

SS. Cyril & Methodius Parish

St. James at Sag Bridge Mission

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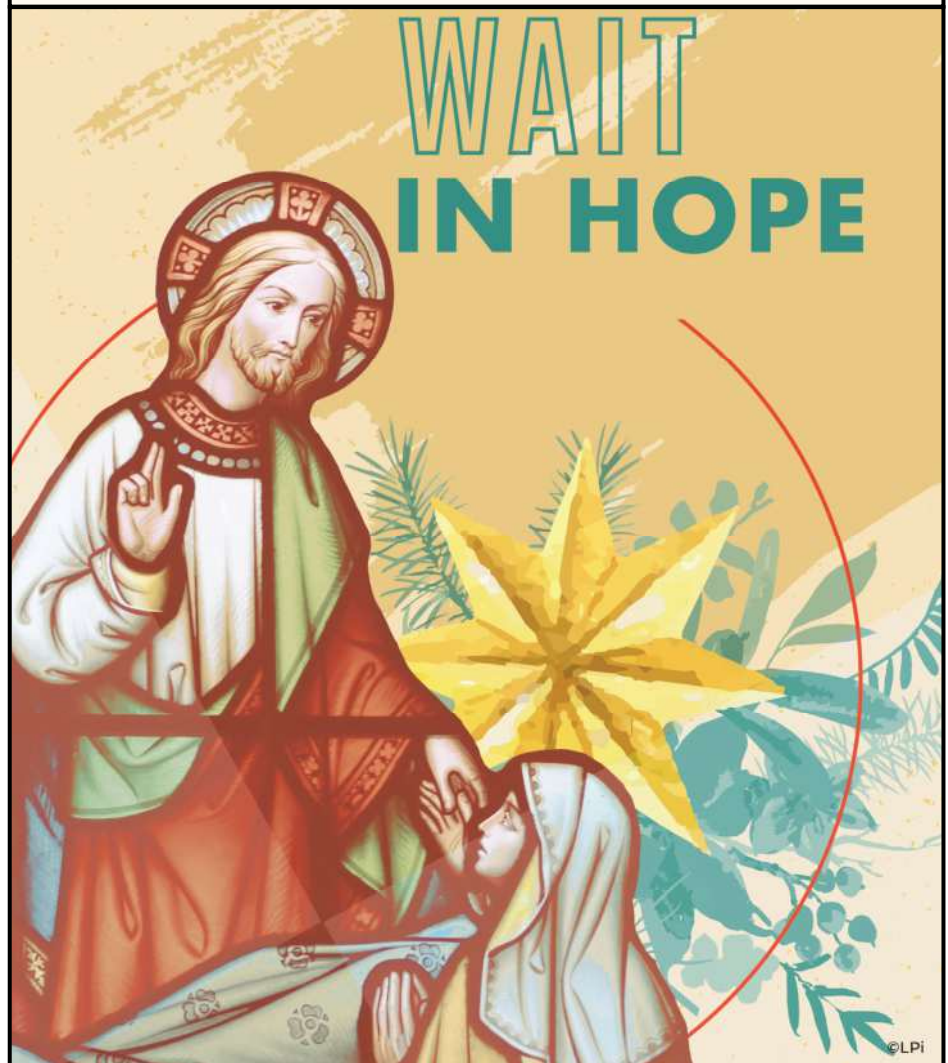
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November 30, 2025

First Sunday of Advent



Our Parish Mission Statement

We are a family of faith, entrusted with the gospel message of Jesus Christ. Rooted in a rich tradition of worship, service and prayer, we foster the unity and faith of this community. Enlivened by the Spirit, we share our gifts, talents and resources to bring about the Kingdom of God.

The Parish Staff of St. Cyril's and St. James welcomes all to our historic parishes that have carried on the mission of Jesus Christ.

Parish Information		Minister of Music:	Mira Sojka-Topor musicmin@stcyril.org (630) 257-2776
Parish Office:	608 Sobieski Street, Lemont, IL Denise Duda, Operations Director (630) 257-2776; (630) 257-9372 Fax rectory@stcyril.org website: www.stcyril.org www.facebook.com/SSCMLemont	Polish School:	www.polschool.com Halina Szyrzyna Principal: (630) 669-9058
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Mass Schedule:		Parish Council:	Stan Brzezniak, President
Monday thru Saturday: 7:00 AM		Bulletin:	bulletin@stcyril.org
Saturday: 5:00 PM Sunday Obligation		Helping Hands:	helpinghands@stcyril.org
Sunday: 7:00 AM (English-No Music), 8:00 AM (Polish), 9:30 AM (English), 11:00 AM (Polish), 12:30 PM (English), 2:00 PM (Polish), 7:30 PM (English-No Music)		New Parishioners: Download the new parishioner form online on our website. The form can be handed into the donation basket at Mass, mailed in, or brought into the parish office	
Special Masses:		Baptisms: Parents need to be registered, active and supporting parishioners prior to arranging a baptism at St. Cyril's. If this is a firstborn child, the parents are required to attend a Pre-Baptismal Preparation Class. Both sponsors should be adults and one an active, practicing Catholic.	
Tuesday PM: devotions at 7 PM, 7:45 PM (Polish)		Marriage: The bride and groom are encouraged to be registered, active, contributing parishioners of SS. Cyril & Methodius. Arrangements are to be made with a priest or deacon as soon as possible. A Marriage Preparation Program is a requirement of the Archdiocese. To schedule a wedding, please contact the parish office.	
First Friday: 7:00 AM (English), 7:00 PM (Polish)		Social Media: In an effort to enhance communication with our parishioners and visitors, please visit these websites to stay better connected with the many events and ministries of our parish.	
First Saturday: devotions at 7 PM (Polish), 9:00 PM (Polish)		Parish Website: www.stcyril.org	
Holy Days of Obligation: As announced		School Website: www.school.stcyril.org	
Sacrament of Reconciliation:		Parish Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/SSCMLemont	
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 PM		School Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/SSCMComets	
First Fridays: 6:00 - 7:00 PM			
Also available by appointment.			
Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:			
Following the Monday morning 7:00 AM Mass			
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration:			
Located in the Divine Mercy Chapel in the Parish Life Building. Please contact: Lottie (630) 442-9441, Mark (773) 727-7934, Margaret mtsniesz@gmail.com			
Parish Office Hours: Each weekday the office will be closed between the hours of 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM.			
Monday through Friday 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM			
Saturday & Sunday Closed			



Dear Parishioners,

As the first Sunday of Advent starts, we begin the new liturgical year. Christ at the very beginning of the year calls us to be vigilant so we do not miss the true meaning of

Christmas, the most important aspect of this celebration. Many of us perhaps misinterpret Jesus' Christmas call and tangle ourselves in very earthly things such as: cleaning and decorating the house for the holidays, making sure to have the prettiest Christmas tree; the best presents for your loved ones ... etc. The true meaning of Christmas can be easily overlooked. Stores will not let us forget about shopping, about gifts. Colorful, illuminated Christmas decorations on the streets, flashing Christmas decorations next to our homes, will not let you forget about Christmas. Yet, we still forget the true meaning of celebrating Christmas.

Once we are to give an account of what good we have done on this earth, we must think, "Do I deserve the heavens, have I used my time well?" Many of us can keep saying: do I still have time for prayer, for the Eucharist, for doing good, for helping my neighbor ... I will confess tomorrow, I will improve tomorrow, I will apologize to my friend tomorrow... May it not be too late, may we never have to be ashamed of God that we have wasted time and missed all opportunities to do good.

Advent is a time to rearrange our lives, a joyful time while we await Christmas. Let us thank Christ today for letting us participate in this blessed time, which is Advent. He loves us. He wants to find us ready to meet Him, to be a part of eternal happiness.

Thank you for your support of our church and school and may God bless you and your loved ones,

Fr. Valdi

And now a few things the Parish wants you to know:

- The SSCM "Tree of Love" ministry will begin their 36th year bringing Christmas joy to those in need. Please grab a tag or two from the trees in the back of the church and help fulfill the wishes of others. See the bulletin for more details.
- There will be a second collection the weekend of December 7th & 8th, for our parish school. Please consider making a donation to help keep SSCM School Excellent.
- Please see the bulletin for the Christmas Season Mass and Reconciliation Schedule for SSCM and St. James.
- Monday, December 22nd, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place at 5:00-8:00 PM in SS. Cyril & Methodius Church.
- We have oplatki available on tables in the back of the church. A free will offering for the oplatki is greatly appreciated.



**Immaculate Conception of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
Masses at
SS. Cyril & Methodius Parish
A Holy Day of Obligation
Monday, December 8th**

**7:00 AM English
11:30 AM Polish
6:00 PM English
7:30 PM Polish**



SS. Cyril & Methodius School
"Strength for the Journey"

SS. Cyril & Methodius School
2019 National Blue Ribbon School

Dear Parents and Parishioners,

As we enter the holy season of Advent, we begin a time of joyful anticipation and quiet hope. The First Week of Advent invites us to open our hearts to the promise of Christ's coming—both in the celebration of His birth and in the renewal of His presence in our daily lives.

This week's candle, the Candle of Hope, reminds us that our faith is rooted not in wishful thinking but in the steadfast love and faithfulness of God. No matter what we carry into this season—our joys, worries, burdens, or blessings—we are assured that God walks with us, guiding us toward His light.

To begin Advent, our school will gather for all school Mass, conclude our clothing drive, launch a soup kitchen food drive, and spread joy to our community through planning a variety of events.

May this first week of Advent be a time of renewal for each of us. Let us open our hearts to hope, prepare our lives with intention, and support one another as we journey toward the celebration of Christ's Nativity.

Wishing you peace and hope in these sacred days ahead.

Mr. Dan Turney, Principal



Join us for a jolly morning
of Christmas fun at our

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Enjoy delicious **treats** while you
visit with **Santa** and his very
special guest!

SUNDAY December 7th
SSCM Gym
9am – 12pm

Don't forget to stop by our **photo**
area and capture a magical Christmas
memory with Santa.

Bring your **family**, wear your festive
smiles, and kick off the Christmas
season with **cheer!**

Please be aware of the mass schedule as cars will be utilizing all
lots for Sunday mass times. It is advised to park on the street if
you are not attending mass to avoid getting blocked in.

Bingo Time!

COME JOIN US FOR SOME BINGO FUN!

Thursday, December 4th, 2025

SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS SCHOOL GYM

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

GAME STARTS AT 6:30 PM

CASH PRIZES AWARDED TO ALL WINNERS
WE KINDLY ASK THAT NO OUTSIDE
FOOD OR DRINK BE BROUGHT IN

CONCESSIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE
FOR PURCHASE
INCLUDING BEER AND WINE!

MUST BE 21 YEARS OLD TO ATTEND

PRIZE AWARDED FOR UGLIEST CHRISTMAS SWEATER



**SS Cyril & Methodius
Religious Education Program**
stcyrilre@sscmlemont.org
 (630)257-9314
www.re.stcyril.org

Mrs. Monika Leja – RE Administrator



Today we light the first candle, which is purple and symbolizes hope. It is sometimes called the "Prophecy Candle" in remembrance of the prophets, especially Isaiah, who foretold the birth of Christ. It represents the expectation felt in anticipation of the coming Messiah.



Thank you to Father Piotr, Father Jan visiting from Poland and Father Brian visiting from Jamaica for Celebrating our Monthly RE Mass on November 16, 2025. Also, thank you to our 4th and 7th grade students and the Catechists who were actively participating in our November Mass.



Thank you to Father Jan Mikulski for visiting our 7th/8th grade class last Friday. We truly appreciate your great words of wisdom and understanding the importance of the Gifts the Holy Spirit.



St. James at Sag Bridge Mission

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Email: stjames1833@att.net | Website: www.historicstjames.org

Mass Schedule

WEEKENDS:

Sundays: 8:15am, 10:00am and 12:00pm (TLM)

WEEKDAYS:

Mon/Tues/Thurs/Sat 8:00am,
Wed 7pm, Fri 6pm

ADORATION:

Adoration on Wednesday 5-7pm.

CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

Wednesday 6:00pm & Saturday 8:30am.
Otherwise by appointment.

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & FUNERALS:

Contact the rectory office.

SICK & HOMEBOUND PASTORAL CARE:

Please notify rectory.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:

Wed, Thu & Fri: 9:00am to 2:00pm.



Our Lady of Fatima Statue

You may host our beautiful statue for one week (Sun to Sun). Scan to sign up or go to historicstjames.org.



Pray the rosary daily & in public when possible!

Wine & Wisdom Dec 3 – Topic TBD

Specific topic to be announced, but it's always interesting and insightful.

Dec 10 – A special presentation from Illinois Right to Life. President Mary Kate Zander will explain the proposed constitutional amendment that would enshrine abortion as a right in Illinois and how we can prepare to fight it.

Make your Wednesdays special!

Adoration (5-7), Confession (6-7), Mass (7pm), W&W (7:45)



December 6 - First Saturday

Our Lady of Fatima asked for special devotion on First Saturdays. Join us on Dec 6 at 8am Mass & stay for the rosary and Fatima prayers.



On Nov 16, Fr Koys baptized Celine Catherine Davis into the family of God. We all congratulate her parents, Phil and Maureen (n. Severance) along with her siblings. Many blessings to them & Celine's extended family.

2nd Townhall Meeting – Tues, Dec 2

As we prepare for the future, we are called to prayer & action. To set the stage, Fr Koys will lead evening prayer & conduct a 2nd townhall meeting. You're invited – 7pm in Church.

CHICAGO NATIVITY SCENE



The need for Christian influence in the public square has never been greater. If you can, support this 501c3 initiative which puts the Nativity scene on Daley Plaza. For more info see our website.

Theology of the Body

Thurs, Dec 4 – 7 to 8:30pm – Rectory

"Theology of the Body" is a series of talks given by St. Pope John Paul II at his papal audiences. He explores many wonderful aspects of human love. All adults are invited to join in as Fr Koys leads the discussion.



Advent 2025 has begun!

As we enter the beautiful season of anticipation of our Savior's birth, the Sag Bridge Mission Society is happy to present our parishioners with a copy of the Magnificat Advent Companion. Please pick up a copy while available.



A&R Society hopes everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving. At this time of year, we are reminded of the many blessings God has given us. Our time, talent and treasure all come from God. Let us honor Him by sharing all of these with one another. May God continue to bless everyone at St James as we begin the Advent season.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR

Christmas DINNER

You are invited for some Christmas cheer to celebrate this special time of year.

ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7TH
AT 3PM TILL 6PM IN SAG HALL
EVERYONE, 13 AND UP, IS GRACIOUSLY INVITED TO ATTEND!
VISIT THE WEBSITE TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT
SEATS ARE LIMITED!
DOORS WILL OPEN AT 3 O'CLOCK SHARP!
APPETIZERS ~ DINNER ~ LIVE MUSIC
BEER ~ WINE ~ DESSERT ~ COFFEE
& RAFFLE BASKETS
COST IS \$35 PER PERSON
(ALL TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED ON OUR WEBSITE)



Hosted by The Altar & Rosary Society

Honoring Life Under the Mantle of
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
Protectress of the Unborn
LIFE IS WORTH PROTECTING

Come learn the Top 10 things a pro-life advocate should know. Gain knowledge while enjoying food & earning prizes. Targeted to teens, but adults are also very welcome. Friday, Dec 12, 7pm in Sag Hall. Register & more info at historicstjames.org.

Altar Flowers

Our beautiful bouquets of flowers surrounding our altar were made available by:

CHRIS SLOWIK—IN LOVING MEMORY
SLOWIK & AIELLO FAMILIES

Votives

VOTIVE OFFERINGS FOR THE WEEK OF 11/30/25

St. James Altar & Rosary Society
All the Poor Souls in Purgatory
United States of America
For Our Children—Heather, Ryan & Colleen
For Our Grandchildren—Henry, Ellie, Maddie, Owen
In Loving Memory—Joseph M. Slowik

Mass Intentions

Note: Please allow 2 weeks notice to book Mass intentions

MONDAY, DECEMBER 1

8:00AM ✠Walter Drust
Birthday Blessings—Hania Dziurdzik

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2

8:00AM Birthday Blessings—Jo Jackson
Birthday Blessings—Joseph F. Slowik
Birthday Blessings—Kelley Rice

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3

7:00PM ✠Mary Slowik
✠Barbara Becker

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4

8:00AM ✠Helena Rogala
✠Maria Ratlowski

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5

6:00PM ✠Rochelle Haklin
Birthday Blessings—Katarzyna Jacher

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6

8:00AM ✠Mary Wenzel
Birthday Health & Blessings—Alex Bafia

Second Sunday of Advent

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7

8:15AM ✠Ceil Benes
Living/deceased members—A&R Society
10AM ✠Barbara Becker
✠Robert Czaja
12:00PM ✠Maria Ratlowski
50th Birthday Blessings—Yola

Our Weekly Offering

Our weekly *Offertory* collection from November 16, 2025 was \$3,586. Our *Maintenance* collection was \$1,090. Online giving (Give Central) for regular and maintenance collections totalled \$1,700.

Our reporting of the weekly *Offertory* collection from November 23, 2025 will be delayed due to early submission to the bulletin publisher.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!

MASS	ALTAR SERVERS SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7	
8:15am	Mark Henze, Christos & Frankie Latsonas	
10am	Marty & Tommy Comer, Christian Cozzi, Dominic Spang, Matthew Rebello	

**2nd Collection December 6th & 7th
SSCM Parish School**

There will be a second collection for our SSCM School. Please support our parish school and help them continue providing an excellent Catholic education.



Please Join Us!

**SS. Cyril & Methodius
Altar & Rosary Society
Christmas Luncheon
Sunday, December 7, 2025**

**White Fence Farm
1376 Joliet Road
Romeoville, IL 60446
(630) 739-1720**

Lunch: 12:00 PM ~Noon
Cash Bar

Optional \$10.00 Grab Bag Gift
Chance Raffle Tickets

RSVP by November 30, 2025
Linda Wesolowski- (630) 257-6869
Guadalupe Sanchez-(630) 243-6626
Fran Klappa-Cales (630) 257-6985

*Christmas Season Schedule
of Services 2025*

SS. Cyril & Methodius Parish**Christmas Eve, Wednesday, December 24th**

1:00 PM (English)
3:00 PM Children's Mass (English)
5:00 PM (English)
8:00 PM Children's Mass (Polish)
10:00 PM (Polish)
12:00 Midnight Mass (English)

Christmas Day, Thursday, December 25th

7:00 AM (English)
8:00 AM (Polish)
9:30 AM (English)
11:00 AM (Polish)
12:30 PM (English)
2:00 PM (Polish)

Feast of St. Stephen, Friday, December 26th

7:00 AM (English)
11:30 AM (Polish)
7:00 PM (Polish)

**Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
Vigil Mass Wednesday, December 31st, 2025**

4:00 PM (English)
5:30 PM (Polish)

New Year's Day, Thursday, January 1st, 2026

8:00 AM (Polish)
9:30 AM (English)
11:00 AM (Polish)
12:30 PM (English)

The Sacrament of Reconciliation-Advent

At St. Cyril's: Monday, December 22nd:
Individual Confessions
(English & Polish)
5:00-8:00PM Church





SS. Cyril & Methodius "Tree of Love"

As Christmastime draws near, once again we are asking that you open your hearts and help the needy through our "Tree of Love."

Starting the weekend of November 15th and 16th, we will begin our 36th annual "Tree of Love" ministry. Our trees will be up in the back of the church decorated with tags designated with gift cards from the wish lists of people in need. This year we are collecting gift cards and children's clothing.

Our gifts will benefit the following organizations:

- *Mercy Home (a Catholic run home for abused and abandoned boys and girls)*
- *Helping Hands (program of SS. Cyril & Methodius parish)*
- *The Women's Center (a South suburban pro-life center)*
- *Sister House (a Catholic run homeless women's shelter in Chicago)*

Please follow these simple guidelines:

- *Select a tag from the tree*
- *Purchase the gift card or clothing item on your tag.*
- *If a gift card, please attach gift card (with authorization receipt) to the gift tag and place under/on the tree or in the labeled collection boxes near the trees.*
- *If a clothing item, please tape your Tree of Love tag on the outside of your unwrapped clothing item.*
- *Please return all gift cards and clothing items by SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7th.*

Merry Christmas and may God bless you for supporting the work of SSCM Tree of Love.

For any questions, please contact: Hannah at 630-644-6777

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life."

John 3:16



The First Friday December 5th

Pierwszy Piątek Miesiąca!
5 Grudnia, 2025



7:00 AM
(English)

&

7:00 PM
MSZA ŚW.
(po polsku)

"I promise you, in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the first Friday for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance; they shall not die in my disgrace nor without receiving the sacraments; my divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in that last moment." — Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary

**"Kto dziewięć piątków odprawi jak trzeba,
nie umrze w grzechach, lecz pójdzie do nieba"**

Pierwsza środa miesiąca **3 GRUDNIA** Różaniec Rodziców za Dzieci



7PM:
Spowiedź
Adoracja
Różaniec
Msza Św.

Zapraszamy wszystkie RÓŻE RÓŻAŃCOWE
z Parafii SSCM w Lemont oraz wszystkich chętnych,
którzy chcieliby dołączyć do wspólnej modlitwy
za dzieci, dzieci chrzestne oraz za wnuków!

Nabożeństwo pięciu pierwszych sobót miesiąca! FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION!



MOTHER OF GOD: "Tell everyone that I promise to come to help with all favors at the hour of death to those who will make confession for five months on the first Saturdays, receive Holy Communion, pray one Rosary and for fifteen minutes of meditation on the fifteen mysteries of the Rosary will accompany me in intention to redress."

Our Lady, Fatima, December 10, 1925

December 6th

7:00 AM - English

7:00 PM - Polish



CHRISTMAS CONCERT

2025

**CHRIST WILL BE BORN
IN OUR HEARTS!**



DECEMBER 19TH at 7PM

HOSTED BY:

MIRA SOJKA-TOPOR
LUCIANO LAURENTIU AND FRIENDS

Klub Polski w Lemont

Niedziela, 7 grudnia
godz. 12pm po IVszy św.

Szczęść Boże, Dzieciaki!
Zapraszam Was wszystkich na spotkanie z
prawdziwym Świętym Mikołajem – czyli ze mną!
Będziemy mogli sobie porozmawiać,
a także otrzymacie prezenty!
Do zobaczenia!
Módlcie się do św. Mikołaja!

Klub Polski zaprasza wszystkich członków,
sympatyków oraz tych, którzy kochają
Polską Tradycję, Wiarę i Kulturę!

Zapraszamy Barbary, Basie i Górników!



**Drodzy Parafianie,**

Dzisiejszą Pierwszą Niedzielę Adwentu rozpoczynamy nowy rok liturgiczny. I na samym początku roku Chrystus w Ewangelii wzywa nas do czuwania, żeby nie przeoczyć czegoś bardzo ważnego.

Wielu może pomyśleć, że Jezus wzywa nas: Nie zapomnij o posprzątaniu domu na święta; nie zapomnij o choince; nie zapomnij o prezentach dla swoich bliskich...itd. Tego nie da się przeoczyć. Sklepy nie pozwolą nam zapomnieć o zakupach, o prezentach. Kolorowe, rozświetlone ozdoby świąteczne na ulicach, migające dekoracje świąteczne przy naszych domach nie pozwolą zapomnieć o świętach. Jednak zapomnieć możemy o tym po co to wszystko?

Kiedyś mamy zdać sprawę z tego co zrobiliśmy dobrego na tej ziemi, czy zasłużyliśmy na niebo, czy dobrze wykorzystaliśmy dany nam czas? Wielu z nas potrafi ciągle powtarzać: Jeszcze mam czas, na modlitwę, na Eucharystię, na czynienie dobra, na pomoc bliźniemu... jutro się wypowiadam, jutro się poprawię, jutro wynagrodzę krzywdy, jutro przeproszę kolegę.... Oby nie było za późno, obyśmy nie musieli się kiedyś wstydzić przed Bogiem, że zmarnowaliśmy czas i przespaliśmy wszystkie okazje do czynienia dobra.

Adwent to czas poukładania na nowo naszego życia, czas radosnego oczekiwania na świętowanie Bożego Narodzenia. Dziękujemy dzisiaj Chrystusowi, że pozwolił nam doczekać tego błogosławionego czasu, którym jest Adwent. On nas kocha. Pragnie zastać nas czuwającymi i gotowymi na spotkanie z Nim, na wieczne szczęście.

Dziękuję za ciągle wsparcie i hojność dla Parafii Św. Cyryla i Metodego. Życzę miłego tygodnia i niech Bóg błogosławi Was i Waszych najbliższych,
Ks. Waldemar

Kilka spraw z życia parafii:

- *Święto Dziękczynienia to dzień refleksji nad rzeczami, za które jesteśmy wdzięczni i dzielenia się tą wdzięcznością z innymi. Życzę Wam wszystkim ducha wdzięczności wobec Boga, a także i drugiego człowieka, który wnosi dobro w nasze życie.*
- *W weekend 7 i 8 grudnia druga kolekta będzie na rzecz naszej szkoły parafialnej. Prosimy o wsparcie w celu utrzymania wysokiego standardu szkoły SSCM.*
- *Prosimy o zapoznanie się z harmonogramem Mszy Świętych oraz Sakramentu Pojednania na czas Świąt Bożego Narodzenia w Parafii Świętych Cyryla i Metodego oraz Misji Św. Jakuba.*
- *W poniedziałek, 22 grudnia, Sakrament Pokuty i Pojednania będzie sprawowany w godz. 5:00–8:00 PM w kościele Świętych Cyryla i Metodego*
- *Oplatki są już dostępne na stolikach z tyłu kościoła. Prosimy o złożenie dobrowolnej ofiary za opłatki.*

Misje Święte Adwentowe **Celebrant: o. Paweł Pawlikowski**

niedziela, 7 grudnia: 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM,
2:00 PM

poniedziałek, 8 grudnia: 11:30 AM, 7:30 PM

wtorek, 9 grudnia: 11:30 AM, 7:00 PM

środa, 10 grudnia: 11:30 AM, 7:00 PM

Mass Intentions

Monday — December 1st

7:00 AM GOD'S BLESSINGS FOR GUZIOR FAMILY
GOD'S BLESSINGS & HEALTH FOR MOM
by Children
✠ LLOYD BAHNICK (Anniv.)
by Adeline
✠ DANUTA ORLOW

Tuesday — December 2nd

7:00 AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS LIVING & DECEASED
7:00 PM ✠ MARIA WONTORCZYK (Rocznica Śmierci)
by Wnuki
✠ TOMASZ SKOWRON (Rocznica Śmierci)
by Córka z Rodziną
✠ CZESŁAW ZAGRANICZNY
by Wnuki

Wednesday — December 3rd

7:00 AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS LIVING & DECEASED

Thursday — December 4th

7:00 AM ✠ JAN LESNICKI
by Family

Friday — December 5th (First Friday)

7:00 AM ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
✠ WILLIAM MANKOWSKI
by Robert Mankowski
✠ RICHARD STANLEY BROST
by Barrett Family
7:00 PM O BOŻE BŁ. I ZDROWIE DLA VANESSY (urodziny)

Fr. Valdi ✠ ALOJZY WONTORCZYK

by Rodzina Ligas

Saturday — December 6th (First Saturday)

7:00 AM MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
✠ JOSEPH TINOCO
by Tinoco Family
1:00 PM *Wedding: Molly Cann and Tyler Stuart*
3:00 PM *Wedding: Sheila Lawler and Zach Hoekstra*
5:00 PM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS LIVING & DECEASED

✠ TOM & GERI TREACY
by Treacy Family

✠ KENNETH GONSCH

by Harbison Family

9:00 PM ZA WSZYSTKICH PARAFIAN, ŻYJĄCYCH

Fr. Valdi I ZMARŁYCH

Sunday — December 7th (Second Week of Advent)

7:00 AM GOD'S BLESSINGS FOR GREGORY KEDZIOR
Fr. Noga by Mom

✠ SHARON CISEK

by Family

✠ STEFANIA & STANISLAW LESNICKI

by Family

8:00 AM W INT. PROŚB ZANOSZONYCH W KAPLICY

Fr. Valdi WIECZYSTEJ ADORACJI

O BOŻE BŁ. DLA ŻYJĄCYCH CZŁONKÓW KLUBU

POLSKIEGO

✠ MICHAŁ CYGAL

by Rodzice

✠ JÓZEF I WŁADYSŁAWA ZYCH

by Syn

9:30 AM ✠ RAY PERISIN

Fr. Noga by Family

✠ NORBERT & WANDA LESNIESKI

by Grandchildren

✠ LORETTA & FRANCIS KRAMER

by Ruth & Joseph Tomala

✠ TERRENCE A. PRASHUK

11:00 AM ✠ CZESŁAWA BOGUN

Fr. Valdi by Sophie Grele z Rodziną

O ZDROWIE I BOŻE BŁ. I DARY DUCHA ŚW. DLA
NATALIE OBROCHTA (13 urodziny)

by Rodzice

✠ ANIELA MRÓZ (4 Rocznica Śmierci)

by Rodzina

✠ MARIA RATUŁOWSKI

by H.M. Lesnicki

12:30 PM FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS IN OUR CHAPEL
INTENTION BOOK

✠ RICHARD STANLEY BROST

by Barrett Family

✠ FELIX ZACZEK (5 Anniv.)

by Family

✠ ANDRZEJ RYCHTARCZYK

by Wife & Children

2:00 PM ✠ MARIA CZERWIEN

Fr. Valdi by M.E. Fula

✠ ZA WSZYSTKIE DUSZE W CZYŚĆCU CIERPIĄCE

✠ ANDY, MARIA I HALINA WILCZEK

by F.M. Kowalczyk

✠ FRANCISZEK POLAK

by Żona z Rodziną

7:30 PM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS LIVING & DECEASED



*Blessed Sacrament Candle Intention
For Week of December 1st Through
December 7th ~Church*

✠ ZA DUSZĘ Ś.P. MICHAŁ CYGAL
(3 Rocznica Śmierci)

by Rodzice

Pray for ...

Please call the parish office if you
have a loved one you would like
our parish community to pray for.

William Podborny

Arthur Zelezinski

Amanda Wiskup

Tom Rup

Adam Kalata

Barbara Ager

Wendy Ivik

Mary Kay Nieponski

Ed Nieponski

Roger Laurella

Lorraine Malm

Candace Cavanaugh

John Wojciechowski

Adeline Bahnick

Judy

Marcia Nowak

Karen Plachy

Doug Fitz

Kassidy Heidegger

Cedomir Capic

Mike Laskowski

The name of an individual will stay on the prayer list for
two months. Please contact the parish office if you would
like to prolong the prayer request.

**Parish Contributions
November 15 & 16, 2025**

Envelopes	558	15,809.00
GiveCentral (11/10-11/16)	131	3,313.00
Total		\$19,122.00

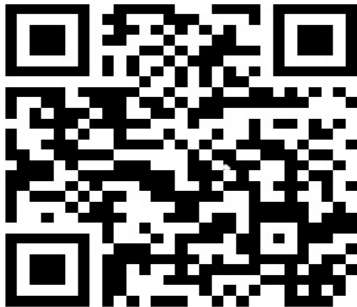
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Capt. Catherine R. Chappell, Pilot HC130, U.S. Air Force; **Frank Romanowski**, Army Combat Medic; **SPC Ryan Sherwood**; **PVT Robert Kyle O'Hare**, US Army; **Dominic Maiella**, US Marine Corps; **Jonathan Plonka**, US Air Force; **Matas Maleiska**, US Navy; **Cole Kowalczyk**, Army Specialist; **LT. Colonel Ken Hussey**, Army; **Lt. Jacob Halon**

*Please inform the parish office if there are any changes or additions to the above list.
Thank you.*

**Wedding Banns**

Julia Paul and Michael Smith

Welcome to Our Faith Family

**God Bless
Amelia Izabela**

**Baptized:
November 16, 2025
Parents:
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Luke 3:1-6

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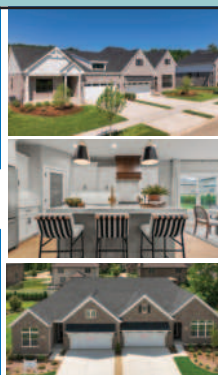
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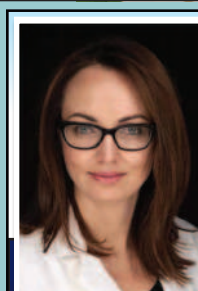
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