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> November 24, 2024 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.

For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Matthew Dombrady & Caroline Cordos

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Kodi MacDonell

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Jadwiga Rygiel Bronisława Stadnik Richard Bieniasz Eternal rest grant them, Lord

JESUS CHRIST THE KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Jesus is a unique King – he has no army or royal court, he does not wear a crown on his head or hold a golden scepter in his hand. On the last Sunday of the liturgical year, which is the feast of Jesus Christ the King of the Universe, we want to remind ourselves that true kingship is primarily connected with service. Jesus became King because he knew how to serve. Service is the ability to be for others and to give up oneself. Today's celebration was established almost a hundred years ago by the encyclical of Pius XI "Quas primas" and is the culmination of the entire liturgical year, during which we experience the entire mystery of salvation: we praise God and thank Him for the work of creation and redemption. Through holy baptism, we participate in this mystery and submit to the royal authority of Jesus Christ, who wants to unite us all in his kingdom of truth, peace and salvation.

MISSIONARY SISTERS OF CHRIST THE KING

Today's Solemnity of Christ the King is the patronal feast of the Missionary Sisters of Christ the King for Polish People Abroad. The sisters are called to care for Polish emigrants. The sisters serve Poles scattered all over the world. The proper form of apostolate is prayer and all kinds of work offered to God for Polish emigrants. We extend our warmest wishes to all Missionary Sisters, especially Sister Weronika, and assure them of our prayers.

RENOVATION FUND

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

GIRL SCOUTS INVITE

KPH at the Szarotki Grafton are organizing a café in the parish hall today, where you can buy coffee, donuts and homemade cakes, as well as handmade Christmas decorations by the Girl Scouts. We cordially invite you.

MISSIONARY GROUP MEETING

A meeting of the Missionary Group will take place next Wednesday after the evening Mass.

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, November 30 at 8:00 p.m.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

We invite children preparing for the First Holy Communion, with their parents, on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>December 1</u> to the Holy Mass at <u>9:30 am</u>. Children will receive the tablets with God's Commandments at the beginning of the program preparing for the reception of the First Holy Communion.

PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Another liturgical year is ending. In a week, on the first Sunday of Advent, we will begin a new church year. The pastoral program of the Catholic Church in Poland for 2024/2025, entitled "Pilgrims of Hope", will be implemented in unity with the universal Church, which is preparing to celebrate the Jubilee of the Ordinary Holy Year 2025. The main assumptions of the program are to awaken Christian hope and remind the faithful of their identity and mission. Within the framework of four key themes - prayer, forgiveness, pilgrimage and brotherhood - the Church encourages the faithful to spiritual renewal and actively bring hope to society.

EXCHANGE OF THE ROSARY MYSTERIES

Roses of the Living Rosary will exchange their mysteries on Sunday, December 1, before the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

SHEPHERDS' TRUST

The collection for Shepherd's Trust last Sunday was \$3,300. Thank you for your generosity.

SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2025

<u>Sunday Offering Envelopes for 2025</u> may be picked up in the parish hall; they are arranged in alphabetical order. The parishioners, who until now have numbers above number 469, receive the new number. Parishioners using envelopes for their donations are eligible to receive a tax receipt at the end of the year. The tax receipts will be sent in February.

DONATION FOR PARCELS FOR CHILDREN FROM ORPHANAGES

For many years now, on the first Sunday of Advent, it has been possible to make a donation for parcels for children from orphanages. This year, by decision of the Parish Council, we will support children who were affected by the flood disaster. Donations can only be made on Sunday, December 1 to the collection box at the entrance to the church.

CHRISTMAS BAZAR AT COPERNICUS LODGE

Christmas Bazar at Copernicus Lodge will take place in the Main Lobby on Saturday, December 7 at 9:00am-2:00pm. This will feature hand made Christmas decorations made by the Copernicus Lodge seniors, jewellery, books, china, crystal and of course coffee & paczki.

CHRISTMAS DINNER "OPŁATEK"

The Parish Council invites you to the "Opłatek" Christmas dinner on Sunday, January 5 at 2:30 pm. Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased at the parish office. Children under 12 receive a free ticket. A hot lunch prepared by our ladies will be served. It will also be a time to sing carols together. Mrs. Stefania Baran is responsible for the event.

CHRISTMAS WAFER & OBLATE CALENDAR FOR 2025

Christmas wafers, Christmas cards and calendars for next year are available in the parish hall.

MASS INTENSIONS

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 please contact the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS AT THE OBLATE MISSIONS

In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for the Wojdylo family x2 – friend

In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for the Pelic & Campbell families – Peczar family For the successful operation & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for Izabela x2

In the God's known intension x2

For + Janina Nowak - The Holy Rosary Society

For + Elzbieta Mika - Bozena & Bogdan Borowski

In thanksgiving asking for health for Korina & God's blessing for grandchildren



MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Sunday, November 24

- 8:00 For + Tadeusz, Karolina & Waclaw Osiecki son with family
- 9:30 For + Marian Sapkowski (4th anniversary) wife & children
- 11:00 For parishioners
- 13:00 For deceased from the Konopka family family
- 19:00 For + Bronislaw Albinowski daughters & grandchildren

MONDAY, November 25

- 8:00 For + Marek Cyrzan Lusia Grzesiowska with family
- 19:00 For + Zofia (anniversary) & Marcin Piersiak daughter with family

TUESDAY, November 26

- :00 For + Maria Karaputa Stephanie & Mario Canario with family
- 19:00 In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for Kamila on her birthday – mother & sister

WEDNESDAY, November 27

- 8:00 For + Krystyna Klemensowicz family
- 19:00 For deceased parents Rylski, husband Jan Rylski & souls in purgatory daughter & wife

THURSDAY, November 28

- 8:00 For + Jozef Tobola, Jozefa & Stanislaw Tobola & deceased from the family Maria Tobola
- 19:00 For + Ryszard Mieczyslaw Fabis mother & wife with family

FRIDAY, November 29

- 8:00 For + Genowefa Ofiara family
- 19:00 For + Antonina & Bronislaw Hyc, Maria & Karol Iglar, Danuta & Wladyslaw Majka children

SATURDAY, November 30 – St. Andrew, Apostle

- 3:00 For + Adela (5th anniversary) & Mieczyslaw Sochaj Miroslaw Drag with family
- 19:00 For deceased from the Albinowski family daughters & grandchildren

First Sunday of Advent, December 1

- 3:00 For members of the Holy Rosary Society
- 9:30 For + Edna Kedzior & deceased from the Sajdak & Kobak families daughters with families
- 11:00 For parishioners
- :00 For deceased friends Zelski family
- 19:00 For the world's peace & return to work own