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Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - "B"
Solemnity – Brotherly Love

September 9, 2018

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, September 9th - Solemnity – Brotherly Love
10:00AM – Holy Mass, intention: for Sp. **Al Gursky**, of. by Ms. Elizabeth Greenman & Mr. James Abicunas.

TUESDAY, September 11th - *Weekday*
9:00AM - Holy Mass commemorate 9/11/01 (17th anniversary).

FRIDAY, September 14th - Solemnity – Exaltation of the Holy Cross
9:00AM - Holy Mass, intention: for all **Parishioners**.

SATURDAY, September 15th - Solemnity – Holy Mother of Sorrows

9:00AM - Holy Mass

NEXT SUNDAY, September 16th – XIV Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00AM – Holy Mass to commemorate 95th anniversary of our parish and 50th anniversary of the current church building.
- Coffee and doughnuts.

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 (1 John 4:7,9)
V. Beloved, let us love one another, because love is God; everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.
R. In this way the love of God was revealed to us; God sent His only Son into the world so that we might have life through Him.
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.

I Reading: Proverbs 3:21-25 or **Jeremiah 31:31-34**

GRADUAL (Luke 17:3b-4)
V. If your brother sins, rebuke him; and if he repents, forgive him.
R. And if he wrongs you seven times in one day and returns to you seven times saying, "I am sorry," you should forgive him.

II Reading: 1 John 4:17-21

ALLELUIA (John 15:17)
V. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
V. This I command you: love one another.
R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL: Luke 10:25-37

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special **Thanks** go out to: Church cleaner, Organist, lector, collector, and the Sunday greeters.
- **Hall for Rent** is available...**$100.00 for 2 hours/+** $25.00 each additional hour, and **$50.00** returnable deposit.
- **Sep. 16** – 95th Anniversary of the Parish Mass
- **Oct. 1-3 -** 25th General Synod in Belleville, IL.
- **Nov. 3 –** Free Community luncheon.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Birthday best wishes are extended to: Sep. 9 – Judith Touchinsky; Sep. 12 – John Keim.

PLEASE Gloria - Helen Savitsky – **PRAY FOR THE SICK –** especially for – Father Senior Thaddeus Dymkowski – Dymkowski – Father Janusz Lucarz – Father Senior Gregory Mludzik - Sarah Powanda Hopko - Helen Menzyk - James Panco – Connie Sincavage – Carl Guzik – Frank Jean Keim – Joseph Ross. At **Nursing Home**: *H & R Center Tremont*: Dolores Halaburda.

ATTENTION to our PARISHIONERS...and FRIENDS...
Our Parish Family is going to need Your help with following events:
Sunday, September 16 - celebrating 95th Anniversary of the Parish...
Sunday, October 21 - Polish Happy Meal Dinner served after 11:00AM Holy Mass - WITH MUSIC
Saturday, November 3 – Free Community luncheon.
Sometime in November we plan to have Spaghetti Dinner.
Please, take seriously these information. More details will be printed and distributed in the parish newsletter with 50/50 chances in June this year.