ST. CASIMIR'S PARISH

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January 19, 2025 **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.

For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Romee Rich

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Stefania Piersiak Wladyslaw Kozlowski Eternal rest grant them, Lord

PASTOR'S REFLECTION

In today's Gospel, the inspiration for the action taken by Jesus is Mary, His Mother. It was Mary who noticed that at the wedding taking place in Cana of Galilee, in the eyes of the invited guests, its organizers, namely the newlyweds and their families, could soon be compromised. They had prepared too little wine. An extremely clear lesson emerges from Mary's attitude. Namely, the measure of true greatness of a person is not the success they have achieved measured by the contents of their wallet, the number of high-ranking acquaintances or the letters in front of their name. Greatness understood in the Gospel is lovingly perceiving and meeting the needs of people who need specific help or support. A truly great person is therefore one who notices the needs of others and does everything in their power to meet them.

OBLATE FATHERS ANNUAL RETREAT

This week our fathers begin their annual retreat at the Retreat House in Mississauga. There will be no Masses in our parish from Monday through Friday. We ask for prayers for all fathers across Canada.

RENOVATION FUND

Next Sunday, January 26, the second collection will be collected for the Renovation Fund. We thank everyone for the donation.

MOVIE AT THE PARISH HALL

Today we invite you to the film "Gietrzwald 1877. War of the Worlds" which will be shown at 3:00 PM in the parish hall. Free admission with voluntary donations for youth and covering the costs of the license and production. The film will tell the story of extraordinary events that occurred in the summer of 1877 in the Warmia village of Gietrzwald. These are the only apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Polish lands, the authenticity of which has been canonically confirmed by the Church. About 70% of the film discusses the unknown geopolitical contexts of those times, in order to properly understand the circumstances of the apparitions of the Mother of God.

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, January 25 at 8:00 p.m.

EXCHANGE OF THE ROSARY MYSTERIES FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

On Sunday, January 26, after the Holy Mass at 1:00 pm, we invite all children and youth to exchange the Mysteries of the Rosary.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS RETREAT

Youth Teams of our Lady (YTOL) is inviting all high school students (grade 9-12) to the March Break Retreat from Sunday March 9 to Friday March 14th. The retreat will be taking place at the Blue Springs Scout Reserve in Acton. For more information regarding the topic, registration process and price of the retreat please contact Anna Jach (519)-571-9241 or 519-588-9241

OUR YOUTH INVITE TO THE ITALIAN DANCE **PARTY**

The youth of St. Casimir's Parish invites you to the Italian Dinner Dance Party, Saturday, March 1, 2025 from 7pm to 2am at St. Casimir's Parish Hall, 156 Roncesvalles Ave. Raffle, Non Stop live band, cash bar. Tickets \$75. Proceeds go to the youth pilgrimage to Rome in July 2025; for tickets please call the parish office (416) 532-2822

NEW ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION IN THE CLASSROOMS OF THE POLISH **SCHOOL**

Work is underway to replace the electrical installation in the premises of the Polish School. The current cables are old, the wires are covered with material, and this is unacceptable in a building for public use. We would like to thank the electrician Mr. Marian Turczynski and Stanislaw Cop for the enormous amount of work they put

into modernizing the lighting in the premises of the Polish School. For many weeks, they have been working every day for the good of our parish as volunteers.

SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2025

Sunday Offering Envelopes for 2025 may be picked up at the back of the church; they are arranged in alphabetical order. 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.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORE

Pilgrimage to Medjugore with the Warriors of Mary and the Catholic Pilgrimage Agency "FLIGHT WITH MARY" under the spiritual care of Fr. Paweł Pilarczyk, OMI, from April 21 to 30, 2025 Marzena (647) 284-1631 Małgorzata (416) 859-8469

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

For + father Andrzej Bugaj (24th anniversary) – son In thanksgiving asking for health & God's blessing for the Kic family $x^2 - Kic$ family

For + grandparents Jan & Anna Ozga, parents Roman & Elzbieta Kic, brother Jana Kic, nephew Michal Kic, Aniela & Jozef Zaworski, Jan & Teresa & deceased from the Suszylo family - family

For + Cecylia Pelic x4 – friends

For + Cecylia Pelic x10 – Peczar family

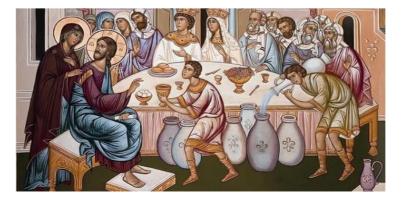
For + Jozef Tobola x2

For + Janusz Skierski

For + Franciszek Biel

For + Jadwiga Rygiel - Bembenek family

For + Stefania Piersiak – Stefania Baran



MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, January 19

8:00 For the members of the Divine Mercy society

9:30 For + Wladyslaw Wicik – wife, children & grandchildren

11:00 For parishioners

13:00 For God's blessing & gifts of the Holy Spirit for members & their families of the Rosary of St. Casimir

19:00 For + Stanislaw Kolpak (38th anniversary) – wife Stefania with children

MONDAY, January 20

8:00 There is no Mass

19:00 There is no Mass

TUESDAY, January 21 – St. Agnes, virgin & martyr

8:00 For + There is no Mass

19:00 There is no Mass

WEDNESDAY, January 22

8:00 There is no Mass

19:00 There is no Mass

THURSDAY, January 23

8:00 There is no Mass

19:00 There is no Mass

FRIDAY, January 24 – St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & **Doctor of the Church**

8:00 There is no Mass

19:00 There is no Mass

SATURDAY, January 25

8:00 For + Anna & Wojciech Kopec – daughters with family

19:00 For + Krystyna Klemensowicz – Renata & Tom Klemensowicz

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, January 26

8:00 For + Aldona Szulc – daughter with family

9:30 For + Katherine Presz – son John Anthony

11:00 For parishioners

13:00 For deceased from the Kolodziej family – daughter-in-law Maria Kolodziej

19:00 In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing for Hanna on her birthday – parents & sisters