LITURGICAL CALENDAR

15 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48 (47) Pss III

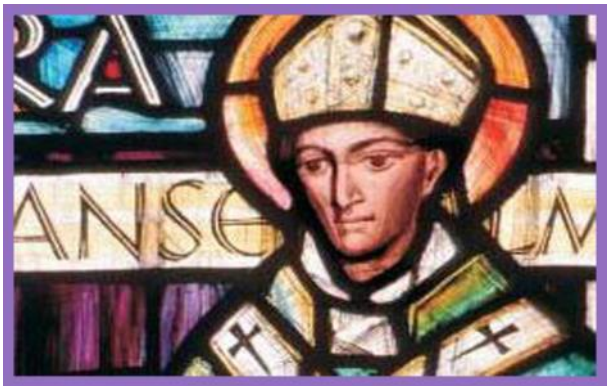
16 Mon Easter Weekday
Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29 (273)
17 Tue Easter Weekday
Acts 7:51—8:1a/Jn 6:30-35 (274)

18 Wed Easter Weekday
Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40 (275)

19 Thu Easter Weekday
Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51 (276)

20 Fri Easter Weekday
Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59 (277)

21 Sat Easter Weekday
[Saint Anselm, Bishop and Doctor of the Church]
Acts 9:31-42/Jn 6:60-69 (278)
22 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Acts 4:8-12/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18 (50) Pss IV



Saint Anselm

Saint Anselm (1033-1109) was a Benedictine monk, Christian philosopher, and scholar who is recognized for many intellectual accomplishments, including his application of reason in exploring the mysteries of faith and for his definition of theology as "faith seeking understanding."

The brilliance of Saint Anselm's thinking and writing about the nature of faith and of God has intrigued and influenced scholars since the Middle Ages. His highly respected work, Monologium, rationalizes proof of God's existence. His Proslogium, advances the idea that God exists according to the human notion of a perfect being in whom nothing is lacking. Since they were first written, both works have been studied and praised by many of the world's greatest theologians and philosophers.
Born near Aosta in Italy in 1033, Anselm began his education under the tutelage of the monks of a local Benedictine monastery. After his mother passed away, Anselm observed a period of grief and mourning and then traveled throughout Europe. At that time, the spiritual and intellectual reputation of the monk Lanfranc, who belonged to the monastery of Bec in Normandy, was widespread. Anselm was drawn to Lanfranc, and in 1060 attached himself to Lanfranc's abbey. The community immediately recognized Anselm's unique abilities and he was soon teaching in the abbey school. He was made prior of the monastery in 1063.
It was during his days at Bec that Anselm composed his innovative works on the existence and nature of God. Indeed, it was only out of a sense of obligation and submission to the will of the community that he undertook the duties and burdens of administration.

His election to the position of abbot of the community in 1078 speaks to the love and regard in which he was held by his confreres. But Bec was not to be the end of his journey. In 1093 he was summoned to England to become the archbishop of Canterbury, succeeding his master and spiritual director Lanfranc. Anselm's years at Canterbury were not lacking in political controversy. He showed great courage in disputing William II and Henry I in regard to ecclesiastical abuses that were being visited upon the church by those kings. Twice he was banished while making appeals in Rome. Twice he returned to Canterbury, his abilities as an extraordinary theologian, negotiator, and statesman having added luster and authority to the cause of the church.
Throughout his years, Anselm maintained a strong allegiance to his monastic lifestyle and to his intellectual pursuits. He composed several philosophical and theological treatises, as well as a series of beautiful prayers and meditations in addition to his oftentimes inspirational correspondence.
Anselm held the position of archbishop until his death in 1109. A biography by his contemporary Eadmer provides many insights into the life of this remarkably saintly and scholarly man.

A Prayer from Anselm of Canterbury

O my God teach my heart where and how to seek you,where and how to find you.
You are my God and you are my All and I have never seen you.
You have made me and remade me,
You have bestowed on me all the good things I possess,
Still I do not know you.
I have not yet done that for which I was made….
Teach me to seek you.
I cannot seek you unless you teach me
or find you unless you show yourself to me.
Let me seek you in my desire, let me desire you in my seeking.Let me find you by loving you, let me love you when I find you.

News & Announcements

On April, 14 & 15 , 2018 a charity event - Great Daffodil Appeal - will be held in our parish.After each mass daffodils will be offered by volunteers to our parishioners. The beneficary of our fundraising will be hospice in Bielsko-Biala (Poland)

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W niedzielę 15 kwietnia 2018 roku w naszym kościele, zapraszamy wiernych do wzięcia udziału w akcji charytatywnej pod tytułem „Pola Nadziei". Woluntariusze będą rozdawać żonkile. Pieniądze uzyskane ze zbiorki będą przekazane do hospicjum Jana Pawła II w Bielsku-Białej. W ubiegłym roku wokół naszego kościoła zostały zasadzone żonkile symbolizujące „Pola Nadziei".Widać już efekt naszej pracy w postaci kwitnących żonkili.

„Miłość do cierpiących jest znakiem i miarą poziomu cywilizacyjnego danego narodu" (Jan Paweł II)

2018 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal
The Annual Appeal provides the poor with food, shelter and clothing, supports religious education and seminarian education.
Please consider making a gift.
2018 Annual appeal goal:$6.142.00

Rozpoczęliśmy doroczny apel
2018 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal.
Doroczna Kwesta Katolicka zapewnia ubogim jedzenie, schronienie i odzież, wspiera edukację religijną i wychowanie seminaryjne.
Proszę rozważyć możliwość złożenia ofiary.
Nasz tegoroczny cel to $6,142.00

Informacje i Ogłoszenia

Dzisiaj ,15 kwietnia o godzinie 1:30 pm w Cracovia Manor odbędzie się bal charytatywny z którego dochód zostanie przeznaczony na pomoc Podkarpackiemu Hospicjum dla dzieci.
Zachęcamy naszych parafian do wzięcia udziału w zabawie na ten szczytny cel.
Bilety do nabycia w Cracovia Manor (973) 473-8527
lub Zuzanna Sierzega (201) 397-2861
Katarzyna Radkowska (917)-282-8488
Więcej informacji na plakacie z tyłu kościoła.

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W sobotę,21 kwietnia o godzinie 8 pm odbędzie się koncert Uwielbiajmy Pana , dziękując za 75 lat istnienia parafii Najświętszego Serca Pana Jezusa w Wallington.
Zapraszamy naszych parafian do udziału w koncercie.

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W niedzielę,29 kwietnia o godzinie 12 pm w sali pod kościołem odbędzie się loteria fantowa.
Zapraszamy na obiad połączony z loteria fantową z której dochód przeznaczony będzie na pomoc naszej parafii.
Wstęp 15 $ od osoby dorosłej, dzieci do lat 12 wstęp wolny .W cenie biletu obiad, kawa i ciasto. Więcej informacji na plakacie z tyłu kościoła lub kontakt z panią Marią Swołek (201) 414-0505
Będzie możliwość zakupu biletów na loterie fantowa z atrakcyjnymi nagrodami. Zapraszamy wszystkich chętnych.

April 15, 2018 Third Sunday of Easter

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Holy Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday:
7:30 AM (English)
Tuesday, *Novena to St. Joseph*:
7:00 PM (Polish)
Friday, *Divine Mercy Novena*:
7:00 PM (Polish)
First Friday:
7:30AM (English) & 7:00 PM (Polish)
Saturday:
7:30 AM (English) & 5:30 PM Vigil Holy Mass (English)
Sunday:
9:30 AM (English) & 11:00 AM (Polish)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:
Tuesdays from 6:00 PM
Confessions:
before and after Holy Mass
Sacrament of Baptism:
Sunday after Holy Mass at 11:00 AM.
Arrange at parish office.
Marriage:
please contact the Rectory Office 6 months in advance.
Rectory Office Hours:
Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 9:00AM to 2:00PM

If you or someone in your family is unable to come to church and would like to receive the sacraments of Penance, Eucharist, and/or Anointing of the Sick, please call Fr. Wlodzimierz at (201) 440-3224.

"Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer
and rise from the dead on the third day
and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins,
would be preached in his name
to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem.
You are witnesses of these things."
LK 24:35-48
Tak jest napisane: Mesjasz będzie cierpiał i trzeciego dnia zmartwychwstanie; w imię Jego głoszone będzie nawrócenie i odpuszczenie grzechów wszystkim narodom, począwszy od Jeruzalem. Wy jesteście świadkami tego.

INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

9:30 AM † Donna DiCarlo
rq.Barbara Krzciuk
11:00 AM O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo
dla Agnieszki i Krzysztofa z okazji urodzin.

MONDAY, APRIL 16

7:30 AM For Parishioners

TUESDAY, APRIL 17

7:00 PM †† Donna & Pat DiCarlo
rq.Irene & Eric Kropiewnicki

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18

7:30 AM Personal Intention

THURSDAY, APRIL 19

7:30 AM Personal Intention

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

7:00 PM † Donna DiCarlo
rq.Helena Paszul

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

7:30 AM † Donna DiCarlo
rq. Halina
5:30 PM Christopher Kusielewicz z okazji urodzin

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

9:30 AM Health and God's blessing for Sidney Kropiewnicki on her birthday.
11:00 AM O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo
dla Moniki i Marka z okazji urodzin

LECTORS

Sat. Apr.14– 5:30 PM
Suzanne Fiorillo

Sun.Apr.15– 9:30 AM
Richard Cerbo

Sun. Apr.15– 11:00 AM
Marzanna Kopacz & Grzegorz Bubienko

Sat.Apr.21 -5:30 PM
Kathleen Meehan

Sun. Apr. 22– 9:30 AM
Richard Cerbo

Sun.Apr.22-11:00 AM
Sara Kowal & Iwona Kita

Sanctuary Lamp Candles

This week sanctuary lamps have been offered in memory of:
Dymitryszyn family
Wozniel family

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Wieczyste Lampki

Wieczyste lampki w tym tygodniu zostały ofiarowane za spokój dusz:
Z Rodziny Dymitryszyn
Z Rodziny Woźniel

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

All of our deceased parishioners and friends. We also ask your prayers of comfort for our sick and confined parishioners and friends:

Jean & Frank Bernardo, Philip Burghardt, Robert Alfaro, Rose Pira, Ed Koennemenn, Jane & Bill Zehnder, Dorothy Walker, Patrick Patskin, Darlene & Jack Wilman, Elizabeth Malangone, †Teresa Miras, Eieen & Michael Murphy, Benjamin Narciso, Niku Rudgarnia, Kelly Smyth, Marie Demarest, Jacek Strządała, Regina Pfaff, Kazimierz Brodka, Christine Novak, Ethelda Burton, Kathy Sarao, Theresa Demirest Gina, Michael, Renee Foca, Karolina Stachniuk, Franciszek Szczecha, †Donna DiCarlo, Damian Marek, Anna Mattessich, Fr. Pawel Georgette Pianteri. Br Marek, Mark Metzler, Arlene Nowakowski, Barbara Revis, Marzanna Kopacz, Ashley Hascup,Jessica Santos, Ashley & Barbara, †Bernie Zoch, †Stella Lubie, Ruth Metzler, Franek, Lukasz Bandur, † Helen Sanchez, Cheryll Azar

If you wish to include someone in this list, please call the rectory office at (201) 440-3224.

COLLECTIONS / KOLEKTY
APRIL 8/8 KWIETNIA

First collection: $ 1065
Second collection:$ 1005

Our second collection this week is for:
Maintenace & Repairs
Our second collection next week is for:
Archdiocesen Assessment

Druga kolekta w tym tygodniu przeznaczona jest na:
Utrzymanie Kościoła
Druga kolekta w przyszłym tygodniu jest na:
Podatek Archidiecezjalny.

MAY GOD REWARD YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY