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**Title:** WHEREAS, Lillian Rausch, née Abel was born on August 13, 1920; and  
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*WHEREAS*, Lillian Rausch, née Abel was born on August 13, 1920; and

*WHEREAS*, Ms. Rausch grew up on Lautner Street in Troy Hill; and

*WHEREAS*, Ms. Rausch married Robert Rausch immediately following World War II, in November 1945; and

*WHEREAS*, Ms. Rausch and her husband bought a home on Herman Street in Troy Hill where she kept home and raised five daughters: Barbara Rausch Liebman, Mary Rausch Lloyd, Joan Rausch Tomlinson, Roberta Rausch Lyons, and Frances Rausch Cerra, of whom all but Barbara are with her today; and

*WHEREAS*, Ms. Rausch was married to Robert for sixty years and has 14 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren today; and

*WHEREAS*, Ms. Rausch has been a devoted Roman Catholic and lifelong member of the Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Troy Hill, where she often bakes delicious treats for church functions; and

*WHEREAS*, until very recently, Ms. Rausch walked to Mass at the Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish every day, and in so doing had gotten to know everyone her path crossed; and

*WHEREAS*, Ms. Rausch served as President of Christian Mothers; and

*WHEREAS*, across her long life in Pittsburgh’s Northside, Lillian Rausch has always given a friendly word to everyone she encounters; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh declares Thursday, August 13, 2020, her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday, “**Lillian Rausch Day**” here in our most livable City of Pittsburgh.