



Focus Bulletin

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH – JULY 10, 2022

DISCIPLESHIP

2022

PNCC



15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

XV Niedziela zwykła

NOTE: Readings and Propers from the 24th Sunday

July 10, 2022

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

First reading: Exodus 32:7-10,13-14

Psalm: Ps 51:3-4,12-13,17,19

I will rise and go to my father.

Epistle: 1 Timothy 1:12-17

Gospel: Luke 15:1-32

Intention: 10am and Noon for all parishioners.

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

Lector: 10am, Lauren DeBlois.

- Mattins at 9:55, Holy Mass at 10am (Contemporary Rite, pg. 63). Exposition and Benediction for special intentions.
- Mini Coffee Hour Reception
- Holy Mass at Noon (Traditional Rite, Pew Missal pg. 15).

NEXT WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. Help us, God our savior, for the glory of Your Name. Deliver us, pardon our sins for Your Name's sake.

R. Do not hold past iniquities against us; may Your compassion come quickly, for we have been brought very low.

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.

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

XVI Niedziela zwykła

July 17, 2022

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

First reading: Genesis 18:1-10

Psalm: Ps 15:2-5

He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

Epistle: Colossians 1:24-28

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Intention: 10am and Noon for all parishioners.

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

Lector: 10am, Larry Panfil.

- Mattins at 9:55, Holy Mass at 10am (Contemporary Rite, pg. 63).
- Mini Coffee Hour Reception
- Holy Mass at Noon (Traditional Rite, Pew Missal pg. 15).

THIS WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be given you besides.

R. Entrust your works to the Lord, and your plans will succeed.

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...

- **July 10: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **July 11: Requiem Holy Mass at 11am for Kevin Prusky.**
- **July 12: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 13: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 14: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 15: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 17: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **July 18 – 22: CONVO at Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, IN. No Daily Holy Mass.**
- **July 23: Women's meeting at 10am.**
- **July 24: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.**
- **July 25: Feast – St. James the Greater. Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 26: Commemoration – Ss. Joachim and Ann. Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 27: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 28: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 29: Holy Mass at Noon.**
- **July 30: March Schenectady for Jesus at 12:30pm from Jerry Burrell Park.**

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.

Trust in Jesus.

Indeed, the grace of our Lord has been abundant, along with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. This saying is trustworthy and deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

I am so thankful that we have joined together in worship this Sunday as we once again celebrate the confidence we have in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Last week we began celebrating that confidence. If we trust in Jesus and take the risks He prompts us to venture, all turns out well (even if it seemingly doesn't).

You see, our faith-based trust is not about specific accomplishment as we see it, but about walking the gospel path Jesus laid out. We repent of sin, we believe in Him, we join in worship and fellowship, and we proclaim Jesus in every aspect of our lives. In doing so all outcomes in Jesus are the best. Trusting in Jesus gives us ultimate victory, a place of honor in the

Father's house.

But what happens if we fail to live up to God's call, to Jesus' gospel, to the Holy Spirit's promptings?

Today's reading and gospel tell us of a seeing and seeking God whose heart, i.e., His whole self, longs to embrace us and forgive us for as St. Paul says - *Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners* – we who fail from time to time.

In Exodus, Israel rebels and rejects God for a cold metal statue of nothing. The God Who saves was rebuffed. The God Who stretched out His mighty arm in power to free and save His people was rejected for depravity. He saw it all, it was all done right in front of His holy mountain, right at His front door. Knowing God's holiness and justice must be satisfied, Moses pleads for his people and God relents of the punishment they deserved. His seeking heart of compassion and mercy prevails.

St. Paul knew God's seeing and

seeking heart so well. In writing to the Church at Colossae, he recalls all the wrong he had done, his life as a blasphemer and a persecutor, his very arrogance that separated him from God. In recalling it all Paul shows us the reality of God's mercy made fully evident in Jesus who called him out of sin, who freed him by grace alone, and made him His minister.

Jesus' parables today give us an image of the seeking and seeing God. He is the caring shepherd in search of the lost lamb. He seeks the lost coin. In both cases the work of seeking and seeing is consistent, it does not stop because God does not stop.

As with the prodigal son, and his father, again a symbol of our Father, we experience the constancy of the Father. He awaits our trust, our step toward Him, our testimony of confidence in His abundance, and our effort to work again for His Kingdom.

Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.

James 5:16

Time to Study God's Word

SUNDAY: 2 Corinthians 5:17
MONDAY: 2 Timothy 2:22-23
TUESDAY: Isaiah 1:16-17
WEDNESDAY: 2 Peter 1-3
THURSDAY: Galatians 2:20
FRIDAY: 1 John 1:9
SATURDAY: Proverbs 28:13

Pray the week

Lord Jesus, thank you for revealing the Father's merciful heart to us. Grant that we trust in His mercy and share that mercy with all we encounter.

Today's Music

- Entrance: B1, Hymn Of Faith.
- Gospel: B142, Holy Spirit.
- Offertory: Seek Ye First (handout).
- Communion: Here I Am Lord (handout)
- Communion Reflection: R334, We Praise Thee.
- Exposition and Benediction: B147-150.
- Recessional: R337, Paise To The Lord Almighty.

+++ Reminders & Notes +++

- Summer Reminders:** If you are traveling, first check the PNCC website at www.pncc.org to see if there is a PNCC parish near you for worship. Stop in and say hello, worship there, you will be very welcome. If there is no PNCC parish, you may attend a Roman parish and receive the Eucharist. You are required to keep the discipline of our Church – fast for two hours and receive on the tongue only from a priest or deacon.
- A Big Kurs Thank You:** Our Kurs participants had a wonderful week of fellowship growing in trust of Jesus and each other. Erickaa, Traviss, David, and Paul experienced something very special and blessed in this week and it is all because of your support. THANK YOU!!!!
- Keep inviting people** to meet the Lord and join in worship and fellowship.
- Mini Coffee Hour:** We will hold a mini coffee hour throughout the summer sponsored by the Kaczynski family. We welcome all to join in.
- A Summer Prayer:** Loving God, Creator of all times and places, we thank you for the gift of summertime, the days of light, warmth and leisure. As we open our eyes and ears to the landscape of nature and people, open our hearts to receive all as gift. Give us that insight to see you as the Divine Artist. Help us to realize and appreciate that You are laboring to keep all in existence. Warm our souls with the awareness of your presence. Let all the gifts we enjoy this summer deepen our awareness of your love so that we may share this with others and enjoy a summertime of re-creation. Amen
- Fr. Jim Away:** Fr. Jim will be away from the parish from July 18th through 22nd for Convo. In an emergency, please call Fr. Mark at 518-453-2258.
- Give Thanks This Week For Every Blessing:** Two years ago was quite different. Look back and give glory to God for His hand of protection over us.

Jasmine Russo, Laura Covari, 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, Allyson Keyser, Amanda Carr, Warren Tatlock, Susan Jones, Garry Packer, Madison Dunlap, Sandra Tatlock, Shirley Maliszewski, Fred Hendricks, Nicholas Emanuele, Theresa, Carla, Maggie, Susan, Linda, Carolyn, Francine, Eileen, Joyce Colson, Karen Weyant, Charles Hobbib, Helen Spencer, Steve and Claudia Miller, Barbara Rogers, Michael Clough, Ken, Frances Gary, Kevin Prusky, Christina, 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 BVM of Częstochowa Parish, Latham, NY.

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 coordinators.

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.

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

Of note...