

“Peace I leave with you;
my peace I give to you.”

John 14.23-29

Reflection

Today’s Gospel goes back to the Farewell Discourse at the Last Supper. Jesus speaks words we hear at every Mass: “Peace I leave you, my peace I give you.” Jesus again speaks words of peace on Easter. Peace is one of the greatest gifts he gives. It is a sign of God’s kingdom, God’s reign – made present in Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection. God’s peaceable kingdom is among and within us. But, oh, it is also very much still to come. We don’t live in peaceful times. Sometimes, it’s hard to imagine or hope for peace.

This Last Supper Gospel scene points us forward to Pentecost. Jesus speaks of the Spirit, the Advocate, sent by the Father in his name. The Spirit brings us ever more deeply into the peace of Christ. We must trust that God’s kingdom is breaking into our lives, that we have received its first fruits. We must share what we have received, and pray for God’s kingdom of peace and justice to come more fully.

As we live in the in-between time, when God’s kingdom is already-but-not-yet, the Spirit is with us. Bringing peace into our hearts and lives. And calling us to receive that peace and share it with others – to imagine and hope for peace, to work for it. Peace be with you.

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First Reading: Acts 15.1-2, 22-29
Responsorial Psalm:
*Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you.*
Second Reading:
Revelation 21.10-14, 22-23
Gospel: John 14.23-29

Moved? Please keep us up to date.
Not registered? Please sign up.

– THIS WEEKEND –

Sacrament of Marriage

Please join us in praying for God’s blessing for the following couple as they celebrate Holy Matrimony. ♥

Valentyna Savchyshyn,
daughter of Olena and Volodymyr
& Tomasz Oltarzewski,
son of Barbara and Eugeniusz

The Sacrament of Baptism

Through the sacrament of baptism, **Maya Polinski**, daughter of Isabelle and Daniel will be initiated into the Catholic faith and welcomed into our parish community. We congratulate her parents and Godparents.

Coffee and Donuts Schedule

May 25 – Kolbe ProLife
June 1 – Radosc-Joy

Second Collections

This weekend’s second collection is for the Pope’s Pastoral Works. Thank you for your support.

– MAY –
THE MONTH OF MARY

Loreto Litany

Join us as we pray the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Loreto Litany) daily at 6:30 p.m.



– IN MEMORIAM –



The following parishioners passed away recently. Let us keep them in our prayers.

- ✠ Daniela Grzeslo, 94
- ✠ Stanislaw Czepizak, 90
- ✠ Irma Wlodarczyk, 89
- ✠ Krystyna Zach, 85
- ✠ Antoni Kulinski, 82
- ✠ Zofia Kajzer, 77
- ✠ Jozef Budka, 75
- ✠ Stanislaw Kopczynski, 73
- ✠ Stanislaw Radej, 71
- ✠ Janusz Szajna, 62
- ✠ Barbara Mialkowski, 56
- ✠ David Piatek, 54

– COMING UP –

Pope’s Rosary Intention for June

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

Rose #14 leads the rosary this week.

Radosc-Joy “End of Year” Concert



Sunday, June 8 at 4 p.m.
Parish Hall

Memorials and Feasts

Monday, May 26
Saint Philip Neri

Tuesday, May 27
Saint Augustine of Canterbury

Wednesday, May 28
Blessed Stefan Wyszyński

Thursday, May 29
Saint Paul VI

Saturday, May 31
The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Devotion to
the Sacred Heart
of Jesus



Pray with us the Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus:

Mondays and Fridays in June – 6:30 p.m.
First Friday in June – 8:00 p.m.

Parish Office Hours

Monday: closed
Tuesday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Wednesday: 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Thursday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m. – 12 noon
Sunday: closed
Lunch break: 12 noon – 1 p.m.

Summer Parish Office Hours

Parish office will be closed on Saturdays in July and August.

– OTHER NEWS –

Chapel of Perpetual Adoration

You are warmly invited to participate in the perpetual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament taking place in our parish continuously, 24 hours a day. This is a special time for personal prayer and contemplation in the presence of Jesus. Those interested can sign up for a special hour of Adoration by calling Margaret, the chapel coordinator, at (647) 888-7487.

Parish Registration
Change of Address

Are you registered at the parish?
Has your address changed?

Ours is a personal parish. Our parishioners are individuals of Polish descent who are formally registered at this church. Please note that we are not able to issue any references or letters of eligibility to non-parishioners. Registration Forms and Change of Address Forms can be found in the parish hallway. Please fill them out and place in the collection basket on Sunday. Alternatively, you may call the parish office to update your file.

The Catholic Register

The Catholic Register newspaper has changed its delivery method. Each week 50 copies are delivered to our parish. Parishioners may pick up a free copy from the church hallway.

The Catholic Register is the oldest English language weekly newspaper in Canada, launched in 1893 (and tracing its roots to The Catholic, 1830). It is circulated nationally, with 47 issues per year, and is owned by the Archdiocese of Toronto. News coverage includes local, national, and international church-related news (frequently reprinted from other Catholic news syndication services) plus various columns and editorials.

God’s love calls us
to move beyond fear.

We ask God for the courage
to put on faith, hope, and love
as we go out into the world
and become the Word in body

as well as spirit.

~ Pope Francis



ShareLife

YOUR LOVE CAN HELP OTHERS THRIVE

Mental health challenges can impact anyone, whether you're personally navigating them or supporting someone who is. These struggles transcend age and circumstance. Brenda was weighed down by shame, having battled anxiety and depression for decades. Through your support, she found a new perspective at a Catholic Family Services agency funded by ShareLife, where counselling lifted her up and allowed her to see her own worth. **Your compassion is instrumental in helping others see themselves as God sees them: loving, important, and enough.** Thank you for living the Gospel by helping relieve the pain of those facing silent battles.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Pilgrimage to Guadalupe

November 9 – 15, 2025

For more information please contact:
Marzena (647) 284-1631
Malgorzata (416) 859-8469

Lost and Found

If you have lost something in the church, please take a moment and look through the lost and found shelf located downstairs, in the hallway by the parish hall. More precious items, such as prescription glasses, keys, and electronic devices are kept in the parish office. Stop by during office hours.

Job Offer

Sacred Heart Parish in Kitchener is looking to hire an organist. For more information, please contact Barbara from the Parish Council: (519) 896-7881.

– MASS INTENTIONS –

MONDAY

May 26

- 8⁰⁰ ○ For healing for Krzysztof, and God’s blessing, Mary’s protection, and health for sisters Teresa, Romualda, Wanda, Janina and their families
- 19⁰⁰ ✠ From Ladnowski and Foltak families
- ✠ From Grzegorzczuk and Stelmach families

TUESDAY

May 27

- 8⁰⁰ ○ For God’s blessing for Beata Mogielnicka on her birthday – mother
- ✠ Antonina and Stanislaw Goralski; Danuta Janicka
- 19⁰⁰ ✠ Stanislaw, Andrzej, Anna Dudek; Rozalia and Jozefa Drapala

WEDNESDAY

May 28

- 8⁰⁰ ✠ Zofia Niemiec – husband
- ✠ Stanislaw Kosalka (26th anniv.) – sons and children
- 19⁰⁰ ○ Collective Mass Intentions

THURSDAY

May 29

- 8⁰⁰ ○ In thanksgiving for positive results and for health and Mary’s protection
- 19⁰⁰ ○ In thanksgiving for graces received and for health and God’s blessing for Beata Foltak and her family
- For health, Mary’s protection, gifts of the Holy Spirit for Maximilian, Nickolas, Agnieszka, Marcin, Iwona, Marianna, Ireneusz

FRIDAY

May 30

- 8⁰⁰ ○ On the 29th birthday of Julia and Pawel, for Mary’s protection, gifts of the Holy Spirit, and God’s blessing in their marriage
- 19⁰⁰ ✠ Ludwika Wajrak, Czeslawa Piatek, Stanislaw Chowaniec
- ✠ From Klebowski and Chrusciel families – family

SATURDAY

May 31

- 8⁰⁰ ✠ Jan, Stanislaw, Wacław, Czeslawa, Stefania, Wladyslawa Frackiewicz
- 17⁰⁰ ○ In thanksgiving for the sacrament of marriage of Aneta and Wieslaw on their 10th anniv. and for health and God’s blessing for them
- 19⁰⁰ ○ In thanksgiving for graces received and for God’s continued blessing for Anna Hecold on the 10th anniv. of consecration

SUNDAY

June 1

- 8⁰⁰ ○ For members of the Rosary Family and Knights of Mary Immaculate
- 9³⁰ ✠ Wladyslaw Licznar – wife and family
- 11⁰⁰ ○ For Parishioners and Benefactors
- 13⁰⁰ ✠ Parents Stefania and Stefan Tomczyk; Marian and Wladyslawa; Stanislaw; from Tomczyk and Baran families – Henryk and family
- 14³⁰ ✠ Antoni Oleszczuk (5th anniv.) and parents on both sides – wife and family
- 19⁰⁰ ○ In thanksgiving for graces received and for God’s continued protection for the Gorecki family