INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

9:30 AM O zdrowie, Boże błogosławieństwo i opiekę Matki Bożej dla Janiny Zielińskiej z okazji 80 urodzin.

11:00 AM † Genowefa Florczyński rq.syn z rodziną

MONDAY, MARCH 19

7:30 AM O udana operacje i szybki powrót do zdrowia dla Zofii

7:00 PM † Józef Kita w rocznicę śmierci

TUESDAY, MARCH 20

7:00 PM † Jan Onopa

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

7:30 AM † Irene Wisowaty Kudlak Rq.Suzanne Fiorillo

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

7:30 AM † Irene Wisowaty Kudlak rq.Suzanne Fiorillo

FRIDAY, MARCH 23

7:00 PM †† Józefę i Mieczysława Florczyńskich rq.Edward

SATURDAY, MARCH 24

7:30 AM For Parishioners

5:30 PM † Marianna Zaremba

SUNDAY, MARCH 25

9:30 AM † Alfreda Sztyler w rocznicę śmierci rq.mąż Wiesław

11:00 AM † † Marianna i Zygmunt Zakrzewski

LECTORS

Sat. Mar. 17– 5:30 PM
Kathleen Meehan

Sun. Mar. 18– 9:30 AM
Richard Cerbo

Sun. Mar. 18– 11:00 AM
Natalia Juszczak & Grażyna Ożarowska

Sat. Mar. 24 -5:30 PM
Suzanne Fiorillo

Sun. Mar. 25– 9:30 AM
Richard Cerbo

Sun. Mar.25– 11:00 AM
Marzanna Kopacz & Grzegorz Bubienko

Sanctuary Lamp Candles

This week sanctuary lamps have been offered in memory of:
Stanisław Gala
Helena Gala
Urszula Kowalik
Zofia Pajurek

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Wieczyste Lampki

Wieczyste lampki w tym tygodniu zostały ofiarowane za spokój dusz:
Stanisław Gala
Helena Gala
Urszula Kowalik
Zofia Pajurek

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
March 11/11 Marca

First collection: **$ 1041**
Second collection: **$ 568**

Our sececond collection this week is for
My Easter gift to my church
Our second collection next week is for:
Palm Sunday

Druga kolekta w tym tygodniu przeznaczona jest na:
Moja Wielkanocna ofiara dla Kościoła.
Druga kolekta w przyszłym tygodniu jest na:
Niedzielę Palmową

MAY GOD REWARD YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

18 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
Jer 31:31-34/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33 (35)
Mi 7:7-9/Jn 9:1-41 (243),20

19 Mon SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

20 Tue Lenten Weekday
Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30 (252)
21 Wed Lenten Weekday
Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42 (253)

22 Thu Lenten Weekday
Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59 (254)

23 Fri Lenten Weekday
Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42 (255)
24 Sat Lenten Weekday
Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56 (256)

25 SUN PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

St.Joseph

Everything we know about the husband of Mary and the foster father of Jesus comes from Scripture and that has seemed too little for those who made up legends about him.
We know he was a carpenter, a working man, for the skeptical Nazarenes ask about Jesus, "Is this not the carpenter's son?" (Matthew 13:55). He wasn't rich for when he took Jesus to the Temple to be circumcised and Mary to be purified he offered the sacrifice of two turtledoves or a pair of pigeons, allowed only for those who could not afford a lamb (Luke 2:24).
Despite his humble work and means, Joseph came from a royal lineage. Luke and Matthew disagree some about the details of Joseph's genealogy but they both mark his descent from David, the greatest king of Israel (Matthew 1:1-16 and Luke 3:23-38). Indeed the angel who first tells Joseph about Jesus greets him as "son of David," a royal title used also for Jesus.
We know Joseph was a compassionate, caring man. When he discovered Mary was pregnant after they had been betrothed, he knew the child was not his but was as yet unaware that she was carrying the Son of God. He knew women accused of adultery could be stoned to death, so he resolved to send her away quietly to not expose her to shame or cruelty.

However, when an angel came to Joseph in a dream and told him, 20 "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. 21 She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins," he did as the angel told him and took Mary as his wife. (Matthew 1:19-25).
When the angel came again to tell him that his family was in danger, he immediately left everything he owned, all his family and friends, and fled to a strange country with his young wife and the baby. He waited in Egypt without question until the angel told him it was safe to go back (Matthew 2:13-23).
We know Joseph loved Jesus. His one concern was for the safety of this child entrusted to him. Not only did he leave his home to protect Jesus, but upon his return settled in the obscure town of Nazareth out of fear for his life. When Jesus stayed in the Temple we are told Joseph (along with Mary) searched with great anxiety for three days for him (Luke 2:48). We also know that Joseph treated Jesus as his own son for over and over the people of Nazareth say of Jesus, "Is this not the son of Joseph?" (Luke 4:22)
We know Joseph respected God. He followed God's commands in handling the situation with Mary and going to Jerusalem to have Jesus circumcised and Mary purified after Jesus' birth. We are told that he took his family to Jerusalem every year for Passover, something that could not have been easy for a working man.
Since Joseph does not appear in Jesus' public life, at his death, or resurrection, many historians believe Joseph probably had died before Jesus entered public ministry.
According to the Catholic Encyclopedia, the Apocryphal Date for Joseph's birth is 90 BC in Bethlehem and the Apocryphal Date of his death is July 20, AD 18 in Nazareth.
Joseph is the patron saint of the dying because, assuming he died before Jesus' public life, he died with Jesus and Mary close to him, the way we all would like to leave this earth.
Joseph is also patron saint of the Universal Church, families, fathers, expectant mothers (pregnant women), travelers, immigrants, house sellers and buyers, craftsmen, engineers, and working people in general.
We believed to reflect Joseph's status as the patron of workers.

Prayer:
Saint Joseph, patron of the universal Church, watch over the Church as carefully as you watched over Jesus, help protect it and guide it as you did with your adopted son. Amen

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENT

Friday at 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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On Monday, March 19, we celebrate the Parish Feast.The solemn feast Mass will take place at 7:00 pm. We invite all parishioners to participate.

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I would like to thank Mr. Alexander Maslach for the Lenten Cross of Penance. The cross was placed in front of the rectory.

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A white chasuble was purchased in loving memory of Wiesław Wozniel and Anastazja Błońska.

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We received a $200 & $ 250 donation from someone who wishes to remain anonymous.
Thank you for your donation, which will be used to modernize our audio-video system.

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Zapraszamy do udziału w Pielgrzymce "Śladami Świętej Siostry Faustyny" w dniach od 15-23 lipca 2018 r. w Polsce i na Litwie. Piegrzymka "Śladami Świętej Siostry Faustyny" trwa 9 dni od 15 do 23 lipca z księdzem Janem Reczkiem i s. Stasią.Od 9 do 15 lipca, przewidziany zosta pobyt na Ryniasie kolo Zakopanego w tym 2-dniowe rekolekcje z o. Pawłem Drobotem i s.Leną. Pozostale dni przeznaczone zostana na zwiedzanie naszych pieknych polskich gór, spływ Dunajcem, i zwiedzanie Wieliczki. Zapisy prowadzą
Władzia Wyka (201) 935-7185
Małgorzata Ziarnik 551-265-4394

INFORMACJE I OGŁOSZENIA

W piątek, o godzinie 6:30 pm nabożeństwo Drogi Krzyżowej.

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W niedziele po Mszy św. O 11:00 odśpiewamy „Gorzkie Żale”.

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W poniedziałek 19 Marca obchodzimy Odpust parafialny. Uroczysta Msza św. odpustowa zostanie odprawiona o godzinie 7:00 pm. Zapraszamy wszystkich parafian do udziału.
W tym dniu na normalnych warunkach tzn.
stan łaski uświecającej, przyjęcie komunii świętej, modlitwa w intencji Papieża możemy uzyskać odpust zupełny. Możemy go ofiarować w intencji własnej lub zmarłych.

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Rekolekcje parafialne rozpoczynamy w Niedzielę Palmową a kończymy nauką dla dzieci w Wielką Środę. Rekolekcje wygłosi ks. Przemysław Antoniuk dyrektor Salwatoriańskiego ośrodka powołań kapłańskich.

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Pragnę podziekować panu Aleksandrowi Maślach za wielkopostny krzyż pokutny. Krzyż został ustawiony przed plebanią.

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Został zakupiony biały ornat w intencji śp. Wiesława Wozniel i Anastazji Błońskiej.

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Otrzymalismy donacje w wysokości 200$ i 250$ od osoby, która pragnie anonimowa. Dziękujemy za ofiarę, która będzie przeznaczona na modernizacje systemu audio-video.

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Pragniemy poinformformować o istnieniu polskojęzycznej grupy AA i AL-Anon.
Grupy sa gotowe nieść pomoc każdemu kto ma problem z alkoholem lub ma kogoś bliskiego z tym problemem.Pomoc jest łatwo dostępna.Wystarczy zadzwonić na numer telefonu:(609) 455-2738.Z tylu kościoła są dostepne ulotki o miejscach i godzinach spotkań grup.

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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.
2108 Annual appeal goal:$6.142.00

W tym tygodniu rozpoczynamy 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

■ **MARCH 18, 2018** ■ **Fifth Sunday of Lent**

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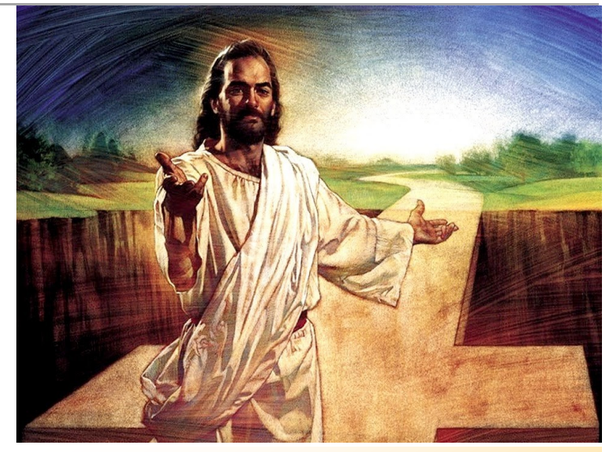
Holy Mass Schedule

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.



Whoever serves me must follow me, says the Lord;
and where I am, there also will my servant be.
JH 12:20-33

A kto by chciał Mi służyć, niech idzie za Mną,
a gdzie Ja jestem, tam będzie i mój sługa.
Jan 12:20-33