Fr. Michał Czyżewski, OSPPE, Administrator Henry Bernat & Leonard Sikorski, Trustees Beverly Sikora, Parish Council President Thomas E. Witakowski, DMA, Director of Music

February 12th Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. (said in English)
11:00 a.m. (said in Polish)

Weekday Masses

Masses are in Chapel Monday & Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. Wed. Thur. Fri. Sat. 11:30 a.m. Thursday Mass is said in Polish

Confession

(Sacrament of penance and reconciliation)
In the Church
Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m. or by appointment

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Sunday before Mass in English After the Mass in Polish

Sacrament of Anointing

In case of emergency, please call the office.

Exposition of the Holy Eucharist

Wednesday to Friday 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Mass First Thursday of the Month In the Church from 7p.m. – 10 p.m.

Perpetual Novena to Our Lady of Czestochowa

Every Saturday after 11:30 a.m. Mass

Parish Office Hours

Monday–Friday: 9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. (Closed for lunch 12:30-1:00)

Welcome

We extend to our visitors a very special welcome. We trust that the liturgy will be a blessing to you and you will visit us again. If you think you may be interested in joining Corpus Christi Parish, please contact our office. We will be glad to assist in making arrangements for your registration. Call 716-896-1050

Sunday Vigil

5:00 + Phyllis Wasik requested by John & Martha Cieply

Sunday, February 12th, Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 + Leo (Skip) Jurek requested by his friends John and Vicki Moroz

11:00 + Bernice Kowal requested by Husband and Family

Monday, February 13th, 10:00 Funeral Mass Judith Przybylak

Tuesday, February 14th, Saints Cyril, Monk & Methodius, Bishop

10:00 John and David Szczepanski remembering their birthday requested by Mon

Wednesday, February 15th,

11:30 Remembering the intention of Alfred Wieczorek, his wife + Genevieve

Thursday, February 16th,

11:30 + Phyllis Wasik requested by Terry Blizniak

Friday, February 17th, The Seven Holy Founders of the Service Order

11:30 Deceased members of the Gerken, Glichowski, Mazurkiewicz and Sobus Families

Saturday, February 18th,

11:30 For the health and wellbeing of Florence Korycki requested by Family

Sunday Vigil

5:00 + John and Florence Oleszek requested by their daughter Donna

Sunday, February19th. Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 + Sophie Shepanski requested by her son, Philip A Lucas

11:00 + Leo (Skip) Jurek requested by the Baltaziuk Family



Sanctuary Lamp

The lamp in our Sanctuary burns for + Richard E Holly requested by his Beloved Marion

Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel Irena Baran i Zdzisław Nowak



Prayer Request

Prayers are requested for the following: Ronald Orcutt, Joan Janiszewski, Frank Page, Arthur M. Holakowski, John Drabek, Ed & Joan Zielinski, Stanley Baltaziuk, William Peters, Christine Gryko, Zbyszek Nowak, Alfred Wieczorek, Norman & Lori Sikora, Robert Sikora, Lottie Zulatkowsk, Jennifer Wolski, Lottie Zulatowski, Kurk Boczarski, Ted Pilarski and infant Regina Venezia

Please keep in your prayers +John Zmijerski, one of our parishioners, whose Funeral was held here this past week. Please keep his family in your prayers.

Attendance and Collections February 5, 2017

Attendance 124 Collection \$ 1,605 Diocese Central & Eastern Europe \$ 167

Thanks for your Generosity Fuel Fund Update

Last month's fuel and energy bills totaled \$ 2,772 for all of our buildings. The Monthly Fuel Collection was \$1,416, we received \$ 1,000 from the Oplatek dinner, and there was a donation of \$ 250.

Thank You

The Parish of Corpus Christi would like to Thank the Hosts of our last Coffee Sunday, John and Vicki Moroz. Also Special Thanks is extended to Stanislaw Baltaziuk who has worked in our Sanctuary to make it more energy efficient.

Parish Council

Corpus Christi will have a Parish Council meeting February 15, at 6:30.pm.

Consider This

We've heard it said that the battle between good and evil starts within. In other words, our decision to do something good or to do something bad begins with our thoughts. Sinful thoughts lead to poor choices and harmful behaviors. But we *can* take control of our thoughts and see our way through to better outcomes. That is the essence of free will we learn about in today's readings. God gives us free will to choose the direction we take in life – one that is life-

giving or one that is harmful. In order to choose one path or the other, our thoughts must lead us in that direction. When we direct our thoughts toward God and meditate on His Word, we receive His counsel and head in the right direction. Free will, then, offers us the opportunity to walk closely with God so that we grow in compassion, kindness, and love for one another.

Sacred Relics of The Saints: Treasures of The Church

St. Martin of Tours Parish presents a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics on Thursday February 23 at 7:00 pm. Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be here with his very special ministry to teach about these holy objects. He will bring with him over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. In addition, there will also be present a portion of the veil of Our Lady, as well as one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. In the Church's history many miracles and healings have been worked in the presence of relics, and many have been healed through this ministry. Please do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession.

Catholic Charities

Wanda graduated from a Catholic Charities' financial literacy program that gives participants the opportunity to work on personal change and move toward self-sufficiency. She had been selling drugs, but she was arrested. With no income, no diploma, and a felony on her record, she made a call to Catholic Charities. They helped Wanda secure a part-time job, work toward finishing her education, and even get her felony expunged. Wanda believes God set her on a "new journey," and she intends to stay on it. In 2015, Catholic Charities agencies provided 165,015 clients financial literary services.

Paczki Day Celebration!

The Polish Heritage Dancers present WNY's Largest Pre-Lenten Paczki Day Celebration to be held February 26, 2017 at Holy Mother of the Rosary Hall, 6298 Broadway, Lanc. from 1:00 – 7:00 PM. \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door. Homemade Polish food will be available for sale. Music by Special Delivery. Polish Folk dance show, Theme basket Raffle and more. For tickets & info call Michelle (716) 983-5084.