

**"The Lord has done
great things for us; we
are filled with joy"**

St. John the Baptist Parish
Polish National Catholic Church
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Passion Sunday of Lent – "C"
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April 6, 2025
102nd year of service

Events for the week:

**Sun., 4/6/25 – V Sunday of Lent –
Passion Sunday**

10:00AM - Holy Mass, intention: for
+John David's family, of. by Ms. Barbara
David.

- *Confession.*
- *Benediction of the Most Blessed
Sacrament.*
- *Collection for missions.*
- *Confirmation class.*

Tue., 4/8/25 – Lenten Weekday

8:15AM – Holy Mass for all
Parishioners.

Wed., 4/9/25 – Lenten Weekday

10:00AM – Choir practice before Palm
Sunda and Easter.

6:00PM – Lenten Ecumenical Service.

Fri., 4/11/25 – Lenten Weekday

6:00PM – The Way of the Cross

Jesus fills us with hope as we see His compassionate understanding towards the people He met.

I Reading: Isaiah 43:16-21

II Reading: Philippians 3:8-14

GOSPEL: John 8:1-11

Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. At daybreak He appeared in the Temple again; and as all the people came to Him, He sat down and began to teach them. The scribes and Pharisees brought a woman along who had been caught committing adultery; and making her stand there in full view of everybody, they said to Jesus, 'Master, this woman was caught in the very act of committing adultery, and Moses has ordered us in the Law to condemn women like this to death by stoning. What have you to say?' They asked Him this as a test, looking for something to use against Him. But Jesus bent down and started writing on the ground with His finger. As they persisted with their question, He looked up and said, 'If there is one of you who has not sinned, let him be the first to throw a stone at her.' Then He bent down and wrote on the ground again. When they heard this they went away one by one, beginning with the eldest, until Jesus was left alone with the woman, who remained standing there. He looked up and said, 'Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?' 'No one, sir' she replied. 'Neither do I condemn you,' said Jesus 'go away, and do not sin any more.'

FUTURE EVENTS

April 20 – Resurrection of the Lord Solemnity

Sep. 21 – Sacrament of Confirmation

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday, April 13: Palm Sunday - VI Sunday of Lent

10:00AM - Holy Mass, intention: for all Parishioners.



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Anniversary best wishes are extended to: April 8 – Marjorie Dean; April 10 – Darlene Stabinsky.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for: Jean Keim – Marjorie Dean – Elaine Antalosky – Josephine Hause. *H & R Center Tremont*. Dolores Halaburda. *Rehab. & Nursing Center Pottsville, PA* – Thomas Justen. *Shenandoah Manor* – Betty Brazausky (A-14)

Special **Thanks** go out to: Organist, Choir Members, lector, collector, and the Sunday greeters. **Ms. Elizabeth Greenman** will clean and decorate the church.

PROJECTED FUNDRAISERS:

50/50 chances, sticky bun sale (with Methodist Church), Chicken dinner (August), stuff shells sale (September), Halushkie sale (October), Sticks sale...

COUNTRY MEATS order form – is available in the vestibule of the church; **\$1.50 each stick**.

MINISTERIUM LENTEN SERVICES (begin at 6:00PM)

April 9 – First United Methodist Church

HISTORY AND ARCHIVES COMMISSION of the PNCC Scholars Conference 2025

I kindly ask that you share the following announcement with your congregation and members of your community who may appreciate and enjoy the **Polish National Catholic Church's 2025 Scholars' Conference, Saturday, April 26th**.

This year's conference features a distinguished group of presenters from Warsaw, Poland; Rome, Italy; Florida; Massachusetts; Pennsylvania; and Ohio. Their topics reflect a broad range of theological, historical, and pastoral insights, and are outlined in the attachment for your reference.

Thank you in advance for your support in helping us spread the word and enrich the intellectual and spiritual life of our wider Church community.

With gratitude,

Father Jim Ploskonka, PhD

Chair, Scholars' Conference

Polish National Catholic Church

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<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89032002553?pwd=RD6YIn3ByUyEzxeU4ZyZ6NZMAeSIYT.I>

24th Mission & Evangelism Workshop will be held on Friday, May 30 through Sunday, June 1, 2025 at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Denver, CO.

Hotel accommodation: **Hampton Inn & Suites Denver-Cherry Creek, 4150 East Kentucky Ave., Glendale, CO 80246**. Please use the hotel code **M&E 2025** when making reservations. To make your reservation, contact the hotel directly at (303) 692-1800, or www.sfdenver.org/mission-and-

[evangelism](#). The deadline for registration is **Tuesday, May 13, 2025**. The cut-off deadline date for obtaining the guaranteed room rate of 30 double queens or 10 king size, \$120.00, plus tax is **Thursday, May 1, 2025**.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS – in case of your inability to come to church on any particular Sunday, please mail or submit your Sunday offerings and donations to our parish. Your church needs your financial support in order to pay utilities and expenses.