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# Our Lord's Ascension Parish of the PNCC

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XXV SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## News Flash!

Meeting for YMS of R after Mass.

## The Readings

Is 55, 6-9

Psalm 145

**R. THE LORD IS NEAR  
TO ALL WHO CALL HIM**  
Phil 1, 20-24.27

## Eucharistic Prayer IV

(Mass Book p. 88)

## Holy Masses

**TODAY - September 18th -  
XXV Sunday in Ordinary  
Time.**

09:00 am - Holy Mass for the  
soul of Teresa & Edward  
Snitko off. by Family

**SUNDAY - September 25th -  
XXVI Sunday in Ordinary  
Time.**

09:00 am - Holy Mass for  
Spojnia.

## The Lectors

September 18th - Edward  
Broczkowski

September 25th - Ernie Jr.  
Stavrovsky

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

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## Entrance Rite

*V. The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in love.*

**R. The Lord is good to all, compassionate to every creature.**

*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 (Mt 20, 1-16)

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire labourers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the labourers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; and he said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.' So they went. When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, 'Why are you standing here idle all day?' They said to him, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard.' When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, 'Call the labourers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.' When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. Now when the first came they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.' But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' So the last will be first, and the first will be last." **This is the Gospel of the Lord.**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS PARISH

**a. Coopersburg Community Day** - Wow, we did it!!!! I would like to express my thankfulness for everybody who helped us to organize our presence there. I think here about Tara Broczkowski, but also many others. Thank you so much for those who was cooking the food yesterday, who was selling it and for those who organize our place there. God bless you all.

