



Focus Bulletin

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH – NOVEMBER 13, 2022

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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

XXXIII Niedziela zwykła

November 13, 2022

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

First reading: Malachi 3:19-20

Psalm: Ps 98:5-9

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Epistle: 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

Intention: 10am for śp. Edward & Josephine Panfil and Noon for all parishioners and All Souls remembered.

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

Lector: 10am, Joe Kaczynski.

- Mattins at 9:55, 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. The day of the Lord will come like a thief, and then the heavens will pass away with a mighty roar and the elements will be dissolved by fire, and the earth and everything done on it will be found out.

R. **But according to His promise we await new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells.**

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.**

Solemnity of Christ the King

Uroczystość Jezusa Chrystusa, Króla Wszechświata

November 20, 2022

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

First reading: 2 Samuel 5:1-3

Psalm: 122:1-5

R. Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

Epistle: Colossians 1:12-20

Gospel: Luke 23:35-43

Intention: 10am and Noon, for all parishioners and All Souls remembered.

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

Lector: 10am, Larry Panfil.

- Mattins at 9:55, Holy Mass at 10am (Contemporary Rite, pg. 63).
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NEXT WEEK'S ENTRANCE HYMN

V. The Lord guides the world with a turn of His hand, and all things obey His will. For He is King of all, and by His power He separates what is holy from what is not.

R. **All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord; All the families of the nations shall bow down before Him. For dominion is the Lord's, and He rules the nations.**

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, by placing the elements on the tongue, never in the hand.

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Upcoming...

- November 13: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.
- November 14: Holy Mass at Noon. Parish Committee Meets at 6pm.
- November 15: Holy Mass at Noon. Koronka do Praskiego Dzieciątka Jezus od 12:30.
- November 16: Holy Mass at Noon.
- November 17: Holy Mass at Noon.
- November 18: Holy Mass at Noon.
- November 20: Solemnity – Christ the King. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon.
- November 21: Solemnity – Presentation of the B.V.M. Holy Mass at Noon.
- November 22: Commemoration – St. Cecelia. Holy Mass at Noon. Koronka do Praskiego Dzieciątka Jezus od 12:30.
- November 23: Holy Mass at Noon.
- November 24: Thanksgiving.
- November 25: Holy Mass at Noon.
- November 27: 1st Sunday of Advent. New Liturgical Year Begins. Holy Mass at 10am and Noon. Blessing of Advent Wreath and Oplátky/Christmas Wafers

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.

Our testimony

"Before all this happens, however, they will seize and persecute you, they will hand you over to the synagogues and to prisons, and they will have you led before kings and governors because of my name. It will lead to your giving testimony."

Thank you for joining us this Sunday as we testify to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

After a long, nearly three-year journey across Israel and Samaria, preaching the gospel, proclaiming the kingdom, teaching the apostles and disciples, Jesus arrives in Jerusalem. He preaches in the temple precincts with the same message, these times tinged with the exigency of His coming arrest, suffering, death, and resurrection.

As Jesus teaches, people are commenting on the magnificence of the Temple. Indeed, it was the place to be, the place to meet God. We might speed by this comment about the way the Temple was adorned, but we should not set aside its overwhelming presence. Even from afar you could see it towering over

Jerusalem. Its walls magnificent white with large gold plates. Sparking jewels and offerings on its walls. This – and it was still under construction. Indeed, it would not be completed until 63 A.D., seven years before it is destroyed completely by the Roman army.

Jesus tells of the Temple’s coming destruction. Now, when someone predicts something like this, especially involving something so magnificent and meaningful in the lives of the people who fill and journey to this holy city, we all want to know more, and the disciples take up our curiosity and ask: "Teacher, when will this happen?"

Certainly, our minds cannot help to think of what is to come. But, in the Gospels Jesus stresses something different no matter how much people persist in their inquiries about the end and His return.

In our own day there are those prophets of doom who say they represent Jesus (really only a shadow of Who Jesus is) and tell us the end is neigh. Our own flights of fancy go from Jesus’ return out of

the rising sun in the East with trumpet blast and astride a white steed followed by all who had previously fallen asleep and the heavenly host of angels. Then we start thinking of ourselves, will I be a sheep or a goat?

Yes, there were those time I fed and clothed, visited, but then again, there were times I hoarded, fought, over-ate, and ignored. And we get a little worried – we should because it keeps us honest in our weekly confession.

Jesus warns us today – do not get caught up in all that end-times stuff. If we truly are to be His disciples and Kingdom dwellers, then we have far more important work to do. There will be bad times; people will disappoint and betray us; storms, earthquakes, and other awful stuff will happen – and through it all, no matter what, we are to testify, to proclaim Jesus and His Kingdom because only His overwhelming presence matters, frees, and makes those who believe ever secure.

"But concerning that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father only."

Matthew 24:36

Time to Study God's Word

SUNDAY: Matthew 24:44
MONDAY: 2 Timothy 3:1-5
TUESDAY: Matthew 24:42
WEDNESDAY: 2 Peter 3:3-4
THURSDAY: Revelation 22:20
FRIDAY: Revelation 22:7
SATURDAY: Revelation 21:4

Pray the week

Lord Jesus, grant that I may, be found proclaiming Your Holy Name and Kingdom the very minute Your return in glory. Amen.

Today's Music

- Entrance: R306, My Lord What A Morning.
- Gloria: E1, Glory Be.
- Gospel: E9, Come Holy Ghost.
- Offertory: The Harvest Of Justice (handout).
- Communion: Be Not Afraid (instrumental)
- Communion Reflection: R305, Jesus Is Coming Again.
- Recessional: R651, Jesus Never Fails.

+++ Reminders & Notes +++

- IMPERITIVE! IMPORTANT! Seniorate Gathering.** We will gather as a Seniorate on December 3rd at 11am for Holy Mass and sharing (and of course food) at Blessed Virgin Mary Parish in Latham. Our National Youth leader, Jorge Arjona is flying in from Denver to meet with parish youth. Bishop Bernard will be present. It is essential that we and ALL our youth be present.
- Pizza and Game Night:** Thank you to all who set-up and all who attended. It was great!
- THANK YOU** – To all who are assisting YMSofR Branch 56 in counting and preparing clothing donations.
- VIRTUAL ADVENT REFLECTION FOR YOUTH:** Attention Parish Youth, parents, grandparents: The National Youth Advent Reflection is happening on Friday, December 2nd at 7:30pm via Zoom. This will be a 20-minute presentation of video, songs, and prayerful reflection. Please share. Spread the word! Be there! To receive the Zoom link, you can either scan the QR code or E-mail Kathy at kathynemkovick@gmail.com



- Keep inviting people** to meet the Lord and join in worship and fellowship.
- PNU and You:** Have you considered PNU Annuity? They are currently **paying 3.75%** - better than anywhere else. How about. There is currently a special 5 for 125 program and no application for insurance will be denied. It is available for people ages 25 to 80. See Fr. Jim our Branch Secretary.

Praying for:

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, Frances Gary, Dan Crawley, 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 St. Casimir’s Parish, Wallingford, CT.

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 Fr. Jim.

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

Of note...