

Bulletin

Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish

Polish National Catholic Church

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May 17, 2009. Sixth Sunday of Easter.

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Did you ever meet a person who told you bluntly that he/she did not believe in love? Social workers, prison chaplains, teachers in both ghetto and middle-class high schools meet such persons all the time. People who do not believe in love often have a sad history behind them. It may be a broken home, parents neglecting them, friends cheating and lovers double crossing them. Where love was expected, rejection was received! The result is that entirely negative outlook of the lonesome and unhappy outcast.

Today's Liturgy deals with love of God and fellow humans. God loves you but it does not make sense even to mention this if the addressee does not believe in love at all. Love is something that must be learned and experienced from early infancy. It must be developed and fostered first on the human level; only then can it be given its religious dimension of God and the neighbor. It is so important that all of us who must be witnesses of Christianity make outsiders first believe in our love on the human level. Only then can they believe in God's love.

Questions for reflection

"Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people, who have received the Holy Spirit even as we have?"

- How do you confront bigotry when it is expressed in public and private ways in your community?

Beloved, let us love one another because love is of God.

- How much of your day is given over to acts of love, and how much to contrary attitudes and activity?

"I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy might be complete."

- What do you do every day to express your love and to bring happiness to those whom you love?

HOLY MASSES

May 17, 2009. Sixth Sunday of Easter.

9:00am Holy Mass for Irene Januszewski req. by Blanch, Scatty and Jane Forrester. + Stanley Vuz req. by Kaiser and Vuz families.

11:00am Polska Msza Sw. za dusze sp. Jozefa Zlotek I Tadeusza Barc zam. wnuczka i chrzesnica. + Stanislaw Marchut zam. syn Janusz wraz z rodzina.

May 24, 2009. Seventh Sunday of Easter.

9:00am Holy Mass for + James Volovski req. by Rose and Ted Ciulak.

11:00am Polska Msza Sw. za parafian

Events and activities

Responsorial Psalm for today is:

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

Please check this out; our new website: www.transfigurationpncc.org

May 20, 2009. May Devotion at 7:00 PM, following parish committee meeting

May 21, 2009. Solemnity - Ascension of the Lord.

**Chinese Auction Sunday June. 07th 2009. Set up Sat. June. 06 1:00PM
Doors open 1:00PM. Auction starts 2:30PM. Table and dark horse gifts
are needed. Please see Linda Zulkowski or Ray Bielski if you have any
questions.**

**THE NATIONAL YOUTH CONVOCATION MEETING WILL BE HELD AT HOLY
MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH IN DUPONT, PA SATURDAY MAY 30, 2009
AT 11:30AM**

ACOLYTE RETREAT - Bishop Anthony Mikovski and the clergy of the Central Diocese at their meeting on October 23, 2008, decided to organize Acolyte Retreat for the Central Diocese of the PNCC in summer of the year 2009. The retreat will be held from Tuesday, June 23 (noon), through Friday June 26 (noon) 2009 at the Bishop Hodur Retreat and Recreation Center, Spojnia Farm, Waymart, PA. The participants will have a great opportunity to pray together in order to know better our Lord Jesus Christ and to spend a wonderful time with "old" and "new" friends. The deadline for registration is June 12, 2009. Cost of retreat: \$60. Registration Forms and Information Sheet are at the parish office.

Please pray for all the sick and shut-ins especially for: Caren Lagerstrom, Mr. & Mrs. Zavatsky, Jean Manowiecki, Edmund Satulla, Bp. Anthony Rysz, Bp. John Swantek, Julia Paluszek, Theodore Ciulac, Catherin Zglobicki, Jennie Corrigan, Frank Kusniesz and all in need of our prayers.

One of the most meaningful tradition that has evolved in Wallington is the Memorial Day Parade. This celebration allows us to honor those who have served this country through the armed forces. It is a symbol of patriotism and an appreciation of history. This year`s Memorial Day Pared is scheduled for Monday, May 25, 2009. As in past Fr. Gregory is invited to participate in the program.

Sacrament of Baptism: Arrangements should be made at least two weeks prior to the ceremony.
Sacrament of Matrimony: Arrangement should be made at least six months in advance. Contact the Pastor before setting a date or making final plans.
Emergencies, Sickness and Death should be reported to the rectory office immediately.

Welcome to Our Visitors - We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! Please introduce yourself to the Pastor after Mass, please write your names in the guest book located in the vestibule of the church. Please remember that you are always welcome to join us in worship at Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish.

The BULLETINS for the month of May are donated by Young Women`s Guild Society in memory of deceased sisters.