

**Give thanks to the
Lord, His love is
everlasting!**

St. John the Baptist Parish
Polish National Catholic Church
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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time – “B”
Dwunasta Niedziela Zwyczajna
June 23, 2024
101st year of service

Events for the week:

**June is the Sacred Vocation
Month.**

Let's pray for Vocations to the
Priesthood in our Church!

**Sun., 6/23/24 – XII Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

10:00AM – Holy Mass and Litany to the
SHofJ, intention for: +**Helena Bednarek**,
of. by son, Julian.

**Mon., 6/24/24 – Solemnity – Nativity
of St. John the Baptist**

9:00AM - Holy Mass for God's blessing
for Janina P., and Litany to the SHofJ

Sat., 6/29/24 – Feast – SS. Peter & Paul

9:00AM – Holy Mass, and Litany to the
SHofJ.

Next Sunday, June 30: XIII Sunday in
Ordinary Time

Christianity came from a people gripped by the sea and the desert. The vastness taught them to be humble. Sometimes!

I Reading: Job 38:8-11

II Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:14-17

GOSPEL: Mark 4:35-41

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to His disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took Him, just as He was, in the boat; and there were other boats with Him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But He was in the stern, His head on the cushion, asleep. They woke Him and said to Him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And He woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then He said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey Him.'

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special **Thanks** go out to: Organist, Mrs. Janina for cleaning and decorating the church, lector, collector, and the Sunday greeters.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- July 4-13 - KURS for the youth, age: 8-17 - Waymart, PA – Bp Hodur's Retreat Center (cost: \$350.00 for PNCC members). **Our Diocese pays a large part of the expense.**

10:00AM – Holy Mass and Litany to the SHofJ, intention for: +James Dean.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Birthday best wishes are extended to: June 25 – Joseph Karvois.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK – especially for: Jean Keim – Marjorie Dean – Elaine Antalosky – Josephine Hause. *H & R Center Tremont*: Dolores Halaburda. *Rehab. & Nursing Center Pottsville, PA* – Thomas Justen. *Shenandoah Manor* – Betty Brazausky (A-14).

Next Sunday’s Mass intentions:

June 30: +James Dean; July 7: +John David’s family; July 14: +Helen Hopko.

“Live, so the preacher will not have to lie at your funeral.”

- July 22-26 – Convo for the youth, age: 13 till young adults – Marcyhurst College in Erie, PA (cost: \$400.00). **Our Diocese pays a large part of the expense.**
- Aug. 26-28 – Clergy Retreat – St. Francis House – Easton, PA.

PLANNED FUNDRAISERS:

- 50/50 chances drawing: July 4, September 2.
- Chicken dinner – August 2024.
- Halushkie sale – September 2024.
- Pot pie sale – November 2024.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS – in case of your inability to come to church on any particular Sunday, please mail or submit your Sunday offerings and donations to our parish. Your church needs your financial support in order to pay utilities and expenses.

DUES 2024. - Each adult member (18 years old+ and start working) is now recorded as an individual unit. This means every adult member is now responsible for his/her own dues. To continue to be a member at St. John the Baptist parish and a member of the Polish National Catholic Church each adult will be responsible for paying the following:

Total dues for 2024 per Adult Member: \$137.00 Per Year

The parish itself has an obligation to pay dues according to the number of active members to the General Church and Diocese and our financial administration distributes these monies also as directed by the General Synod. A breakdown of where these dollars are sent is available upon request. There are also many other funds within your parish that require your attention and need your donations: Sunday Collection, St. Johns Fund, Fuel Fund, Cemetery Fund, Clergy/Pension Fund, Easter Donations, Flower Fund, and Christmas Donations.