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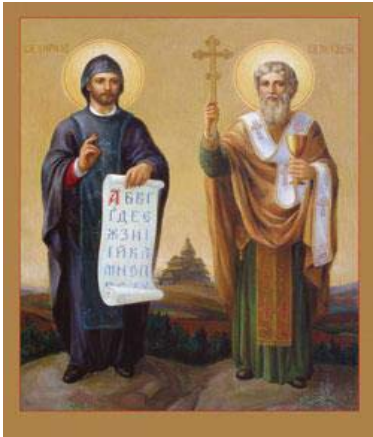
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### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Sts. Cyril and Methodius Roman Catholic Church is to nurture our community in love and selfless service to God and our neighbor under the protection of Sts. Cyril and Methodius, Blessed Virgin Mary and Holy Father John Paul II recognizing the Eucharist as the source of our Christian life.

### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

To be considered an active member of Sts. Cyril and Methodius Parish, every family and single adult must be registered at the Parish. Only this way the Parish can issue documents, e.g., a letter to be a Godparent or sponsor. If you would like to become a member of this Church, request the form, fill it out and bring it or mail it to the Parish Office, or place it in the collection basket.

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 pm (ENG)

Sunday 9:00 am (ENG), 10:30 am (POL)

Monday 9:00 am (POL)

Wednesday - Friday 6:30pm (POL)

Holy Days As Announced

### CONFESSION

Saturday 4:30 pm - 4:50 pm

First Friday of the Month 5:30 pm

### NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday - after Mass

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday 5:30 pm

### DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Fridays 6:00

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Celebrated during any Sunday Mass. Arrangement should be made by the registered parishioners. Parents need to attend one pre-Baptism class. Reservations for the class should be made by calling the Parish Office at least 2 weeks in advance of the Baptism. Godparents must be confirmed Catholics. One non-Catholic may be accepted as a Christian witness.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least one year in advance of the marriage date. Engaged couples should make an appointment to meet with the Pastor in the office to determine a date, discuss all the requirements for the marriage, and have it officially registered.

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Call 973-334-0139. Please state where the sick person is located (home or hospital).



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Saturday / Sobota - January 25, 2025

**5:00 pm** For God's blessing for Stacie and Martin Robbins on their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

### Sunday / Niedziela - January 26, 2025

**9:00 am** Cecelia Monocento

**10:30 am** O łaskę zdrowia i Bożą błogosławieństwo dla Rodziny Gryglak

### Monday / Poniedziałek - January 27, 2025

**9:00 am** +Edwardę Hawryło

### Wednesday / Środa - January 29, 2025

**6:30 pm**

### Thursday / Czwartek - January 30, 2025

**6:30 pm** People of Parish

### Friday / Piątek - January 31, 2025

**6:30 pm**

### Saturday / Sobota - February 1, 2025

**11:00 am** O błogosławieństwo Boże dla syna w dniu urodzin, o życie wieczne dla syna Damiana w dniu urodzin

**5:00 pm** + Piotr Zawadzki

### Sunday / Niedziela - February 2, 2025

**9:00 am** +Sophie Sosnowski

**10:30 am** + Antoni, Katarzyna, Jan, Bronisław Łoś



**PRAY**  
FOR THE SICK

### PRAY FOR THE SICK / MÓDLMY SIĘ ZA CHORYCH:

Teresa Kobylńska

Jerzy Tupaczewski

Joseph Čarnogursky

Grzegorz Michalski

Mrs. Breezy Higa and Aya Peron, req. by Cesar Higa

Fr. Łukasz's Mother

Frank Barlak

Bożena Zygmunt

### CALENDAR / KALENDARZ:

Sat., Jan 25	4:40 pm 5:00 pm	Confession / Spowiedź (ENG/POL) Vigil Mass (ENG)
Sun., Jan 26	9:00 am 10:30 am	Mass (ENG) Mass (POL)
Mon., Jan 27	9:00 am	Mass (POL)
Tue., Jan 28		<b>NO MASS</b>
Wed., Jan 29	6:30 pm	Mass (POL) Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help / Nowenna do Matki Bożej Nieustającej Pomocy (POL)
Thu., Jan 30	5:30 pm 6:30 pm	Adoracja Najświętszego Sakramentu Mass (POL)
Fri., Jan 31	6:00 pm 6:30 pm	Nabożeństwo do Miłosierdzia Bożego Mass (POL)
Sat., Feb 1	10:00 am  11:00 am 4:30 pm 5:00 pm	<b>Nabożeństwo Pierwszej soboty</b> First Saturday Devotion Mass (POL) Confession / Spowiedź (ENG/POL) Vigil Mass (ENG)
Sun., Feb 2	9:00 am 10:30 am	Mass (ENG) Mass (POL)

### SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEK

The second collection this week is for expenses related to organizing the church renovation.

### DRUGA TACA W TYM TYGODNIU

Druga taca w tym tygodniu jest przeznaczona na remont kościoła

The previous week's collection will be presented in the next week.

Kolekta z poprzedniego tygodnia zostanie opublikowana w następnym tygodniu.



*The first Saturday of the month*  
*Pierwsza sobota miesiąca*

Rozpoczynamy w naszej Parafii  
Nabożeństwo Pierwszych Sobót

Miesiąca. Co miesiąc o godzinie 10

rozpoczniemy Nabożeństwo ku czci Niepokalanego  
Serca Maryi wystawieniem Najświętszego Sakramentu.  
Będziemy modlili się na różańcu odmawiając jedną  
część różańca. Będzie możliwość skorzystania z  
Sakramentu Spowiedzi.

O godz 11 rozpoczniemy Mszę Św ku czci Matki Bożej,  
którą zakończymy sobotnie nabożeństwo.

Serdecznie zachęcamy do odprawienia 5 pierwszych  
sobót miesiąca. Maryja obiecuje nam:

Istotą tego nabożeństwa jest wynagrodzenie za grzechy  
popelnione przeciwko Niepokalanemu Sercu  
Najświętszej Maryi Panny. Obrażają one Boga i Jej  
Niepokalane Serce, są pogardą wobec Bożej miłości  
oraz powodem piekielnych męk ludzi, za których umarł  
Jej Syn. Pragnie Ona ocalić jak najwięcej osób, dlatego  
przychodzi, aby ostrzec przed konsekwencjami  
grzechu, aby ocalić grzeszników od piekła, aby skłonić  
ich do nawrócenia. Maryja chce naszego zaangażowania  
w tę misję.

Matka Boża obiecuje

W godzinę śmierci obiecuję przyjść na pomoc z łaskami  
potrzebnymi do zbawienia tym, którzy przez pięć  
miesięcy w pierwsze soboty odprawia spowiedź,  
przyjmą Komunię św., odmówią jeden różaniec i przez  
piętnaście minut rozmyślenia nad piętnastu  
tajemnicami różańcowymi towarzyszyć mi będą w  
intencji zadośćuczynienia.

Aby odprawić dobrze pięć pierwszych sobót miesiąca  
musimy:

1. w pierwsze soboty miesiąca( jeśli mamy grzech ciężki śmiertelny) przystąpić do spowiedzi z intencją wynagrodzenia za grzechy popelnione przeciw Niepokalanemu Sercu Maryi. Można także skorzystać z łaski sakramentu pojednania wcześniej, byleby w tym dniu być w stanie łaski uświęcającej, bez grzechu ciężkiego;
2. przyjmą Komunię Św. w pięć pierwszych sobót miesiąca w powyższej intencji;
3. odmówić pięć tajemnic różańcowych( jedna tajemnica w każdą sobotę)
4. przez piętnaście minut rozważać tajemnice różańcowe ofiarując tę medytację w wymienionej intencji



*The first Saturday of the month*  
*Pierwsza sobota miesiąca*

We are starting the First Saturday  
Devotion in our Parish. Every month at  
10 am we will begin the Devotion in

honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary with the  
exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. We will pray the  
rosary, reciting one part of the rosary. There will be an  
opportunity to take advantage of the Sacrament of  
Confession.

At 11 am we will begin the Holy Mass in honor of the  
Mother of God, which we will end the Saturday  
devotion.

We cordially encourage you to celebrate the 5 first  
Saturdays of the month. Mary promises us:

The essence of this devotion is to make reparation for  
the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary. They offend God and her  
Immaculate Heart, sins show contempt for God's love  
and are the reason for the hellish torments of people for  
whom her Son died. Mary wants to save as many people  
as possible, that is why she comes to warn about the  
consequences of sin, to save sinners from hell, and to  
persuade them to convert. Mary wants our involvement  
in this mission.

The Mother of God promises:

At the hour of death, I promise to come to aid, with the  
graces necessary for salvation, those who for five  
months on the first Saturdays will make confession,  
receive Holy Communion, recite one rosary and  
meditate for fifteen minutes on the fifteen mysteries of  
the rosary, and will accompany me with the intention of  
making reparation.

To make good the five first Saturdays of the month we  
must:

1. On five first Saturdays of the month (if we have a serious mortal sin) go to confession with the intention of making reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. You can also take advantage of the grace of the sacrament of reconciliation earlier in the week, as long as on that Saturday you are still in a state of sanctifying grace, without serious sin.
2. Receive Holy Communion on the five first Saturdays of the month for the above intention
3. Recite five mysteries of the Rosary
4. Meditate on the mysteries of the rosary for fifteen minutes, offering this meditation for the reparation of sins.

## The first Friday of the month

### Pierwszy Piątek miesiąca

W tym tygodniu przypada pierwszy piątek miesiąca. Zachęcamy wszystkich, szczególnie dzieci do pełnego uczestnictwa w Mszy świętej przez 9 kolejnych pierwszych piątków miesiąca. Jak co miesiąc będziemy adorować Pana Jezusa w Najświętszym Sakramencie. Będzie również okazja do skorzystania z sakramentu spowiedzi o godz 5:30.



This week is the first Friday of the month. We encourage everyone, especially children, to fully participate in Holy Mass for 9 consecutive first Fridays of the month. As every first Friday of the month, we will adore the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. There will also be an opportunity for confession at 5:30.



Zapraszamy na Nowennę do Matki Bożej Nieustającej Pomocy w każdą środę po wieczornej Mszy św. Zachęcamy do wypisywania prośb i podziękowań do Matki Bożej, które będą czytane podczas nowenny. Prośby podziękowania można wrzucać do skrzynki na ofiary z tyłu kościoła lub przynieść do zakrystii.



Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help is celebrated every Wednesday after the evening Mass. We encourage you to participate in the novena and to write requests and thanks to Our Lady, which will be read during the novena. Requests of thanks can be placed in the basket with the offering or brought to the sacristy

*Nabożeństwo do Miłosierdzia  
Bożego w naszym kościele w  
każdy piątek o godz 6:00 pm  
Serdecznie zapraszamy.*



**We invite you for Divine Mercy  
Novena in our church every  
Friday at 6:00 pm.**

Wystawienie Najświętszego Sakramentu w naszym kościele w każdy czwartek od godz. 5:30. Serdecznie zachęcamy do adorowania Pana Jezusa, który czeka na nas z wieloma łaskami, którymi chce nas obdarowywać. Podczas adoracji jest okazja do spowiedzi.

„Niech wspólnoty parafialne podejmą szczególne zobowiązanie do adoracji eucharystycznej poza Mszą św. Pozostawajmy długo na klęczkach przed Jezusem Chrystusem obecnym w Eucharystii, wynagradzając naszą wiarą i miłością zaniedbania, zapomnienie, a nawet zniewagi, jakich nasz Zbawiciel doznaje w tylu miejscach na świecie.” (Jan Paweł II)



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in our church is every Thursday at 5:30. We cordially encourage you to adore the Lord Jesus, who is waiting for us with many graces that he wants to give us. There is an opportunity to confess during adoration.

“Let parish communities make a special commitment to Eucharistic adoration outside of Holy Mass. Let us remain on our knees for a long time before Jesus Christ presents in the Eucharist, making up for the neglect, forgetfulness and even insults that our Savior suffers in so many places in the world with our faith and love. (Pope John Paul II)

Za tydzień po Mszy św. O godz 10:30 odbędzie się zmiana tajemnic różańcowych Apostolatu Żywego Różańca. Prosimy o pozostanie po Mszy Św. Wszystkich obecnych, którzy należą do Apostolatu.

Next Sunday, after the Holy Mass at 10:30. will be a change of rosary mysteries of the Apostolate of the Living Rosary. Please stay after Mass all those present belong to the Apostolate.

*We wish our dear parishioners and guests God's blessing for the upcoming week.*

*Naszym Drogim Parafianom i Gościom życzymy Bożego błogosławieństwa na rozpoczynający się tydzień.*





Dear Parishioners,

I would like to thank you all for everything you do for our Parish. Over the past two years, we have completed many important projects. We fully restored the organ, repaired part of the church roof, completely renovated the church hall, three bathrooms, the kitchen, and the main entrance doors. We also installed new siding and stucco to the exterior and a brand new HVAC system with high efficiency air conditioning. Without your help and your kind hearts, this would never have been possible!

However, we still have a lot of work ahead of us. Our current priority is to renovate the school building, including repairing the roof, gymnasium, replacing windows and doors, and renovating the bathrooms and classrooms. Doing so will enable us to secure a steady monthly income via a reliable tenant.

We also hope to continue renovations in our church, including updating the sacristy and the church interior, and repairing the stairs and sidewalks in front of the church.

In order to achieve all of these goals, I must ask once again for your help. We have started a fundraiser, on the GoFundMe website.

We hope to collect \$200,000 over the course of a year. To support our church, please visit the parish Facebook page where you can find a link to our fundraiser or you can search it directly on the GoFundMe website.

I would like to kindly ask for your help, not only in the form of a donation, in any amount, but also and perhaps above all to disseminate our fundraiser on various social media among your family, friends and acquaintances.

I thank you all from the bottom of my heart. I believe that we will manage to collect the designated amount to beautify our church and so that the love and mercy of the Lord God will be proclaimed in it for many years to come! So that Polish children can pray in the language of their grandparents and so that Polish faith and traditions, and especially Polish Marian spirituality, love for Our Lady of Częstochowa, who reigns in our church, will never cease!

May God bless you for your generosity!

Sincerely,

Fr. Łukasz

Link: <https://gofund.me/e91af72f> QR Code:



## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**“He came to Nazareth, where he had grown up, and went according to his custom into the synagogue on the sabbath day. He stood up to read and was handed a scroll of the prophet Isaiah. He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written: ‘The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.’”**

We meet Saint Luke describing the good news of the gospel, tracing the life of Jesus from the beginning of His ministry. The homecoming of Jesus, His return, finds Him using Isaiah to reveal His ministry and mission. Look again at special words: anointed, sent to proclaim liberty, to open eyes, and assure freedom for those unjustly burdened as hostages or those caught in the many addictions which control us. The needs of His day are perhaps even greater today.

We are celebrating a jubilee year, a year of hope in a tested world. May we see the mission of Jesus to be our task, the mission of the church in 2025.

### HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

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A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON  
THE SUNDAY READINGS



**GO AND SPREAD THE  
GOOD NEWS!**

After being anointed by the power of The Holy Spirit at His Baptism, Jesus went to His hometown of Nazareth and read from the scroll of the prophet Isaiah. Then Jesus told the people in the synagogue that by His reading, the scripture is fulfilled—made real.

**“Today this scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.”**

LUKE 4:21

Jesus had many followers and believers. Among them were the poor, captives, blind and oppressed.

## Prophet Isaiah

“The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord is upon me,  
because He has \_\_\_\_\_ me to  
bring glad tidings to the \_\_\_\_\_. He has sent me  
to proclaim liberty to \_\_\_\_\_  
and recovery of sight to the \_\_\_\_\_, and  
let the \_\_\_\_\_ go free,  
and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.”

Luke 4:18-19

The words of the prophet  
Isaiah were talking about  
the works of...

a) Luke b) Jesus c) Isaiah



Fill in the blanks with the  
**bolded**, underlined words.  
The answers are in today's  
Gospel reading.

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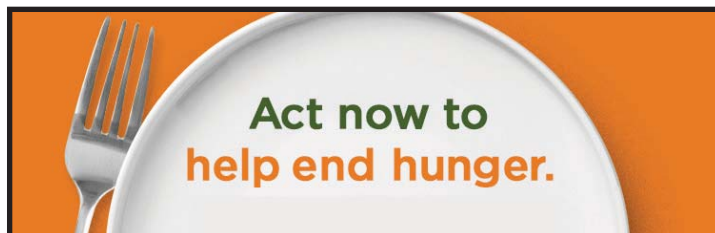
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