

# Holy Family Parish

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**16th Sunday Ordinary Time**  
**July 22, 2018**

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**YEAR OF THE FAMILY**

## 16TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME LITURGY

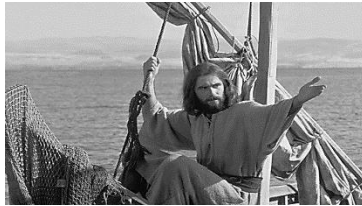
OPENING HYMN	Bulletin
Entrance Hymn	Proverbs 30: 7-8
P: Two things I ask of You, deny them not to me before I die.	
R: Put falsehood and lying far from me, give me neither poverty nor riches; provide me only with the food I need.	
P: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.	
R: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.	
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OPENING PRAYER	
<b>LITURGY OF THE WORD</b>	
First Reading	Jeremiah 23: 1-6
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 23
R: The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.	
Second Reading	Ephesians 2: 13-18
Gospel Acclamations.	John 10: 27
C: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.	
R: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.	
My sheep hear My voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow Me.	
R: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!	
Gospel	Mark 6: 30-34
<b>SACRAMENT OF THE WORD</b>	
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**Opening Hymn: “There’s a Wilderness in God’s Mercy”**  
CC Hymnal 348

There’s a wideness in God’s mercy, like the wideness of the sea;  
There’s a kindness in God’s justice, which is more than liberty.  
There is plentiful redemption in the blood that has been shed;  
There is joy for all the members in the sorrows of the Head.

For the love of God is broader Than the measures of our mind;  
And the heart of the Eternal Is most wonderfully kind.  
If our love were but more simple, we should take Him at His word;  
And our lives would be thanksgiving for the goodness of our Lord.

Troubled souls why will you scatter Like a crowd of frightened  
sheep?  
Foolish hearts! why will you wander from a love so true and deep?  
There is welcome for the sinner, and more graces for the good;  
There is mercy with the Savior; there is healing in His blood.



**Closing Hymn: “I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say”**  
CC Hymnal 356

I heard the voice of Jesus say, “Come unto Me and rest;  
Lay down, O weary one, lay down Your head upon My breast.”  
I came to Jesus as I was, so weary, worn and sad; I found in  
Him a resting place, and He has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, “Behold, I freely give the living  
water; thirsty one, stoop down, and drink, and live.” I came to  
Jesus, and I drank of that life-giving stream; my thirst was  
quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in Him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, “I am this dark world’s Light;  
Look unto Me, your morn shall rise, and all your day be  
bright.” I looked to Jesus, and I found in Him my star, my sun;  
and in that light of life I’ll walk, till trav’ling days are done.

**THIS WEEK**

**Sunday, July 22, 2018**

Confessions	<b>Ordinary 16</b> 8:30 A.M.
Holy Mass	9:00 A.M.
+ <b>Warren Albeck</b> Int. Helen Mulac; + <b>George Jugan</b> Int. Janet & Bill Korch	
Holy Mass	11:00 A.M.

**Wednesday, July 25, 2018**

Junior Dance Troupe	<b>Lajkoniki Rehearsals</b> 6:30 P.M.
Senior Dance Troupe	7:30 P.M.

**Saturday, July 28, 2018**

Quarterly Meeting	<b>PNU District 5</b> 11:00 A.M.
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**Sunday, July 29, 2018**

Confessions	<b>Ordinary 17</b> 8:30 A.M.
Holy Mass	9:00 A.M.
+ <b>Joseph Zurovcik</b> Int. Terry & Henrietta Kleckner; + <b>Edward Kustra</b> Int. Henrietta Albeck	
Holy Mass	11:00 A.M.

**This Week**

**9:00 A.M.**

Greeters: M. Krusienski  
Lectors: Yellow Team  
Ushers: B. Griffith & J. Trumpe

**11:00 A.M.**

A. Fioravanti  
B. & L. Zaucha  
J. Wagner

**Next Sunday**

**9:00 A.M.**

Greeters: M. Sleczkowski  
Lectors: Red Team  
Usher: J. Lawrence & T. Kleckner

**11:00 A.M.**

A. Fioravanti  
B. & L. Zaucha  
J. Wagner



## **YMSR Steeler Raffle Tickets**

Win two 2018 Season Home Game Tickets. Drawing August 18, 2018 by the PA pick 3 Lottery at 7:00 P.M. Only 250 tickets will be sold, so chances are good to win. Donation only \$20.00. Sellers are needed. See Frank Pociask.

## **7 Day Caribbean Cruise**

Join the PNU for a Caribbean Cruise September 29 thru October 6, 2019 on Royal Caribbean Cruise Ship, the Allure of the Sea.



The Cruise is open to all PNU and non-PNU members. Prices are: Interior Rooms \$817.00; Ocean View Rooms \$867.00; Balcony Rooms \$1017.00. Airfare and Shuttle arrangements will be an additional cost. Call the Cruise People @ 1-800-642-2469 for reservations.

## **Polish Day at Kennywood**

Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>. For tickets and information call Betty Kolano @ 412.371.1827. Our Lajkoniki dancers will be performing at the park at 6:00 P.M. by the Noah's Ark.

## **Other Lajkoniki News.**

Our dancers will be dancing at Polish Day at the Vinoski Winery 333 Castle Drive, Belle Vernon, PA August 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 P.M. Polish Day begins at noon with entertainment till 9:00 P.M. Free of charge, Polish Food for purchase. For more information call 724.872.3333.



## **International Village**

The McKeesport International Village is set for August 14-16, 2018. Holy Family Parish has been a participant since its inception and is a financial benefit to our parish. Much of our parish budget is based on the income made. **We will be in desperate need of volunteers** for the village. Work begins on Sunday August 12<sup>th</sup> and Monday August 13<sup>th</sup> and the days of the village. To make it easier this year, we have begun making the pierogies and freezing them, for pierogies are very labor intensive. By doing this we can focus on the other food booth items during the week. **Food transportation and dish washers** for this year's village is a volunteer priority along with the daily food prep and cooking. All ages are welcomed to help. Please mark your calendars and support your parish with your presence. To help defray costs, financial donations, food products such as River Rice, Robin Hood Flour, and Campbell Tomato Soup. We are also looking for someone to coordinate lunches Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

**Village Pierogi making this week. Prep Wednesday afternoon, Thursday morning and cooking Friday.**

**Call Steffi Coddington for more details and times  
@412.672.5403**

## **Vendors & Crafters Fair**

**Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.**

Vendor Concession Contracts are now available, see Kristen Korenoski or Patty Bagshaw.

## **PNU District 5 Quarterly Meeting**

**Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 A.M.**

**Holy Family Parish Hall**

## 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time Word Search

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APOSTLES PLACE BOAT  
 MANY TOWN ASHORE  
 LARGE REST CROWD  
 SHEEP SHEPHERD TEACH



### Living Tree

A new leaf has been added to our parish tree in memory of “loving Husband and Father” Edmund “Mickey” Adamek by the Adamek Family. For more information concerning the Living Tree, information can be found in the book rack in the Narthex or contact Mrs. Judy Waskowicz 1636 Augusta Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15237 (412) 367-1962. E-mail: [waskowicz@msn.com](mailto:waskowicz@msn.com)

### Home Care Help

An elderly couple is looking for some home care help. For more information call Fr. Bruce @412.276.5562.

### National Youth Convocation

Convo 2018 begins this Monday at the University of Scranton. Keep the Convo participants in prayer for a successful and spiritual week with PNCC youth from all over the country.

## 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 23: 1-16

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 23

**Second Reading:** Ephesians 1:13-18

**Gospel:** Mark 6:30-34



**KEY VERSE:** “They were like sheep without a shepherd”

Mark 6: 34

**READINGS:** Jeremiah prophesized that God would intervene and rescue His flock from the disaster into which they had fallen by sending an anointed One. Our second reading celebrates the fact that Jesus’ death and resurrection have destroyed all the divisions that separate us from one another. We have been chosen and now participate in the peace that Jesus’ cross has established. Our Gospel continues from last Sunday, after the return of the apostles and Jesus invited them to rest but the crowd did not let them do it. They desperately needed Jesus.

**REFLECTING:** “Sheep without a shepherd.” This is the simple theme of today's readings. It is interesting that Jesus’ reaction to the crowd is one of pity – as he sees their great thirst for his teachings. This is, in a sense, a clear fulfilment of the prophecy we hear in the first reading, where God promises a true shepherd who will care for the people of Israel. Shepherding is a particularly suitable image of God's love and care. The dependency of the sheep on their shepherd, their wandering and drifting without someone to guide them, is also a suitable image of the people God loves. Our own age also displays sheep without shepherds - a great wandering crowd, seeking something, but not knowing what they are seeking. It is to this flock that the present-day followers of Jesus are sent as shepherds.

**PRAYING:** Heavenly Father, in my continued pilgrimage towards salvation, give me the courage to be faithful and listen to the voice of my Savior.