

I found myself challenged by today's Gospel. Jesus calls two men and says, "Follow me." Though neither refuses, both find reasons not to follow right away; one asks to bury his father first, the other wants to say goodbye to his family. Jesus' response to their requests sounds harsh. Isn't it good to say goodbye to your loved ones, or to be present for the burial of a family member? At this point, these men did not know what we, as Christians, know. They didn't understand that the man who was asking them to give up everything in their lives and follow him was none other than the Son of God. How many times have we responded to God in the some way? God is calling us, but it can be hard to recognize him. We may already have plans, important things we want to do, and although we hear the call, we do not make following it a priority. However, no matter how many times we've delayed responding to God's call, his invitation stands. And even though we've gone our own way, Christ finds us where we are and requests our company on his mission. Being a disciple of Christ is not easy. It implies a leap of faith. It requires us to freely choose, every single day, to live for something greater than ourselves.

Myriam Dupuis Lorette, MB

First reading: 1 Kings 19.16b,19-21 orial Psalm: You are my chosen portion Responso O Lord.

second Reading: Galatians 5.1,13-18 Gospel: Luke 9.51-62

Rose # 38 will lead the rosary this week.

COFFEE AND DONUTS will be served today by Knights of Columbus.

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



CANADA DAY July 1st is celebrated as Canada Day. Canadians should seek to be witnesses to Christ in Canada

and the world, and to continue working to influence those in government to act from Christian principles and attitudes. Christians, realizing they do not have a lasting home here, should pray and work for justice and peace in Canada and throughout the world, so that all God's people may share in the goods of this earth. God's kingdom will come only when all people are ready to let Christ's teaching guide and rule their lives and

We would like to wish all the parishioners sunny weather and a restful and Happy Canada Day!

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time June 30th 2019

Baptism

The following child will receive the Sacrament of Baptism:

Daniel Kuczek son of Lucyna & Mariusz

We welcome Daniel and congratulate his parents and godparents.

Anniversary of Marriage

Congratulations and may God bless to the following couples:

1st anniversary Bernadeta & Kamil Surowiec 21th anniversary Regina & Jozef Wajdzik 25th anniversary Renata & Andrzei Lewczuk 25th anniversary Renata & Marek Slotwinski 30th anniversary Krystyna & Pawel Jakubicki 30th anniversary Maria & Leszek Szafran 32nd anniversary Teresa & Tadeusz Golas 40th anniversary Miroslawa & Jerzy Gnutek 40th anniversary Elzbieta & Marian Bojankiewicz 45th anniversary Alfreda & Ryszard Wojszel

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

70th anniversary Helen & Jozef Dudek

CHANGES IN THE PASTORAL TEAM

Today we bid farewell to Fr. Grzegorz Nowak OMI, who will be moving to Holy Rosary Parish located in Edmonton, Alberta, Fr. Grzegorz was the Altar Servers and Domestic Church leader.

Although his moving, Fr. Nowak will be still with us in July and will be leading Altar Servers Camp in Kaszuby. We warmly thank him for his beautiful work in our parish for the past three years. God bless!

At the same time we welcome our new Associate Pastor, Fr. Tomasz Jarosz OMI from Edmonton. Before his moving to Canada, Fr. Tomasz was working for many years in Guatemala. All changes will take place on September 1st.



From the Pulpit

SUMMER TIME



A gentle reminder for the upcoming summer months: Each Catholic has the obligation to participate in the Sunday Eucharist. Vacations, cottage trips, or other activities and/or travel do not provide valid exemption from participation. Voluntarily missing Mass is a grave sin. Canon 1247 does not only state the obligation for the faithful to participate in Mass on Sundays and other Holy Days of Obligation, but also for the faithful to abstain from works and affairs which hinder the worship to be rendered to God, the joy proper to the Lord's Day, or the suitable relaxation of mind and body. Furthermore, the Catechism of the Catholic Church (no. 2181) clearly states: "Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave

There may come to be, however situations which provide exemption from regular participation in the Sunday Eucharist. According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church (no. 2181) these include only serious reasons, such as illness or the care of infants. Otherwise, dispensation from participation in the Mass may be obtained from one's own pastor.

Radio, television, and the Internet may facilitate participation for those prevented in taking part in the Holy Mass, especially if accompanied by the service of extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist.

FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH - July **4**th - Prayer for vocations at **6:30pm**.

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH - July 5th **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 - On **July 6th** - Mass and First Saturday Service are at

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH - July 7th Exchange of the Mysteries of the Living Rosary for the English groups will take place following the

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

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

The Late:

- T Zdzislaw Piwowarczyk 57, T Marianna Kania 85, ♥ Walter Liczner 82. ♥ Anna Jasinska 56.
- \$\ Stanislaw Klisowski 66 \$\ Boleslaw Rybka 99, ♣ Iwona Wozinska 48.

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

Coming Soon

IGNATIAN RETREAT – will take place at Mount Mary Retreat Centre in Ancaster, Ontario from June 30th to July 7, 2019. The retreat will be led by Fr. Pawel Sawiak & Fr. Bartosz Ponichtera along with the vocal group "Strong in Spirit." New, as well as previous participants are encouraged to join. Cost \$620.00 Info: www.mocni.jezuici.pl For registration please contact Magda at www.magis.webs.com or email magis0007@gmail.com or 905 301-7544

75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE WARSAW UPRISING

A concert on the 75th anniversary of the Warsaw Uprising.

St. Stanislaw Parish along with the patronage of the Consulate General of the Republic of Poland in Toronto is organizing a patriotic concert entitled "Toronto is singing (not) forbidden Songs."

The concert will take place on Saturday, July 27th 2019 at 8:00pm at JPII Polish Cultural Centre in Mississauga.

The program includes songs of the participants of the Warsaw uprising along with other patriotic songs performed by the orchestra, individuals, a choir and the audience.

Tickets for the concert are priced at \$20 per person and can be purchased in the following parishes: St. Stanislaus Kostka, St. Casimir, St. Maximilian Kolbe and St. Eugene de Mazenod.

A Solemn Holy Mass will be celebrated at St. Maximilian Kolbe Church on Saturday, July 27th at 6:30pm in the intention of those who died during the Uprising. The Mass will be celebrated by **Bp.** Matthew Ustrzycki. We would like to encourage everyone to participate in the Holy Mass and the concert.

CHAPEL OF THE DIVINE MERCY – ADORATION OF THE BLESSED **SACRAMENT**

The Chapel is open 24/7 (The entrance is located beside the parish office) We invite all the faithful to prayer and perpetual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. For further information/registration call:

Mr. Andrzei Chmura at 905 949-1237

XXXVII WALKING PILGRIMAGE TO THE CANADIAN MARTYRS' SHRINE **IN MIDLAND** will be held from

Monday, August 5th to August 11th.

Pilgrims can register online at www.pielgrzymka.ca or at the following parishes: St. Maximilian Kolbe July 21st & 28th & August 4th St. Eugene de Mazenod July 28th & August 4th St. Casimir July 28th & August 4th

The cost of participating in the pilgrimage for one person is \$100 for the entire week or \$20 per day and includes: accommodations, luggage transportation, and washroom as well

as truck rental. OHIP number is required. Contact person:

Adam 416 873-7652 Maciek 647 588-5870 Jasiu 905 510-2034

Who can participate in the pilgrimage?

Anyone who has the strength and perseverance can participate in the pilgrimage. We do not, however, encourage elders, those who are sick, those with weak hearts or with very small children to participate. Youth up to 19 years of age may participate in the pilgrimage only after receiving writing permission from their parents or guardians.

What is there to do during the pilgrimage?

Each day is filled with: praying the rosary, conferences, testimonies of the leaders as well as the participants' of the pilgrimage, singing, and conversation. Attendance at morning Mass is mandatory. In the evening there is time for a bonfire, singing and fun, and sometimes even a soccer game.

What do I bring with me on the pilgrimage?

- tent (it's better to share a tent with friends, there is little room on the farm fields and a lot of tents, we must make use of the space we have wisely)
- warm sleeping bag, blanket
- propane bottle, metal or p itensils, can opener
- water bottle cotton socks
- shirts with sleeves
- comfortable (not new!) shoes -hat
- raincoat, poncho

Cosmetics:

- sunscreen with UV protection
- bathroom supplies
- toilet paper
- mosquito repellent-basic medicine (pain relievers, band aids, vitamins)

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND ON

ANNIVERSARY OF OUR PARISH October 20th - 28th

In the program: Nazareth, Cana of Galilee, See of Galilee, Mount of Olives, Oumran National Park, as well as the Way of the Cross, King David's Tomb, Wailing Wall, and Bethlehem and many more.

Pilgrimage

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Info: Polimex Travel 905 238-6683 ext. 427 (ask for Mira)

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, July 1st Canada Dav

& family

19:00 ♥ Kazimiera Chudzinska (10th anniv.) & Jadwiga Leszczewska (9th anniv.) – children & grandchildren

Special intention for God's blessings for Zofia & Andrzej Rafacz on their 30th wedding anniversary - parents

TUESDAY, July 2nd

19:00 ♥ Kazimierz & Olga Kowalczuk – daughter &

> 🕆 Janina & Regina & Jan Dobosz – Tadeusz Dobosz

WEDNESDAY, July 3rd

St. Thomas, Apostle
8:00 Special intention for God's blessings for children & grandchildren & greta grandchildren – mother & grandmother

Anna Niemotko (3rd anniv.) – daughter & family

19:00 Group Intentions THURSDAY, July 4th

8:00 ♥ Roman Sroslak – Leja family

19:00 Special intention for God's blessings for priests & religious men and women - Apostolate "Golden

> 🕆 all deceased from Kopec & Pliszka & Szuba & Krukowski families - family

FRIDAY, July 5th

10:00 \$\frac{1}{2} Janina Biskupek & Zofia & Stanislaw Sienko -

19:00 Paulina & Wiktor Fulawka – daughter Zofia SATURDAY, July 6th

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

15:30 Wedding: Anna Kukla & Kamil Zwolinski **17:00 ♣** Maria (2nd anniv.)

19:00 Special intention for God's blessings for Aleksandra & Tadeusz Uranowski

SUNDAY, July 7th 8:00 Intention for members of Rosary Family & **Knights of Mary Immaculate**

9:30 Special intention for God's blessings for Janina & Mieczyslaw Bialczyk on their 60th wedding

11:00 FOR PARISHIONERS AND BENEFACTORS

13:00 ♣ Franciszek Kobylarz - family

14:30 Special intention for God's blessings for Anna & Stanislaw on their 35th wedding anniversary 19:00 🕏 all deceased from Chrusciel family – daughter &

