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Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - "C"

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O Lord I am not worthy to ask You, but only say a word and this parish will grow in number of really holy and dedicated people to God and to the Church.

EVENTS for the WEEK

Holy Mass – 10:00AM – Traditional liturgy in English.

Today, June 5th – X Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus speaks of His Father and of the Spirit, and so introduces us to the mysterious intimacy of God, the three in one.

10:00AM – Holy Mass, intention: for Sp. **Helen Seamon**, of. by sister, Flossy Bulcavage.

- ⤴ Confession.
- ⤴ Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
- ⤴ Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.
- ⤴ Collection for Missions.
- ⤴ Mother's/Father's Day Brunch in the hall.

WEEKDAY READINGS:

Mon., 1 Kings 17:1-6; Matthew 5:1-12; **Tue.**, 1 Kings 17:7-16; Matthew 5:13-16; **Wed.**, 1 Kings 18:20-39;

Matthew 5:17-19; **Thu.**, 1 Kings 18:41-46; Matthew 5:20-26; **Fri.**, 1 Kings 19:9a.11-16; Matthew 5:27-32;
Sat., 1 Kings 19:19-21; Matthew 5:33-37

MONDAY, June 6th - *Weekday*

5:00PM – Requiem Holy Mass for Sp. **Father Edward Tomczyk**, of. by Fr. Robert.

6:00PM – Concession stand's preparation for “Bleenie” Sale.

TUESDAY, June 7th – *Weekday*

5:30PM – Holy Mass – intention for: all **Parishioners**.

6:30PM – Monthly meeting of the Parish Committee.

WEDNESDAY, June 8th – *Weekday*

6:00PM – Requiem Holy Mass for: all **Deceased**.

FRIDAY, June 10th – *Weekday*

11:00AM - ? - “Bleenie” Sale. The preparation begins at **7:00AM** in the hall. Please, come and support your parish. Thank you.

SATURDAY, June 11th - **Feast – St. Barnabas, Apostle**

10:00AM – Requiem Anniversary Holy Mass for Sp. **Paul Elsavage**, of. by the family.

NEXT SUNDAY, June 12th – **XI Sunday in Ordinary Time**

10:00AM – Holy Mass, intention: for Sp. Helen Seamon, of. by sister – Flossy Bulcavage.

^ Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

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 (Psalms 18:5-7)

V. The breakers of death surged round about me, the destroying floods overwhelmed me. The cords of the nether world enmeshed me, the snares of death overtook me.

R. In my distress I called upon the Lord and cried out to my God; from His temple He heard my voice, and my cry to Him reached His ears.

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.

I Reading: 1 Kings 17:17-24

Elijah restores to life the son of a woman who has offered him hospitality.

GRADUAL (Psalms 33:18-19)

V. The eyes of the Lord are upon those who fear Him, upon those who hope for His kindness.

R. To deliver them from death and preserve them in spite of famine.

II Reading: Galatians 1:11-19

Even before his birth, Paul had been enlisted by God as an apostle to the Gentiles.

ALLELUIA (Sirach 48:5)

V. Alleluia, alleluia.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

V. You brought a dead man back to life from the nether world, by the will of the Lord.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL: Luke 7:11-17

In the town of Nain Jesus restores a widow's only son to life.

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.

May the Father, source of all life, inspire you to respect life and care for it. May the Son, who died and rose for us, fill you with confidence that death has been finally overcome. May the Holy Spirit, giver of abundant life, reassure you that beyond this life lies life in abundance and without end.

COMING EVENTS

GENERAL CHURCH

July 2-9 – Youth CURS in Waymart, PA

July 25-29 – Youth Convo – St. Anselm College, Manchester, NH

CENTRAL DIOCESE

Aug. 16-18 – Clergy Retreat & Conference – Mt. Pocono, PA

Oct. 6-8 – Diocesan Synod in Wallington, NJ

FRACKVILLE – Each **First Friday** on the month – Private Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament (5:00PM – 7:00PM)

June 19 – Fathers' Day Celebration

July 24- Automobiles Blessing (after the Mass)

Oct. 1 - Animals Blessing (1:00PM at the parking)

Nov. 13 - Veteran's Day Celebration

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special **Thanks** go out to:

- to **Mrs. Janina Plichta** preparing the altars, and the church for services;
- to **Mrs. Cindy Eickhoff** and to the Choir members;
- to **Mr. James Abicunas** for being a lector;
- to **Mr. Julian Bednarek** for his help with candles and taking collection;
- to the **Sunday greeters**.

THANK YOU very much to Members of the Blessed Sacrament Society for preparing food and deserts during our Seniorate Council meeting!

THIS WEEK PRAYER: for **Father Jaroslaw Rafalko**, his wife and parishioners of Holy Trinity Parish in Kewanee, IL; [web: kewaneepnc.com; FB: Holt Trinity P N Catholic Church].



GRADUATION! *Victoria Plichta and Brett Russell* – graduated – Class of 2022 - North Schuylkill Elementary!
Jim Abicunas (a son of James Abicunas) graduated – North Schuylkill High School! Congratulations and all the best for the future!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Birthday best wishes are extended to: June 11 – Cecelia Pyzowski, Lance Nelson.



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY! Anniversary best wishes are extended to: June 8 – George and Mary Ann Tokarczyk.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for – Father Senior Thaddeus Dymkowski – Gloria


Dymkowski - Sarah Powanda - Helen Hopko - Flossy Bulcavage – Carolyn Boychak – John Etcho - Helen Menzyk - James Panco – Connie Sincavage – Joseph Demnitski – Joseph Walukiewicz. At **Nursing Homes**: – NY – Cecelia Pyzowski. **H & R Center Tremont**: Dolores Halaburda. **Ridgeview (Shen. Hts.)** - Margaret Kruszynski (311); **Shenandoah Community Living Center** – Eugenia Tyrrell (A6).



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.

UPCOMING SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS: **June 12** – Sp. Helen Seamon; **June 19** – Sp. Helen Seamon; **June 26** – Helen Seamon; **July 3** – Sp. Paul Elsavege; **July 10** – Sp. Joseph Petrusky; **July 17** – Sp. Joseph Petrusky; **July 24** – Sp. Joseph Petrusky; **July 31** – Sp. Joseph Petrusky Now - Only Daily Masses are available.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS – in case of your inability to come to church on any particular Sunday, please mail or submit your Sunday offerings and donations to our parish. Your church needs your financial support in order to pay utilities and expenses.

 **WELCOME OUR VISITORS** – We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! If you are new to our parish, please submit your name, address and telephone number to **Father Robert**. Father will contact you regarding parish membership and answer the questions you may have regarding our church. WELCOME! You are always welcome to join us in worship. **Come as a Guest – Leave as a Friend.**

PRAYER BEFORE HOLY MASS

My dear God and loving Father, I thank You for making it possible for me to participate in the Holy Sacrifice of Mass, during which I will be united with my Lord Jesus Christ. May Jesus fill me with His holy grace when I open my heart to Him in sincere prayer. May the sacraments I will receive, the prayers that I will say and the hymns that I will sing bring me closer to Jesus and help me to be more like Him in all that I say and do. May the Holy Communion that I will receive give me strength, so that I may share faith, hope and love with the people I will meet. Amen.

PRAYERS AFTER HOLY MASS

I am grateful to You, Lord, that I was able to come to church and participate in the Holy Sacrifice of Mass. I thank You for receiving Your gracious pardon, Your instruction and teaching through Your Word, and Your Body and Blood in Holy Communion. May Your sacraments continue to strengthen and help me to be faithful to You and Your Church. Help me to face all the challenges of life on my journey to Your heavenly kingdom. Amen.