JULY 27, 2025 (Cycle 1 - Year C)

Listen carefully to the voice of the Lord: set your heart on what will last forever.

We only fool ourselves if we believe that our possessions will bring us happiness and life.

Instead, "grow rich in the sight of the Lord".

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2

6:00 P.M. Living & Deceased family of Elias & France Brysch

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3 -EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:00 A.M. Our Parish Family

MONDAY, AUGUST 4 - ST. JOHN VIANNEY

9:00 A.M. 1) Living & Deceased family of Elias & Frances Brysch

2) J. Delfino Garcia Mendiola by M/M Santiago Gonzales

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6 - THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

9:00 A.M. Edwin & Theresa Dziuk by M/M Scott Lindley

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7

7:30 A.M. Special Intentions by M/M Jeffrey Wiatrek

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

9:00 A.M. 1) Special Intentions by Mary Ann Brysch

2) Severin, Regina & Joshua Keller by Family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

6:00 P.M. Otto Waclawczyk by Willie Sekula

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10 -NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:00 A.M. Wendy Harris by M/M Ernest Jendrusch

SERVING the LORD

Extraordinary Ministers: SAT. John Moczygemba SUN. Jacob Pruski

Lectors: SAT. John Moczygemba SUN. Mary Pruski

Ushers: SAT. Volunteers SUN. Michael Kolodziej & Jason Moczygemba

Offertory: SUN. Daniel Anderson Family **Altar Servers:** SUN. Kaci, Quinn, Ian & Dos

PLEASE PRAY FOR -- Lord in your loving Mercy please send the Holy Spirit with the Gift of healing upon these servants who are in need of strength: Lillian Broll, James Mzyk, Elaine Felux, Annette Pruski, Sixtus Moczygemba, Lucian Moczygemba, Cody Franckowiak, Carmen Garza,

Louise Jurgajtis, Col. Kenneth Wiatrek, Patrick Wiatrek & Gladys Waclawczyk.

FOR THE SAFETY OF MILITARY PERSONNEL: Thank you for the selfless sacrifice of these men and women and their families: *Cody Swierc & Raymond Morin*.

VOCATION CORNER

Take care to guard against all greed." (Luke 12:15)

In a world filled with distractions, God invites us to prioritize what truly matters—our relationship with Him. Is He inviting you to set aside worldly concerns and serve Him as a priest or religious brother or sister? Talk to your priest

A PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

We ask You to strengthen us as we follow the vocation to which You have called us. We pray particularly for those called to serve as priests, sisters, brothers and deacons: Those whom You have called, Those You are calling now, Those You will call in the future. May they be open and responsive to the call of serving Your people.

GUADALUPE FLOODING

Please take note of the memorial pinwheels placed in front of the Rose Garden. This is a visual reminder of lives lost in the Guadalupe flooding. Please continue to pray for the victims and their families. Thank you to the CCD students and parents that helped in this project!

VISITING MISSIONARY

Fr. Joby Joseph V.C, a Vincentian Missionary Priest from India, will be in our parish NEXT WEEKEND **August 9th & 10th** to participate in our Annual Missionary Cooperation Plan. He will share his missionary experience at all the Masses next weekend (August 9th & 10th) and will make an appeal on behalf of the Vincentian Missions.

The Vincentian Congregation (V.C.), a Religious Congregation, was founded in Kerala, India in 1904, modeled after the Congregation of the Mission founded by St. Vincent de Paul. Members of this flourishing Religious Congregation are engaged in Mission Work in all parts of India and in East Africa and in Peru. Please visit their web site, https://www.vincentians.in/, to learn more about them.

The Vincentian Missionaries need our help to carry out their many missionary, educational and charitable activities. They need our special financial support for the training of young men studying for priesthood. There will be special mission collection next weekend (August 9th & 10th) to help the Missionary work of the Vincentian Fathers. We urge you to be very generous in your mission offering since these Missionaries need our help.

Please keep Fr. Joby and all the Vincentian Missionaries in your prayers. Thank you.

MEETING

Altar Society will meet on Monday, August 18th at 6PM in our Ed Center.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August 3rd - Scott Lindley; August 4th - John Peterson; August 6th - Timothy Thompson; August 7th - Patricia Gibson, Allen Jendrusch & John Moczygemba; August 8th - Mary Ann Brysch; August 9th - Taos Moy.

OUTSIDE EVENTS

- •ST. ANN'S PICNIC Kosciusko TODAY Sunday, <u>August 3rd</u>. Grounds open at 10AM. BBQ beef & Polish sausage plate @ \$15 serving starts at 10:30am meat sales from noon to 2pm -Bingo from 10:30am 1:30pm Raffle drawing at 3:30pm Country store Kid's games antique & classic car display snack bar opens @ 1pm Polish store auction starting at 2pm- Washer tournament.
- •CESTOHOWA COMMUNITY HALL NEWS Cestohowa Community Hall presents A Night In Cestohowa with Jake Hooker & The Outsiders on Saturday, August 9, 2025. We are selling \$1000 Tables of 8 and \$100 Individual Tickets, including dinner and an open bar. Tables will also include gifts. Or at 7:30, the doors will open for \$50 tickets for dancing only. See the flyer in the back of the church for additional information. If you are interested in attending, don't hesitate to get in touch with Tamyra Albers at 210-218-3569 for information. Also, if you would like to donate items for the silent and live auctions, your donation will be much appreciated. All proceeds will benefit the Cestohowa Community Hall Renovations. Thank you.
- •BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH BENEFIT RAFFLE <u>Saturday</u>, <u>August 9</u> Blessed Sacrament church in Poth is holding its annual benefit on August 9 at the Kosciusko Hall. Tickets are \$100 per couple, which excludes entry, appetizers, and drinks. They can be purchased at Jansky's Service Center in Poth, the church office, and after all weekend masses. The evening's schedule is:
- Appetizers 3:15 PM ? Refreshments 3:15 PM 12:00 AM Dinner 6:00 PM 7:00 PM (BBQ & Sausage with all the trimmings by Outlaw Catering) Drawing Starts at 4:3 0 PM Bucket Raffle 3:15 7:15 PM Live Auction 8:00 PM 50/50 Card Game (throughout the night) Quilt Raffle (by Catholic Daughters of America) Dance 9:00 PM 12:00 AM (Jeff Woolsey and the Dance Hall Kings).

CHURCH COLLECTIONS: July 26th & 27th - \$5727.00

Counters: Ruth Krawietz & Sheryl Camber



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PARISH SECRETARY OFFICE HOURS

Mondays - 10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. Wednesdays - 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. Fridays - 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays - 6:00 P.M. / Sundays - 10:00 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES

As scheduled

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Upon request

RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Before Mass

HOLY MASS & BENEDICTION

Prayers/Litany for Vocations

Wednesdays after the 9:00 A.M. Mass

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA

Mondays - after Mass.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ANOINTING

Please call the priest when sick or in the hospital.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Call Rectory at least two weeks before.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Call Rectory at least six months in advance.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Fridays - before Mass

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesdays - 6:00 PM

WELCOME

Nativity of BVM Family extends a heartfelt welcome to our visitors & quests and invite you to return