ST. VALENTINE'S POLISH NATIONAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY MAY 4th 3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER, (WHITE)

LESSON: Acts 5:27-32, 40-41 LESSON: Revelation 5:11-14 GOSPEL: St. John 21:1-19

9:30AM Mass for the soul of the departed Dorothy Karolkiewicz

MONDAY MAY 5th ST. HILARY OF ARLES, BISHOP, (WHITE)

8AM Mass for the soul of the departed Bishop John Misiaszek, 37th Anni of death.

TUESDAY MAY 7th EASTER WEEKDAY, (WHITE)

8AM Mass for the intentions of our Parish Family.

WEDNESDAY MAY 8th ST. STANISLAUS OF KRAKOW, BISHOP & MARTYR, (RED)

8AM Mass the health of the sick.

THURSDAY MAY 9th EASTER WEEKDAY, (WHITE)

8AM Mass for an increase of Vocations.

FRIDAY MAY 9th EASTER WEEKDAY, (RED)

8AM Mass for the soul of the departed Bishop Joseph Padewski, 1st Martyr of the PNCC

SUNDAY MAY 11th 4th SUNDAY OF EASTER/ GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY,

MOTHER'S DAY, (WHITE)

LESSON: Acts 13:14, 43-52 **LESSON:** Revelation 7:9, 14-17 **GOSPEL:** St. John 10:27-30

9:30AM Mass for All Mother's Living and Deceased.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: MAY 11th Mother's Day, MAY 20th Primary Election Day, MAY 29th Ascension Thursday, MAY 31st Memorial Day

MOTHERS' DAY: Next Sunday is the day we pay honor to all our moms living and deceased. We will begin Holy Mass with the Reading of Remembrance for all our Moms who now rest with God.

SACRED VOCATIONS: Please pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood and Diaconate.

FEED MY SHEEP: Today in the Gospel the third time Jesus appeared to the Apostles after He rose from the dead. We do not know why He was not always with them, maybe for them to learn that He would not always be with them. The Apostles decide to go fishing while fishing, Jesus appears and tells them where to find the fish. On hearing it was the Lord; Peter puts on some clothes and jumps into the water. The meaning of this is that we are to put on Christ. Jesus then serves them breakfast; He eats as well. Jesus then questions Peter about his love for Jesus. Jesus asks the question three times, because Peter denied Him three times. Peter is forgiven his denying of Jesus, and his love for Jesus. He is then told to tend the sheep. This does not mean that Peter was the only leader, in the early Church there was more than one leader, like today where there is more than one leader of the Church. What is key is that we are members of the Church, who follow Christ and are willing to lay down our lives for the Church.

The Roman Church is about to elect a new bishop of Rome the 267th. We have a Prime Bishop who is the same as the Bishop of Rome, so too the Orthodox Churches in the Archbishop of Constantinople. What does this all mean? We are to follow Jesus and to ask forgiveness for our sins no matter where we are.

IN NEED OF PRAYER: Michele Elliot, Bridgette Roth, Christi Duff, Nancy, Kyle, Fr. Carmen, Mary Gonzalez, Marie Harrington, Brian Poplarchick, Cliff and Julie Brown.