

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ ✠ ✠ August 30th



Incarnation of Our Lord

**A Roman Catholic Parish of the
Diocese of Allentown**

*Founded in 2008 as a merger of Slovak,
Hungarian, Windish, Polish and
Italian Parishes.*

“ Many Pasts, ONE United Future. “

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Incarnation Parish

Holy Ghost Church

A Roman Catholic Parish of the

Diocese of Allentown

Founded in 1871 as a

German Ethnic Parish

—150th Anniversary Year —

—Pentecost 2020—2021 —

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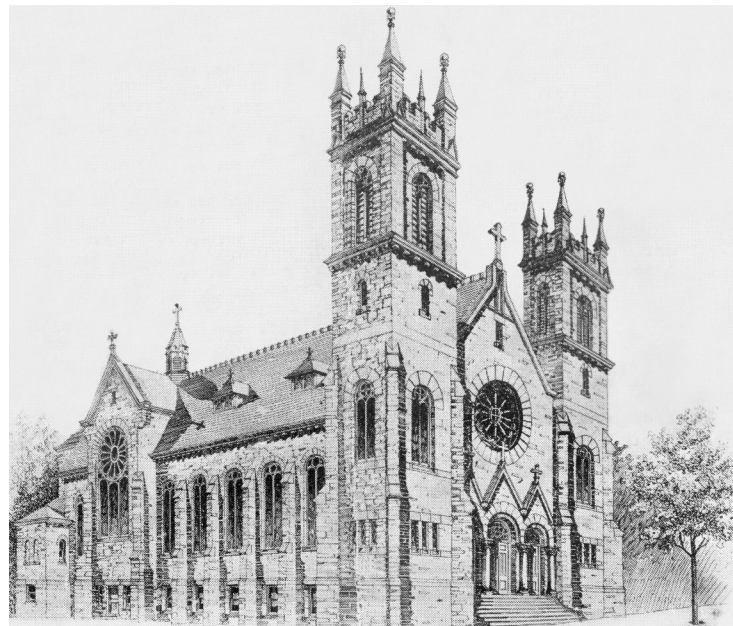
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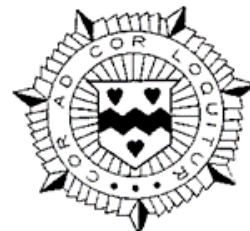
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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

*My dear parishioners ,
In today's gospel, Jesus challenges us to follow the way of the cross. To imitate his self sacrifice and service for the good of all. Too often we are like Peter who said, "God forbid! May He save you from suffering.". Jesus wants him to understand that self sacrifice for the good of others is the core of His message. From our daily routine, we can see that; very often, we need to put others first: spouse, children, grandchild. All who depend on us for help. We live in a "me first" Society. What is in it for me? is a question often asked in our world. Jesus was our Savior who put other people's welfare before His own. It led Him to a painful suffering and death. That became the cause of the salvation of humanity. Remember, there is no Easter without a Good Friday; no empty tomb without the saving Cross of Jesus. Let us celebrate this Paschal mystery every Sunday when it is really present in the Eucharist.*

Thank you for continuing to participate in parish life despite the limitations.

May Jesus bless you and keep your families safe. Remember those carrying the cross of loneliness and isolation.

your pastor and friend,

Father David Kozak

**Incarnation of Our Lord Parish
would like to welcome the
Polish Community
to our Parish!**

Financial Donations:

Please clearly indicate the amount of your financial offerings on your church envelopes when you submit them to the church. This assistance helps us with recording accurately especially if you use your church offerings for tax deduction purposes. Unquestionably, your financial donations, submitted by bank check, is an indisputable and accurate record should you be audited.

Pope Francis's prayer to Mary during coronavirus pandemic

Let us Pray,

O Mary, you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need, and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection. Amen. Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.



(INC) "BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC"

ANNUAL APPEAL

As of today, 20.00% of our parish families have joined the 2020 BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC ANNUAL APPEAL. In other words, 76 parishioners have contributed \$10,543.00 to support food programs, senior services, community outreach, Catholic schools, and more. Every dollar helps those in need. Our parish goal is 100% participation! Remember, every gift counts, no gift is too small. If you have any questions, or would like to make a gift, please call the parish office or visit the Appeal website at www.BecauseWeareCatholic.org.

(HG) "BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC"

ANNUAL APPEAL

As of today, 13.40% of our parish families have joined the 2020 BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC ANNUAL APPEAL. In other words, 43 parishioners have contributed \$6,575.00 to support food programs, senior services, community outreach, Catholic schools, and more. Every dollar helps those in need. Our parish goal is 100% participation! Remember, every gift counts, no gift is too small. If you have any questions, or would like to make a gift, please call the parish office or visit the Appeal website at www.BecauseWeareCatholic.org.

The following guidelines are in place in order to protect the health of the clergy and faithful and are **REQUIRED** to be followed without exception. We ask your patience, cooperation and support through this process.

+You do not have to attend Mass in the Green Phase if you feel uncomfortable, worried about crowds, ill or high risk, etc. The obligation to attend Mass is suspended until we enter the Green Phase.

+You MUST wear a face covering (mask) while in the Church. or on Church Grounds This is for your safety and everyone else's safety. The COVID-19 virus has not gone away; it is still here and searching for victims to infect. You must sanitize your hands before entering church and upon leaving. Both Parish Churches have been Disinfected and decontaminated by a remediation Company and will be done regularly.

+Please maintain social distance in the pews and aisles. Keep the 6 feet of separation. Blue tape will indicate where you can sit. Families/same households can sit together. We are allowed 50% of capacity (about 224 people) at each Mass.

+Live stream recording of the Mass will continue for those who are more comfortable to remain safely at home 4PM at Holy Ghost Church and 10:00am at Incarnation of Our Lord Church.

+There will be no offertory procession. the collection basket will be passed ONLY ONE TIME AT OFFERTORY!

+Communion will be distributed at the usual time. Rather than after Mass. Everyone will approach the altar by the center aisle, keeping social distance and leave Church immediately thereafter-receiving Holy Communion. When receiving Communion, you will move your mask aside. Receiving Communion in the hand is the preferred method. However, if you wish to receive in the traditional way on the tongue please follow these guidelines. 1. Open your mouth as wide as you can. 2. Stick out your tongue as far as you can. 3. Tilt your head back. 4. Do not move your head; keep it still. 5. Do not close your mouth fast and lick my fingers. (This does happen.)

LIVESTREAM ON Parish FACEBOOK Pages WEEKLY : 4pm Saturday will be Livestream from Holy Ghost Church and 10am Sunday from Incarnation of our Lord Church.

Mass Schedules for Both Parishes

Holy Ghost—417 Carlton Ave.

Confessions—Saturdays 3-3:45pm

Mass Sundays-10am & 12:10pm

Mass Saturdays—4pm

Also, 5pm in the Anglican Rite



Incarnation of our Lord—617 Pierce Street

Confessions—Saturdays 3-3:45pm

Mass Sundays - 10am English & 12noon in Polish

Mass—Saturdays—4pm



Weekday Masses—Monday thru Friday 8am at Holy Ghost

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament @ Holy Ghost
every Wednesday after 8am Mass til 12 noon

(INC) P.A.G. NEWS.....

Monthly 50/50 Drawing – Reminder – \$5 per entry, and since this drawing takes place electronically, just make your donation in multiples of \$5. Donation envelopes must be received by the last day of the month. Thank you for your support. Congratulations to our July winners –

- Mr. & Mrs. George Vincovich (\$82.50),
- Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Bolcar (\$49.50),
- Cynthia Pavelko-Tracy (\$33.00).

Updates about these upcoming PAG events:

- Polka Mass & Halupki Dinner – CANCELLED (originally scheduled for 9/12/20)
- Halupki Sale – CURRENTLY STILL ON (Saturday 10/24/20)
- Movie & Pizza Night – CURRENTLY STILL ON (Saturday 11/14/20, after special 4pm Mass)

Incarnation of Our Lord Financials

Weekly collection for 8 / 23 = \$ 1,776.00
plus Online Giving = \$ 203.00
Total = \$ 1,979.00

Can you do more for your Parish?

**INCARNATION OF OUR LORD PARISH
Fall Bazaar and Yard Sale are cancelled
this year due to the Pandemic.**



Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator:

Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC
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Secretary for Youth Protection:

Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS
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Holy Ghost Financials

Weekly collection for 8 / 23 = \$ 1907.00
plus Online Giving = \$ 195.00
Total = \$ 2102.00

Can you do more for your Parish?

GARAGE SALE will be held on Saturday, September 12, 2020, between 9:00 AM and 12 Noon.

We expect to place many items outside the garage so in the event of rain, the sale will be moved to the following Saturday, September 19th. We are accepting items for the sale . please call the parish office before you come to make your donation to insure that someone is there to accept the donation. We will accept usable small appliances, toys, board games (no missing pieces), kitchenware, gardening tools, CDs, cookbooks and costume jewelry. We will NOT accept clothing, shoes, blankets, or bedding. Shoppers will have to wear masks to enter the garage.

SHOOFLY PIES Order forms for home-made shoofly pies will be available the weekend of September 5 and 6. All orders must be received by September 14. These are the same pies -- only larger -- that many parishioners enjoyed previously. The Allentown church is no longer making the pies and has shared the recipe with us. If you like shoofly pie, you will LOVE this pie.

HOLIDAY MARKET There are many ways in which parishioners can support our Holiday Market. We will be publishing more information about what will be available at the market and how you can help starting in September.

✠ **OUR WEEK OF GRACE AND PRAYER** ✠

SAT. Aug 29th —4PM (HG)FACEBOOK LIVESTREAM

✠ Dr. Robert Stull by Wife Debbie & Family
(INC) 4:00pm ✠ Linda Stephan by The Family

SUN. Aug. 30th 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

(HG) 12 Noon ✠Augustine “Augie” Sebastianelli
by The Sebastianelli Family

FACEBOOK LIVESTREAM (INC) 10am

✠Cecilia Zakeski by Daughter Mary Ann Zakeski

(INC) 12 Noon - Polish Mass

(HG) 5:00pm—Mass in the Anglican Rite

Mon. Aug. 31st— Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✠ Joseph Adamko by Justine Yuhas

Tues. Sept. 1st—Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✠ Theresa Svjaka by Lucielle Majciaski

Wed. Sept. 2nd—Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✠ Timothy J. Berback by The Koach Family

ADORATION FOLLOWS MASS TIL NOON WEEKLY

Thurs. Sept. 3rd—St. Gregory the Great

(HG) 8:00am ✠Jennings Smith
by Margot Smith-Baratta

Fri. Sept. 4th— Ordinary Time Weekday

(HG) 8:00am ✠ Rev. Gerald Gordon T.O.R.

SAT. Sept. 5th —St. Teresa of Calcutta

(4PM HG)FACEBOOK LIVESTREAM

✠ Jean Stoll by daughter Karen Assetto & Family

(INC) 4:00pm ✠ Agnes Stephan by The Family

SUN. Sept. 6th 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

(HG) 10am ✠Filomena Adamo Crisci
by The Family

FACEBOOK LIVESTREAM

(INC) 10am ✠Joseph & Margaret Labuda
by son Raymond & Family

(INC) 12 Noon - Polish Mass

(HG)12:10pm—Lehigh University Mass
✠Erminia Nadile by the Behe Family

(HG) 5:00pm—Mass in the Anglican Rite

✠ **DEVOTIONAL LAMPS** ✠

\$10 PER WEEK PLEASE CALL EITHER RECTORY

**Devotional Lamps @ Holy Ghost Church
Sanctuary**

In Memory of ✠ Frank L. Bedics by Niece Marie
Tabernacle (2)

Health & Blessings on Sr. Marie Julianna on her 65th
profession of Vows

B.V.M.

In Memory of ✠ Fr. Wayne Killian by Marge Kusler
St. Joseph

In Memory of ✠ Andrew Spevak by Wife Mariann
Sacred Heart



Special Intention

St. Theresa

In Memory of ✠ Fr. Killian by Pat Howells

St. John the Hermit

In Memory of ✠ Buragino, Corroda & Shunk Fams.
St. (Padre) Pio - Our Lady of Pompeii

In Memory of ✠ Helen McGill

Infant of Prague - St. John Capistrano

In Memory of ✠ Rev. Joseph Reseterics(51st Anniv.)
Our Lady of Fatima

Health & Blessings on Leo Behe

St. Vincent DePaul Chapel / Tabernacle Lamp

In Memory of ✠ George & Concetta Petito
Rosemarie Petito Hare & Joanne Petito

✠ **Devotional Lamps** ✠

@ Incarnation of Our Lord Church

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of ✠ Deceased Parishioners of
Incarnation of Our Lord Parish

BVM Lamp

In Memory of ✠ Joanne Zaun

St. Joseph Lamp

In Memory of ✠ John Schedler

Infant of Prague

In Memory of ✠ Wojciech Waskiewicz

Our Lady of the Rosary

In Memory of ✠ Mary Szulborski

Tabernacle Lamps

In Memory of ✠ Eugene Demjan Sr.

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