

Mar. 6th, 16

# Our Lord's Ascension Parish of the PNCC

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

# Entrance Rite

*V. The Lord commanded the skies above; the doors of heaven He opened;.* **R. God rained manna upon them for food; bread from heaven He gave them.** 

*V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.* **R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen** 

## <u>The Gospel (Lk 15, 1-3.11-32)</u>

All the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them." So he told them this parable: "There was a man who had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me.' So he divided his property between them. A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and travelled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands."' So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. Then the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his slaves, 'Quickly, bring out a robe – the best one – and put it on him; put a ring on his

<u>News Flash!</u> Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament -Today after Holy Mass.

#### The Readings

Jos 5, . 10-12 Psalm 34 R. TASTE AND SEE THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD. 2 Cor 5, 17-21 Eucharistic Prayer IV

Holy Masses TODAY - March 6th - IV Sunday of Lent. 09:00 am - Holy Mass.

**FRIDAY - <u>March 11th</u>** 6:30 PM - The Stations of the Cross.

SUNDAY - <u>March 13th</u> -V Sunday of Lent. 9:00 am - Holy Mass.

### **The Lectors**

March 6th - Joseph Jurnock March 13th - Dan Broczkowski finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!' And they began to celebrate. This is the **Gospel of the Lord!** 

# Announcements

**OUR FRIENDS** - Special prayers are needed for: Gertrude Gron, Anthony Getsko, Jennie & Eugene O'Callaghan, Amelia Stankus, Helen Trexler, Carolyn Broczkowski, Jackie & Hank Kudzik, Gerry & Dorothy Villa. Let us pray: **Our Father.**