

"O God, let all the nations praise You."

St. John the Baptist Parish
Polish National Catholic Church
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Sixth Sunday of Easter – "C"
Szósta Niedziela Wielkanocna
May 25, 2025
102nd year of service

Events for the week:

Sun., 5/25/25 – VI Sunday of Easter
10:00AM – Holy Mass and Litany to the BVM, intention: for Women and Men, who sacrificed their lives for the freedom of our Country and the whole world.

Thu., 5/29/25 – Solemnity – Ascension of our Lord
9:00AM - Holy Mass and Litany to the BVM, for all Parishioners.

Next Sunday, June 1: VII Sunday of Easter – Clergy Appreciation Weekend

June – Sacred Vocation Month
10:00AM – Holy Mass and Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, intention: for +John David's family.

- *Confession.*
- *Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.*
- *Collections for missions.*
- *Confirmation Class.*

The Holy Spirit, the light and life of the community of faith in Jesus, inspires the community to a growing understanding of living out that faith. The process is not without cost and conflict, personally and collectively, but we trust in the Spirit to guide us.

I Reading: Acts 14:21-27

II Reading: Revelation 21:1-5

GOSPEL: John 13:31-35

Jesus said to His disciples: '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. Peace I bequeath to you, my own peace I give you, a peace the world cannot give, this is My gift to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard Me say: I am going away, and shall return. If you loved Me you would have been glad to know that I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. I have told you this now before it happens, so that when it does happen you may believe.'

FUTURE EVENTS

May 30-June 1 – 24th Mission & Evangelism Workshop – Denver, CO

June 19 – Plymouth Seniorate Corpus Christi Service – McAdoo, PA at 6:00PM

Sep. 21 – Sacrament of Confirmation



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE

SICK – especially for: Jean Keim – Marjorie Dean – Elaine Antalosky – Josephine

Hause – James Panco. *H & R Center Tremont*: Dolores Halaburda. *Rehab. & Nursing Center Pottsville, PA* – Thomas Justen. *Shenandoah Manor* – Betty Brazausky (A-14).

**“The nation which
forget its defenders
will be itself
forgotten.”**

Calvin Coolidge

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special **Thanks** go out to: Mrs. Cindy - our Organist, Ms. Elizabeth for church cleaning, lector, collector, and the Sunday greeters.

PROJECTED FUNDRAISERS:

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

Mr. Sticky's Bun Sale: for the benefit of the First United Methodist Church and St. John the Baptist PNCC – **Wed., June 4** -pick up from 9:00AM until 3:30PM; singles are **\$5.00** – ½ Dozen boxes are **\$25.00**. Advance payment only for pre-orders.

Mr. Sticky's trailer will @ Morgan's Garage Third & West Oak Streets.

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.