

# Bulletin – Parish News

Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish

Polish National Catholic Church

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June 19, 2011. **Holy Trinity. Father's Day.**

The Rev. Gregory Mludzik, Pastor.

Raymond Bielski, Parish Chairman    Dawn Wassman, Music Minister

The first thing our parents taught us about our religion was most probably the sign of the cross. The last thing a priest will do at our graveside is making the sign of the cross over our body. A Christian's life is marked "in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit".

The revelation of God as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit tell us first of all what God is for us. But as to the mysterious unity of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we can only stammer with inadequate human concepts, which are not able to express the ineffable mystery of God in him. Human beings want to know. But we must realize that more important than knowing about God is knowing God, the way two beloved know one another! An intimate person-to-person relationship gives a knowledge, which cannot possibly be expressed in human terminology. It is that kind of knowledge of God, which ultimately satisfies a human being. "How deep are the riches and the wisdom and the knowledge of God! How inscrutable his judgments, how unreachable his ways.

## **QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION**

Having come down in a cloud, the Lord stood with Moses there.

- What do you do to further your friendship and intimacy with the magnificent Lord of the capital letters?

Live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you.

- What are the factors working against peace in your family?
- Community?
- Our nation?
- Among the nations?

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son.

- How do you praise the God of great mysteries, and give thanks to the God who seeks your friendship?

## **HOLY MASSES**

June 19, 2011. Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. Father's Day.

Second collection for clergy pension fund.

9:00am Holy Mass for all Fathers.

11:00am Polska Msza Św. w intencji wszystkich ojców.

June 26, 2011. Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

9:00AM Holy Mass for Baby Matthew Chajkowski req. by Heather Chajkowski.

11:00AM Polska Msza Św. w intencji śp. Aliny i Eugeniusza Elman zam. Barbara Piechuta z rodzina.

## **EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

**Responsorial Psalm for today is: Glory and praise forever!**

I would like to thank all those who in any way participated in our Gift Action, to those who helped set up tables, to those who sold tickets and food, it could not have been done with out you. A special thanks goes to Linda Zulkowski. Our Gift Action this year was very successful, we made \$2,829. May God Bless you for all your continued effort for God's glory and the beauty of His Temple.

ACOLYTE RETREAT - Bishop Anthony Mikovsky and the clergy of the Central Diocese at their meeting on October 23, 2010, decided to organize Acolyte Retreat for the Central Diocese of the PNCC in summer of the year 2011. The retreat will be held from Tuesday, June 28 (noon), through Friday July 1<sup>st</sup>. (noon) 2011at the Bishop Hodur Retreat and Recreation Center, Spójnia 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 19, 2011. Cost of retreat: \$65. Registration Forms and Information Sheet are at the parish office.

June 26, 2011. *Solemnity - Corpus Christi* will be held at Holy Cross Parish in West Paterson, NJ at 4 PM. We are all invited.

June 20, 2011. Parish Committee Meeting at 7:00PM

Dear Parent/Guardian and Camper: school is almost out and summer is right around the corner. That means it's time once again for the annual Kurs encampment. Campers imagine nine days of fun filled activities and an opportunity to see old friends and make new ones. Now parents, this also means you can get a little vacation from the kids too, so don't hesitate to send them. They will be in good hands! **Registration and drop off of campers will begin Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup> at approximately 3:00 P.M. Pick up of campers will begin Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> at approximately 12:00 P.M. Please do not come earlier than the times listed for drop off and pick up of campers.** The Kurs encampment is a Polish National Catholic Church tradition sponsored by the Y.M.S. of R Central Committee. The camp is open to all members of the church at a cost of \$190 per child. If you are bringing a friend who is not a member of the church, the cost is \$230. Non-Polish National Catholic Church members are only able to pay with cash or money order. Don't forget that Spójnia, Inc., who owns the Bishop Hodur Retreat & Recreation Center, will be holding its annual **Independence Day Celebration on Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup>**. Mass will be offered by the Most Rev. Prime Bishop Anthony Mikovsky in the retreat center at approximately 11 :00 A.M. with the annual picnic of ethnic food to follow.

*Please pray* for all the sick and shut-ins especially for: Marian Sowa, Caren Lagerstrom, Joseph Zavatsky, Edwin Zulkowski, Jean Manowiecki, Bp. Anthony Rysz, Bp. John Swantek, Fr. Senior Eugeniusz Stelmach, Julia Paluszek, Theodore Ciulac, Catherin Zglobicki, Catherin & Frank Kusniesz, Wanda and Andrew Closterman, and all in need of our prayers.

*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.*