

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



As we enter into Advent, we watch for and eagerly await the dawn that breaks over the horizon. The promise of Advent is the promise of a candle in a dark room - if the dawn breaking over the horizon. It is the promise that the darkness cannot stand in the presence of the light. In this holy season, we must be watchers, searching for Christ's light, eagerly awaiting the dawn. Are we awake? Are we prepared?

MASS INTENTIONS

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT – NOVEMBER 27, 2022

8:00 a.m. For ++ Stanisław & Marianna Olechnicki - daughter with family

9:30 a.m. 1. For + Daniel St. Godard - wife with family

2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

11:00 a.m. In petition for St. Cecilia Choir on the occasion of the Feast of St. Cecilia

6:00 p.m. INTENTION FOR ALL LIVING & DECEASED PARISHIONERS

MONDAY – NOVEMBER 28, 2022

7:00 a.m. For + Bryan Podhorodecki - mother

7:00 p.m. 1. For + Eugenia Los - K & J Arndt

2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

TUESDAY – NOVEMBER 29, 2022

7:00 a.m. For ++ Erika & Jan Haduk - family

7:00 p.m. 1. For ++ parents Wincenty & Józefa, & also brother Józef – Znamirovski family

2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

WEDNESDAY – NOVEMBER 30, 2022, ST ANDREW, APOSTLE

7:00 a.m. For ++ husband Stanisław Kociolek, parents on both sides & son Kazimierz - Stefania

6:30 p.m. Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

7:00 p.m. 1. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

2. For ++ Missionary Oblates

3. For + Mieczysław Kozłowski - wife Katarzyna

4. For + Stanisława Robak - Janina Robak with family

5. For + Joanna Czajkowska - Lucyna, Beata and Łucja with husbands

6. For ++ deceased with Leszczyński family - Krystyna

7. For + Jan Marcinowski - Anna Szybkowski

8. For ++ Michalina & Władysław Marcinków (14 anni) - Chmieluk & Kalic family

9. In petition for good health and God's blessing for Arthur Gartman - Radio Maria Family

10. For + Czesława Kubel - Popko family

11. For + Zofia Podhorodecki - Krystyna Arndt

12. For + Michael Sokół - family

13. For ++ parents Krystyna & Władysław Rejek & grandmother Marianna Kęsik - daughter with family

14. For + Czesława Malkiewicz- Sobie (deceased in Poland) - Krystyna Kusztra-Arndt

15. For souls suffering in Purgatory - Michaella Park

16. In defense of unborn life - Michaella Park

17. In petition for good health & God's blessings for Paul Lee - Michaella Park

18. For all souls suffering in Purgatory - Helena

19. For ++ Stan Misiewicz & Bill Cooke - Dana Cooke

20. For ++ Stefania and John Misiewicz - Dana Cooke



THURSDAY – DECEMBER 1, 2022

7:00 a.m. 1. For + Ann Horoszek

2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

8:45 a.m. Mass in Polish Manor

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH – DECEMBER 2, 2022

7:00 a.m. For + Józef Ploch (1 anni) - children with families

6:30 p.m. First Friday Devotions

7:00 p.m. 1. In petition for living & deceased Knights of Columbus & their families-KofC

2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH – DECEMBER 3, 2022, ST FRANCIS XAVIER

7:15 a.m. Litany of the Hours to the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 a.m. In petition for all leaving and deceased members of Rosary Sodality and their families - Rosary Sodality

5:00 p.m. 1. For ++ Tadeusz & Maria Slowik - family

2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)



FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH - is on **December 2** - everyone is invited to participate in Adoration from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. Devotions and Mass will follow. Also, there will be an opportunity for confession starting at 5:30 pm.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS - will be on **December 3**, at **7:15 am** in our Church (in Polish). Everyone is invited.

LET US GO REJOICING TO THE HOUSE OF THE LORD!

ADVENT – on **November 27** Church begins a new liturgical year (A) with the first Sunday of Advent. This is the season that urges us to be open to a conversation of heart. As a family of faith, we are counseled to hear this call to conversation to prepare ourselves to be ready to greet the Son of Man.

PARISH ADVENT RETREAT

We welcome in our Parish his grace Archbishop Richard Gagnon who is facilitating our retreat. The retreat schedule is as follow:

- Saturday, Nov 26 at 5:00 pm
- Sunday, Nov 27 at 9:30 am & 11:00 am
- Monday, Nov 28 at 7:00 pm
- Tuesday, Nov 29 at 7:00 pm



On Tuesday following the evening Mass Knights of Columbus, are inviting everyone to our Parish Hall for coffee and cake. Please note that during the retreat, evening Masses on Monday and Tuesday will be in English. *On Tuesday there will be a collection for the retreat, please use the blue envelopes and write "Advent Retreat". Thank you for your offerings!*

NOVENA TO THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY begins **November 29** and ends on **December 7**. Novena will be prayed after the evening Mass; Thursday at the Polish Manor; Saturday before the 8:00 am Mass and Sunday before 11:00 am Mass.

CHILDREN MINISTRY & CHILDREN MASSES

Every Sunday, during the 9:30 am Mass we invite all children to participate in Children's Liturgy meetings. Please note that due to Parish Retreat there will not be a Children Liturgy on Nov 27. Next Children Mass will be on **Sunday December 18 at 9:30 am.**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Will have their meeting on Monday, **November 28 at 6:00 am.**

BEREAVEMENT GROUP MINISTRY - Invites all those who are grieving the loss of a loved one to their next meeting on **Tuesday Nov 29 at 5:30 p.m.** Our Bereavement Group provides spiritual and emotional support in unity with the suffering Lord.



ANDRZEJKI - WYD TRIP FOUNDRISER - Sincere Appreciation:

- To our youth (& their parents), lead by Fr. Wojtek Stangel, for organizing & preparing a wonderful party, decorating our Parish Hall & for serving food;
- To Knights of Columbus for cooking a delicious meal;
- To Catholic Women's League for setting the tables and making coffee;
- To DJ Kolt for great music;
- To Derek Bogdan Photography - for setting up the photo booth;
- To kitchen and bar helpers: P. Żyła, W. Słonina, K. Starościk, B. Czosnek, H. Gałka, D. Ploch, M. Dubiel; T. Wójcik, T. Pyzio, Z. Hołodniak & all the parents who washed the dishes after the party;
- To everyone who attended & made this evening a very memorable one;
- To all the sponsors of generous prizes - they are:

Oblate Fathers of Assumption Province; Knights of Columbus Catholic Women's League; Polish Gymnastic Association Sokół Winnipeg, Polish Association Sokół St. Boniface, Polish Canadian Women's Federation Br. 7; Golden Hand Jewellery; ACT Management Ltd - A. Olszewski; Lord Selkirk Furniture Store - A.K. Gajdamowicz; The Village Brew CO - T.A. Gawlik; Paradise Spa & Coffee Bar; Arvalet Auto Centre; Rising Phoenix Hair Salon - K. Friesen; Julia's Ukrainian Restaurant - M.J. Pacwa; Advance Environmental - R.G. Czajka; Baltic Brothers - M.B. Pacak; POL Construction - J.J. Gubała; Anna Family First Store - A. Nabrzieszka; Rea's Bistro; Dr. Carmine Scarpino, Dr. Anna Holodniak, G.A. Sniezyk; L.Z. Konieczny, I.R. Wróblewski, T. Cz. Jasiewicz; P.B.Tadeuszów; E.S. Pawczynski; B.Z.Kieloch; M.A. Slivinski; W.A.L. Los; T. Kusiak; M. Jaworski; S. Ch. Siwicki; S. Sanecki; T. A. Bahyrycz; M. Fieden; T. Johnston; F.C. Soja; R.T. Driskell; A.T. Bielawny; M. Dziarmaga; Anonymous & all people of good will who contributed!

- **Thanks to your generosity our youth collected \$15,750 from this event!** Young people thank all parishioners, guests and sponsors for such wonderful response to their needs. God bless you all!

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Repent, for the kingdom of heavens is at hand!

In the waters of baptism, we have been claimed for Christ. As we gather on this Advent Sunday, we recall and celebrate our rebirth in grace and our mission to prepare the way for the Lord. At the heart of this celebration is our repentance and our desire to be renewed with the spirit of the Lord.

MASS INTENTIONS

IN THIS DAY MAY RIGHTEOUSNESS FLOURISH & PEACE ABOUND FOREVER

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT – DECEMBER 4, 2022

8:00 a.m. INTENTION FOR ALL LIVING & DECEASED PARISHIONERS

9:30 a.m. For + Bronisława Tomszak – Catholic Women’s League

11:00 a.m. 1. For + Bogdan Ceglarski – sister with family
2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)

6:00 p.m. For ++ parents Aniela & Jan Silka, & Stefania & Władysław Dworak
– W.J. Silka

MONDAY – DECEMBER 5, 2022

7:00 a.m. For + mother Zofia Tesarska - Stefania

7:00 p.m. 1. For + Barbara Pacak - husband with family
2. For + Andrew Dupuis - wife & daughter (Gregorian Mass)



TUESDAY – DECEMBER 6, 2022

7:00 a.m. For ++ Lidia & Stanley Falkowski - Helena & Henry

7:00 p.m. For + Irena Sposób - Sposób family

WEDNESDAY – DECEMBER 7, 2022, ST AMBROSE, BISHOP & DOCTOR

7:00 a.m. For + Krystyna Kmiecik - Jan Niemczyk

6:30 p.m. Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

- 7:00 p.m.** 1. For ++ Missionary Oblates
2. For ++ Joe & Anna Sarzynski - Marcinowski family
3. For ++ Maria, Ignacy, & Michał Tudryn – Marcinowski family
4. For + mother Anna Węgrzyn – daughter Maria Lorenc
5. For ++ Krystyna Zarzycka & deceased from Michno family - daughter with family
6. For ++ Joseph & Ronald Ostrowski – Grażyna & Jason
7. For + wife Stanisława Mizeracka – husband
8. For + Jan Marcinowski – Halina Ćwikła
9. For + Marek Rychter - family
10. For + Mieczysław Chełkowski – family
11. For + Zofia Podhorodecka - Krystyna Arndt
12. For + Michał Sokół - family
13. For souls suffering in Purgatory - Michaella Park
14. In defense of unborn life - Michaella Park
15. In petition for good health & God’s blessings for Paul Lee - Michaella Park
16. For all souls suffering in Purgatory
17. For good health & God’s blessings for grandchildren Quentin i Noah - grandparents.
18. In petition for sick & hospitalized members of Catholic Women’s League - CWL



THURSDAY – DECEMBER 8, 2022

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

7:00 a.m. For ++ Genowefa Wróbel & Sister Bernadetta OSB - J. Paprocka with family

7:00 p.m. In petition for Missionary Oblates

FRIDAY – DECEMBER 9, 2022

7:00 a.m. For + Frances Fijal

7:00 p.m. For + Józef Kielbasa (1 anni) – family & friends

SATURDAY – DECEMBER 10, 2022

7:30 a.m. Litany of the Hours to the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 a.m. In thanksgiving on the occasion of 1st birthday of granddaughter Kenadee – grandmother Maria

5:00p.m. For + Józef Ploch – wife with family

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT – DECEMBER 11, 2022

8:00 a.m. For + Stanisława Sposób – son with family

9:30 a.m. For ++ Paulina & Teodor Podlesiecki – son with family

11:00 a.m. 1. INTENTION FOR ALL LIVING & DECEASED PARISHIONERS

6:00 p.m. In petition for Holy Father, Poland, Radio Maria & T.V. Trwam – Radio Maria Family

CHANGE OF ADDRESS - all parishioners who have moved this or last year are asked to contact our office with their change of address.

CHRISTMAS WAFER (OPŁATEK) & CHRISTMAS CARDS – are now available in Parish kiosk on Sundays or in the parish office during the week days.

SHARING GOD'S GIFTS 2022

- Goal for Year 2022: \$ 47,302.00
- To date we have collected: \$ 18,931.00
- Parish Assessment for Year 2022: \$ 59,210.00
- Total Owning for Year 2022: \$ 106,512.00

Thank you to those who are supporting this cause.

We are asking for your further support for this Archdiocesan Appeal.



SHARING GOD'S GIFTS is an annual collection for Archdiocese's needs. The collection was created to support continuous and numerous initiatives our Archdiocese undertake not only here in Winnipeg but also on the Mission. Funds collected will be used to help many important to the existence of our Church causes. Every parish is obligated to pay certain amount, calculated based on the number of families registered in the parish and their donations. In our case, it is hard to collect the asked amount hence every year we have to cover the difference from regular donations. **This year we are short \$28,371. We ask for your help, cooperation and understanding.**

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

December 8 we give thanks to the Holy Trinity for the gift of the Immaculate Conception. This is also the Feast of the Patroness of the Missionary Oblates. **We wish our Pastoral Team: Fr. Tomasz Koscinski, OMI, Fr. Wojciech Stangel, OMI & Fr. Wojciech Wojtkowiak, OMI many God's blessings and care under their Patroness Mary Immaculate. On this day let us remember in a special way all Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate in our prayers, especially those who are no longer with us.**



ST. NICHOLAS

Will be visiting our parish on **December 4** with treat bags for the children following 9:30 am and 11:00 am Masses. Everyone is invited to our Parish Hall where children can take pictures with St. Nick and all can enjoy delicious food, coffee and cake. A special thank you to the **Knights of Columbus** who prepared „placki” (potato pancakes) and made it possible for St Nick to visit our Parish.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - will have their meeting, followed by Christmas Lunch, on **December 4** following 9:30 Mass.

PEROGY AND BAKE SALE - Catholic Women’s League is inviting everyone on Saturday evening, **December 10** and Sunday **December 11** to our Parish Hall, following all morning Masses for their annual Perogy and Bake sale. We appreciate all the work Ladies put into organizing this Christmas Sale! **Thank you!**

On December 7 at 9 am ladies are asking for help in making perogies. Also, they are in need for home baking for their bake sale - please drop them off on Saturday December 10 between 10:00 am and noon, and on December 11 before masses.

CHRISTMAS HAMPER - during Advent Catholic Women’s League will be collecting hats, scarves, and mittens for MC Sisters. Mayonnaise, ramen noodles and macaroni and cheese are also greatly appreciated. Baskets for that cause are located by the parking lot entrance to the Church.

CANONICAL ESTABLISHMENT OF HOLY GHOST PARISH

Happened on December 10, 1912 – this year we celebrate the 110 anniversary of the canonical establishment of our parish. On the occasion of this anniversary and in thanksgiving for your generosity and involvement in Parish life - coffee and cake will be free for everyone to enjoy during the perogy and bake sale on **December 10 and December 11.** Let us celebrate together as a parish family.

RCIA - THE RITE OF ACCEPTANCE INTO THE ORDER OF CATECHUMENS - will be on **December 11** during the 9:30 am Mass. The Candidates will officially announce their will to receive the Catholic Faith as their own. Please welcome them warmly!

Classics, Carols & Cookies

Holy Redeemer Parish invites you on Sunday, **December 4** at 2 pm for an afternoon concert with the **Sokol Polish Folk Ensemble.** Under the direction of conductor Tadeusz Biernacki, the concert will feature a beautiful selection of liturgical music, folk songs and traditional carols in English, Latin and Polish. A cookie and punch reception will follow. Tickets \$10 (children under 12 years of age free) available at Holy Redeemer Parish and Stephan-chew Church Goods..

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS - we ask parishioners to donate hay for the Nativity setup in our Church.