

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER – MAY 1, 2022

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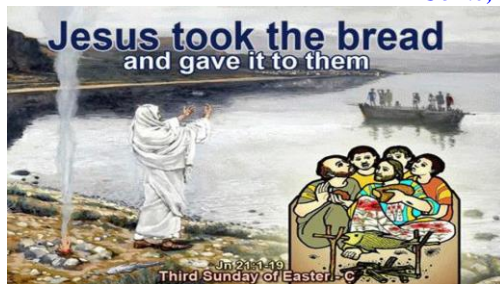
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The Reverend Father Joseph R. Cyman, Pastor
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SUNDAY MASSES – 9:00 & 11:00 am
WEEKDAY MASSES – 8:30 am (check bulletin)

"Come, have breakfast." - John 21:12



As in any new counter-movement, early Christians made their case regarding Christ's identity and redemptive work under perilous conditions and the possibility of persecution. Their faith and commitment were expressed at enormous risk. This is still true for Christians in some places and situations, but not for most of us. Today's readings challenge us who are not personally endangered: How compelling is our personal faith commitment?

Today's Scriptures

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 The apostles testify boldly before the Sanhedrin

Ps 30 I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me

Rv 5:11-14 All creation is called to worship Christ as redeemer

Jn 21:1-19 Jesus feeds his disciples, calling them to love

LECTORS SERVING TODAY

9:00 am – Lector: George O'Brien 11:00 am – Lector: Natalie Cyman

SHOPPING CERTIFICATES Please support our Building Fund is by purchasing weekly shopping certificates. You can buy them in the parish hall. May God bless and reward you.

We continue to pray for the end of war in Ukraine and blessing upon Ukrainian people in this terrible time. Please support the suffering people of that country - see more information.



WE PRAY FOR UKRAINE



Please pray for the Sick of our 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: Sophie Gulla, Inid Smith, Lucy Daum, Maria Sobstyl, Zaida Bueno; Annie Hornak, Emila Bargiel, Sophie Barnes, Frances Sanchez, Wendy Schlesinger, Steven O., Ewa B., Jeffrey, Roy Zebrowski, Declan, Erik, Enrico, Josephine B. Carmen, Elsie. If you would like to have your name on the list or your loved ones with their permission, please contact the parish office. We pray also for all those who asked us to pray... Hail Mary, Glory...

ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE Dear Parishioners, we wish to extend our congratulations and best wishes on your anniversaries of marriage.



Edward and Beverly Obsuth – 31st Ann. – 4/21

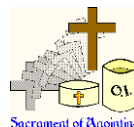
Diego Ochoa / Iris Miola – 9th Ann – 4/27

Sebastian Wysocki / Ashley Burr – 3rd Ann – 4/27

Daniel & Magdalena Brzyski – May 14 – 6th Ann.

Jerome Rotsaert & Elaine Skawinski – 58th Anniversary – May 3

Al Cuccinello & Frances Bucci – 59th Anniversary – May 12



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.

Holy Cross Church Face Book – link www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com

Visiting our website Blog holycrosssite.org you can go directly to our church face book. 543 people follow our church Face book! We thank Lynn Imperiale for her dedication in updating our Facebook.

MEMBERSHIP 2022 . EXPLANATION:



BUSINESS ADVERTISING Year 2022

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.**

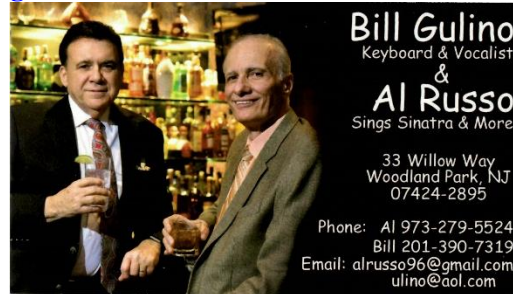
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MAY 1, 2022 – 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM HOLY MASS for +Anne Piascik, departed members of the Piascik, Raczkowski, Hess, Hrabosky, Merson, and Jones Families; Req by The Merson Family (All Souls)

+David Bucci – 4th Ann.; Req. by Al, Fran Cuccinello and Family

10 AM - “HUGHIE COFFEE HOUR”

PREPARATION FOR MOTHER’S DAY BREAKFAST

10 am - Communion class in June Pettegrew classroom

11:00 am – Sunday School class in the parish hall @11 am

11:00 AM HOLY MASS for +Al Katinsky; Req. by Family

Monday, May 2, 2022 – Feast of St. Philip and James Ap.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for PEACE and end of war

Tuesday, May 3, 2022 – Sol. Founding of the Holy Cross

8:30 am – Holy Mass for PEACE and end of war

Wednesday, May 4, 2022 – St. Pelagia, M.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for +Theresa Triggiano (Ann. in heaven); Req. by Claire Centrella

Thursday, May 5, 2022 – St. Hilary of Arles, Bp.

7:30 PM – Holy Mass of Healing for the sick and shut ins

Friday, May 6, 2022 – St. Evodius of Antioch, Bp.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for the Benefactors of Holy Cross Church

MAY 8, 2022 – 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00 AM HOLY MASS for ALL MOTHERS

10 AM – MOTHER’S DAY BREAKFAST

11:00 am – Sunday School class in the parish hall @11 am

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MOTHER’S DAY



On Sunday, May 8, 2022 we will celebrate Mother’s Day and honor all our mothers with special prayers during both Masses. The Mother’s Day Breakfast will take place in the parish hall at 10 am. All parishioners and friends especially Mothers are cordially invited to attend this annual celebration. Please sign up in the parish hall, or send us email letting us know how many people will attend by Wednesday, May 4, 2022. Thank you





2022 ADULT ENVELOPES were sent by mail and some are available in the parish hall. Thank you for your financial support toward Holy Cross Church.

Confirmation Classes –The lessons will continue after Easter Sunday.

Confirmation Class



Enrollment is open. To register please ask Fr. Joseph or call parish office 201-247-4832. Students who are in the 7th grade and older and adults are eligible to take confirmation lessons. Sacrament of Confirmation is a completion of the sacrament of Baptism and important step in Christian religious education.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - The classes are held Sunday at 10 am. The celebration of Holy Eucharist will take place on Sunday, May 15, 2022 at 11 am Mass. The



Holy Eucharist is Jesus Christ who is really present under the forms of bread and wine. In the Eucharist, Jesus Christ gives us Himself as a food for our souls. The bread and wine become the Body and Blood of our Lord during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass when the priest says words of consecration which Jesus used during

the Last Supper: This is My Body... This is My Blood. (Catechism)

Sanctuary Candle Adoration Society is sponsoring sanctuary candles that are lit for a week in memory/honor of your special intentions for \$10.

Week of May 1 – available

Week of May 8 - In memory of Helen and Todd Jaxon – by Penni Lazor

Week of May 15 – Deacon Basil Saroka – by Mark Kosciński

Week of May 22 – In memory of Tom Kaynak by Joan Kaynak

Week of May 29 – John and Adele Sincavage by Beverly Vickerilla

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.

For more information, please call Penni Lazor, Adoration Society President, at 973-768-7917 or contact parish office – 201-247-4832



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 and work of our parishes.

Upcoming Events

May 10, 2022 @ 7 pm – Candlelight Service – My Time with Mary – Prayer for Peace

May 15, 2022 – Celebration of First Holy Communion at 11 am

June 12, 2022 – Sunday School awards Church picnic

June 19, 2022 – Corpus Christi celebration (place – TBD)

June 19, 2022 – Father's Day Breakfast at 10 am

Week of July 4th 2022 - YOUTH CAMP – Kurs , Waymart, PA



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 NEED TO PRAY FOR THE NATION OF UKRAINE IN TERRIBLE TIME OF WAR.** We pray for peaceful resolutions in and reconciliation. **WE PRAY FOR END OF WAR. 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. MAY WE LIVE HARMONIOUSLY WITH EACH OTHER, RESPECTING DIFFERENCES, CHERISHING DIVERSITY, WITHOUT FEAR OF THE OTHER, HONORING THE IMAGE OF GOD IN EVERY HUMAN PERSON.**

We pray for the recovery of the sick and for the medical staff for their endurance, wisdom and guidance in their service. We pray for the end of this global pandemic. 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 and 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. Amen.



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.



SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN – PLEASE JOIN OUR CLASSES ON SUNDAY AT 11 AM. AT THIS TIME, WE ARE PREPARING FLOWERS FOR MOTHER'S DAY.

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



ALTAR SERVERS 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.

THE PRAYERS REQUEST - The container "Prayer Request" is located at the side altar by the baptismal fount. Fr. Joseph says the Holy Mass on Thursdays for the sick and shut-ins. If you have any sick members in your family and/or homebound, please write their names and place them in the container. Fr. Joseph will include these intentions at the Holy Mass on Thursday evening Mass.



HELP FOR PARENTS & SMALL CHILDREN If small children need more attention during the Mass, parents can now listen to the Liturgy of the Mass in the **parish hall** while the children can play or do the drawings. **The TV set is connected with camera in the church sanctuary. You can see mass in the parish hall.**

POLISH NATIONAL UNION OF AMERICA -Fraternal Organization of our Church.



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In the parish hall you can find pamphlets about PNU of A explaining different programs and benefits offered by this organization. One of them, to received the



college stipends, students have to be at least five years member of this organization. Ask Fr. Joseph for further information. 201-247-4832



FOOD DRIVE to benefit the Father English Food Pantry. You can bring your donations any Sunday to our parish hall and place them by the room "Food Bank" Won't you help the needy in the name of Christ the Savior? "Whatever you do to the least of my brothers, you have done it to me." (Mat. 25:40)

NEW REGISTRATIONS - Our parish is leasing the Sunday school building to the tenant, **GOLDEN STEPS LEARNING CENTER, from Monday to Friday** providing PRE SCHOOL DAY CARE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS. Please see flyer for more information or contact Mrs. Gail at 973-812-8030. Discount rates are available for the members of Holy Cross Church.

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- Imagine a Church that is One, Holy, Catholic & Apostolic and yet democratic
- The ethnic beginning has grown into a multicultural community.
- The Church that has all valid sacraments
- Teaches traditional spiritual and moral values
- Marriage has been allowed before or after ordination for deacons, priests and bishops since 1921.
- The laity and clergy have equal voice in the election of bishops.
- The management of the material matters of each parish is performed by the Parish Committee along with their Pastor.
 - Church that welcomes ALL who wishes to follow Christ



FREE
Join us
for



Mother's Day Breakfast May 8, 2022 at 10 am

Scrambled Eggs, French Toast, Turkey Sausage, Bacon,
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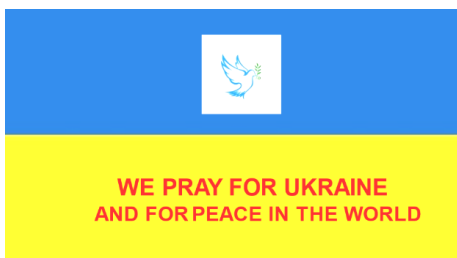
Made especially for you by our men from the parish

Sign up in the parish hall - Name and # of people attending

HELP FOR UKRAINE

Dear Parishioners, the third delivery of several boxes to Ukrainian American Cultural Center took place on Wednesday March 31, 2022. So far, we donated about 35 boxes, and \$3,625. As of April 24, 2022 we received \$4,221. of monetary donations to help the people of Ukraine who suffer cause by terrible war. We will send remaining donations to Samaritan Purse, an organization that directly is helping the suffering people of Ukraine providing food and medical support. Please continue bring on Sundays **HIGH PRIORITY ITEMS**.

Here is the list: First Aid - Kits and Supplies; Bandages, Homeostatic Bandages, Tourniquets, Diapers for children - all sizes, Baby Wipes, Tactical Glasses, Walkie Talkies, Drones, Telephones (iPhone 6 and higher) new or used (if used, new batteries please); Thermal Underwear; Flashlights and batteries, Tactical feet wear (sizes 39-46 European)



Men's sizes 6-13 but mostly men's US sizes 10-12; Ultraviolet Flashlights.
Consider donate a monetary donations (payable to Holy Cross with MEMO – FOR UKRAINE)



Sacrament of Baptism - Nathalie Millett Lopez, daughter of Sandro and Evelyn on Sunday April 24, 2022.



Congratulations!

Sacrament of Baptism - Nathalie Millett Lopez, daughter of Sandro and Evelyn on Sunday April 27, 2022

"Cinco de Mayo" Tricky Tray

sponsored by :
Church of the Transfiguration
Wallington, NJ 07057



Thursday, May 5, 2022

The Fiesta, 255 Route 17S, Wood-Ridge, NJ

Doors open: 6:00pm

Auction begins: 7:00pm

\$55 admission includes:

Three Course Dinner, Dessert plus One Sheet of Regular Chances



Advance Admission Ticket Sales Only
Absolutely NO Tickets Will Be Sold at The Door
Tickets available from March 1, 2022 - April 29, 2022.

Express Packs of Gift Chances: \$30 if purchased by April 29, 2022,
\$35 if purchased at the door.

Contact Dawn Wassman Phone: 201/463-1512.

Admission tickets will be mailed upon receipt of payment.
Express Packs will available for pickup at the event.

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