

**Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 7, 2025**

First reading: Wis 9, 13-18

Second reading: Phil 9b-10.12-17

**Resp. Psalm 90: „Lord, You have always been our
refuge.”**

Gospel: Lk 14, 25-33

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.

For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Gabriel Amadeusz Stankiewicz & Caroline Woldylo

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Millie Mae Gagnon

THE PASTOR'S REFLECTION

A new school year has begun. Children and young people have returned to school, and adults have returned to work after their holidays. It's worth remembering, however, that regardless of age, we are all in the school of the Lord Jesus. Today, he once again offers his disciples guidance found in the Word of God. First, we are invited to seek true wisdom and humility. Next, we are to build good relationships with others.

**FEAST OF NATIVITY
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

September, like August, is celebrated with Mary. Next Monday, September 8, marks one of the oldest Marian feasts: the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. In our Polish tradition, it is known as the Feast of Our Lady of the Sowing.

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA

This coming Saturday, September 13, is Fatima Day, but due to the Polish Festival on Saturday, the service has been moved to Friday, September 12. Join us at 6:00 pm.

CATECHESIS 2025-2026

At the beginning of the new school year, we urge you to make every effort to ensure that children and young people participate in school catechesis from the very beginning with full and conscious engagement. Catechesis in our parish for the 2025-2026 school year will begin on September 20, 2025, and will take place on Saturdays from 12:15 PM to 1:45 PM after Polish School classes in the classrooms of St. Casimir's Polish School. Children from kindergarten to grade 7 will be catechized. Registration forms are available at the parish office or on our website www.kazimierz.org (tab: About the parish/Forms to download). Registration is open until October 19, 2025. *Preparation for First Communion will*

be conducted in Polish and English, while preparation for Confirmation will be conducted in English only.

RONCESVALLES POLISH FESTIVAL

This coming weekend, September 13 and 14, the Polish Roncesvalles Polish Festival will take place. Our parish is once again organizing a stand serving delicious Polish food. Therefore, we are asking all parishioners to help prepare and staff our stand. We are counting on your help. Ms. Stefania Baran from the Finance Committee is responsible for all preparations. Please get involved and help us. You can also register your donations at the office. Proceeds will primarily be used to renovate the kneelers on the right side of the church. The cost of the kneelers is \$10,000. We also invite young people to volunteer; they can receive a certificate from their school confirming their volunteer hours.

Please note: This coming Sunday, September 14, due to the Polish Roncesvalles Festival, there will be no 1:00 PM Mass. A military stage will be located next to the church, which will certainly not bring the necessary peace and quiet to the church. We would like to remind you that next weekend Roncesvalles Street will be closed and parking at the Credit Union will be unavailable.

MASS INTENSIONS FOR 2026

Mass intentions for 2026 may be requested starting **Tuesday, September 16 in the parish hall.** We remind all parishioners that each family may request up to four Mass intentions per year, of which only one can be on a Sunday. **After September 16, intensions can be requested in person only at the parish office.**

RENOVATION FUND

Thank you for your donations to the Renovation Fund, which will help renovate the pews in our church. Last Sunday's donation totaled \$5,575. Special thanks go to Bozena Rupik for \$1,000 donation.

POLISH CANADIAN MILENIUM FUND

Applications for student grants: applicants must be students of Polish descent who have completed their first year of studies and are currently enrolled in a program of study at a Canadian post-secondary educational institution. The deadline for submission is September 15. More information on www.millenniumfund.ca

THANKS & GRATITUDE...

After a long renovation, the Polish school premises have been renovated, new lighting has been installed, and all rooms have been painted. We sincerely thank the volunteers for this beautiful work: Marian Turczyński and Stanisław Cop for installing the new electrical system and lighting; Edward Milewski for painting all the rooms; Jadwiga Milewska for helping with cleaning; and Adam

Waligora, Jozef Stepien, and Jacek Pasciak for their help in many ways. God bless you!

PILGRIMAGE TO GUADALUPE

From December 8 to 14, a pilgrimage to Guadalupe, the largest Marian shrine in the world, will take place. For reservations and more information, please contact the POLIMEX travel agency at (416) 537-0000. We invite you to attend. A youth pilgrimage to Guadalupe will also take place from January 24 to 30. Registration opens in September.

MASS INTENSIONS

We inform you about possibility of ordering Mass intentions at the Oblate Missions in the parish office. All mission intentions that were given in the parish office have already been fulfilled. We encourage you to give intentions that help missionaries in their work of evangelization.

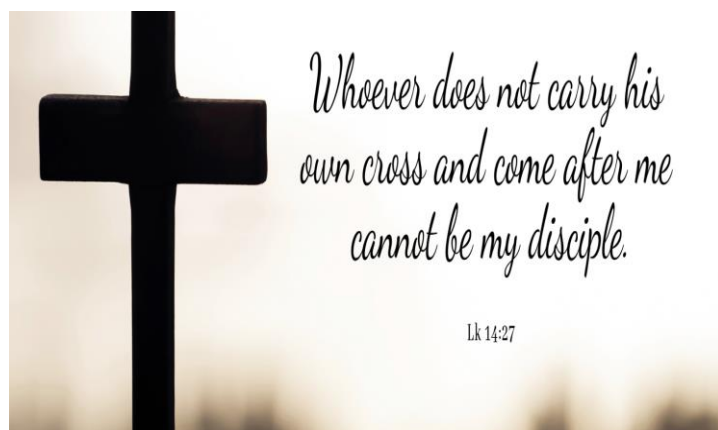
We thank you for ordering the Gregorian Masses. Anyone who wants to order Gregorian Mass please contact the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS AT THE OBLATE MISSIONS

For + Sophie & Marian Robertson – son & daughter
For god marriage & happiness for Ted Robertson & Hannah Stella Mae
For + Kamila Janz x3

GREGORIAN MASS

08.09-06.09 For + Peter Inciura – Regina Inciura
07.09–06.10 For + Jonas Inciura – Regina Inciura
07.10-05.11 For + Ona Inciura – Regina Inciura
15.09-14.10 For + Romuald Wiszniewski – daughter Bozena Leszczynska
15.10-13.11 For + Regina Wiszniewska – daughter Bozena Leszczynska
06.11-05.12 For + Honorata Lejtkowska – niece
14.11-13.12 For + Janina Wolosik – sister Bozena
14.12- 12.01 For + Agnieszka Leszczynska – mother
06.12-4.01 For + Tadeusz Chociej - family



MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 7

- 8:00 For the members of the Holy Rosary Society
9:30 For God's blessing & care of the Blessed Virgin Mary for Madison - grandparents
11:00 In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing for Iwona & Andrzej Holowko on their 25th wedding anniversary & for Michal Grygatowicz on his 85th birthday - own
13:00 For + Ursula Bak (12th anniversary) - Jozef
19:00 For + Maria, Jan & Stanislaw Blicharski – wife & daughters

MONDAY, September 8 – Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 8:00 For + Julian Longosz - daughter
19:00 For + Ryszars Siwiec

TUESDAY, September 9

- 8:00 For + Miron Roman - wife
19:00 For + Wladyslaw, Witold, Jerzy, Teresa & Helena Wicik – Janina Wicik with family

WEDNESDAY, September 10

- 8:00 For + Edward Buczkowski & Anna Stefaniszyn – God son
19:00 In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing for Anna & Karol Jurewicz on their 25th wedding anniversary - mother

THURSDAY, September 11

- 8:00 For + Zbigniew Korwin-Kuczynski – sons Chris & M
19:00 For + Henryk Kaminski (32nd anniversary) – wife with children

FRIDAY, September 12

- 8:00 For + Stanislaw Wozniczka (12th anniversary) – wife with family
18:00 Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima

- 19:00 For God's blessing for Edyta & Andrzej - mother

SATURDAY, September 13 - St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Dr. of the Church

- 8:00 For + Mieczyslaw Krolewicz (7th anniversary) – wife & daughters with families
19:00 For + Maria & Stanislaw Sliwa – daughter with family

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 14

- 8:00 For the members of the Holy Name of Jesus Society
9:30 For + Tadeusz Biel – son with children
11:00 In thanksgiving asking for God's blessing for Lucyna & Jozef Stachulak-Gora 50th wedding anniversary - own
13:00 There is no Mass
19:00 For + Henryk Bulkowski on the 1st anniversary of death and deceased from the Bulkowski, Sawicki & Wiczorek families - family