

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Presider: Let us pray in the Holy Spirit for all of our sisters and brothers throughout the world.

- ☺ For our Church, led by Pope Francis, as we seek to be truly a poor Church, for the poor, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**
- ☺ That the peace of the Holy Spirit might dwell in the hearts of all people in every nation, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**
- ☺ For all those who have celebrated sacraments of initiation this Easter season, as they grow in their appreciation for the gifts of the Holy Spirit given to them at their initiation, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**
- ☺ For those who graduate this year, may they give glory to God through the loving use of their talents and skills, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**
- ☺ For those who are discerning vocations to the priesthood or religious life in response to the call of the Holy Spirit, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**
- ☺ For all who have died, that they will rejoice in the reward of everlasting life, especially, Edward Levandowski, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**
- ☺ For the intentions of our baskets, Margaret Simonis, Members of the Vicker & Mocadlo Families, the Deceased Members of the Iwanski & Moscinski Families, Mae Spangle, the continued success of the Renovation projects, and the needs of St. Joseph & St. Stephen Parishes, we pray;
▶ **Spirit of love, be with us.**

(Pause for intentions from the heart to be prayed.)

Presider: All-powerful God, your gift of the Holy Spirit enables us to continue the great mission of Jesus Christ your Son here on earth. We ask you today to give us the courage to accept that mission and to live it out every day. Graciously hear this and all of our prayers through Jesus Christ our Risen Lord.

ALL: AMEN!

PENTECOST

June 3-4, 2017



MASS INTENTIONS:

†Margaret Simonis
Members of the Vicker & Mocadlo
Families

Deceased Members of the Iwanski
and Moscinski Families

†Mae Spangle

PENITENTIAL RITE:

Lord Jesus, you suffered on the cross, stretching out
your arms in an everlasting sign of reconciliation:
Lord have mercy; **.....Lord, have mercy.**

Lord Jesus, you rose from the dead and ascended to the
right hand of the Father, interceding on our behalf:
Christ have mercy; **.....Christ, have mercy.**

Lord Jesus, you send us the Holy Spirit, the Spirit of
healing and peace;
Lord have mercy; **.....Lord, have mercy.**

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

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."

The Word of the Lord.
THANKS BE TO GOD!

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

#47, Gather - Psalm 104
Lord, Send Out Your Spirit

A reading from the first letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians.

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. As the 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.

The Word of the Lord.
THANKS BE TO GOD!

SEQUENCE: (Pray Together)

Come, Holy Spirit, Come! And from your celestial home shed a ray of light divine! Come, Father of the poor! Come, source of all our store! Come, within our bosoms shine. You, of comforters the best; You, the soul's most welcome guest; Sweet refreshment here below; In our labor, rest most sweet; Grateful coolness in the heat; Solace in the midst of woe. O most blessed Light divine, Shine within these hearts of yours, And our inmost being fill! Where you are not, we have naught, Nothing good in deed or thought, Nothing free from taint of ill, Heal our wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour your dew; Wash the stains of guilt away; Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill; Guide the steps that go astray. On the faithful, who adore and confess you, evermore In your sevenfold gift descend; Give them virtue's sure reward; Give them your salvation, Lord; Give them joys that never end. Amen. Alleluia.

A reading from the holy gospel according to John.

On the evening of the first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them: "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

The Gospel of the Lord.
PRAISE TO YOU LORD, JESUS CHRIST!

I believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death, and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.