

The process of integration and meetings for youth going to WYD in 2016 has begun. We currently have 380 young people signed up. Due day for signing up – the end of April. We would like to remind that interested participants of WYD 2016 are obligated to participate in formation meetings and fundraisings.

Below are the upcoming dates of meetings and the names of the leaders of each one:

May 10 – Fr. Artur Piwowarczyk OMI

May 24 – Fr. Janusz & Parish Council

Foundering activities:

May 3 – pierogies

May 10 – donuts

May 31 – hot meal

June 14 – pirogies

June 21 – donuts & hot meal

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, April 27th

8:00 ☩ Barbara Raniewicz – son & family

☩ mother Maria – son & family

19:00 ☩ Alojzy & Milan Wisniewski – son & brother

☩ Special intention for God's blessings and for health for Klaudia on her birthday

TUESDAY, April 28th

8:00 ☩ Anna Juszczynska-Abramowska – daughter & family

19:00 ☩ Tennie & John Bielawski & Stan Modrowski – family

☩ Barbara Wawrzusiak – sister & family

WEDNESDAY, April 29th Saint Catherine of Siena

8:00 ☩ Andrzej Chorazak – sister & family

☩ Wanda & Kazimierz Kulesza - daughter

19:00 Group Intentions

THURSDAY, April 30th

8:00 ☩ Ewa Celinska - Jozef

19:00 ☩ parents Michal & Katarzyna Mrowca

☩ Special intention for God's blessings for son Hektor & grandson Sebastian – mother & grandmother

FRIDAY, May 1st

8:00 ☩ Patrick Polubiec – parents

☩ Julita Machowska (6th anniv.) – Braczek & Machowski families

10:00 ☩ Marta & Jan & Maria & Jozef Jasinski - sister

19:00 ☩ Feliksa & Stanislaw Borawski & sisters – son & brother Mieczyslaw

SATURDAY, May 2nd St. Athanasius

8:00 Intention for Holy Rosary Family and Knights of the Mary Immaculate

15:30 Wedding: Magdalena Rybak & Rodrigo Monteiro

17:00 ☩ Leszek Piatkowski – wife Janina & children

19:00 ☩ parents Stanislaw & Maria & Kazimierz Urbanowicz - son

SUNDAY, May 3rd

8:00 Intention for members of the Holy Rosary Family & Knights of the Mary Immaculate

9:30 Special intention for God's blessings for granddaughter Oliwia on the occasion of her First Communion - grandmother

11:00 In intention of Poland-CPC Mississauga Branch

13:00 ☩ Stanislaw Baran & all deceased from Baran family

14:30 ☩ Anna & Wladyslaw Ozga – daughters & family

19:00 ☩ Jozef & Jadwiga Rzodkowski – daughter Halina & family

Info: Janina 905 542-1237 or 905 615-3010

CARASSAUGA 2015 EXPERIENCE THE WORLD FESTIVAL OF CULTURES

May 22nd & 23rd & 24th

Info: Janina 905 542-1237 or 905 615-3010

In Short

A CLUB – DADDY, MOMMY & ME - MOM'S CLUB will meet on Friday, May 1st at 8:30pm for a special meeting on the occasion of Mother's Day. More info: kolbetmj@gmail.com

MARIAN DEVOTIONS - The Month of May is both named for and dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God. Join us daily at 6:30pm for the Marian Devotions, and in Wednesdays along with the Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, and on Saturdays following morning Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH – May 1st - VISITING THE SICK (by our parish Fathers) – please forward names to the parish office. Masses are at 8:00am, 10:00am and 7:00pm. Confession starts at 6:00pm.

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH – May 2nd Mass and First Saturday Service are at 8:00am.

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH – May 3rd - Exchange of the Mysteries of the Living Rosary for the English groups will take place following the Mass at 9:30am

ADVERTISEMENTS –All interested in placing an advertisement in our bulletin from October 2015 to October 2016 are asked to contact Krystyna at 905 848-2420 starting from Tuesday, May 5th. New advertisements will be placed in the spots of those clients who have resigned. Advertisements are taken on a first come-first serve basis.

A MEN'S DAY OF RETREAT will be held at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga, Ontario, on Saturday, May 9th, 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.. The theme of the retreat is "A Biblical Journey into a Deeper Relationship with Christ." The facilitator is Greg DeMarchi, deacon, doctor, surgeon, as well as a scripture scholar. The day begins with coffee, tea, muffins and a wonderful four-course lunch will be served in our dining room at noon. The suggested offering is \$35.00. To register please contact the Centre at 905-278-5229.

NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE – Pro-Life group invites you to the March for Life in Ottawa, on Thursday, May 14th. Theme of this year's march is "Let life win". Cost of the trip: \$60 per person. Sign up – parish hall following all Masses or contact Asia 647 472-0071

POLISH DAY - The Canadian Polish Congress – Mississauga District is hosting the FIRST POLISH DAY in Mississauga on Saturday, September 5th, 2015 at the John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre. We are currently looking for dedicated volunteers who would like to be a part of this wonderful event. This is a great opportunity for high school students to gain community volunteer hours! We also welcome sponsors, donors and vendors to take part in the event. Go to www.mississaugapolishday.ca for more details.

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

The following members have left our community, and entered into the eternal life with the Lord in April:

The Late:

- ☩ Edward Lacz 86, ☩ Stanislaw Gusciora 75,
- ☩ Stanislaw Mastalerz 92, ☩ Stefan Dluski 89,
- ☩ Joanna Gumowski 40, ☩ Jacek J. Suski 46,
- ☩ John Horbaczyk 93, ☩ Mariola Elzbieta Poniawski 57,
- ☩ Joseph Kaldy 77.

Eternal Rest Grant unto Them and Let Your Light Shine upon Them

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Anniversary of Marriage

Congratulations and may God bless to the following couples:

- 10th anniversary Dorota & Piotr Boczar
- 20th anniversary Malgorzata & Krzysztof Lalik
- 23rd anniversary Dorota & Witold Ulman
- 32nd anniversary Beata & Jan Nicki
- 40th anniversary Alina & Zygmunt Kulina
- 40th anniversary Anna & Alfred Krolikowski
- 40th anniversary Teresa & Zdzislaw Koscinski
- 41st anniversary Elzbieta & Edward Sowa
- 50th anniversary Amelia & Marian Lalik
- 58th anniversary Kazimiera & Jozef Grela
- 60th anniversary Anna & Henryk Lopinski

We wish all of our Jubilee celebrant couples God's grace and blessings on your journey

From the Pulpit

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – April 26th

On the fourth Sunday of Easter, Christians are invited to reflect on the meaning of God's call and to pray for vocations. Christ the Good Shepherd continues to lead his people through his Bishops, priests, and deacons, and calls many to follow him in this way. Priestly, diaconal, and religious vocations should be a constant concern in the hearts of God's people throughout the year. The whole Christian community shares the responsibility for fostering vocations. The first step is to live in a full Christian manner. Families with a lively spirit of faith, love and reverence contribute greatly to this work. Spiritually active parishes, where people take a full part, help to promote vocations.



SHROUD OF TURIN – A few weeks ago Pope Francis announced that the Shroud of Turin will be placed on display in the Turin cathedral from April 19th to June 24th, marking one of the rare occasions when the revered cloth will be available for public viewing. On this occasion our parish will be hosting a copy of Shroud of Turin on Tuesday, April 28th. All are welcome.

Program: 7:00pm – Mass (Polish /English) with a copy of Shroud of Turin, 8:00pm - Conference (English), 9:30pm-11:00pm-Adoration of Shroud of Turin

ORDINATION TO PRIESTHOOD - On Monday, June 8th at 7:00pm, Deacon Paul Patrick will be ordained to priesthood in our parish. Deacon Paul Patrick was an altar server in our parish for many years and following his studies, he joined the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate. He studied Philosophy in the United States and then Theology in Rome. He will be ordained by Bp. Douglas Crosby OMI. We would like to invite our parishioners for the celebration and ask you to pray for Deacon Paul.



Jesus' words in today's Gospel, "I am the good shepherd," take me back to childhood days, when pictures of Jesus gently holding a little "found" lamb adorned classroom walls. That image has stayed with me. As an adult, I visited Scotland one April when sheep were part of every landscape and I fell in love with their tiny winsome offspring. I have never found the sheep analogy demeaning. As part of Jesus' flock, I feel enfolded in his love, warmth and delight. I think of times when I was lost and Jesus found me – and of the wonder of our reconciliations! The Psalm reminds us to "give thanks to the Lord, for he is good." How easy it is to lose sight of his presence in difficult times! How awesome to recognize it once the crisis has passed! Yes, his steadfast love "endures forever." Human relationships are precious, but fragile. God is the one and only constant in our lives. Today's second reading stresses our kinship with God. We are God's children. God has a dream for each of us – a dream that he will slowly reveal to us. Today, on World Day of Prayer for Vocations, we pray for increased vocations worldwide. We all have a calling to share our faith in Jesus and, by the way we live, to help draw others into his fold.

Barbara d'Artois Pierrefonds, QC

First reading: Acts 4.7-12
 Responsorial Psalm: The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.
 Second Reading: 1 John 3.1-2
 Gospel: John 10.11-18

Rose # 65 will lead the rosary this week.

COFFEE AND DONUTS AND HOT MEAL will be sold by Youth today.

Today there will be an opportunity to buy a hot delicious meal prepared by parents of WYD participants.

The entire profit will go to help our youth who will travel to Poland for WYD 2016.

Also today's meeting for youth will be led by Arturo Mari (JPII photographer). Meeting is held at 8:00pm. Topic: St. John Paul II – Friend of youth and founder of World Youth Day.

SPRING CONCERT – Radosc-Joy Vocal Dance Group would like to invite to the Spring Concert today - Sunday, April 26th at 4:00pm at JPII Centre.

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS – new schedules for Polish Masses can be picked up in the sacristy.

TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION will be taken for the building and renovation fund.

MEMORIAL MASS FOR THE LATE FRANCIS CARDINAL GEORGE – we would like to invite you to the Memorial Mass for the Late Francis Cardinal George, Archbishop of Chicago, who passed away last Friday, April 17th, 2015. Memorial Mass will be held at St. Maximilian Kolbe Church today, Sunday, April 26th, at 7:00 p.m. so we will pray for Cardinal George. Mass will be led by Fr. Marian Gil, OMI, Provincial of Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate, Assumption Province. Cardinal George was a dedicated Oblate and extraordinary leader in the US Catholic Church. May the good and loving God reward him for his dedication and service to the Church with the grace of eternal life.

Baptisms

The following children will receive the Sacrament of Baptism:

Rylan Brody Rutkowski son of Stefany & Jacek

Delfina Arianna Budziak daughter of Betsy & Peter

Lena Pradela daughter of Klaudia & Guilherme

Jackson Robert Ryczko son of Amanda & Bartosz

Bianka Irena Kucharczyk daughter of Joanna & Grzegorz

Philip & Casper Kwiatkowski sons of Alina & Tomasz

Dominik Filip Buczko son of Magdalena & Adam

Michelle Elizabeth & Maya Grace Kojlo daughters of Bozena & Tomasz

Hanna Lena Wysoczanska daughter of Karolina & Radoslaw

Lily Anna Kaluzny daughter of Edyta & Dariusz

We welcome those children and congratulate their parents and godparents.

Weddings

The following couples are planning to be married:

Magdalena Czarniewska daughter of Henryka & Jaroslaw

Szymon Maciej Walczak son Jolanta & Bogdan

Alicia-Jane Sobura daughter of Stanislaw & Joseph

Michael Antonio Ferreira son of Teresa & Antonio

Aneta Ewa Rafacz daughter of Jolanta & Franciszek

Wieslaw Antoni Dobrowski son of Teresa & Edward

Monika Wisniewska daughter of Alicja & Roman

Mariusz Bazyluk son of Janina & Jozef

We wish them all God's blessing.