

**"Lord, let Your mercy
be on us, as we place
our trust in You"**

St. John the Baptist Parish
Polish National Catholic Church
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XXIX Sunday in Ordinary Time – "B"
Dwudziesta Dziewiąta Niedziela Zwykła
October 28, 2024
101st year of service

Events for the week:

**Sun., 10/20/24 – XXIX Sunday –
Heritage Sunday**

10:00AM – Holy Mass, intention for:
+James Dean, of. by wife, Marjorie.

Wed., 10/23/24 – Weekday

8:15AM – Requiem Holy Mass,
intention: for +Stanley & Florence
Bulcavage.

**Thu., 10/24/24 – Feast – St. Raphael,
Archangel**

6:00PM – Holy Mass, intention: for all
Parishioners.

**Next Sunday, October 27: XXX Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

10:00AM - Holy Mass, intention: for
+Ronald Antalosky.

➤ *Confirmation Class.*

"One who does not respect or value his past, is not worthy of respect and of the present, nor has a right to the future..." – *Marshall Joseph Pilsudski*

I Reading: Isaiah 53:10-11

II Reading: Hebrews 4:14-16

GOSPEL: Mark 10:35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to Him 'we want You to do us a favor.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to Him, 'Allow us to sit one at Your right hand and the other at Your left in Your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptized with the baptism with which I must be baptized?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptized you shall be baptized, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.' When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to Him and said to them, 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.'

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

UPCOMING EVENTS:



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Birthday best wishes are extended to: October 21 – Ann Marie Wycheck, Deborah Stetts.



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).

November 1 – Solemnity – All Saints

November 2 – Commemoration of All Souls

November 3 – All Souls Prayer Service inside the church after the Mass

December 1 – First Sunday of Advent

PLANNED FUNDRAISERS:

- 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.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES. With the upcoming holidays of All Saints and All Souls in the not-too-distant future, we remind our parishioners and friends, to please submit the names of their departed loved ones for remembrance during this holy season. All Soul's Day remembrance request envelopes are placed next to the bulletins. Please fill them out (please: PRINT) and return them to the Pastor as soon as possible. (Thank you).

ALL SOULS PRAYER SERVICE will be held on Sunday, **November 3, 2024** after the Mass inside the church.

KINDLY REMINDER – We would like to remind our Parishioners that all financial books for this year would be closed on **December 31, 2024**. Therefore, please, be responsible for your own church and fulfill your obligation to the Parish before that date. **THANK YOU.** A member, who fulfills the financial obligation to the Parish, by paying our yearly dues (**\$137.00**), is a financial good standing member of the Church. This means that he/she is a voting member of the Parish, can be elected to the Parish Committee, can be elected as a delegate for Synods and Seniorate Council, can be married in the church, and when time comes could be buried at the Parish Cemetery.

Next Sunday's Mass intentions: Oct. 27: +Ronald Antalosky; Nov. 3: +Nancy Elsavege; Nov. 10: +Carl & Helen (mother) Guzik; Nov. 17: +Carl Guzik; Nov. 24: +Bernard Halaburda Jr.; Dec. 1: +Carl & Helen (mother) Guzik.