



St. John the Baptist Parish

Polish National Catholic Church

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Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - "C"

Solemnity – Christian Family

Dwudziesta Ósma Niedziela Zwykła – Uroczystość Rodziny Chrześcijańskiej

October 9, 2022

99th year of service

Events for the week:

Sun., 10/9/22 – XXVIII Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00AM – Holy Mass, intention for: +James Dean, of. by wife, Marjorie.

Wed., 10/12/22 - *Weekday*

8:00AM – Holy Mass for all Parishioners.

Sat., 10/15/22 – *Weekday*

Holy Mass & Litany to the BVM.

Next Sunday, Oct. 16: XXIX Sunday – Heritage Sunday

10:00AM – Holy Mass for +Patricia Abicunas

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Oct. 15 – Michelle Shinn.

Today – in the PNCC - we celebrate the importance of value of the family in the contemporary life.

I Reading: Genesis 1:26-28 *or* Sirach 3:11-16

II Reading: Ephesians 6:1-9 *or* Colossians 3:12-14

GOSPEL: Luke 2:42-52

When He was twelve years old, they went up to the festival, according to the custom. After the festival was over, while His parents were returning home, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but they were unaware of it. Thinking He was in their company, they traveled on for a day. Then they began looking for Him among their relatives and friends. When they did not find Him, they went back to Jerusalem to look for Him. After three days they found Him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. Everyone who heard Him was amazed at His understanding and His answers. When His parents saw Him, they were astonished. His mother said to Him, "Son, why have you treated us like this? Your father and I have been anxiously searching for you." "Why were you searching for me?" He asked. "Didn't you know I had to be in my Father's house?" But they did not understand what He was saying to them. Then He went down to Nazareth with them and was obedient to them. But His mother treasured all these things in her heart. And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special Thanks go out to: Church cleaner, Organist, lector, collector, and the Sunday greeters.

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.

Upcoming Mass intentions: Oct. 16: +Patricia Abicunas; Oct. 23: +John David's family.

Lord, forgive our sins, and save America!

Let us pray for the fruitful and successful General Synod of the PNCC!

PRAY FOR

UKRAINE,

AND FOR THE PEACE OF THE WORLD

- Hall for Rent is available...\$100.00 for 2 hours/+ \$25.00 each additional hour, and \$50.00 returnable deposit.

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

November 5 – Chicken pot pie sale.

December 11 – Christmas Party (covered dish) after the Mass.

December 18 – Decorating the church for Christmas.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES. With the upcoming holidays of All Saints and All Souls in the not-too-distant future, we remind our parishioners and friends, to please submit the names of their departed loved ones for remembrance during this holy season. All Soul's Day remembrance request envelopes are placed next to the bulletins. Please fill them out (please: **PRINT**) and return them to the Pastor as soon as possible. (Thank you).

ALL SOULS PRAYER SERVICE will be held in our church on Sunday, October 30, 2022 after the Mass inside the church.