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BULLETIN for
PENTECOST SUNDAY

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Holy Mass at 9:00 AM

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We have received the Holy Spirit

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass today is celebrated in **Contemporary Rite** (see pg. 63 and on)

With a special Mass intention for **Boguslawa Dudek** on the occasion of her birthday.



Pentecost

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (2:1-11)

When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven staying in Jerusalem. At this sound, they gathered in a large crowd, but they were confused because each one heard them speaking in his own language. They were astounded, and in amazement they asked, "Are not all these people who are speaking Galileans? Then how does each of us hear them in his native language? We are Parthians, Medes, and Elamites, inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the districts of

Libya near Cyrene, as well as travelers from Rome, both Jews and converts to Judaism, Cretans and Arabs, yet we hear them speaking in our own tongues of the mighty acts of God."

Psalm (104) Response: Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD, my God, you are great indeed!

How manifold are your works, O LORD! The earth is full of your creatures;

Response: Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD be glad in his works!

Pleasing to him be my theme; I will be glad in the LORD.

Response: Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

If you take away their breath, they perish and return to their dust.

When you send forth your spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the earth.

Response: Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

A reading from the First Letter of St Paul to the Corinthians (12:3-7-12-13)

Brothers and sisters:

No one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit. There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.

We are Catholic faith community called to serve God and others through Eucharist, prayer, education, and daily living of the Gospel values. Therefore everyone is always welcome to worship with us in our church. It is a house of prayer for all, who with sincere heart desire to worship the only God in his Son Jesus Christ.

As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit.



Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.

A reading from the Gospel according to St John (14:15-16, 23-26)

Jesus said to his disciples:

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always."

"Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him. Those who do not love me do not keep my words; yet the word you hear is not mine but that of the Father who sent me.

"I have told you this while I am with you. The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you."

General Intercession: Response: Lord, send your Spirit upon us, and renew us.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

► **Duck Race raffle tickets.** – Thank you to everyone who helped selling ticket for this race. We've sold 127 tickets which made a **profit of \$317.50...** Good job!

► **Pastoral Care Visit.** The two great Sacraments: the Eucharist & Holy Anointing may be a source of grace and health for a sick person. So if you are confined at home or have a family member at hospital or nursing home unable to take part in Sunday Mass and Sacraments, please notify the father to set the day and time for pastoral visit. **In case of emergency call directly the father mobile phone 475-208-4455.**



► Please remember in your prayer those who are suffering, sick or confined at home, hospitals and nursing homes, especially our parishioners and friends: **Cheryl Peters** (Oxford, CT), **Josephine Kosik** (Southbury, CT), **Stella Korowotny** (Serenity Mountain Manor, Jasper, GA), **Helen Warner** (Naugatuck, CT), **Diana Raczkowski** (Naugatuck, CT), **Emil Caruso & Logan Caruso** (Wolcott, CT), and **Robert Klein** (Stratford, CT).

BIBLICAL REFLECTION

Today, we are celebrating Pentecost Sunday. This feast is the culmination of the Paschal mystery which tells us of the sending of the Spirit on the disciples. Today's feast indicates that the Holy Spirit is an ongoing reality, which still touches our lives every single day. This Sunday is a commemoration and celebration of the receiving of the Holy Spirit by the early church. We celebrate this day to recognize the gift of the Holy Spirit, realizing that God's very life, breath and energy lives in believers. The celebration reminds us of the reality that we are all having the unifying Spirit that was poured out upon the first disciples. It tells us that the same Spirit is given to each one of us, that we are all baptized by one Spirit into one body and that the Spirit which raised Jesus from the dead will raise us too.

The celebration of Pentecost Sunday reminds us of the reality that we are all have the unifying Spirit that was poured out upon the first century church. It is a reminder that we all are co-heirs with Christ, to suffer with Him that we may also be glorified with Him. This same Spirit, which raised Jesus from the dead, lives in our Holy Church and inside each one of us as believers because we all have been baptize in Him.

♥ If you feel that you have experienced in some ways the blessing in your life,
maybe it is important to share with others what you have received from God.
In your generosity, please consider a donation or bequest to Holy Saviour Parish.
Thank you very much and may God continue His blessing upon you.