

## Sunday February 5<sup>th</sup> –The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am: *Sophie & Martin Szpilka of. by son John & family*

11am: *dla parafia*

Readings: *Isaiah 58:7-10, 1Corinthians 2:1-5, Matthew 5:13-16*

**Lector – Bruce Bogzevitz**

**Greeters – John Kobalka & Katie Repede**

**Collectors – Greg Hodor & Pete O’Connor**

- Wystawienie (Polish) takes place at the end of 9am Holy Mass
- Throats will be blessed at the conclusion of each Holy Mass
- SOCL & Coffee Hour follows 9am Holy Mass

### ***The Week Ahead***

#### **MONDAY, February 6<sup>th</sup>**

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

#### **TUESDAY, February 7<sup>th</sup>**

#### **WEDNESDAY, February 8<sup>th</sup>**

9am – Holy Mass for Health & Well-being

#### **THURSDAY, February 9<sup>th</sup>**

6-8pm – Women’s AA meets

#### **FRIDAY, February 10<sup>th</sup>**

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

Polish School meets in the evening

#### **SATURDAY, February 11<sup>th</sup>**

8-9pm – Parma Saturday Meets

#### **SUNDAY, February 12<sup>th</sup> – Septuagesima- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Pre-Lent**

**10am Mass only: open intention**

Readings: *Sirach 15:15-20, 1Corinthians 2:6-10, Matthew 5:17-37*

**Lector – Natalie Soltysiak**

**Greeters – Jeanette Chambers & Barb Bogzevitz**

**Collectors – Gene Stepanik & Bob Samelson**

- Pot-luck luncheon after 10am Mass – See announcement!
- Mission Team meets after Pot-luck
- 3:30pm – Bowling at Red Circle Lanes

### ***Announcements***

**BLESSING OF THROATS** – Takes place today at all Holy Masses.

This is done in honor of St. Blaise, whose Feast Day is February 3<sup>rd</sup>. It is

done with the candles blessed at *Candlemas*, on the Solemnity of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**ANNUAL MEETING** – Our Annual meeting took place last Sunday. It was a well-planned and well-executed meeting, on-topic, and even 30 minutes shorter than last year’s! Among the topics discussed and approved were the budget, by-laws, hall rental agreement, the acceptance of all reports and the successful audits of all parish financial books. We look forward to the opportunity for growth in 2017- may we work together in worship, fellowship, fundraising, and support.

**PARTY TIME!** – Thank you kindly to the Paulus family for opening their home to the parishioners of St. Mary’s last Sunday afternoon. It was well-earned after a fruitful meeting- the food and drinks were delicious, the company was wonderful, and the white elephant couldn’t be more enthralling. Bóg Zapłać!

**POT LUCK SUNDAY** – The parish will have a potluck Sunday on February 12. There will be only one Mass at 10am. Please mark your calendars and plan on attending – and if you can, to bring a dish to share.

**CANON/EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**- During of the month of February, we will use the 4<sup>th</sup> Eucharistic prayer on page 88.

**OUR CLOTHING DRIVE**– has concluded. Thank you to everyone who donated towards this cause. Branch #29 of the YMSofR (St. Mary’s) has tallied the results for a total of over 1000 unique items, coming in 1<sup>st</sup> place (!!!) in the PNCC!

**FAT TUESDAY** – St. Mary’s will be holding a Fat Tuesday Pancake, Sausage, and Pączki dinner on February 28! Keep your eyes here for more information to come in the next week.

**WHAT IS** Bishop Stanley’s favorite food in the entire world? Swiss Cheese! Because of how holy it is...

**SCHOLARSHIP** - Is anyone you know in college and has Polish blood? Then they are eligible for a scholarship opportunity. Check out <http://paccf.org/> and look at the scholarships open to our young students.

#### **UPCOMING**

Feb 12 – Pot Luck Sunday  
Feb 12 – Bowling Sunday  
Feb 16- 63<sup>rd</sup> An. of death of Bp Hodur  
Feb 19–Parish Comm. Mtg  
Feb 26 – Bowling Sunday  
Mar 1 – Ash Wednesday  
Mar 1 – Next Food Ministry

#### **TREMONT HISTORY PROJECT** – Is

presenting a free screening on February 18 at 12:30pm of the 1978 classic “The Deer Hunter”, that was partially filmed in Tremont (with our former pastor Fr. Roman Misiewicz as an extra!). A flyer is posted on the bulletin board for anyone interested.

**A REMINDER** to all students who are attending a college or university, either part-time or full-time, now is the time to submit your stipend application for the 2016/2017 school year. Remember, one must portray the following criteria; a member who is current paying; single premium; or fully paid-up member of the PNU for at least 5 years (this does not include Social Membership). The deadline to apply for the stipend is April 15, 2017. The new application is under our bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. Any questions or concerns please contact *Mary Ann Stankowski, Education and Youth Commission, Chair*, EYC@pnu.org.

## Prayer List

### Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Len Pryer	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Stan Dobrowski	Anna Dawidziuk	Frank Dominik
Craig & Judy Atherton	Mary Ann Loschelder	Alison Jambor
Chester & Helen Budney	Floyd & Elaine Rzonca	Amy Dreger
Chester & Ann Warzala	Hilda Grabowski	Louise Cygan
Pat Glatzer	Tom Petrie	

### Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary's:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Michael Cosevin
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Baby Emma
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	David Vaden
Joanel Rollen	Anne Komorowski	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Bp. Stanley Bilinski	Bp. John Mack
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Fr. Gus Sicard	Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak	Chris Minch
Elsa Vogl de Gomez	Edna Samelson	Jason Dreger
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzuroff	Mike Curran
Chet Nezelkewicz	Rich Dombrowski	Greg Soucie
Coleen Howard	Bp. Thomas Gnat	George Pofok
Mark & Kim Andreas	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Doris Repede
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	
Abby Sobolewski	Al Tomasello	Muffie B.
Corey Wasko	Shannon Alberino	Brian Sidle

### Also those who are in nursing homes or assisted living:

Gene Mora                      Polly Gajda

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING  
ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

**Lord, bring all service personnel safely home!!!**

**Bless them, O Lord.                      Pobjogslaw im, O Boze**

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**February 5, 2017**

**TO OUR VISITORS** – We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. We hope you enjoyed your time with us and plan on worshipping with us again.