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October 30, 2022 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.

For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Wanda KUSZELEWSKI Eternal rest grant her, Lord

BAPTISM

Josephine Elizabeth DUCKERS

PASTOR'S REFLECTION

Today is the thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Gospel tells us about Zacchaeus of Jericho. It was one of the richest cities in the country, located in a fertile part of Judea, and it imported many goods, levying high public tributes. In the realities of the Roman occupation, tax collectors were both wealthy and disliked people due to their cooperation with the occupier, but also due to their common dishonesty. The superior of such people is Zacchaeus, a demoralized and extremely wealthy man. Although he was spiritually far from Jesus, he nevertheless wanted to see Him. May listening to God's word help us to see others through the eyes of Jesus.

RENOVATION FUND

Today, the second collection will be collected for the Renovation Fund. We thank everyone for the donations.

ROSARY

Tomorrow, October 31, there will be the last rosary service at 18:30. We thank all those who gathered for common prayer throughout the month.

ALL SAINTS' DAY

On Wednesday, November 1, it is All Saints' Day. It is a joyful day on which the Church commemorates all known and unknown Saints and Blessed. They have already attained eternal glory, and today they are our intercessors before God. In our church, the Masses will be celebrated at 8 am, 11 am and 7pm.

CANDLES FOR GRAVES

Today, young people distribute candles for graves. We strongly encourage supporting 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 the young community of the Church.

PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

November 1st – Feast of All Saints. We pray for all the faithful departed and remember our loved ones who have passed away.

November 2nd - All Souls Day. Church prays for the souls in Purgatory. We gather on Sunday, October 30, 2022 at 2 pm:

Resurrection Catholic Cemetery, Whitby; Meadowvale, Brampton 2:30 pm: Queen of Heaven, Brampton; 3:00 pm: Mount Hope, Toronto; Park Lawn, Toronto; Sanctuary Park, Toronto; 4:00 pm: Assumption, Mississauga; Mount Peace, Mississauga; St. John's, Mississauga; St. Mary's, Mississauga; Thornton Cemetery, Oshawa. We invite everyone to attend, also those whose dear ones rest in other cemeteries, in Poland or other places of the globe.

REMEMBRANCE OF ALL SOULS

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.

PLENARY INDULGENCE

From November 1 to November 8, you can get a plenary indulgence and offer it for the dead. The conditions for the indulgence include visiting the cemetery and praying for the dead. Moreover: lack of attachment to sin, the state of sanctifying grace, receiving Holy Communion, praying for the intentions appointed by the Holy Father.

ALL SOULS' DAY MASS

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the <u>All Souls' Day Mass on Saturday November 5 at 2 p.m.</u> All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations:

Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga – Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum

Christ the King Cemetery, Markham – Reception Centre Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill – Holy Family Mausoleum Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge – St. Anthony's Mausoleum (Liturgy in Italian and English)

Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby – Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum

EXCHANGE OF ROSARY MYSTERIES

Roses of the Living Rosary will exchange their mysteries on <u>Sunday, November 6, before 11:00 a.m. Mass.</u>

DEVOTIONS

Thursday is the first Thursday of the month. Let us pray for priests and all those called to serve in the Church. The service for the intention of vocations will be held at 6 pm.

Friday, November 4, is the first Friday of the month. Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at 6 pm. However, we invite you for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 3 pm in the church.

Saturday, November 5, is the first Saturday of the month. Devotion in honor of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary at 6 pm.

FIFTH RUN FOR INDEPENDENCE

The Consulate General of the Republic of Poland in Toronto invites you to participate in the 5th Independence Run on Sunday, November 6, 2022. Start: 1 pm; Place: Park I.J. Paderewski. Each participant will receive a T-shirt and a medal! Registration (until the end of October) at dabrowajerry@gmail.com

MEMORIAL MASS

We invite you for a Holy Mass for the faithful departed from our parish or your closest love ones (father, mother, sister, brother) that our loving Lord called to eternal rest this liturgical year in Canada or Poland. The Holy Mass will be celebrated at *St. Casimir's Parish* on November 13, 2022 at 11:00 am. Thirty minutes prior to the Eucharist (10:30 am) we will pray the rosary for the intention of these faithful departed. Please email the picture of the deceased to the parish email address or bring it to the parish office before November 10th. The pictures will be shown during the Mass.

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 & ALTAR SERVERS MEETINGS

We encourage children and young people to join the groups of our parish: Altar Servers & Youth - older and younger. More information on the posters in the display in front of the church.

BALL OF ALL SAINTS



We invite all children to the Ball of All Saints, on October 31 from 6 pm to 8 pm in the parish hall. Please wear the costume of your favorite saint.

MOVIE SCREANING "PAUPER & MADAME"

We invite you to the premiere of the feature film "Pauper and Madame", which shows the artistic and spiritual path of the Polish insurgent, artist-painter and benefactor of the poor - Adam Chmielowski, who after years of turbulent youth decides to abandon his current life, and the world knows him as Brother Albert. His rebellious nature and disagreement with evil and suffering make him escape from tsarist captivity, hidden in a coffin. After achieving fame, he abandons art to serve people. His tragic fate is crowned with a breakdown, expulsion from the Jesuit order and confinement in an institution for the mentally ill. However, he was soon reborn and returned as Brother Albert - the future saint. The film story of his life is completed with the fate of

famous friends and artists - Helena Modrzejewska and Jozef Chelmonski. The movie will be shown in our parish on Sunday, November 13 at 4 p.m. We can get free tickets next Sunday, November 6, in the parish hall.

MASS INTENSIONS FOR 2023

The Mass intentions for 2023 may 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.

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The World Mission Sunday collection was \$2,500. Thank you for your generosity.

GREGORIAN MASS

01.10 -30.10 For + Emilia Jasinska – sister with family 01.11 – 30.11 For + Kazimierz Opoka – daughter with family

MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 30

7:30 Ros

8:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

9:30 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

11:00 For parishioners

13:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

19:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

MONDAY, October 31 – St. Alphonsus Rodriguez

For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

19:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

TUESDAY, November 1 – All Saints' Day

8:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes
11:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

19:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

WEDNESDAY, November 2 – All Souls' Day

8:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes 19:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

9:00 For deceased mentioned in the All Souls envelopes

THURSDAY, November 3 - St. Martin de Porres, Religious 8:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

18:30 Devotion of the first Thursday of the month
19:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

FRIDAY, November 4 – St. Charles Borromeo, bishop

8:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

8:30 Devotion of the first Friday of the month

19:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

SATURDAY, November 5 – Sts. Zachariah & Elizabeth, parents of St. John the Baptist

8:00 For deceased mentioned in the "All Souls" envelopes

18:00 Devotion of the first Saturday of the month

9:00 For + husband Stanislaw Glica & daughter Basia Glica – wife & mother

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, November 6

8:00 For members of the Holy Rosary Society

9:30 For + Ursula Bak, parents Jan & Janina Sliwinski & brother Henry - Jozef

11:00 For parishioners

13:00 For + Henryk Perkowski (8th anniversary) – daughter Basia with family

19:00 For + Miroslaw Kulesza - family