

# Third Sunday of Easter

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## Other Events

**IGNATIAN RETREAT** –will take place at Mount Mary Retreat Centre in Ancaster, Ontario from **June 30<sup>th</sup> to July 7, 2019.** Info: [www.mocni.jezuici.pl](http://www.mocni.jezuici.pl) For registration please contact Magda at [www.magis.webs.com](http://www.magis.webs.com) or email [magis0007@gmail.com](mailto:magis0007@gmail.com) or 905 301-7544

**Planning for the Altar Servers' summer camp in Barry's Bay (Kaszuby) is under way.**  
**The camp will take place July 22-31, 2019.**  
**We are looking for volunteers for the positions of guardian, life guard and nurse.**  
**Please contact Father Grzegorz Nowak, OMI if you are able to help out.**

## Mass Intentions

**MONDAY, May 6<sup>th</sup>**  
**Saint Francois de Laval,**  
**Patron of the Bishops of Canada**

**8:00** Special intention for God's blessings and for health for Bilek family

**19:00** ✠ Michal Serwin – son & family  
✠ Leonarda & Ryszard Binkiewicz - family

**TUESDAY, May 7<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00** ✠ Maria & Michal Swiatek - children  
**10:00** In intention of Senior Kolbe Club members  
**19:00** Special intention for God's blessings for Julianna & Maria on their birthday

**WEDNESDAY, May 8<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00** ✠ Eugeniusz (4<sup>th</sup> anniv.) & Eugenia Hul – sister & family  
✠ Stanislaw Gawron & Stanislaw Salamon & Stanislaw Dusza

**19:00** Group Intentions

**THURSDAY, May 9<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00** ✠ parents & siblings from both families – Danuta & Stanislaw Marchewka & family  
**19:00** ✠ Krystyna & Andrzej Szuba – daughter & family  
Special intention for God's blessings for Elzbieta & Tadeusz

**FRIDAY, May 10<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00** ✠ Anna Juszczyńska - Abramowska  
✠ Jadwiga & Stanislaw Dec - children  
**19:00** ✠ Anna & Franciszek Druzgala – daughter & family  
✠ Marek - family

**SATURDAY, May 11<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00** ✠ Daniela & Boguslaw Rogalski & all deceased from Miciula & Rogalski families  
**16:00** Intention for Children receiving First Holy Communion (English Group)  
**19:00** Special intention for sons Piotr & Grzegorz and their families - parents

**SUNDAY, May 12<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00** ✠ Mikołaj & Zofia Misiewicz & Franciszka Maleszyk & Roman & Pelagia Wojewodka - family  
**9:30** ✠ Maria & Jerzy & Jozef Taborowski – Helen Beben & family

**11:00** Intention for couples celebrating their wedding anniversaries  
**13:00** Special intention for God's blessings for Zbyszek Chabinka on his birthday

**14:30** Intention for Children receiving First Holy Communion (Polish Tuesday Group)

**19:00** ✠ parents Romana & Jerzy & all deceased from both families - Krystyna



God lovingly pursues us, calling us far beyond our own safety zones to share the good news of salvation. We see this clearly in the life of the apostle Peter. He was chosen for discipleship by Jesus but he had a hard time. When Jesus was brought before the high priest, Peter was so afraid that he denied three times that he was Christ's disciple. After he saw Jesus' empty tomb, he went home and locked all the doors. When it looked like the great adventure with Jesus was a miserable failure, he went back to what he knew: his fishing boat. However, the promise of Easter was genuine. Jesus really did rise from the dead. He met Simon Peter on his own territory, when he was fishing, and called him again. Call and response were unmistakable. Three times, Jesus asks "Do you love me?" Peter's answers were "Yes," "Yes," and "Yes I do, and I already told you I did." Jesus tells Peter to take care of the flock, prepare for difficult times and "Follow me." Peter did that. So today, all around the world, we are still responding to God's call, still daring to take risks in service to the proclamation of God's unending love. We are compelled to share the good news of Jesus Christ, risen from the dead. Alleluia!

Marilyn J. Sweet Halifax, NS

**First reading: Acts 5.28-32, 40b-41**  
**Responsorial Psalm: I will extol you, Lord, for you have raised me up.**  
**Second Reading: Revelation 5.11-14**  
**Gospel: John 21.1-19**

**Rose # 28** will lead the rosary this week.

**COFFEE AND DONUTS** will be served today by the **Knights of Columbus** for the needs of the parish.

### KOLBE YOUTH GROUP

would like to invite today - Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> for **HONEY & CROQUETTES** as well as **PIEROGIES FROM SUPREME PIEROGIES!!!**

**TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION** will be taken for **Share Life**.

**FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH – May 5<sup>th</sup>** Exchange of the Mysteries of the Living Rosary for the **English groups** will take place today following the Mass at **9:30am**

### THANK YOU & GOD BLESS

We would like to thank for all donations into the boxes by the exit from the church. Your donation will be used to support **Archbishop Tadeusz Wojda's** work.

## Baptisms



The following children will receive the Sacrament of Baptism:

*Adaline Yanosev daughter of Sylwia & Christopher Jan Antonio Serwin Lopes & Jacinto Zbigniew Serwin Lopes sons of Marzena & Joshua Sebastian Sokol son of Monika & Artur Anastazja Sawarski daughter of Marta & Tomasz Hubert Adam Maryniarczyk son of Malgorzata & Adam Sebastian Jan Laba son of Anna & Tomasz Lilia Kwiatkowska daughter of Kinga & Mateusz*

We welcome those children and congratulate their parents and Godparents.

## Weddings



The following couples are planning to be married:

*Karina Prucnal daughter of Edyta & Andrzej Filip Alexander Batruch son of Malgorzata & Igor*

*Gabriela Pawlica daughter of Anna & Piotr Alexander Piotr Wlodarski son of Iwona & Marek*

*Paulina Plata daughter of Urszula & Robert Artur Kuczynski son of Teresa & Andrzej*

*Sages Brethour daughter of Anna & Robert Razvan Laurentiu Ambrus son of Ioana & Arpad*

We wish them all God's blessing.



**THE CANADIAN POLISH CONGRESS MISSISSAUGA DISTRICT** is organizing the commemorations of the anniversary of the enactment of the **Polish Constitution today - Sunday May 5, 2019.**

The festivities will commence with **Holy Mass at 11:00 am at St. Maximilian Kolbe Church.** Following Holy Mass, a short ceremony will take place on the Polish Patriot's monument square adjacent to the John Paul II Polish Culture Centre and will include will include raising Canadian and Polish national flags, the singing of the National Anthems and short speeches. *We would like to extend a warm welcome to everyone!*



## ShareLife

Live the Gospel with righteousness and with love!

**SHARELIFE** is a reliable signpost on the map of the pastoral plan, namely, it indicates its main direction: 'Confronting the needs of Justice and Good'.

The works of our agencies, as well as your generosity, serve as a path to the realization of the deeds of justice and love, thereby strengthening the witness of the Catholic Faith" Cardinal Thomas Collins

Today is **ShareLife Sunday** and second collection will take place following the Mass. Is it possible for every family to make a charitable donation of \$100 once a year? Thank you for your generosity!

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – May 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> – 118 children will receive First Holy Communion this year.** We ask those parishioners who normally attend Mass at **2:30 pm** to take into consideration that the Communion Masses gather family and friends of the First Communion children. We ask that you mind the reserved pews for the participants and we thank you for your understanding.

**First Communion in English will be held on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm.**  
**Please note, there is no Mass at 5:00pm in English on that day.**

## 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 on Wednesdays along with the Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, and on Saturdays following morning Mass. On Mondays we invite all children to join Marian Devotions.**

During May, the church encourages Catholics to celebrate and deepen their relationship with Our Lady. One way to do this is through Marian devotions, or acts of prayer. The most familiar Marian devotion is the rosary, but there is a rich tradition of other devotions in the church. Some devotions are tied to images, such as the Black Madonna of Poland, or apparitions, such as Our Lady of Guadalupe and Our Lady of Fatima.

The Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Marian litany originally approved in 1587 by Pope Sixtus V. It is also known as the Litany of Loreto, for its first-known place of origin, the Shrine of Our Lady of Loreto (Italy), where its usage was recorded as early as 1558.

**PROCESSIONS TO ROSARY GARDEN** – all parishioners are invited to join in a procession on **Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> following the evening Mass,** in remembrance of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima.

## From the Pulpit

### THANK YOU & GOD BLESS

We would like to thank all those who helped to prepare the parish feast – **Solemnity of Divine Mercy** on Sunday, April 28.

We would like to thank **Holy Rosary Family, Stanislaw Wiecha and all helping with delicious food preparation for the parish feast.**

We would like to thank also sponsors: **JO & JOHN MEAT PRODUCTS & DELICATESSEN, EDDIE'S EUROPEAN MEAT & DELI MARKET, ODRA MEAT DELICATESSEN, TYMEK'S & SWEET TEMPTATION BAKERY.**

### THANK YOU TO ALL PILGRIMAGES

We would like to thank all pilgrims who took part in the pilgrimage to Wilno on the solemnity of the **Divine Mercy** for their efforts. It is important that the spiritual relationship between the current centre of the Canadian Polonia and its roots be maintained. We owe it to the generations that created the spiritual foundations for our Polish community in the Kaszuby region of Ontario. We shall always remember that in order to build the first Polish church, first Polish immigrants would give up their entire farms. This is how the sanctuary was build.

### ADVERTISEMENTS

All interested in placing an advertisement in our bulletin from **October 2019 to October 2020** are asked to contact parish office at 905 848-2420 starting from **Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>**

**New advertisements will be placed in the spots of those clients who have resigned.**

Advertisements are taken on a first come-first serve basis.

**NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE** – Pro-Life Kolbe Group invites you to the **March for Life** in Ottawa, on **Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>**. Theme of this year's march is *"The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'"* (Mt 25, 40) Cost \$50.00 Info & sign up Halina 416 274-7184 or Ula 647 836-2952

**ANNIVERSARY MASS** – May 12<sup>th</sup> at **11:00am** for couples celebrating their wedding anniversary. Due to other celebrations, April Wedding Anniversary Mass was moved to May 12<sup>th</sup>. Please forward the names to the office at 905 848-2420

## In Short

**PRAYER EVENING WITH THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - Adoremus Prayer Group** invites on **Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup> following the evening Mass at 7:00pm in the church** for a prayer evening with the Blessed Sacrament. We praise and worship God in joyful songs, listen to a formation talk on selected themes in spirituality, do a guided meditation on the Gospel, pray for healing and receive individually a blessing with the Blessed Sacrament.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING** - on **Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> following Holy Mass** at 7:00pm and the exchange of the Mysteries of the Living Rosary. After Mass, a meeting will be held in the Knights of Columbus room at the John Paul II Cultural Centre.

## Parish Family Album

At the request of many parishioners who have returned from winter vacation, and would like to have their picture in the parish album, there is one more day reserved for picture sittings, **Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup> from 3:00pm - 9:00pm.**

The album will be ready end of September. The main celebrations of the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our Parish will take place **October 6<sup>th</sup>**, and our guest will be **Bishop Wieslaw Smigiel of Torun (Poland)**

## 70 YEARS OF ST. CASIMIR'S POLISH SCHOOL

St. Casimir's Polish School is celebrating its 70th anniversary this year. We invite all graduates and all interested parties to the celebrations, on **Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm.** Program: Holy Mass, academy, dinner and the opportunity to visit classes. We also collect photos and souvenirs to create an exhibition. Tickets \$40.00

For more information contact: [henryka.sredzinski@tsdsb.org](mailto:henryka.sredzinski@tsdsb.org) 647-678-4659 or Ms. Magda 416-457-8199

## Pilgrimage

**PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND ON THE OCCASION OF THE 40<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF OUR PARISH**  
**October 20<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup>**

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

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