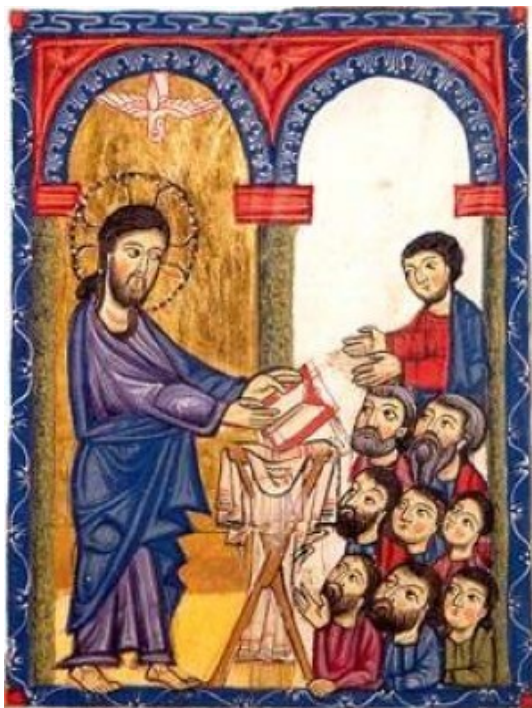


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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – *Cycle “B”*
Czternasta Niedziela Zwykła

July 8, 2012

EVENTS for the WEEK

Holy Mass – 8:45AM – Traditional liturgy in English.

Today, July 8th – XIV Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prophetic voices are important in every generation, but their message is not always welcome.

8:45AM – Holy Mass, intention: for sp. **Darwin Zimmerman**, of. by the Members of the Blessed Sacrament Society.

WEEKDAY READINGS:

Mon., Hosea 2:16.17c-18.21-22; Matthew 9:18-26; **Tue.**, Hosea 8:4-7.11-13; Matthew 9:32-38; **Wed.**, Hosea 10:1-3.7-8.12; Matthew 10:1-7; **Thu.**, Hosea 11:1-4.8e-9; Matthew 10:7-15; **Fri.**, Hosea 14:2-10; Matthew 10:16-23; **Sat.**, Isaiah 6:1-8; Matthew 10:24-33

TUESDAY, July 10th – *Weekday*

7:00PM – Holy Mass, intention: for all Parishioners.

THURSDAY, July 12th – *Weekday*

7:00PM – Holy Mass, intention: for the remission of sins.

FRIDAY, July 13th - *Weekday*

11:00AM - ? - “Bleenie” Sale. The preparation begins at 7:30AM.

7:00PM – Holy Mass

NEXT SUNDAY, July 15th – XV Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:45AM – Holy Mass, intention: for sp. Darwin Zimmerman, of. by the Halaburda and Wycheck family.

Today's liturgy

ASPERGES – **Pokropisz mnie** Panie hyzopem, a będę oczyszczony, obmyjesz mnie, a nad śnieg będę wybielony. Zmiłuj się nade mną Boże, według wielkiego miłosierdzia Twego. Chwała Ojcu i Synowi i Duchowi Świętemu, jak była na początku, teraz i zawsze i na wieki wieków. Amen.

ENTRANCE RITE (Isaiah 1:4; 2 Chronicles 15:2b)

V. Ah! Sinful nation, people laden with wickedness, evil race, corrupt children! They have forsaken the Lord, spurned the Holy One of Israel, apostatized.

R. The Lord is with you when you are with Him, and if you seek Him, He will be present to you; but if you abandon Him, He will abandon you.

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,

R. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

ENTRANCE HYMN – **Morning Hymn** – PNCC Hymnal, p. 195

1. Lord, this morn we raise our voices As the world in song rejoices. All the works of Your creation Join to sing in admiration.
2. You have formed us, God our Savior, Overwhelmed us with Your favor. Blessed with gifts beyond all measure, May we praise You now and ever.

I Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5

Ezekiel is to carry out his prophetic ministry come what may.

GRADUAL (Jeremiah 5:23; 2 Kings 17:14)

V. But this people's heart is stubborn and rebellious; they turn and go away.

R. They did not listen, but were stiff-necked as their fathers, who had not believed in the Lord, their God.

II Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

St. Paul examines his own experience and realizes his strength comes only from God.

ALLELUIA (1 Samuel 10:19a)

V. Alleluia, alleluia.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

V. But today you have rejected your God, Who delivers you from all your evils and calamities.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL: Mark 6:1-6

Jesus is unable to minister in His own town because of the suspicion of the people.

HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Come Thou Creator Spirit blest. And in our souls take up Thy rest. Come with Thy grace and wondrous aid. Fill now the hearts which Thou hast made. Come with Thy grace and wondrous aid. Fill now the hearts which Thou hast made. Amen.

OFFERTORY HYMN – Dawn is Ringing – PNCC Hymnal, p. 243

1. Dawn is ringing with our singing, As we praise our Mary sweet; Hail this day, and let dismay be turned into a joy complete. See the wonder as we ponder her great gift from God on high; Purest Lady, all who may desire thine aid are not denied.
2. May this heart become a part of ev'ry laud to thy delight. In our need thou hast agreed to shield the poor and sick from blight. See the wonder as we ponder her great gift from God on high; Purest Lady, all who may desire thine aid are not denied.

COMMUNION HYMN – Come Unto Jesus – PNCC Hymnal, p. 180

1. Come unto Jesus, Come while you may; hear how He calls you, Come now this day. How He does love you, follow His way, Gently He calls you, Come! **Refrain:** Lo, the vision wondrous to behold! He would save us from this sinful world. To heaven's blessed glory untold, O dearest Lord, we come!
2. Come, O my child, now, Come heed His call, Give Him your heart, your love and your all. He shall uplift you, lest you should fall, Gently He calls you, Come! **Refrain:**
3. Come, fallen sinner; come while you may! Christ will accept you! Do not delay! Tears of repentance He wipes away. Trust in Him only! Come! **Refrain:**

RECESSIONAL HYMN – In Thy Protection – PNCC Hymnal, p. 210

1. In Thy protection, Father in heaven, Lo, we Thy children, place our life, our all. Lord, wilt Thou bless us, save us from temptation, keep us from danger, lest in sin we fall.
2. Though all be peaceful, though storms beset us, in Thy protection we shall find our rest. Father, we pray Thee, humbly we beseech Thee, deliver us, the children Thou hast blessed.

May God the Father watch over you. May God the Son fill you with His peace. May God the Holy Spirit strengthen you.

COMING EVENTS

GENERAL CHURCH

Sep. 14th Bishops consecration (Scranton, PA)

CENTRAL DIOCESE

Oct. 11-13th Diocesan Synod in Scranton, PA

FRACKVILLE

July 13th “Bleenie” Sale (11:00AM - ?)

July 29th Automobiles blessing (after the Holy Mass)

Oct. 6th Animals blessing (2:00PM)

Nov. 21st Frackville Ministerium Thanksgiving Service (St. Ann's RCC – 7:00PM)

SHENANDOAH

July 29th Automobiles blessing (after the Holy Mass)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special Thanks go out to:

- **Members** of the Parish for preparing the altars, and the church for services;
- to **Mrs. Cindy Eickhoff** for musical preparations, and to the Choir members;
- to **Mr. James Abicunas** for being a lector,
- to the **Sunday greeters**, the people working on fundraisers.

CHURCH NEWS – the Special Synod of the PNCC held in Scranton, PA on Friday, June 22 elected two candidates for Bishop's office: **the Rev. Stanley Bilinski** and **Rev. Bernard Nowicki**. A special meeting of the Supreme Council was held at the conclusion of the Synod. The Rt. Rev. John E. Mack will be transferred back to the Buffalo-Pittsburgh Diocese. Bishop-Elect Stanley M. Bilinski will be assigned to the Western Diocese. Bishop-Elect Bernard Nowicki goes to the Central Diocese. Assignments will be effective as of August 1, 2012.

THE PARISH COMMITTEE NEXT MEETING – will be held on Monday, August 6, 2012.

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY - ..if you or a relative are admitted to a hospital and nursing home;. if your phone number or address change;. if you have a prayer concern.

THIS WEEK PRAYER: for **Father Jan Kość**, his family, parishioners of Church of the Holy Trinity & St. Joseph's in Linden, NJ.

THE HERITAGE PARADE – will be held on Saturday, August 25, 2012 in Shenandoah, PA. If anyone of you plan to participate actively as a Polish group, please come at 10:00AM (on that day) - St. Casimir RCC in Shenandoah.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Birthday best wishes are extended to: July 12 – Charles Chiao Jr.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES. The Classes will start in **September 2012**. I'm asking the parents whose children were born in **2004** or older (age 8 and older) did not receive the Holy Communion, please encouraged your children to attend the classes. If your child will be 9 years old in May 2013 is eligible to receive his/her First Holy Communion.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for – James Chistakoff – Dorothy Halaburda – Sophia Stetts – Sarah Powanda – Joseph Makauskas - Edward Halaburda – Helen Hopko – Paul Elsavage – John Etcho - Flossy Bulcavage – Sharon Chiao – Sue Pascavage. At **Nursing Homes:** Helen Chistakoff – Dolores Halaburda - ***Frackville Nursing Home*** – Louise Gursky (307) - Ann Lech (108) – Stanley Bulcavage (313); NY – Cecelia Pyzowski.



HOSPITAL VISIT. If you, or a member of your family, are hospitalized or enter a long-term nursing facility, please personally or through a closest family member contact Fr. Robert. I will visit a sick member upon his or his family notification.


FARMER'S MARKET – On Thursday afternoons from **2:00PM to 6:00PM** Frackville Farmer's Market will take place. Throughout the season participants will be selling fresh produce and baked goods. Location is Frack Street and Lehigh Avenue beside the Wells Fargo bank.

UPCOMING SUNDAY'S MASS INTENTIONS: **July 15:** sp. Darwin Zimmerman; **July 22:** sp. Elizabeth

Prock; **July 29:** sp. Elizabeth Prock; **Aug. 5:** sp. Elizabeth Prock; **Aug. 12:** Walter and Valeria Golba. **Aug. 19:** sp. Josephine Studlick; **Aug. 26:** sp. Elizabeth Prock; **Sep. 2:** sp. Elizabeth Prock. **Sep. 9:** sp. Mary Ann Etcho; **Sep. 16:** sp. John Snokus; **Sep. 23:** PNU; **Sep. 30:** sp. John Snokus; **Oct. 21:** sp. Bertha Zimmerman; **Oct. 28:** sp. Bertha Zimmerman; **Nov. 4:** sp. Bertha Zimmerman; **Nov. 11:** sp. Bertha Zimmerman; **Nov. 18:** sp. Mary Ann Etcho; **Nov. 25:** sp. Bernard Halaburda Jr.; **Dec. 2:** sp. Bertha Zimmerman. *Please, do not order the mass intentions ahead of 1 year. Thank you.*



CONFESSIONS FOR THE YOUTH – Our younger members as well as their parents are reminded that Confession is an essential part of a child's religious upbringing. Remember this important part of their religious life. Confession is held on the **first Sunday** of every month at **8:30AM** (before Mass). Children before Confirmation age should come to **private** Confession. If children (until Confirmation) would like to receive the Holy Communion in a worthy manner they must come for private confession at least once a month. If other times are necessary please contact Fr. Robert.

 **WELCOME OUR VISITORS** – We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! Please write your names in the guest book located in the vestibule of the church. You are always welcome to join us in worship.

RECEIVING THE HOLY EUCHARIST – those who believe in the true presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist are invited to partake of this Holy Sacrament. It is the practice of the PNCC to distribute the Holy Eucharist through the method of intinction. The Body and Blood of Christ are placed on the tongue, not in the hand.

Never Alone

Sometimes, oh Lord, when I cannot pray,
I sit very still with nothing to say.
But never-the-less, I know You are there;
I whisper Your name' cause I know You care.
You know that I'm troubled with things on my mind,
And You know I've been weak, so often unkind,
But Your spirit is with me,
 right here in this home;
And I know that I never am walking alone.
 (Helen Parker)

Polish Proverbs

Człowiek jest kowalem swojego zycia.
Man is the maker of his destiny.

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