# **30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**



Today's readings offer valuable lessons concerning trust and humility, both of which serve as important criteria for Christians in developing healthy prayer practices and a deeper relationship with God.

The first reading from the book of Sirach says God hears and responds to our prayers lovingly. God rewards our loyalty to him regardless of our journey or identity in life. When we come to the Lord simply and hand our needs and struggles over to him with complete confidence, we know God will act and answer our prayers.

Yet, as Saint Luke reminds us in his account of Jesus' parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector, we must always be grateful for God's gifts, appreciating our blessings but never celebrating them boastfully or excessively. God, in the end, will honour our choice to live a humble life. As evidenced by the tax collector, it is through acknowledging our flaws and asking God for mercy that we experience healing and encouragement.

So as we seek to grow closer to God in our daily living, may we strive to practice greater trust in his way and humble ourselves before him. In displaying boundless faith in God while living meekly, we open ourselves more fully to being raised in God's unconditional love.

Matt Charbonneau, Ottawa, ON

First Reading: Sirach 35.15-17, 20-22
Responsorial Psalm: The poor one called and the Lord heard.
Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4.6-8, 16-18
Gospel: Luke 18.9-14

**COFFEE AND DONUTS** will be served by Friends of Oblate Mission.

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

**ROSARY** will be led by Rose number 51 from November 1<sup>st</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>.

#### PARISH BULLETIN AND

ADVERTISEMENTS – please take note of our new front page and advertising insert. From October of this year to October of the next it will be part of our weekly bulletin. All our advertisers help cover the cost of printing our parish bulletin. We thank them for their support and encourage our parishioners to make use of the services they provide.

**FALL BACK!** Remember to turn your clocks back one hour next Sunday at 1 a.m. Enjoy the extra hour of sleep.

# All Saints' Day All Souls' Day

The church prays for all the faithful departed, especially in November, when we join together to pray for those who repent in Purgatory. They need the prayers of the living to shorten the period of penance and unite with God in heaven. The souls of the dead can no longer do anything about their cause, and therefore need the prayers of the living. One of the forms of help we can offer them is through wypominki – where we list the names of our departed family and friends on memorial envelopes and the Church community prays for them. Additionally, in the month of November, 30 Masses are celebrated for the repose of their souls. Memorial envelopes can be found at each entrance to the church. They can be deposited into a special box found on the steps of the sanctuary.

### PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

on the occasion of the Solemnity of All Saints Day and All Souls Day will take place today at the following cemeteries:

2 p.m. Resurrection Catholic Cemetery, Whitby (Holy Mass)

2:30 p.m. Meadowvale Cemetery, Brampton

3 p.m.
Mount Hope, Toronto
Park Lawn, Toronto
Sanctuary, Toronto
Holy Cross, Toronto
Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge
Pine Hills, Scarborough
Christ the King, Scarborough

4 p.m.
Assumption, Mississauga
St. John's, Mississauga
St. Mary's, Mississauga
Mount Peace, Mississauga
Thornton Cemetery, Oshawa

Additionally, in the month of November, there will be thirty Masses celebrated in the intention of all those listed on the remembrance envelopes. Remembrance envelopes can be found at the back of the church.

Polonia Brass Band will take part in the prayers at Assumption Cemetery in Mississauga.

**CANDLES** are being sold by Altar Servers in the parish hall and by each entrance door. Please support the group.

**ROSARY DEVOTIONS** continue this week and are being led by our Pastoral Team:

Monday at 6:30 p.m. – for children
Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. – for adults
Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.
(combined with Devotion to Our Lady of
Perpetual Help)
Thursday at 8:30 a.m. – for adults

### **Baptisms**

The following children will receive the Sacrament of Baptism:

Maya Sophie Ambrus,
daughter of Sages & Razvan
Jacob Caden Kalich,
son of Janeth & Maciej
Claudia Krolikowski,
daughter of Min & Pawel
Abby Lomotowski,
daughter of Nicole & Andrzej
Matthew Gabriel Macedo,
son of Margaret & Brian
Camdyn Wade Stepniak,
son of Heidi

We welcome all children and congratulate their parents and Godparents.

## Weddings

The following couples are planning to be married:

Anna Elzbieta Smieciuch daughter of Jozefa & Edward Konrad Kamil Boczula son of Leokadia & Zbigniew

We wish them an abundance of God's blessing.

#### ANNIVERSARY MASS

God's grace and blessing to the following couples celebrating their wedding anniversaries:

- 10 Anniversary Anna & Janusz Glowacki
- 28 Anniversary Anna & Marek Stecki
- 32 Anniversary Wiesława & Waldemar Misiak
- 32 Anniversary Marta & Jarosław Romaniuk
- 35 Anniversary Krystyna & Edward Solus
- 37 Anniversary Jadwiga & Marek Baczynski
- 40 Anniversary Krystyna & Wojciech Stepowski
- 45 Anniversary Eugenia & Jozef Minda
- 50 Anniversary Krystyna & Stanislaw Klin
- 50 Anniversary Natalia & Ludwik Kwapisz

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decorations, as well as Joanna Chramega for the

media presentation.

success of the Jubilee Banquet of our parish. We especially thank the Knights of Columbus for their tireless work in preparing the banquet, the Parish Council for the preparation of the program, with a special mention to dr. Michał Kasprzak. From the bottom of our hearts, we thank the artists: Radość-Joy with Ania Piwowarczyk, Kinga Mitrowska, Kinga Lizoń and Paweł Szczepanek. Thank you to our sponsors: St. Stanislaus – St. Casimir's Polish Parishes Credit Union Limited and its Board Members, Pope John Paul II Center, NOVA Printing Inc., Sweet Temptations Bakery, Mega

**PARISH PHOTO ALBUM** Parishioners who had their photo taken for the pictorial directory and had not picked one up yet are asked to visit the parish office as soon as possible.

THE MARIAN CHAPEL OF POLONIA OF THE WORLD Thank you to our parishioners who have contributed to the building of the Marian Chapel – dedicated to Polonia of the World – in the Sanctuary of the Divine Providence in Warsaw, Poland. Last Sunday, symbolic bricks totaling \$12,000 have been distributed. As there is still much interest in this fundraiser, we are in the process of organizing an additional appeal for funds in the near future. The exact date will be posted shortly.

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY FOR PRETEENS Our youth is frequently challenged with questions regarding their identity, and even more so, their sexual identity. Unfortunately, even school programs about sexuality in grades 6 through 8, can contribute to this confusion. THERE IS HELP!! Revolutionary teachings of Saint JPII help our children to better understand God's plan for their life and the true meaning and purpose of sexuality. A DVD-based study for pre-teens will be held starting Wednesday Oct 30 through Dec 18 from 7:00 p.m. to 8 p.m. in St. Maximilian Kolbe room (downstairs new catechetical center). An info session for parents will be held on Wed. Oct 23, at 6:30 pm.

Contact: kolbetobstudygroup@gmail.com



ALL SAINTS DANCE will take place this Thursday, Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the parish hall. Fr. Pawel Pilarczyk, who is responsible for organizing and leading the dance, wishes to promote festivities based on Christian values and help the children celebrate All Saints Day – a day full of happiness and joy. For this reason, we ask that children dress up as POSITIVE CHARACTERS, such as saints, animals, community workers, etc. All children will receive lots of candy, and prizes will be awarded for outstanding costumes.

**Thank you** to those who have already contributed treats for the children. If any other businesses or private individuals wish to sponsor **nut-free sweets** for this occasion, we are still accepting donations at the parish office. All sponsors will be listed in the November bulletin.

POLISH CREDIT UNION FOLKLORE FESTIVAL - St. Stanislaus - St. Casimir's Polish Parishes Credit Union would like to cordially invite you to the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Polish Credit Union Folklore Festival. The Festival that will take place next Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019 at 2:30 p.m. at the John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre, located at 4300 Cawthra Rd. in Mississauga. Free admission for everyone! This will be a great opportunity to see many of our Polonia dance groups perform during this largest Polish folklore festival in Canada.

CHRIST THE KING RALLY is being organized by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council of the Archdiocese of Toronto and will take place on Saturday, November 30, 2019 from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Toronto Pavilion, 190 Railside Road. Mass will be celebrated by His Eminence, Cardinal Thomas Collins. The program also includes inspiring talks, praise and worship, rosary prayer, confession, and adoration. Additional information is available at www.ccrctoronto.com

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE** – The 40 Days for Life Campaign runs for just one more week, until November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please consider joining us on Sundays from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in praying for the vulnerable unborn members of our society. For more information or to volunteer please see our website:

http://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/mississauga/

**OFFERATORY ENVELOPES** – Those who did not use collection envelopes in 2019, but wish to use them in the year 2020, are asked to contact Maryla at the parish office at (905) 848-2420. Offerings can be used as a tax write-off. Tax receipts for each year are mailed to parishioners at the end of February.

**FAITHFUL DEPARTED** The following parishioners have passed away recently and entered into the eternal life with the Lord:

♣ Philip Slonina, 23
♣ Marek Krasnodębski, 62
♣ Ireneusz Kozłowski, 63
♣ Krystyna Barbara Wójcik, 68
♣ Grzegorz Łabędzki, 70
♣ Edward Długokęcki, 80
♣ Barbara Kwiatkowska, 81
♣ Stanisława Sobun, 94

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

### **Mass Intentions**

#### MONDAY, October 28<sup>th</sup> Saints Simon and Jude

- 800 PBoleslaw Rychlik (7th anniv.) daughter & family
- 1830 Rosary Devotion for Children
- 19<sup>00</sup> PMiroslaw and all deceased from Krzewinski and Beda families wife
  - ♣All deceased from Skoczek and Polkowski families family

#### TUESDAY, October 29th

- $8^{00}$  Special intention for God's grace for Anna on her birthday friends
- 1830 Rosary Devotion
- 19<sup>00</sup> Thanksgiving for the Bielawski, Buczkowicz, Koenig, Maciag, Oliver, Shirinian, Sutter, and
- Rowinski families

  Adolf Rygiel Maria & Jozef Rygiel with family

#### WEDNESDAY, October 30<sup>th</sup>

- 800 PLudwika and Jozef Gronski daughter and family Special intention for God's grace for Helena on her birthday – friends
- 1830 Rosary & Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
- 1900 Group Intentions

#### THURSDAY, October 31st

- 8<sup>00</sup> Special intention for God's grace for Helen on her 70<sup>th</sup> birthday
- 830 Rosary Devotion
- 1900 PAll deceased from Glaz and Armatowicz families
  PSiblings Regina and Eugeniusz with families –
  sister Roleslawa

#### FRIDAY, November 1<sup>st</sup> All Saints

- 800 For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes
- $10^{00}$   $\,$  For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes
- 17<sup>30</sup> For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes
- 19<sup>00</sup> For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes

# SATURDAY, November 2<sup>nd</sup> All Souls' Day

- $17^{00}$  **\**  For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes
- $19^{00}$  P For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes

#### SUNDAY, November 3<sup>rd</sup>

- 800 Fror deceased members of the Holy Rosary Family
- 9<sup>30</sup> For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes
- 11<sup>00</sup> P All deceased parishioners and benefactors
- $13^{00}$  **\**  For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes
- 17<sup>00</sup> For faithful departed listed on memorial envelopes