

# + Divine Mercy Parish Bulletin +

*Jesus, I Trust in You!*

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Three Rivers, Mass.

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**Confessions:** Sat, 3:00 p.m. (also before daily Mass)

**Sick calls:** anytime

**Baptisms & Marriages:**

Please contact the rectory to make arrangements

## Schedule of Holy Masses:

### *The Lord's Day --*

Vigil on Sat., 4:00, 5:15 p.m.

Sun., 8:00 a.m. (Polish), 9:30 a.m.

*Daily* (except Tues.), 7:00 a.m.

Tues., 5:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena

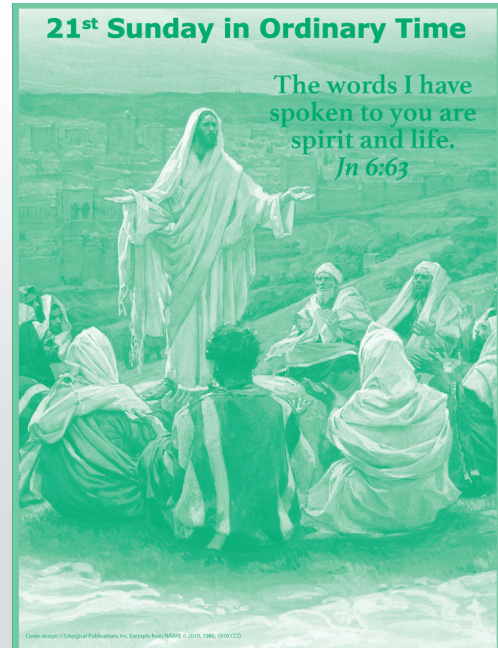
Holydays: as announced

### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Wed., 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Thurs. & Fri., 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Sat., 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.



### *New, But Rich in Tradition: A Brief Overview of Divine Mercy Parish*

**Sts. Peter & Paul Parish** was founded in 1905 to serve the needs of Polish immigrants. **St. Adalbert Parish**, Bondsville, began as a mission of Sts. Peter & Paul in 1910, was erected a parish in its own right in 1917, and closed in 2004. **St. Anne Parish** was founded in 1882 to serve the needs of French Canadian immigrants. By a decree of the Bishop of Springfield issued on Nov. 23, 2009, Sts. Peter & Paul and St. Anne were merged to form **Divine Mercy Parish**. With its combination of a typical New England exterior and a beautiful Baroque interior, **Sts. Peter & Paul Church** is the designated worship place for Divine Mercy.

**August 23, 2015**

*Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time* (Roman Rite, ordinary form)  
*Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost* (Roman Rite, extraordinary form)

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The Most Blessed Sacrament ~ ~ ~

The Most Blessed Sacrament is reserved in our church, located in the tabernacle on the High Altar, beneath the statues of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and the Holy Apostles Peter and Paul. **We ask that you maintain a respectful silence when you are in the church. This is especially important before and after the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.** Your reverent attitude is both an example for all, but is respectful of those who are praying. *Thank you!*

**PLEASE NOTE THE ADS** on the back page which make this bulletin possible; we hope you will patronize these businesses as the need arises.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**—Please submit items—*always subject to editorial discretion*—**two weeks** before publication in the bulletin (e.g., items for Sept. 13 should be submitted by Aug. 31). *Thank you!*

**MASS INTENTIONS:** In an effort to be fair to all, *Please be considerate and plan the date you would like a Mass offered well in advance.* Please don't wait until the last minute. *Thanks!*

### Parish Events This WEEK in August

#### Sun., Aug. 23

Chalice of Strength Prayers for Priests & Vocations,  
4:00 p.m., church

#### Mon., Aug. 24

Rosary for World Peace, 4:00 p.m., church

#### Wed., Aug. 26

Renew CORI forms/Child Safety video, 6 to 8 p.m.,  
Parish hall. Contact: Jean Brigham, 283-4232.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:00 p.m., St. Maximilian Kolbe  
room.

#### Sat., Aug. 29

**REGISTRATION for Relig. Education (CCD)** after 4:00 &  
5:15 p.m. Vigil Masses, St. Maximilian Kolbe room.

**REGISTRATION also on Sun., Aug. 30 after Masses.**

### **Mother of Mary Prayer Force**

If anyone would like their intentions prayed for by a dedicated group of parishioners, please email them to [jmjdrrs2007@yahoo.com](mailto:jmjdrrs2007@yahoo.com). We have a network of prayer warriors who will pray for you.

### **Apostles of Prayer**

If you're requesting prayers for anyone or you'd like to join the Prayer Line, please call Cindy Leveillee @ 283-7836.

### **Palmer Food Share**

Please continue to assist with your donations to the Food Share program. You may drop off donations in the baskets located in the church. *Thank you for your generosity!*

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## Masses & Devotions This Week

*Praised be Jesus Christ!*

*Niech bedzie pochwalony Jezus Chrystus!*

*Laudetur Iesus Christus!*

### **Vigil of Sunday**

4:00 p.m. +Helen & Walter Nowak – Gloria & family

+Madeleine & Cecile Camerlin – int. of Carl & Irene

5:15 p.m. for the parishioners

### **23. Sunday ~ 21st SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 a.m. za d.sp. Wanda i Wladyslaw Saladyga  
od syna z rodzina

9:30 a.m. +Earl & Sophie Schultz—int. of their family

+Terrence Beusee—int. of Sandy Rudnick

### **24. Monday ~ Saint Bartholomew, apostle**

7:00 a.m. +Joseph Bubon — int. of his family

### **25. Tuesday ~ Sts. Louis, king; Joseph Calasanz, priest**

5:30 p.m. Novena Mass: +Frank Wolanik

int. of Mr. & Mrs. Edward Koss

### **26. Wednesday ~ Our Lady of Czestochowa**

7:00 a.m. +William Bigda —int. of Bertha Sablak family

### **27. Thursday ~ Saint Monica, widow**

7:00 a.m. +Amelia Dojka—int. of her family

### **28. Friday ~ Saint Augustine, bishop & doctor**

7:00 a.m. +Constantine Cioch—daughter & grandchildren

### **29. Saturday ~ Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist**

7:00 a.m. +Frank & Sabina Lachowski—int. of their family

### **Vigil of Sunday**

4:00 p.m. +Antonio Silva—int. of Helen Coache

+Walter Perky & +Stephen Janulewicz—wife & mother

5:15 p.m. +Patricia Benoit —int. of Lydia Tanne

+Charlotte Renaud—int. of her family

### **30. Sunday ~ 22nd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 a.m. za d.sp. Blanche Wostena—od Goddaughter  
Barbara & Jose Goncalves

9:30 a.m. 14th Wedding anniv. of Anna & Radoslaw  
Kotowski from their family

6th Wedding anniv. of Iwona & Adam Gorzynski

From their family

**PRAY FOR PRIESTS/DEACONS** ~ Each day we pray for a specific priest or deacon. *Please remember those listed below in your prayers this week.*

**Sunday ~ Fr. James Scahill**

**Monday ~ Fr. Rene Parent**

**Tuesday ~ Pope Francis**

**Wednesday ~ Fr. John Lessard-Thibodeau**

**Thursday ~ Fr. Benedict Fagone, OFM.Conv.**

**Friday ~ All Augustinian priests**

**Saturday ~ Fr. Daniel Papineau, MIC.**

### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

If you would like to join our parish, you would be most welcome! Please see Father after Mass or contact the rectory during regular office hours.

## Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament



*Please see front cover for hours of Adoration.*  
Since 1996, our parish has been blessed to have the Blessed Sacrament exposed for the Adoration of the faithful. However, the Blessed Sacrament cannot be exposed in the monstrance on the altar unless one is willing to sacrifice one (1) hour. *Will you be that*

*person??*

Currently all Adoration Hours have been filled.

*Thanks you and God bless all who have volunteered.*

Others are still encouraged to join us. It would be ideal if two (2) persons per hour were regularly scheduled. This would cover any emergency absence.

***Time spent with God is never time wasted! He may be calling YOU!*** To substitute or commit to an hour in this ministry of prayer, please contact Joanne Stolar @ 283-4651. ***God is never outdone in generosity!***

## RECITATION OF THE ROSARY on MONDAYS

Sts. Peter & Paul Rosary Sodality continues to pray the Rosary on each Monday at 4:00 p.m. in church. Please come and pray for world peace and the protection for our citizens and nation. ***All are welcome!***

***Queen of the Holy Rosary, pray for us!***

## SCHOOL of RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**REGISTRATION for 2015-2016: CCD registration** will take place after all Masses, Aug. 29 & 30 in St. Maximilian Kolbe Room. Cost: \$15 per child and no more than \$45 per family of 3 or more children.

**GRADE 7 TEACHER NEEDED.** Please consider sharing your faith with our parish children. If interested in teaching or substituting, please contact Fr. Stefan. **Classes are held Sat., 9-10 a.m., grades 1-5; Sun., 10:30-11:45 a.m., grades 6-11.**

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**ATTENTION: Extraordinary Ministers, Relig. Ed. Teachers, & other adults working with youth in our parish/ CORI FORM requirement**

Meeting on **Wed., Aug. 23 from 6-8 p.m.** in the parish hall. Video "Protecting Our Youth" will be shown at 6:45 p.m. Please bring a photo I.D.; copy will be attached to your CORI form. Any questions, call Jean Brigham @ 283-4232.

## STS. PETER & PAUL MEN'S GUILD

The Men's Guild will have a **meeting on Wed., Sept. 9 at 6:30 p.m.** in the parish hall. All members are urged to attend; new members, welcome, including young men of the parish.

**"As faith diminishes, superstition increases."**

**~ Pope Benedict XVI**

## Donations to the Parish

The Parish gratefully acknowledges the following donations:

***Bog Zaplac!***

**To the General Fund ~**

**~ in loving memory of Michael Czech:**

\$100 each from: Thomas & Jane Kubacki; Boy Scouts Troop #57 / \$25 each from: Tom, Kristy, Emily & Nick Kubacki; Ronald & Catherine Izyk; Elizabeth Dorsey / \$20 each from: Donald Slessler; M/M Edward Koss; Carol Mastalerz / \$10 from George Motyka

**~ in loving memory of Adella McClosky:**

\$25 from Todd & Madeline Smola

**~ in loving memory of Stanley Skaza:**

\$80 from Webster 5, Donna Serwa, Steve Szlyk, Diane Dauszk, & Cindy Capps

**~ in loving memory of Mildred & Stanley Skaza:**

\$50 each AEGIS Program Office, Raytheon Co.

**To the Seminarian Fund**

**~ in loving memory of Jozef Niemczyk:**

\$50 from Sophie Starczyk

**((((("EVENTS/NOTICES AROUND TOWN" )))))**

## Christ the King Parish, Ludlow

**18th annual New England Harvest Roast, including Big Raffle,** will take place on **Sun., Sept. 13 at 2:00 p.m.** (serving starts at 3 p.m.) at Christ the King Parish Center, 41 Warsaw Ave. Ludlow. Tickets: \$20 (\$22 at door). For information & tickets: R. Thibault, 467-2212; J. Struziak, 589-9270; M. Proulx, 589-9680.

## St. Stanislaus Basilica, Chicopee

**St. Stanislaus Polish Festival** will be held on **Sun., Aug. 30th from 1 to 5 p.m.** Mass at Noon. Music, food, dancing to **John Daigle's Beer Hall Boys**. Outdoor picnic with Polish & American kitchen; beer, wine, soda. Games, raffles, prizes; kids' games, playground. Tickets: \$5 per person in advance (\$8 at door); children 12 & under free. **Contact:** parish office (413) 594-6669 or Joseph Dziok (413) 221-8315.

## World Youth Day 2015 ~ Krakow

Accompanied by Fr. Piotr Calik, associate pastor at St. Mary's, Ware, Bishop Rozanski will lead a tour to **World Youth Day** departing on **July 22, 2016** and returning on Aug. 3. The tour will include visits to Czestochowa, Auschwitz and Zakopane....several sites that were important in the life of Pope Saint John Paul II. For more details, call Stacy Dibbern @ (413) 452-0670 or email [stacy.dibbern@diospringfield.org](mailto:stacy.dibbern@diospringfield.org)

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**Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us!**

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