

ST. CASIMIR’S PARISH

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October 25, 2020

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.

For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Lucziana DYTLOW

Evelina GROBEL

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Waldemar WIELGUS

Raymond SZULC

Eternal rest grant them, Lord

OCTOBER – THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

Rosary Devotions...October is the month dedicated to the Rosary. In our parish, Rosary devotion is held every day at 6:15 pm; on Sundays at 6:00 pm.

RULES IN THE CHURCH DURING THE PANDEMIC

In the regard of the reopening churches decision, the Archdiocese issued several guidelines that must be in place to ensure the safety of all participants in the Holy Liturgy.

- We encourage you to use a personal disinfectant before entering the church.
- The guidelines strongly emphasize any individual attending Mass to wear a mask, and only partially remove the masks when receiving Holy Communion.
- To provide the church with the required distance of 2 meters between liturgy participants, seats in the pews are marked with green tape to indicate where to sit.
- During Holy Communion, everyone will come out of their pews in turn, including those who do not receive the Eucharist. While going up to receive communion and keeping a distance of 2 meters, we head toward the minister, stand in the designated place before the priest and after the words “Body of Christ” we answer “Amen”. Then, with stretched out hands we approach and receive Holy Communion. Until further notice, this will be the only form of acceptance of Holy Communion. Those who do not receive the Eucharist will still walk in procession, crossing their arms on their chests to receive a blessing.
- To increase the number of people we ask families from the same address to come to Mass together, as members of the same household are not required to maintain 2 meter social distancing.

- Offerings will be collected after Mass to the offertory baskets at the exit of the church.
- After Mass, please do not gather for social purposes in the front of the church.
- If you feel sick, e.g. has a fever or any other symptoms potentially related to COVID, please stay at home.
- The parish office will be closed to the further notice, but you can call to leave the message or send an email to parafia@kazimierz.org

We hope that very soon everything will return to normal and we will enjoy participating in the Eucharist without any restrictions.

THE MASSES & DEVOTIONS THROUGH THE PARISH TV

The Masses at the St. Casimir’s Parish are celebrated daily at 8 am and 7 pm; on Sundays 9:30 am in English & 11 am, 1 pm and 7 pm in Polish are available through the Parish TV www.kazimierz.org and YouTube.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

On Saturday, October 31st at 4 p.m. (it will be a Sunday Holy Mass) the following candidates from our parish will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation from the Pastor Fr. Janusz Blazejak OMI: Adrian Berdzik, Felicja Borowski, Liam Devine, Rowan Heffernan, Gwendolyn Heffernan, Dominick Kasiuk, Susana Moryl, Mateusz Rucki, Magdalena Skolarczyk, Ania Smoluk, Karoline Trejgo, Kacper Waligora, Anais Wróblewski, Julia Yona i Radek Mickiewicz. **We wish them strength so that they may become courageous witnesses to the Risen Christ.** *Sincere thanks to Irena Albinowski*, who since September of 2019, has been preparing the candidates to receive this sacrament. For being a witness of faith and volunteering in our parish community **God Bless!** Let us embrace the youth and their families in our prayers.

WORSHIP ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

We invite you to the **Worship Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** with the individual blessing at the end on Saturday, October 31st at 8:00 p.m.

DAYLAIGHT SAVING TIME

CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS (FALL BACK, SPRING FORWARD) – Daylight Saving Time ends at 2:00 am on November 1st. Please remember to change your clocks on the night of October 31st to November 1st to one hour backward.

ALL SOULS’ INTENTIONS

November is a time of prayer for our dearly departed. We recall those who have left to be in God’s Kingdom: our parents, siblings, relatives, friends, clergy, neighbors and all those whom we encountered in our lives and to whom we owe a debt of gratitude. In our prayers we offer them up to God’s Mercy. In addition to our private prayers and Mass intentions, the Church has a tradition of Remembrance Intentions (wypominki) dating back to 993. Saint John Paul II teaches us that “It is important and proper to pray for the dead because, even if they died in grace and in friendship with God, perhaps they still have need of further purification to enter into the joy of heaven.” One of the

forms of help we can offer them is through wypominki – where we list the names of our departed family and friends on special remembrance envelopes and the Church community prays for them. Oblate Fathers residing at the Provincial House in Toronto celebrate 30 Masses in November in the intention of all those listed on remembrance envelopes.

November 1st: Feast of All Saints. We pray for all the faithful departed and remember our loved ones who have passed away. **All Souls Day: On November 2nd the Church prays for the souls in Purgatory.** We believe that following purification in Purgatory, these souls will also be rewarded with Eternal Life. We can help them in their journey by offering Mass intentions and prayers for them. All are invited to join as we pray for the faithful departed each day from November 1st to November 7th. **You may print the names of those you wish to pray for on the All Souls envelope and drop it off in the basket in front of the altar or at the office.** *All Souls Envelopes are at the back of the church.* Due to the pandemic and the limitations of the Ministry of Health on the number of congregations, prayers in cemeteries on the occasion of All Saints’ Day and All Souls’ Day will not be held this year. Please privately go to the cemetery at any time and pray for the deceased.

MASS INTENSIONS FOR 2021

Mass intentions for 2021 may be requested in the parish office. We remind all parishioners that each family may request up to four Mass intentions per year, of which only one can be celebrated on a Sunday. **Intentions can be requested in person only at the parish office.**

We inform you about possibility of ordering Mass intentions at the Oblate Missions in the parish office.

We thank you for ordering the Gregorian Masses. Anyone who wants to order Gregorian Mass is asked to contact the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation cannot be held in a confessional but rather in another location, where confidentiality may be ensured and where the distance required by the health officials can be maintained. **Sacrament of Reconciliation during a week** is available at 7: 30 a.m. and from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Knights of Columbus room; on Sundays, 1/2 an hour before each Mass.

SUNDAY OFFERINGS

Sunday (18.10) - \$5,405
World Mission Sunday - \$1,550
We thank you for your financial support. The offerings can be made in the parish office by putting the offering envelopes in the parish mailbox in the wall, sending by mail or making the bank transfer.

2021 CALENDARS

The 2021 calendars with the Sever of God Brother Antoni Kowalczyk OMI, his history as a main motto for consideration, are available in the sacristy and the parish office. The price is \$5.00

GREGORIAN MASS 01.10-30.10

For + Kazimierz Sierszula – Pietrzyk family

MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS	
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sunday, October 25th	
8:00	1. For God’s blessing & needed graces for Mieczyslaw on his birthday – own
	2. For health & God’s blessing for Fr. Jan
9:30	In thanksgiving asking for God’s blessing for Teresa & Henryk Glowacki on their 60 th wedding anniversary & health, God’s blessing for children, grandchildren & great grand children - own
11:00	For Parishioners
13:00	In thanksgiving asking for God’s blessing & light of the Holy Spirit for Tomek on his birthday - parents
18:00	Rosary
19:00	In thanksgiving for Poland & Canada & asking to end abortion & euthanasia all over the world
MONDAY, October 26th	
8:00	For + Ewa & Andrzej - Maria
18:15	Rosary
19:00	1. For + parents & brothers from the Mieczkowski family – son with family
	2. For health & God’s blessing for Barbara, Juliusz, Roch & Alicja - own
TUESDAY, October 27th	
8:00	1. For + Liza, Cezar & Eugeniusz – friends
	2. For + parents Henryka & Wladyslaw
18:15	Rosary
19:00	1. For + Zofia & Tadeusz Selwa – son with family
	2. For + Stanisława Kopec – daughter with family
WEDNESDAY, October 28th – Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles	
8:00	1. For + Grazyna & Bronislaw Nalepa & souls in purgatory – Edyta
	2. For + Wieslaw Wojda – daughter-in-law & granddaughter
18:15	Rosary
19:00	1. For missions, missionaries & friends of the Oblate Missions
	2. For + Ryszard Leszczynski – brother-in-law Jacek with family
THURSDAY, October 29th	
8:00	1. For health & God’s blessing for Teodozja Sieniakiewicz – own
	2. In thanksgiving asking for Alicja’s healing - parents
18:15	Rosary
19:00	In thanksgiving asking for health & God’s blessing for mother Teresa on her birthday – children with families
FRIDAY, October 30th	
8:00	1. For ++ from Kos, Lipiec, Mlodzinski, Biel, Kubicki & Paruch families – Regina
	2. For + Jan Todorski – brothers & son
18:15	Rosary
19:00	1. For + Zygmunt, Zenobia & Wanda – Stanislaw with family
	2. For health & God’s blessing in Terka family - own
SATURDAY, October 31st – St. Alphonsus Rodriguez	
8:00	1. For + husband Jan Slobodian & parents Wladyslaw & Genowefa Pioro – Zofia Slobodian
	2. In thanksgiving for the family, especially children asking for the needed graces, God’s blessing, light of the holy Spirit & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for the family
18:15	Rosary
19:00	1. For + parents Franciszka & Adam Raginia, brothers Kazimierz, Adam & sister Anna – Maria & Mike
All Saints’ Day	
Sunday, November 1st	
8:00	For deceased mentioned in the All Souls’ envelopes
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18:00	Rosary for the faithful departed
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