



## St. John the Baptist Parish

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**Solemnity of Pentecost - "C"**

Uroczystość Zesłania Ducha Świętego

**June 5, 2022**

*99th year of service*

### Events for the week:

**Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus  
will be said after each Mass in  
June.**

**Sun., 6/5/22 – 10:00AM – Holy Mass**  
and Litany to the SHofJ, intention: for  
+James Dean, of. by wife Marjorie.

- Confession.
- Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
- Collection for missions.
- Clergy Appreciation Weekend.

**Pentecost Tue., 6/7/22 – 8:30AM –  
Holy Mass**, intention: for all Parishioners.

**Pentecost Wed., 6/8/22 – 8:30AM –  
Holy Mass** for gifts of the Holy Spirit.  
7:00PM – Meeting of District I of the  
PNU – Dupont, PA.

**Pentecost Sat., 6/11/22 – 8:30AM –  
Holy Mass** for God's blessing for the  
Pastor's family.

**Next Sunday, June 12: Solemnity of Holy  
Trinity – 10:00AM – Holy Mass**,  
intention: for +Paul Elsavage.

Today is Pentecost Sunday, the birthday of the Church. We are celebrating, not only a momentous event that happened long ago, but the outpouring of God's love into our lives day by day.

**I Reading:** Acts 2:1-II

**II Reading:** I Corinthians 12:3-7.12-13

**GOSPEL:** John 20:19-23

Jesus said to His disciples: 'If you love Me you will keep My commandments. I shall ask the Father, and He will give you another Advocate to be with you for ever. 'If anyone loves Me he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him. Those who do not love Me do not keep My words. And My word is not My own: it is the word of the one who sent Me. I have said these things to you while still with you; but the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, will teach you everything and remind you of all I have said to you.

### 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.

**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*.

**September 17** – Halupki (gołąbki) sale.

**October 1** – Craft vendors & food truck fall event.

*Remember Clergy Appreciation Weekend & Sacred Vocations Month, pray that the Lord Jesus will send more priests to His Church, and be sure to show you gratitude to your parish clergy by some meaningful gestures of appreciation.*

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** – June 11 – Lance Nelson.

**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; ***Luther Ridge Pottsville, PA*** – Marie Demnitski, Carl Guzik; ***Rehab. & Nursing Center Pottsville, PA*** – Thomas Justen (272).

**Upcoming Mass intentions:** June 12: +Paul Elsavage; June 19: all Fathers; June 26: +John David's family.

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

**November 5** – Chicken pot pie sale.

**PNCC 2022 Future Direction Plan Committee** – Action plan for PNCC parishes based on the efforts of the 24th and 25th General Synods. Continue to develop and emphasize Discipleship through 2022: *Focusing on the importance of receiving our Lord in the Most Holy Eucharist for the strength to faithfully follow Him in word and action. During 2022 we hope more will return in person worship and an active participation in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass receiving the Body and Blood of our Lord in Holy Communion. As this is the central aspect of our worship – our Catholic Christian living will have its roots. We will reflect on different aspect of the Eucharist and how we can live daily as Eucharistic people.*

#### **JUNE – THE SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI**

**Reflection and Action item:** On Thursday after the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, the Catholic Churches around the world celebrate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi. This Solemnity is a religious manifestation and confession of Christian and Catholic faith. On that day, after celebrating the Eucharist the faithful go in a solemn procession with the Blessed Sacrament to four altars. The Solemnity of Corpus Christi has been solemnly celebrated in parishes of the PNCC since her organization. It was adopted from Western Catholic tradition and is strongly connected with our faith in the real presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Processions held within the octave are often combined parish and/or seniorate celebrations. **Action item:** Attending the parish or Seniorate Corpus Christi Service giving thanks and praise to God for His precious gift of the presence of our Lord in the Holy Eucharist.

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