

ST. CASIMIR'S PARISH

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October 16, 2022

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.

For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

BAPTISM

Sebastian John PARDO

Sofia Anna-Mae PARDO

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Krystyna BURSKI

Eternal rest grant her, Lord

OCTOBER - MONTH OF THE ROSARY

We invite children, youth and adults to participate in the rosary service every day at 6:30 pm, and on Sunday at 7:30 am. People who pray the rosary can gain the grace of a plenary indulgence, the forgiveness of purgatory punishment for sins. Under ordinary conditions, such an indulgence can be obtained by praying one part of the rosary.

PASTOR'S REFLECTION

Prayer is not only about uttering words, but most of all staying with God even when it seems hopeless. God's Word makes us reflect on the need to keep praying. It is worth looking at the biblical Moses, who stood trusting before the Lord with his hands raised up to plead for victory over the enemy. This shows that prayer must become intense when events put us to the test. Let us open ourselves to the word of God in which the Lord speaks to our heart and wishes to be close to us.

ST. JOHN PAUL II

Today is another anniversary of the election of Cardinal Karol Wojtyla for the Pope. Through the intercession of St. John Paul II, let us pray for God's protection for our country.

BEGINNING OF THE CATECHETICAL & POLISH SCHOOL YEAR

The beginning of the catechetical year and the Polish School of St. Casimir will start today with a Mass at 1 pm. Children are asked to bring school bags and school supplies to be blessed during the Holy Mass. We invite all students, parents and teachers!

HOLY MASS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Today, the Mass will be celebrated at 1 pm for all volunteers who helped us at the Polish Festival. After the Mass, we invite you for coffee, cake and memories of the festival.

YOUTH INVITATION

Today, the youth of our parish will be distributing fresh CABBAGE from the Mennonites as well as coffee and donuts after each Mass. We strongly encouraged our parishioners to support the young people who gather for the trip to the World Youth Day in Lisbon in 2023. Thanks to your help and kindness, many of them will be able to go to WYD and experience unforgettable moments of joy, experiencing God and building a young Church community.

MULTIPLE INTENSIONS MASS

On Wednesday, October 19, we invite you to the Multiple Intentions Mass at 7pm. The intensions can be requested in the parish office.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday, we will have the World Mission Sunday. In parishes across the world, a **second collection will be taken** to cover the cost of worldwide Catholic missionary work. Envelopes can be found in your yearly donation set and at the back of the church.

CATECHIZATION

Catechization in our parish has already started and will take place on Saturdays from 12:15 pm to 1:45 pm after the Polish School classes in the rooms of the Polish School of St. Casimir. Catechization will cover children from kindergarten to 7th grade, including the sacramental classes - First Holy Communion (Polish and English group) and Confirmation. Registration forms are available at the back of the church, in the parish office or on the parish website www.kazimierz.org (tab: About the parish).

POLISH SCHOOL AT ST. CASIMIR'S PARISH

The Polish School at the St. Casimir's Parish has already started. The classes will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Parents are asked to register online at <https://www.tcdsb.org/ilregistration>

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023

Registration for the World Youth Day in Lisbon is underway. Date: July / August 2023. Age required 15-35, Estimated Price Approx. \$ 2,500. More information at Fr Zbyszek.

YOUTH MEETINGS

The youth meetings (14 - 20 years old) take place on Fridays at 8 pm at the Knights of Columbus room.

The post-secondary youth meetings (21 – 35 years old) take place on Wednesday at 8 pm at the Knights of Columbus room.

ALTAR SERVERS MEETINGS

The altar servers meetings take place on Tuesdays at 5:30 pm.

ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE

The month of November is a time of prayer for all the dead. In our memory, we recall those who have gone to the Father's house: parents, siblings, relatives, friends, priests and all those whom we have met in our lives and we owe them a debt of gratitude. We do this to pray for them, commanding them to God's Mercy. In

addition to our private prayers and ordered Holy Masses, there has been All Souls Remembrance (Wypominki) tradition in the Church since 993. The envelopes for All Souls Remembrance are located in the entrance to the church, and we put them in a special treasury at the main altar. For the deceased mentioned in the All Souls envelopes, 30 Masses are celebrated in November, at the Provincial House of Missionary Oblates.

COMMEMORATION OF BL. STEFAN CARDINAL WYSZYNSKI

Next Sunday, October 23 at 11:00 am, the members of Council of 9296 of the Knights of Columbus will remember our patron Bl. Stefan Cardinal Wyszyński and Bl. Michael McGivney, the Founder of the Order, as they begin the New Colombian Year. Beginning with the Sunday morning Mass up to and including 1:00 p.m., all parishioners are invited for coffee, juice, and paczki and to talk to a member to learn more about the Knights of Columbus and about the benefits of joining this organization. The Knights of Columbus is an international Order of Catholic men who have been called to lead in faith, protect our families, serve others, and defend values in a busy changing world. Please join us.

MOVIE ABOUT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

"See the Angel" - is the latest film about Michael the Archangel. Writers, faithful and clergy of the Catholic Church, in places of apparitions and veneration of Saint Michael the Archangel, discover the mystery of the first among the Angels of Light. The testimony of faith, the history of the Church, architecture and art in Christian culture introduce viewers to the extraordinary figure of Archangel Michael. The document stimulates reflection on the reality of the world of God's Angels and the eschatological mission of their leader. This wonderful document takes us to the greatest sanctuaries of Saint Michael the Archangel, among others: Monte Sant'Angelo - Gargano-Italy, Mont Saint Michele - France, Rome - Italy, Santa Maria La Nova - Italy, Jasna Góra - Poland. Our wonderful guests will familiarize us with the mission of Saint Michael: Arb. Henryk Hoser, Fr. Marcello Stanzione, Fr. Henri Gesmier, Fr. Dariusz Wilk and people who experienced the presence of Saint Michael on Earth. Our parish purchased a license to show this film in Canada. **The premiere of the film in our parish will take place on Sunday, October 23 at 4 pm in the parish hall and on Friday, October 21 at 7 pm at the John Paul II Center in Mississauga.** Tickets can be purchased at the parish office or today after Mass in the sacristy.

SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

We will soon **begin preparing donation envelopes for 2023.** Registered parishioners who do not currently use weekly donation envelopes but would like to, may contact the parish office. Parishioners using envelopes for their donations are eligible to receive a tax receipt at the beginning of the new year.

PARISH DOOR

We have finished restoring the church door from Roncesvalles Ave. and Garden Ave. After many decades, the door looks beautiful again. They are preserved with the best materials available on the market today. We thank all parishioners who supported this project.

MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, October 16

7:30 Rosary

8:00 For the members of the Divine Mercy Society

9:30 For deceased from Taszycki, Willamowicz, Kalicki, Szymaszczyk & Tomasiak families – Willamowicz family

11:00 For + parishioners

13:00 1. For + Piotr Czajkowski (3rd anniversary) – family
2. For children beginning the new school year in catechization & Polish School & for the volunteers of the Polish Festival

19:00 For + Rosalia Rzepa – sister-in-law Janina Nogas

MONDAY, October 17 – St. Ignatius of Antioch, bishop & martyr

8:00 In thanksgiving asking for the gift of Sacrament of Marriage & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for Malgorzata & Bogdan - own

18:30 Rosary

19:00 For + Czeslaw Kluska (2nd anniversary) – daughter with family

TUESDAY, October 18 – St. Luke the Evangelist

8:00 For + Kunegunda & Maciej Podczerwinski – daughter with family

18:30 Rosary

19:00 For + Tadeusz Halka - son

WEDNESDAY, October 19 – Bl. Jerzy Popieluszko, priest & martyr

8:00 For health, God's blessing & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for Tadeusz - mother

18:30 Rosary

19:00 Multiple Intentions Mass

THURSDAY, October 20 – St. Paul of the Cross

8:00 For God's blessing & needed graces for Jankowski family

18:30 Rosary

19:00 For + Wiktoria Pliszka & deceased from the Plony family - Halina

FRIDAY, October 21

8:00 1. For + Anna & Jozef Bembenek – Bogumila & Richard Sadlowski

2. For + Bronislaw Jasinski on the 1st anniversary of death – nephew with family

18:30 Rosary

19:00 For + Jan Zasowski – wife & children

SATURDAY, October 22 – St. John Paul II

8:00 1. In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing & further graces for Krystyna & Zdzislaw Idzik on the 43th wedding anniversary - own

2. For + Jan Jasinski (9th anniversary) – wife with family

18:30 Rosary

19:00 For deceased from Bembenek & Pasciak families – M.M. Bembenek

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, October 23

7:30 Rosary

8:00 For parents Wiktoria & Jan, siblings Stanislaw & Lucja, Jozef & Maria, Kazimierz & Eleonora, Adam, Anna & Andrzej, Eugeniusz, Zbigniew & Kazimierz Buczak – Armatys family

9:30 For + parishioners

11:00 In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing for the Knights of Columbus work

13:00 For + Stanislaw Kolpak – son Jozef

19:00 For + Jozef Gaworecki (10th anniversary) – children & grandchildren