul gives the earliest account of what Jesus said and did during the last meal he celebrated with his followers, interpreting it as a sacrifice.







#### **CLERGY PENSION FUND**

On Father's Day we will pray for all our fathers, both lay and clergy, past and present, to express our gratitude, remembrance, and love for all they have done for our families and for our Church. Thank you for continued support of our Clergy Pension Fund. Consider making a donation to the P.N.C.C. Clergy Pension Fund to honor our clergy for their dedication to our Church and parishioners. Special second collection on June 18, Father's Day – for the Clergy Pension Fund.



#### **GROCERIES GIVEAWAY (UPDATE)**

There are still some groceries available. Please take them home for yourself or deliver to those in need in your neighborhood.

#### **CORPUS CHRISTI**

Feast of Corpus Christi, also called Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, festival of the Catholic Church in honor of the real presence of the body (corpus) of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. A movable observance, it is observed on the Thursday (or, in some countries, the Sunday) after Trinity Sunday and is a holy day of obligation in many countries.

The Feast of Corpus Christi originated in 1246 and spread in 1264 in the whole Church to observe the feast.

The procession became the feast's most prominent feature and was a pageant in which sovereigns and princes took part, as well as magistrates and members of organizations. In Protestant churches, after the doctrine of transubstantiation was rejected during the Reformation, the festival was suppressed.





#### **FATHER'S DAY IS COMING**

Father's Day Letter has been sent to our Parishioners and Friends. Please respond to it with you Mass request as soon as possible. As usually, if you are afraid to be late with mail, please do it electronically or by phone.

# MASS INTI	ENTION REQUEST FORM
Mass for	
Date requested	
Requested by	
Address	
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**Corpus Christi** 

**Boże Ciało** 

June 11, 2023



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