



St. John the Baptist Parish
Polish National Catholic Church
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Second Sunday of Easter - "C"
Druga Niedziela Wielkanocna
April 24, 2022
99th year of service

Events for the week:

Sun., 4/24/22 – 10:00AM – Holy Mass,
intention for **+John David's family**, of. by
Ms. Barbara David.

**Mon., 4/25/22 – Feast – St. Mark,
Evangelist; 8:00AM – Holy Mass**,
intention: for all **Parishioners**.

**Tue., 4/26/22 – Easter Weekday;
8:00AM – Requiem Holy Mass** for
+Father Edward Tomczyk.

**Thu., 4/28/22 - Easter Weekday;
8:00AM – Holy Mass** for the greater
glory of God.

**Sat., 4/30/22 – Solemnity – St. Joseph,
the Workman – 8:45AM – Holy Mass &
Litany to the BVM.**

**11:00AM – Plymouth Seniorate Council
meeting.**

**Next Sunday, May I: III Sunday of Easter
– 10:00AM – Holy Mass**, intention: for
+Edward Elsavage.

➤ Confession.

In today's Gospel reading, the risen Jesus comes among His disciples. As we gather to celebrate the mystery of Easter in our Eucharist, we remember that the risen Lord is just as present here among us as He was with those first disciples.

I Reading: Acts 5:12-16

II Reading: Revelation 1:9-II.12-13.I7-19

GOSPEL: John 20:19-31

In the evening of that same day, the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you', and showed them His hands and His side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and He said to them again, 'Peace be with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.' After saying this He breathed on them and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.' Thomas, called the Twin, who was one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. When the disciples said, 'We have seen the Lord', he answered, 'Unless I see the holes that the nails made in His hands and can put my finger into the holes they made, and unless I can put my hand into His side, I refuse to believe.' Eight days later the disciples were in the house again and Thomas was with them. The doors were closed, but Jesus came in and stood among them. 'Peace be with you' He said. Then He spoke to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; look, here are My hands. Give me your hand; put it into my side. Doubt no longer but believe.' Thomas replied, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him: 'You believe because you can see Me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' There were many other signs that Jesus worked and the disciples saw, but they are not recorded in this book. These are recorded so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing this you may have life through His name.

- Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
- Litany to the BVM.
- Collection for missions.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for – Father Senior Thaddeus Dymkowski – Helen Hopko - James Panco – Jean Keim – Betty Brazausky - Marjorie Dean – Monika Dudek – Elaine Antalosky – Josephine Hause. ***H & R Center Tremont:*** Dolores Halaburda (309); ***Luther Ridge Pottsville, PA*** – Marie Demnitski (223), Carl Guzik; ***Rehab. & Nursing Center Pottsville, PA*** – Thomas Justen (272).

Upcoming Mass intentions: May 1: +Edward Elsavage; May 8: all Mothers; May 15: +James Dean; May 22: +John David's family.

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.

Saturday, April 30 – Seniorate Council meeting – 11:00AM at Frackville, PA.

Thursday, June 16 – Seniorate Corpus Christ service – 7:00PM – Good Shepherd church in Plymouth, PA.

June 15, 5:00PM – June 18, 11:30AM – Men's Spiritual Retreat – Bp Hodur Retreat & Recreation Center, Waymart, PA. Theme: *Being Eucharistic People*.

Saturday, Oct. 1 – Craft vendors & food truck fall event.

Oct. 19-21 – XXVI General Synod in Scranton, PA.

50/50 drawing WINNERS: - Cody and Cali Antalosky - \$115.00.

PRAY FOR UKRAINE, AND FOR THE PEACE OF THE WORLD!