WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

9:30 am ++ Warda & Korczak family

POLISH

11:00 am – God's blessings for Barbara & Antoni **ENGLISH** Freyberg in celebration of their Birthday's

12:30 pm

+ Ryszard Głowaczewski

POLISH

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

6:30 pm MASS IS CANCELLED

ENGLISH

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

6:30 pm MASS IS CANCELLED

POLISH

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

9:00 am MASS IS CANCELLED

ENGLISH

FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

5:30 pm ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT / CONFESSIONS

6:30 pm FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS, MASS TO FOLLOW

EN/PL + Ania Martinez, w rocznicę śmierci

FIRST SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

9:00am + John Grysak

EN/PL

5:00 pm - Za parishioners and benefactors

ENGLISH

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

9:30 am – Intencja dziękczynno błagalna za rodzinę

POLISH Dworakowski

11:00 am + God's blessings for Alexandra & Jonny Kaye on their 1st wedding anniversary

12:30 pm + Norbert Habil

POLISH

OFFERINGS AUGUST 17th / 18th

Sunday Offerings \$4449.45 Building Fund \$1440.00 Preauthorized Payments \$978.00

OFFERINGS AUGUST 24th / 25th

Sunday Offerings \$3,944.30 Preauthorized Payments \$978.00

Thank you for your support of our parish!

DONUTS

No Coffee and Donuts this Sunday – we wish everyone a wonderful Long Weekend!



BULLETIN PRAYER CORNER

"Heavenly Father, we come before You today to ask for Your healing hand to be upon our friends who are suffering. Grant them comfort, strength, and wisdom. Restore their health with Your loving care. May Your peace, which surpasses all understanding, guard their heart and minds in Christ Jesus. Amen."

- Danny Albers
- Zofia & Józef Potocki
 - o Ron
- o Bronisława Strejch
 - Nicole Airdrie
 - Czesława Kowal
 - Anna Gorazd
- Jadwiga & Stanisław Tomera
 - o Gloria Dianne
 - o Fatima Gois
 - $\circ \quad \textbf{Ryszard}$

**Would you like to participate in our bulletin prayer corner? Visit our parish website to fill out a quick form.

POPE'S ROSARY INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER FOR THE CRY OF THE EARTH

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

MASSES CANCELLED

Our priests are away from September 3rd to 5th for formation days in the Diocese of Hamilton. Weekday Masses are canceled during this time. Let us keep them in our prayers during this time.

FATIMA NIGHT

Please join us for a Fatima Night procession with the Rosary following the 6:30 pm bilingual Mass on Wednesday September 11th.

POLISH FIRST COMMUNION

Registration for children wishing to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion in Polish has begun. Please contact the parish office or see Sr. Alice to register for the upcoming year.



BAPTISM

Next weekend, the sacrament of baptism will be bestowed upon:

Jakub Andrzej Buczkowicz Noah Niemczyk Dominik Cieślak

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2025

Mass intentions for 2025 will be accepted this coming Tuesday, September 3rd. Please call or visit the parish office to book your intentions.

Why do we offer Mass intentions?

Mass intentions are offered to God as prayers of intercession or thanksgiving. They may be for deceased family members and friends, or for special intentions for the living, such as a wedding anniversary or vocations to the priesthood. Even if the priest does not publicly state the Mass intention out loud, he knows which intention he is celebrating, and takes it very seriously. It is important to know that Masses cannot be bought or sold. However, there is a long-standing tradition in the Catholic Church of giving Mass stipends (a free will offering) which is meant to symbolize my offering to God for that intention and support for my Parish.

To make sure that ever person in the parish has a chance to request Mass intentions, there is a limit of five single intention Masses per person, per year. For multiple intention Masses (celebrated Wednesdays and Thursdays) you may request an unlimited number of intentions.

WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC? RCIA

Are you someone, or do you know someone who

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Has been worshiping with us, but has never officially taken the step to become a Catholic?

If you answered YES to either of these questions, we invite you to find out more through a process called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). It is a journey that begins with your questions and prepares you to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist during the Easter season. Please contact the parish office for more information or to register.

ALL PARISH GROUPS MEETING

All Parish Groups are invited for a meeting to discuss important dates, group goals as well as group fundraising opportunities for the upcoming 2025 calendar



year on **Wed September 18th at 7:00 pm** in the parish hall.

FALL GARAGE SALE

September has finally arrived! Come out and support our annual Parish Garage Sale.



WHEN? Saturday, September 7th & Sunday, September 8th from 8:00 am-2:00 pm. WHERE? Parish hall.

A barbeque will take place on Saturday, coffee and donuts will be sold on Sunday.

Bring your donated items to the Centre this Friday, September 6th from 2:00 pm-8:00 pm. Please only donate items that are gently used and/or are in working order. We do not accept large furniture or large electronics. For more information please contact Maria at 903-319-3528.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Thank you to all parishioners who contribute to the Sunday collection through offertory envelopes or preauthorized payments.

A friendly reminder: Please make sure you are using your 2024 offertory envelopes. If you are using the pink visitors' envelopes, we kindly ask that you write your full name, address and phone number so that we can issue a tax receipt for the year.

WHY SHOULD I REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER?

A Catholic parish is the single most important part of our Catholic Church. This is where we continue the mission of Jesus Christ. This is where we publicly express our faith, joining together with others to give witness of our communion with God and with one another.

There are many reasons to register:

- A sense of belonging and identity in a parish community.
- In times of joy and in times of struggle, it is comforting to have the support of a faith family.
- Being included in the demographics of the parish helps in the planning for the needs of the parish.
- To receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, or Holy Matrimony you will need to be a registered member of the parish.

How to register as a member of the parish?

It's easy! You can do so online in a few minutes by scanning the QR code or come to the office in person to fill out the form.

*If you are currently registered and your address has changed recently, please contact the office to update your information.

