Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 25, 2026
First reading:Ex 22, 20-26
Second reading: 1 Thess 1, 5c-10
Psalm 18: „I love you, Lord, my strength .”
Gospel: Mt 22, 34-40

Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.
For Polish Masses, see Mass Intention schedule.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

William Monte Chomentowski
Thomas Hudson Chomentowski
Jayden Michael Borejsza
Amelia Bella Borejsza
Charlotte Maeve Budziak

PASTOR'S REFLECTIONS

Have you ever wondered what the Church truly is—is it just a stone structure or a living community of people? In the first reading, Solomon asks for God's presence in the temple, demonstrating the importance of God's dwelling in the holy place. The Letter to the Corinthians reminds us that we ourselves are God's building and the temple of the Holy Spirit, so the Church is, above all, a community of living people. The Gospel presents Peter professing faith in Christ as the foundation of this community. This is a reminder that each of us is responsible for building the Church through our faith and commitment. The Church community is not perfect, but it is a place where God works among us. Let us receive the word to discover how deep and vibrant our community in Christ is.

RENOVATION FUND

Today is the last Sunday of the month, the second contribution is collected for the Renovation Fund.

ANNUAL PARISH COUNT

Today, the annual parish count is taking place in all churches in the Archdiocese of Toronto. The members of the parish committee conduct the count, as they do every year.

OCTOBER – MONTH OF THE ROSARY

We have begun the final week of the Rosary. We remind you that we gather in our church every day at 6:30 PM for a Rosary devotion.

SAINTS APOSTLES SIMON & JUDE THADDEUS

On Wednesday, October 28, we will celebrate the Saints Apostles Simon and Jude Thaddeus in the liturgy. Gazing upon their witness, we will pray to God for strong faith. Saint Jude Thaddeus is considered the patron saint of hopeless cases; we invoke him in times of special need.

ADORATION & VIGIL WITH THE SAINTS

On Saturday, October 31, after the 7 p.m. Mass, there will be an Adoration and Vigil with the Saints on the eve of All Saints' Day. Young people and altar servers are invited!

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Next Sunday, November 1, is All Saints' Day. On this day, prayers will be held at cemeteries:
2:00 PM: Meadowvale Cemetery, Brampton
2:30 PM: Queen of Heaven, Brampton
3:00 PM: Park Lawn, Toronto, Sanctuary, Toronto
4:00 PM: Assumption, Mississauga, Mount Peace, Mississauga, St. John's, Mississauga, St. Mary's, Mississauga
Prayers at Christ the King Cemetery, Markham, will be at **2:30 PM**, and at Pine Hills Cemetery in Scarborough, at **4:00 PM.** Prayers at Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby, October 25, at **1:30 PM,** with a rosary and Mass. Prayers at Thornton Cemetery, Oshawa, October 25 at **3:30 PM**.

ALL SOULS' DAY

On Monday, November 2, we commemorate All the Faithful Departed in the liturgy, known as All Souls' Day. Let us also remember that during the first eight days of November, we can offer the souls in purgatory a great gift – a plenary indulgence for devoutly visiting a cemetery and praying for their intentions, as well as fulfilling the other usual conditions: being in a state of sanctifying grace, not being attached to any sin, receiving Holy Communion, and praying for the intentions designated by the Pope.

REMEMBRANCE FOR THE DECEASED

The tradition of remembrance for the deceased has been alive in the Church for centuries. Even in the earliest Christian communities, the faithful prayed for those who had passed away, believing that the prayer of the Church helped them on their path to the fullness of eternal life. Remembrance is therefore not only a beautiful custom but also an expression of our faith, hope, and love for our loved ones who have preceded us on the pilgrimage to the Father's House. In our parish, we are beginning to accept remembrance for the deceased. Masses will be celebrated for the deceased recommended in the REMEMBERSHIP from November 1 to 8, and at the provincial house throughout November. If we wish to join our deceased loved ones in this prayer, please write the names of the deceased in the REMEMBERSHIP envelope and place it in the collection box at the altar of Our Lady or at the parish office. May our shared prayer be a sign of gratitude and spiritual unity with those who have passed into eternity.

CATECHESIS

Catechesis in our parish have already began and 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. Registration forms are available at the back of the church, at the parish office, or on our website www.kazimierz.org (About the Parish tab). Registration last until the end of October.

OPENING MASS

The opening Mass for the catechetical year, Polish School and Bialy Orzel folk group will be celebrated today, October 25 at 1:00 PM.

LIVE BROADCAST CAMERA

The camera broadcasting live Masses from our church has been down for a week. After eight years of service, it has broken

down, and our technicians are in the process of upgrading the entire system and replacing the camera with a new one. Please be patient.

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS & ALTAR SERVERS RECRUITMENT

We invite you to our Friday youth gatherings at 8:00 PM. For information and to sign up, please contact Fr. Pawel.

CABBAGE SALE

Today, October 25, youth will be selling organic cabbage from the Mennonites.

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The RCIA program is available at our parish; a Christian initiation program for adults who wish to receive baptism or confirmation in our Roman Catholic community. For information and registration, please contact Father Pawel.

THANKS & GRATITUDE

We thank Marian Turczynski, an electrician, who has been working tirelessly for four years to complete the replacement of old electrical wiring in the parish buildings. We thank Mr. Marian from the bottom of our hearts for the tremendous amount of work he puts into caring for our parish.

SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

We will soon **begin preparing donation envelopes for 2027.** 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 February.

PRO-LIFE GROUP INVITATION

Kolbe Pro-Life Group invites everyone to a special presentation with Kathy Matusiak, Director of Compassionate Community Care, on Monday, November 2, at 8:15pm in the St. Maximilian Kolbe Room at St. Maximilian Kolbe parish in Mississauga. The presentation will focus on the dignity of human life, palliative care, and supporting seniors and those experiencing loneliness. The presentation will be in English. All are welcome!

PILGRIMAGE TO GUADALUPE

The pilgrimage to the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mexico, will take place from December 9 to 15. For more information and to register, please contact the Polimex Travel Agency at 905-238-6683.

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 the gifts of the Holy Spirit, health & God's blessing for Alicja Brikic - sister

MASS INTENSIONS AND DEVOTIONS

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, October 25
8:00 For + Robert Halas (16th anniversary) – wife & children
9:30 For + Bronislaw Albinowski – daughters, grandchildren & great grandson
11:00 For parishioners
13:00 For deceased from the Willamowicz, Taszycki, Szymaszczyk, Tomasik & Kalicki families - family
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For + Jadwiga Czul – son

MONDAY, October 26
8:00 For + Stanislaw Kopec – daughter with family
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For + Franciszek Misiuna (2nd anniversary) – wife Bronia, daughter & family

TUESDAY, October 27
8:00 For + Wladyslaw, Wanda & Ray Kuszelewski – children & siblings with families
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For + Marta Zydron – sister Ewa with husband

WEDNESDAY, October 28 – Sts. Simon & JudeThaddeus Apostles
8:00 For + Wanda & Wladyslaw Kuszelewski – Danuta Kuszelewska
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For + Danuta Komorowska, Luba Telerycz, Zdzislawa Kucharski & Wanda Horawski – Mieczyslawa

THURSDAY, October 29
8:00 For + Katarzyna Rogalska – daughter Zofia
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For + Halina Lapinska – daughter Elzbieta with family

FRIDAY, October 30
8:00 For + Jozef Tobola (2nd anniversary) – wife with family
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For deceased from the Motulewicz family – Maria & Monika

SATURDAY, October 31
8:00 For + Stanislaw Panek family
18:30 Rosary
19:00 For + Lucyna, Ludwika, Cezary & Eugeniusz - friends

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