



**St. John the Baptist Parish**

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**Solemnity – Christ the King - Thirty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - “C”**

**Uroczystość Chrystusa Króla - Trzydziesta Czwarta Niedziela Zwykła**

**November 20, 2022**

*99th year of service*

**Events for the week:**

**Sun., 11/20/22 – Solemnity – Christ the King** - XXXIV Sunday in Ordinary Time “C”

**10:00AM – Holy Mass** with the reading of the Memorial List, for **+Bernard Halaburda Jr.**, of. by daughter, Sandra Elsavage & family.

**4:00PM** - Frackville Ministerium Thanksgiving Service – Zion Lutheran Church (Annunciation church).

**Mon., 11/21/22 – Solemnity – Presentation of the BVM – Holy Mass** for all Parishioners.

**Tue., 11/22/22 – Weekday – 9:15AM Requiem Holy Mass** for +Felix & Josephine Gursky... (All Souls).

**11:00AM – Plymouth Seniorate Clergy meeting**, Plymouth, PA.

**Wed., 11/23/22 – Weekday – Requiem Holy Mass** for +Paul Elsavage... (All Souls).

As we come to the end of the Church’s year we are called to rejoice in our one Lord, Jesus Christ, who calls us to freedom and forgiveness of our sins.

**I Reading:** 2 Samuel 5:1-3

**II Reading:** Colossians 1:12-20

**GOSPEL:** Luke 23:35-43

The people stayed there before the cross-watching Jesus. As for the leaders, they jeered at Him. ‘He saved others,’ they said ‘let Him save himself if He is the Christ of God, the Chosen One.’ The soldiers mocked Him too, and when they approached to offer vinegar they said, ‘If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself.’ Above Him there was an inscription: ‘This is the King of the Jews.’ One of the criminals hanging there abused Him. ‘Are you not the Christ?’ he said. ‘Save yourself and us as well.’ But the other spoke up and rebuked Him. ‘Have you no fear of God at all?’ he said. ‘You got the same sentence as He did, but in our case we deserved it: we are paying for what we did. But this man has done nothing wrong. Jesus,’ he said ‘remember me when you come into your kingdom.’ ‘Indeed, I promise you,’ He replied ‘today you will be with me in paradise.’

**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.

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

**December 18** – Decorating the church for Christmas.

Sat., 11/26/22 – *Weekday* - Holy Mass & Litany to the BVM for the Pastor's family.

Next Sunday, Nov. 27: I Sunday of Advent, Cycle "A" begins

10:00AM – Holy Mass with the reading of the Memorial List, for +Felix & Josephine Gursky.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to November 20 – Julian Bednarek.

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: Nov. 27: +Felix & Josephine Gursky; Dec. 4: +Lawrence & Angeline Marcioli; Dec. 11: +James Dean; Dec. 18: +John David's family.

PRAY FOR  
UKRAINE,  
AND FOR THE PEACE OF THE  
WORLD

KINDLY REMINDER – We would like to remind our Parishioners that all financial books for this year would be closed on **December 31, 2022**. Therefore, please, be responsible for your own church and fulfill your obligation to the Parish before that date. **THANK YOU**. A member, who fulfills the financial obligation to the Parish, by paying our yearly dues (\$137.00), is a financial good standing member of the Church. This means that he/she is a voting member of the Parish, can be elected to the Parish Committee, can be elected as a delegate for Synods and Seniorate Council, can be married in the church, and when time comes could be buried at the Parish Cemetery.



Blessed Thanksgiving to you,  
And your loved ones!