



Focus Bulletin

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH – OCTOBER 24, 2021

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30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

XXX Niedziela zwykła

October 24, 2021

Rite: Pew Missal, page 63, Canon, page 92.

First reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9

Psalm: 126:1-6

R. The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

Epistle: Hebrews 5:1-6

Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

Intention: 10am for śp. Darryl DePaula off. by Shirley Maliszewski and Dorothy Morrison; Noon for all parishioners.

Celebrant: 10am and Noon, Rev. James Konicki.

Lector: 10am, Larry Panfil

- Mattins at 9:50am. Holy Mass at 10am (Contemporary Rite pg. 63).
- Coffee Hour Reception
- Holy Mass at Noon (Traditional Rite, Pew Missal pg. 15).

THIS WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. God's divine power has bestowed on us everything that makes for life and devotion, through the knowledge of Him Who called us by His own glory and power.

R. Anyone who lacks them is blind and shortsighted, forgetful of the cleansing of his past sins.

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

XXIX Niedziela zwykła

October 31, 2021

Rite: Pew Missal, page 63, Canon, page 92.

First reading: Deuteronomy 6:2-6

Psalm: Psalm 18:2-4,47,51

I love you, Lord, my strength.

Epistle: Hebrews 7:23-28

Gospel: Mark 12:28-34

Intention: 10am or śp. Darryl DePaula off. by Helen Stachewicz;. Noon for all parishioners.

Celebrant: 10am and Noon, Rev. James Konicki.

Lector: 10am, Joe Kaczynski

- Mattins at 9:50am. Holy Mass at 10am (Contemporary Rite pg. 63).
- Coffee Hour Reception
- Holy Mass at Noon (Traditional Rite, Pew Missal pg. 15).

NEXT WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. You, O Lord, are near and all Your commands are permanent. Of old I know from Your decrees, that You have established them forever.

R. See how I love Your precepts, O Lord; in Your kindness give me life.

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

We invite all who believe in the true presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist to partake. It is our practice to distribute the Holy Eucharist. The Body and Blood of Christ are placed on the tongue, never in the hand.

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Upcoming...

- **October 24: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **October 25: Feast – St. Raphael, Archangel (translated).**
- **October 25-27: National Clergy Conference in Buffalo, NY.**
- **October 28: Feast – Ss. Simon and Jude, Apostles. Rosary at 7pm.**
- **October 31: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **November 1: Solemnity of All Saints. Holy Mass at 7pm.**
- **November 2: Observance of All Souls. Holy Mass at Noon. Election Day.**
- **November 7: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon. Daylight Savings Time Ends. All Souls Day Service at Good Shepherd Cemetery at 2:30pm.**
- **November 11: Veteran's Day, Remembrance Day, Polish Independence Day/Dzień Niepodległości.**
- **November 12-13: 13th Holy Synod of the Central Diocese at All Saints Parish, Rome, NY.**
- **November 14: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **November 15: Holy Mass for Healing at 6:15pm. Parish Committee Meeting follows.**

Sick Calls and Hospital Visits – If someone is in need, please let Pastor Jim know so he might visit, pray with, and anoint them. Call Pastor Jim at 518-522-0944.

Strength of Faith

On hearing that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me." And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent.

Over the months of Ordinary Time, (and we only have three Ordinary Sunday’s left) we spend time dedicated to growth. We focus on how we live out the Christian faith, how we walk in Strength of Faith.

Last night, on the Grand Ole Opry, Carrie Underwood sang “Jesus Take The Wheel.” The woman in the song had a barTimaeus experience as she shouts out in despair and hope: Jesus, take the wheel!

"Jesus, son of David, have pity on me. Jesus, son of David, have pity on me! Jesus, son of David, have pity on me!!!"

We humans by design have a natural fight or flight response. Our adrenaline kicks in and

sometimes we can even accomplish superhuman feats.

We see this as each of these people call out to Jesus. The experience of barTimaeus and the woman in the song are testimony to the coordination between our spiritual and physical lives as we hear them call out with all that they are.

In both cases these people find themselves in a very empty place. They are alone, apart, scarred, fearful, and in need of great and immediate help. In both cases they cry out to Jesus. Their bodies and spirits are united in seeking His help. In both cases, with barTimaeus the factual case, the plea is answered.

Did these people live in Strength of Faith?

For barTimaeus, he absolutely lived by faith. He knew that Jesus could save and heal him. It is why he called out despite being criticized. As such, once

Jesus summoned him, he threw aside his cloak – which was both garment and symbol for a beggar who depended on others and went to Jesus. He knew he wouldn’t need that cloak and that he would see. He was fully trusting by the Strength of his Faith.

In the song, after the car is saved, the woman prays, first seeking forgiveness and then pledging amendment of life. She certainly had faith, but no real Strength of Faith. She had not been living faith; hers was dead and cold. She was blocking faith out until the urgency of the situation.

What comes next for each of them is what is most instructive for us and exemplary. Both barTimaeus and the woman moved forward continuing then to live in Strength of Faith. barTimaeus went on to follow Jesus. The woman, freed, recommitted to Strength of Faith.

Both had their shout of plea changed to a shout of proclamation. Both went on to witness boldly to Jesus (even when people told them not to) with all they had. So must we.

And they sang responsively, praising and giving thanks to the Lord, “For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever toward Israel.” And all the people shouted with a great shout when they praised the Lord

Ezra 3:11

Time to Study God’s Word

SUNDAY: Psalm 98:4
MONDAY: Psalm 47:1
TUESDAY: Luke 19:37
WEDNESDAY: Isaiah 12:6
THURSDAY: Psalm 150:1-2
FRIDAY: Joshua 6:20
SATURDAY: Luke 17:15

Pray the week

Lord Jesus, help me to shout out Your praises and to loudly proclaim You to all disregarding any and all obstacles and opposition.

Today’s Music

- Entrance: B1, Hymn of Faith v1 Polish, v2 English
- Glory, E1, Glory Be To God.
- Gospel: E9, Come Holy Ghost.
- Offertory: B261, Virgin Full Of Grace.
- Communion: Look Beyond.
- Communion Reflection: R107, Amazing Grace
- Recessional: R677, They’ll Know We Are Christians.

+++ Reminders & Notes +++

- Thank you to the Węglinski family for a wonderful breakfast held in honor of their dad and grandpa, Stefan. May his memory be eternal!
- Branch 56 of the YMSofR is holding a **Clothing Drive**. Please bring any and all clothing in any condition and drop-off downstairs. The drive goes through November 28th.
- Stay for Coffee Hour**. Enjoy great snacks! Keep inviting people to meet the Lord and join in worship and fellowship.
- Month of the Rosary** – come join us every Thursday in October at 7pm.
- November: The Month of All Souls**. Please send in your remembrances which will be read prior to each Sunday’s Holy Mass in November. Please submit your envelopes by October 31st. All Souls Day services will be conducted at Good Shepherd Cemetery on Sunday, November 7th at 2:30pm.
- Please remember to pray in advance of the upcoming Diocesan Synod** which will be held November 12th and 13th in Rome, New York. Your elected lay representative is Renee Konicki. Please implore the help of the Holy Spirit as we approach this event.
- Father will be in Buffalo Monday through Wednesday. Call his cell in any need.

Spiritual Communion Prayer

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. In flame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior. Amen.

Jasmine Russo, Laura Covari, Alice Houser, Ed Jakubiak, Mariea Chase, Joseph Peplowski, Kelly Noble, Elizabeth Węglinski, Claudia Bertasso, John Clas, Virginia Lamb, Curtis Szczepkowski, Joshua Moraski, Sue & Roger White, Helen Pasiak, Jessie Feathers-Ostrowski, Joanne Bauer, Madison Sheridan, Amber Tatlock, Joe Barratiere, Tom Abbot, Derek Westcott, Karen Kisch, Gregory Henderson, Vince Cacamo, Theresa Ordon, Robert Baia, Michelle Zawistowski, Faith, Allyson Keyser, Amanda Carr, Warren Tatlock, Susan Jones, Garry Packer, Madison Dunlap, Sandra Tatlock, Shirley Maliszewski, Fred Hendricks, Nicholas Emanuele, Theresa, Greg Kaczmarek, Carla, Joanne Houser, Maggie, Susan, Linda, Ed Casey, Virginia Rogers, Carolyn, Francine, Eileen, Joyce Colson, Karen Weyant, Charles Hobbib, James. all suffering due to Coronavirus, and all in need of God’s healing grace.

- All those who serve in the Armed Forces of the United States esp. Michael Angehr, Mark Collins, Pattric Jones, Timothy Olsen, Fr. Joseph Kolek, Fr. Andrew Bilinski, Fr. Stan Jasiurkowski, Fr. Andrew Tenus, Fr. Henryk Wos.
- All those in Public Service: Civil Servants, Police Officers and Fire Fighters.
- All Active and Retired Clergy of the Holy Polish National Catholic Church.
- All Students and Teachers at Mont Pleasant Middle School
- The residents and staff of City Mission of Schenectady
- All who have asked for our prayers for any need or intention.

We continue in prayer and intercession for one of the parishes or ministries in the Polish National Catholic Church/Union of Scranton. This week we remember and pray for the clergy and faithful of Holy Trinity parish, Hamilton, ON.

Bless them, O Lord! Pobłogosław im, O Boże!

Coffee Hour: Thank you to all who support our ministry of hospitality. One day we will gather again and give thanks.

Parish Organizations: Did you know that our Parish has many organizations that need you? The YMSofR - Men’s Society of the Resurrection Branch 56, ANS – Women’s Adoration Society, Choir, Parish Committee, and a reconstituted branch 140/168 of the PNU (Spójnia) all need your help. See Pastor Jim.

--- Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours. ---