



St. John the Baptist Parish
 Polish National Catholic Church
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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – “B”
 Dwudziesta Niedziela Zwykła
August 15, 2021

Events for the week:

Sun., 8/15/21 – 10:00AM – Holy Mass,
 intention: for Sp. **James Dean**, of. by wife,
 Marjorie.

Blessing of flowers and herbs.

Mon., 8/16/21 – Solemnity:
Dormition/Assumption of the BVM –
transferred from Aug. 15.

9:25AM - Holy Mass, intention: for all
Parishioners.

Tue., 8/17/21 – 8:00AM - Requiem
Holy Mass for **Michał & Maria**
Zaborowscy, of. by Granddaughter,
 Janina.

Fri., 8/20/21 – 8:00AM – Requiem
Holy Mass for **Krystyna Plichta & Helena**
Zaborowska.

Sat., 8/21/21 – 8:45AM – Holy Mass &
Litany to the BVM.

Next Sunday, August 22: XXI Sunday in
Ordinary Time – 10:00AM - Holy Mass,
 intention: for Sp. John David’s family, of.
 by Ms. Barbara David.

Very few people really know who we are and what we can become. The people of Nazareth thought that they knew Jesus, but they didn’t really. Do we try to discover the buried treasure hidden in the hearts of the people around us?

I Reading: Proverbs 9:1-6

II Reading: Ephesians 5:15-20

GOSPEL: John 6:51-58

I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.” The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, “How can this man give us his flesh to eat?” So Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat My flesh and drink My blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for My flesh is true food and My blood is true drink. Those who eat My flesh and drink My blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent Me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats Me will live because of Me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.”

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.
- **September 25** – Craft vendors & Food Track festival.
- **November 12-13** – Central Diocesan Synod in Rome, NY.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – Aug. 17 – Sandra Elsavege; Aug. 21 – Elaine Antalosky.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for – Father Senior Thaddeus Dymkowski – Father Richard Wosiak - Helen Hopko - James Panco – Connie Sincavage – Carl Guzik – Jean Keim – Betty Brazausky - Joseph Ross – Thomas Justen – Marjorie Dean – Monika Dudek. *H & R Center Tremont*: Dolores Halaburda (309); *Luther Ridge Pottsville, PA* – Marie Demnitski (223).

FUTURE MASS INTENTIONS: Aug. 15 – Sp. James Dean; Aug. 22 – Sp. John David's family; Aug. 29 – Children & Youth; Sep. 5 – Sp. James Dean; Sep. 12 – Sp. John David's family.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES. The Classes may start in **September 2021**. I'm asking the parents whose children (age 8 and older) did not receive the Holy Communion, please encouraged your children to attend the classes. **ATTENTION:** Parents, who are not our parishioners, but who would like their children to enroll classes, are asking for donation of \$150.00 for using the church.



CONFIRMATION CLASSES. The Classes will start in **October 2021**. I'm asking the parents whose children was not confirmed, please encouraged your children to attend the classes. The minimum age for Confirmation is 14. Students who will be 14 years old or older in May 2023 are eligible to take confirmation classes. The course is two years, as required by the Church and will be completed in Spring of the year 2023. **ATTENTION:** Parents, who are not our parishioners, but who would like their children to enroll classes, are asking for donation of \$150.00/year, for using the church.

Students must attend Sunday Masses (excuses: illness, traveling, bad weather)

Saint Pauline Society Annual Purse + More Raffle and Homemade Food Sale

Dates: Friday, Sep. 10, 2021

Time: 12Noon to 6:00PM

Sat., Sep. 11, 2021

11:00AM to 4:00PM

Place: Saint Pauline Center, 1150 Chestnut Street, Kulpmont, PA

Price: \$20.00 for a sheet of 26 tickets. After initial purchase, additional sheets of 26 tickets can be purchased for \$10.00. **NEED NOT TO BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

Food: Homemade food will be available for purchase as well as baked goods.