



Focus Bulletin

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH – JANUARY 23, 2022

DISCIPLESHIP

2022

PNCC



3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

III Niedziela zwykła

January 23, 2022

Rite: Pew Missal, page 63, Canon, page 88.

First reading: Nehemiah 8:2-6,8-10

Psalm: 19:8-10,15

R. Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 12:12-30

Gospel: Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Intention: 10am and 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, pg. 15).

NEXT WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. How good to celebrate our God in song; how sweet to give fitting praise.

The Lord rebuilds Jerusalem, gathers the dispersed of Israel,

R. Heals the brokenhearted, binds up their wounds.

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.

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

IV Niedziela zwykła

January 30, 2022

Rite: Pew Missal, page 63, Canon, page 88.

First reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5,17-19

Psalm: 71:1-6,15-17

R. I will sing of your salvation.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13

Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

Intention: 10am and Noon For all Church Musicians.

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, pg. 15).

THIS WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. Save us, Lord, our God; gather us from among the nations.

R. That we may give thanks to Your Holy Name and glory in praising You.

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.

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Upcoming...

- **January 23: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **January 24: Daily Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **January 25: Feast – Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle. Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Ends. Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **January 26: Daily Holy Mass at Noon, off. for śp. Louis Konicki.**
- **January 27: Daily Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **January 28: Daily Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **January 30: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Music Scholarship Sunday. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **January 31: Daily Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **February 1: Daily Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **February 2: Solemnity of the Presentation. Holy Mass at Noon with Blessing of Candles/Gromnica.**
- **February 3: Commemoration – St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr. Holy Mass at Noon with Blessing of Throats.**
- **February 4: Daily Holy Mass at Noon.**

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.

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.

Called to Live Anew

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me... He has sent me

Anew – it is a word we will focus on for years to come. Now is the time for our next great step together, to call people anew to knowing, loving, and serving the Lord and His Holy Church right here at this parish.

At the beginning of today’s gospel, Luke, the scientist, addresses Theophilus (translated literally as “Friend of God”), relating to him the gospel message he received.

Luke relates the gospel, not for the sake of telling a story, or even creating a documentary on the life of Jesus (he wasn’t working for the History or Discovery channels), but rather for the purpose of Theophilus’ certainty. He was sending the message so that energized with it, Theophilus would live out and proclaim the gospel message, drawing others to it.

We need the same certainty. We have the same charge.

In regrettable ways many Christians have become bystander faithful, documentary viewing devotees, and going through the motions followers, believers without passion or resolve. Many have forgotten the gospel charge – to go out and proclaim it for the gathering in of fellow disciples.

It must not be so for us. We need to feel within ourselves the Gospel’s confidence and certainty. Armed with its confidence and certainty we then walk the gospel path ever more closely. We proclaim that gospel ever more boldly. We become like Theophilus – each of us a friend of God and witness in our community.

To live life anew, life in the Kingdom already present for us, we must set confidently to work, the work shown us this very day.

Like Ezra and Nehemiah, we are

to call the people in, call them together, and place before them the glory of the gospel word and way – and then celebrate. We are to take the gifts St. Paul reminds us we have each received in different type and proportion and use them with passion for the building up of the Kingdom. By our work and word many are to know, love, and serve the Lord in His Holy Church, members of His body.

Because we are the friends of God, the Theophiloi, residents of and workers in the Kingdom, armed with the great gifts of the Holy Spirit, and charged by Jesus Himself to go out and make disciples, we must take the certainty of the gospel seriously and set to work. We must be bold in our proclamation – sometimes in subtle ways, other times ingeniously, still other times with great verve, but always confidently.

The words Jesus spoke today are not just Self-referential. They apply to us. The Spirit of the Lord is upon us. We are anointed. We are sent.

I can do all things through him who strengthens me.

Philippians 4:13

Time to Study God’s Word

- SUNDAY: Proverbs 3:26
- MONDAY: Isaiah 41:10
- TUESDAY: Hebrews 13:6
- WEDNESDAY: Psalm 20:7
- THURSDAY: 1 John 3:22
- FRIDAY: Hebrews 10:35-36
- SATURDAY: Romans 8:28

Pray the week

Lord Jesus, thank You for drawing me into Your kingdom. Grant me the certainty and confidence to proclaim Your gospel and evangelize those I encounter.

Today’s Music

- Entrance: R190, Angels From The Realms Of Glory.
- Gloria: R192, Angels We Have Heard on High.
- Gospel: R202, As With Gladness Men Of Old.
- Offertory: R203, All My Heart Today Rejoices.
- Communion: Canticle of Zachary & Canticle of the Gift (inst.)
- Communion Reflection: R199, Redeeming Love.
- Recessional: R205, Go Tell It On The Mountain.

+++ Reminders & Notes +++

- Keep inviting people to meet the Lord and join in worship and fellowship.
- OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT: Our Annual Meeting and Election of the Parish Committee and other offices including a XXVI Holy Synod delegate will be held on Sunday, February 6th after 10am Holy Mass. There will be only one Holy Mass that day. We will broadcast the meeting on Zoom.
- Discipleship 2022: We are a Eucharistic People. Let us reflect on the privilege we have in receiving Jesus into ourselves, receive Him with great preparation and reverence, and carry His presence into the world.
- Epiphany Home Blessings: Blessed incense and chalk are available for you to take home. Please see Fr. Jim to schedule a time for a home blessing. Home blessing will be held from January 7th through March 1st.
- YMSofR Clothing Drive: We placed 2nd overall. We collected only slightly fewer clothes than Holy Mother of the Rosary Cathedral. Well done.
- SMILE – If you are shopping on Amazon, go to AmazonSmile and choose Holy Name of Jesus PNCC as your charity.
- Valentine’s Raffle. See Fr. Jim or Linda if you need more ties. Please turn in by February 6th.
- Confirmation and First Communion Classes are currently being arranged.

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.

Praying for:

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, Maggie, Susan, Linda, Ed Casey, Virginia Rogers, Carolyn, Francine, Eileen, Joyce Colson, Karen Weyant, Charles Hobbib, James. Kevin, 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, Patric Jones, Timothy Olsen, Charlie Prothero, Fr. Joseph Kolek, Fr. Andrew Bilinski, Fr. Stan Jasiurkowski, Fr. Andrew Tenus.
- 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 Providence of God Parish, Scranton, PA.

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

Coffee Hour: Thank you to all who support our ministry of hospitality. Please sign up to support a week. We are also in need of people to serve for 6 months as kitchen coordinator.

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 Branch 140/168 of the PNU (Spójnia) all need your help. See Pastor Jim.

Of note . . .

--- And He said to them, “Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation.” ---