

August 26th, 2012

# Our Lord's Ascension Parish of the PNCC

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TWENTY - FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### News Flash!

School begins tomorrow!

### The Readings

Jos 24,1-2. 15-17.18 Psalm 34 R. TASTE AND SEE THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD!

Eucharistic Prayer II
(Mass Book p. 82)
Holy Masses
TODAY - August 26th XXI Sunday in Ordinary
Time
09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass

## SUNDAY - <u>September 2nd</u> - XXII Sunday in Ordinary Time.

09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass. After Mass the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

### The Lectors

August 26th - Ernie Stavrovsky September 2nd - Mary Ann Bartone

**b.** Parish Committee Meeting - Tue., Aug. 28th at 6:30 pm.

### Entrance Hymn\_

V. Sing joyfully to the Lord, all you lands; serve the Lord with gladness; come before Him with joyful song.

R. Enter His gates with thanks giving, His courts with praise; Give thanks to Him; bless His Name.

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.

The Gospel (Jn 6, 60-69)

When many of Jesus' disciples heard it, they said, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, "Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe." For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father." Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, "Do you also wish to go away?" Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God." This is the Gospel of the Lord.

#### ANOUNCEMENTS

**a. OUR FRIENDS:** Our prayers are needed for: Gertrude Gron, Anthony Getsko, Jennie O'Callaghan, Amelia Stankus, Elana Todd, Helen Heath, Gerry & Dorothy Villa, Our Father...