15TH SUNDAY IN ORD. TIME – JULY 11, 2021

SINCE 1926 HOLY CROSS PARISH PNCC 95 Years of Service

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The Reverend Father Joseph R. Cyman, Pastor The Reverend David Gaydos, (Reserve clergy in the Diocese) The Deacon William Gaydos

SUNDAY MASS 9 am & 11:00 am WEEKDAY MASSES – 8:30 am

"Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two." Mark 6:7

INTRODUCTION



Brothers and sisters, today we reflect further on Jesus' prophetic ministry. In the Gospel so familiar to us, Jesus appoints others to carry on his mission. He sends out his disciples two by two, instructing them to travel humbly and simply. The disciples could be rejected, as was he and so many prophets before him. If this happened, they were to shake the dust from their feet and move on. Those who continue Jesus' mission are given his authority, but are not guaranteed an easy go of it. It was true for them, and it is true for us.

Scripture Readings



Amos 7:12-15 Amos is sent to prophesy to Israel.

Psalm 85 Lord, let us see your kindness.

Eph 1:3-14 Christ is the origin of God's new holy people, the church.

Mark 6:7-13 The Twelve are sent out two by two to continue Jesus' mission

LECTORS SERVING TODAY

9:00 am – Lector: Ed Obssuth / 11:00 am – Lector: Marcella, Chris and Daniel Galindo WE THANK ALL LECTORS SERVING IN OUR PARISH



SHOPPING CERTIFICATES ARE GREAT GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS. To date our income is \$74,000. Please support our Building Fund by purchasing weekly shopping certificates. The more you participate in purchasing certificates the loan taken for recent renovations will be paid back earlier. The shopping certificates you can use also as gift cards for any

occasion. <u>GIFT CARDS</u> are available for <u>STOP N SHOP</u>, <u>FOODTOWN AND SHOP RITE</u>. If you have any questions contact Lucy Daum (973) 694-9457, or Merry Sleece 973-731-3611. May God bless and reward you.



Please pray for the Sick of the Parish: Out of respect for the privacy of the person who is ill we can only publish the names of the sick with their consent. We review our list monthly. The following members of our

parish community are in need of our prayers: Dorothy O. Zaida Bueno; Annie Hornak, Emila Bargiel, Sophie Barnes, Frances Sanchez, Wendy Schlesinger, Jerry R., Ewa B., Jeffrey, Roy Zebrowski, Declan, Erik, Enrico, Josephine B. Jeanne L. Carmen.

Prayer for the Sick

O Heavenly Father, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. In Jesus' name. Amen

ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE Dear Parishioners, we wish to extend our

congratulations and best wishes on your anniversaries of marriage.

Debbie & John Lenkel - June 7 – 33rd Anniversary

Robert Muller/Kim Kowalik – June 9 – 19th Ann.

Gale Galese/Patricia Carrigan – June 14 – 34th Ann.

Keith Rotsaert/Donna Clavelle – June 24 – 22nd Ann.

William Lamping /Judy Bartol – July 16 – 55th Ann.



HOSPITAL VISIT. "Is anyone among you sick? He should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord..." (James 5:14). If you or a member of your family are ill and would like to receive the Holy Communion at home or at the hospital, please notify the rectory.

<u>Holy Cross Church FaceBook – link</u> <u>www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com</u>

Visiting our website Blog holycrosssite.org you can go directly to our church Facebook. 459 people follow our church Facebook! We thank Lynn Imperiale for her dedication in updating our Facebook.



FOOD DRIVE – A food drive to benefit the Father English Food Pantry is open on a weekly basis. Last week food items were picked up by Fr. English Food Pantry, Paterson. You can bring imperishable food items as "gifts for the poor" to the parish hall. We all need to remember the words of our Lord: "Whatever you do to the least of my brothers, you have done it to me." (Mat. 25:40).



BUSINESS ADVERTISING Year 2021

We thank businesses that gave donations for bulletin ads and thus helping us to defray the cost of bulletin printing. The donation for one year is \$125.00. If you wish to submit your ad, please contact the parish office at 201-247-4832 or send e-mail holycrosspncc1@gmail.com, thank you. Parishioners and friends, please support the following businesses that give financial contributions to our church.



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Our deepest sympathy to David and Patricia, the parents of Filip Sepelowski, who passed away yesterday. We support parents, sister, relatives and friends on this great loss. May he rest in peace.

SUNDAY, JU:Y 11, 2021 - 15 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Holy Mass for +Filip Sepelowski; Req. by Chris, Donna Wysocki and Family

10:00 am "Hughie Coffee Hour"

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10:00 am – Tricky Tray Meeting

11:00 AM Holy Mas for all parishioners living and deceased **Baptism** Baptism of John Michael Diaz, son of Matthew Diaz-Vasquez and Pilar (nee Champa-Martinez).

Monday, July 12, 2021 – Weekday - St. Veronica, N.T.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for growth of our parish

Tuesday, July 13, 2021 – Weekday – St. Olga, W.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for our nation

Wednesday, July 14, 2021 – Weekday - St. Aquila & Prisca, C.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for peace in the world

7:30 pm – Preparation for Baptism

Thursday, July 15, 2021 – St. Bonaventure, Bp. D.

8:30 am- Holy Mass for the growth of our parish

Friday, July 16, 2021 – Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

8:30 - Holy Mass for Benefactors of Holy Cross Parish living and deceased

SUNDAY, JU:Y 18, 2021 - 16 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AM Holy Mass for all parishioners living and deceased



10:00 am "Hughie Coffee Hour"

11:00 AM Holy Mas for all parishioners living and deceased Baptism of Catalina Arelis Carvajal-Fernandez, daughter of Hugo **Xavier Carvajal and Griselle (nee Fernandez)**

Our Mission - The parish of Holy Cross, PNCC is a Catholic



community with doors open to all and bringing them into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and thus giving comfort and purpose to a struggling world. "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation". (see Mark 16:15) We believe that we are a Church where the timeless message of Christ is communicated in a contemporary style. "For the Son of Man came to seek and

to save the lost." (Luke 19:10) In the past 95 years of service we feel that we became a strong and faithful community with unselfish service to God and all our brothers and sisters, giving unending praise and thanksgiving for the blessings and gifts bestowed upon us.



IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO DOES NOT BELONG TO A CHURCH OR WHO DOES NOT ATTEND MASS, WHY NOT INVITE HIM OR HER TO JOIN US IN WORSHIP AT HOLY CROSS PARISH? ALL ARE CORDIALLY WELCOMED.



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HALL RENTAL HOLY CROSS CHURCH There is a limit of people in attending the hall rentals according to CDC requirement. The hall rental fee



rental hall fee for the use of facilities is \$60 for each hour. Call 201-247-4832

<u>Imagine a Church that is:</u>

One, Holy, Catholic & Apostolic

Democratic in governance

Welcomes ALL who wishes to follow Christ Teaches traditional spiritual and moral values

Has Valid Sacraments,

Allows its priests to marry.

You don't have to Imagine anymore!

COME to Holy Cross Church

<u>HEALING MASS</u> – The Masses for the Sick and Homebound are celebrated on the last Thursday of the month at 7:30pm. WE HOPE FOR MORE PARTICIPANTS TO PRESENT THEIR PRAYERS FOR THEMSELVES AND FOR OTHERS.

Upcoming Events

Sept. 12, 2021 – Sunday School begins after summer

Sept. 25, 2021 - Tricky tray fundraiser in the parish hall from 12 noon to 6 pm

Oct. 3, 2021 – Adoration Society NY/NJ Convention at Holy Cross Church – 3 pm

Oct. 16, 2021 – Pasta Dinner Fundraiser at Holy Cross Church with Passaic Valley Unico

Oct. 17, 2021 - Sacrament of Confirmation at Holy Cross Church, Woodland Park, NJ

GOD'S FIELD – (Rola Boza) ONLINE



The latest issue of *God's Field* is now available online at http://www.pncc.org. Click on the God's Field link at the top of the home page and follow the directions to access the recent issue. We hope you enjoy reading about the life

<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u> This is an important ministry for our parish and your support and involvement is needed. Please contact Deacon - William Gaydos 973-239-4725 or parish office 201-247-4832 if your son /daughter are interested in becoming altar servers. We thank Deacon Bill for lessons preparing new altar servers.

HOLY CROSS PARISH DAILY PRAYER CHAIN



Dear friends, please join our parish in DAILY PRAYER CHAIN. God is listening to our prayers when we address our needs. We pray for those who were affected

by the tragedy in Florida. We pray for those who lost their loved ones recently. We pray for our nation, for peace and unity. May those who were elected to lead our country serve justly and conscientiously implement policies that are respecting God's commandments. IN OUR PRAYERS WE ASK FOR THE RESPECT OF THE SANCTITY OF EACH LIFE AND DIGNITY OF EVERY INDIVIDUAL SINCE THE MOMENT OF CONCEPTION TO LAST MOMENT OF LIFE REGARDLESS OF RACE, NATIONALITY, POLITICAL PARTY, GENDER, ETHNICITY, STATUS OR CREED. WE PRAY FOR PEACE THAT WE MAY LIVE HARMONIOUSLY WITH EACH OTHER, RESPECTING DIFFERENCES, CHERISHING DIVERSITY, LIVING WITHOUT FEAR OF THE OTHER HONORING THE IMAGE OF GOD IN EVERY HUMAN PERSON.

We pray for all those who are affected by outbreak of coronavirus disease. We pray for those who lost their loved ones and well as those who lost their jobs and struggle financially. We pray for the sick for their recovery and for medical staff for endurance, wisdom and guidance in their service. We pray for the end of this global pandemic. We pray for peaceful resolutions in conflicts within our country and in the world. We remember persecuted Christians and for freedom of worship. We pray for those who are addicted to drugs and alcohol, for their recovery and protection from illness. We pray for the victims of any sexual abuse and harassment. Our Polish National Catholic Church has a zero tolerance in that respect. Please pray for each other asking for God's blessing especially for our parishioners who are sick, home-bound and are in need of any kind of healing and support. We pray for the growth of our parish, for an increase of our dedication in the service for the Church established by our Lord, Jesus Christ. May the Holy Cross Church continue to grow in faith and in number as a place of prayer where people can worship God and accept Jesus as their Lord and Savior.



Dear Friends, the Holy Cross Church is now able to accept donations through Venmo. By using Venmo, parishioners, donors, and benefactors can utilize electronic giving that comes with no extra cost to the donor or to Holy Cross. For anyone looking to donate electronically, Holy Cross' Venmo account is @holycrosspncc Electronic donations make it easy to donate whether they are near or far – again, with no added

cost associated with the transaction. For your convenience here is the link you can scan to access or find Holy Cross' Venmo account.



LET US IMITATE THE WAYS OF GOD BY BEING MORE GENEROUS AND LOVING IN OUR SERVICE TO HIS MYSTICAL BODY, "THE CHURCH."



NEW PARISHIONERS – If you are new to our parish, please submit your name and phone number to Father Joseph. Father will contact you regarding parish membership and answer the questions you may have.

THANK YOU

- Parishioners who are donating nonperishable food items for Fr. English Food pantry (hall)
- Parishioners who support financially by giving donations in the church, by sending donations in the mail or electronically using Venmo or PayPal. May the Lord reward your generosity.
- Fran Cuccinello for her help in the parish office
- Richard Daum and Merry Sleece for selling shopping certificates in the parish hall. Plan to join this important fundraiser.
- Lynn Imperiale for updating our parish Facebook www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com
- We thank anyone for sharing time, talent and treasure for the good of Holy Cross Church.



Confirmation Classes – To date we have eight (9) students, (youth and adults) taking classes. Please contact the parish office to register or contact Fr. Joseph after Sunday Mass. The classes are held after the 11 am Mass. Students who are in the 7th grade and older and adults are

eligible to take confirmation lessons. The date of Confirmation is October 17, 2021 at 11 am.

Sanctuary Candle Adoration Society is sponsoring sanctuary candles that are lit for a week in



memory/honor of your special intentions for \$10. PLEASE SIGN up on the list in the vestibule of the church, use special envelopes and make your check out to Adoration Society. Thank you for your donations.

Week of June 27 – Adele and John Sincavage Week of July 4, 2021 – Agnieszka, Jozef, Andrzej Cyman, Leon Bujak For more information, please call Penni Lazor, Adoration Society President, at 973-768-7917 or contact parish office – 201-247-4832

Volunteers, please attend Tricky Tray preparation meeting on Sunday

July 11, 2021 at 10 am.

Thank you

TRICKY TRAY



"A Hawaiian Luau"

At: Holy Cross Church Hall

220 Browertown Rd. Woodland Park NJ 07424



(On-site and virtual)

Sept. 25, 2021

HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE

Super Trays - \$50 plus / Grand Trays - over \$100
Platinum Trays-over \$200
Scratch Offs; and other great prizes,
win 50/50 raffle need not be present to win
Must be 18 years of age or older to participate.

Limited seating

Register for pre-paid admission (time slots):

A) 12 - 2 pm; B) 2:30 - 4:30 pm; C) 5 - 7 pm

You can reserve a table for 8-10 participants. HAVE A FAMILY REUNION. You can bring your own food and/or buy pizza, hot dogs water and soft drinks.

Price Drawings @ 7 pm onsite and live stream on the church Facebook

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PRE-PAID ADMISSION - \$15 payable to: Holy Cross Church, 220 Browertown Rd., Woodland PK, NJ 07424

Admission includes coffee / tea, sweets & 15 super prize chances.

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Order and purchase pre-packaged T.T. raffles for 20-35% SAVINGS

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