



FEBRUARY 5, 2017
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Thomas Becket

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 9:00am & 12:30pm

7:30am & 10:45am Polish

Weekdays: 9:00am Mass: Monday,
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
Friday—7:00pm Mass in Polish

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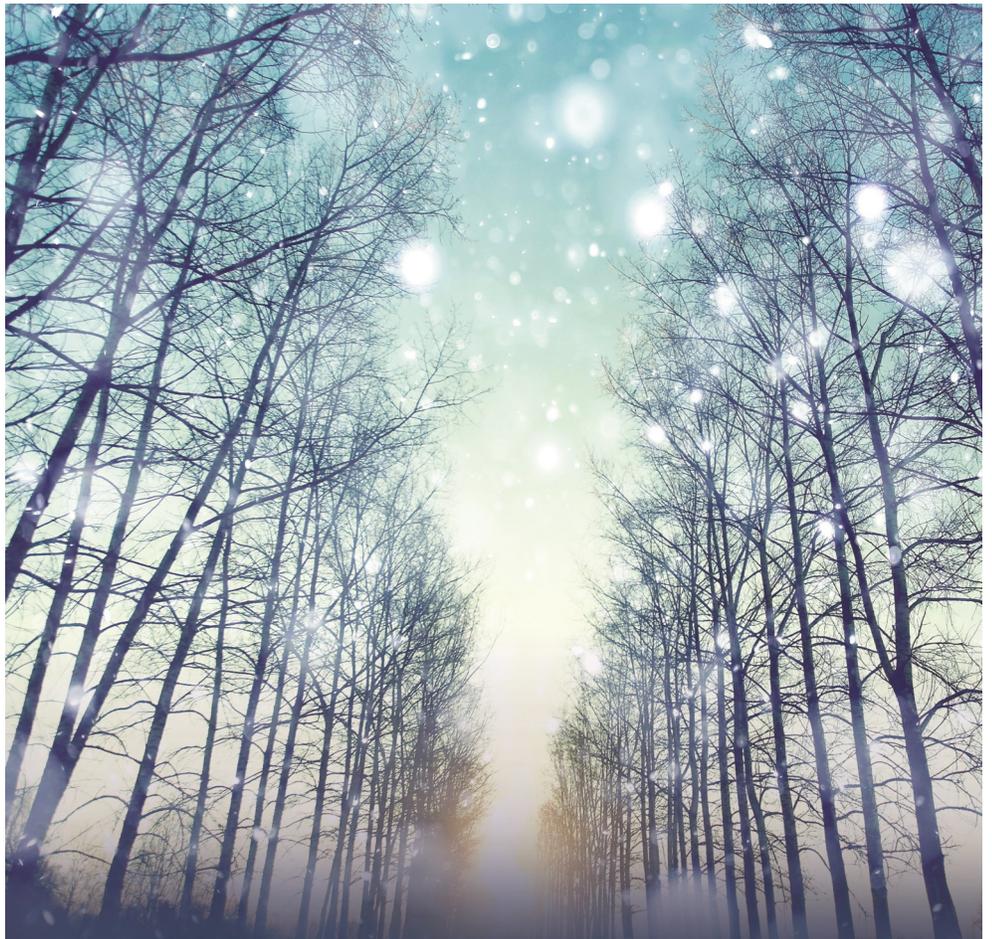
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5th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

“Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see
your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father.” —Mt 5:16

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**** Super Bowl Party ****

February 5, 2017 - doors open at 4:00 pm

15 squares to sell, then we can pick the numbers, so please buy!

Raffle items are: **Chicago Blackhawk four tickets value \$150 each, Chicago Bulls six tickets value \$130 each, Union Ale House, Sport lamps by Giveitalight, Chicago Wolves hockey tickets, Lou Malnati's, Cubs Playoff framed pictures, Blackhawk 2015 Stanley Cup winning home game framed pictures, Bob Chinn's, Wa-Pa-Ghetti's, Rob Roy foursome golf with cart, Johnny's Kitchen and Tap, Marco's pizza, golf items and putter, Salerno's Restaurant and more to come.**

Free LA Fitness pass for the first 120 people to the Super Bowl Party.

For only \$50 a square (allows 2 adults, only \$25 per person) a chance to win \$1000 final score and \$200 on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters (winners need not be present) in the Parish Hall Super Bowl Sunday for adults (21+). Enjoy all you can eat appetizers (pizza, Italian meat balls, spicy chicken wings, and various tasty snacks), OPEN bar refreshments, and a half-time hot buffet, Italian beef, chicken, salads, vegetables, roasted potatoes and all kinds of other stuff. There will be large screen TV's, games, and raffles.

Call Ken Vacura (847-699-1405).

*Klub Mężczyzn serdecznie zaprasza wszystkich na coroczne **Super Bowl Party**, które odbędą się dzisiaj, 5-go lutego, w naszej sali parafialnej.*

*Bilety w cenie \$50—dla dwóch dorosłych osób - można zakupić po Mszy Św. Bilet zapewnia pyszny posiłek, przekąski i otwarty bar jak również szansę wygrania głównej nagrody **\$1,000 oraz \$200 po 1, 2 i 3 kwartale meczu** (zwycięzca nie musi być obecny). Także do wygrania wiele innych cennych nagród wymienionych powyżej.*

Parish Staff, Parish Pastoral Council and the Finance Committee
cordially invite all parishioners and guests to a parish fundraiser

VALENTINE'S DAY DANCE

FEBRUARY 11, 2017 – 7pm to 12am Live music provided by the **RANGER'S BAND.**

Kitchen stocked with great food, cash bar and some surprises too.
Adults 21+ only. Tickets—\$20 per person—are available at the parish office
as well as after all Masses on this last weekend February 5.

**Special Discounted Price For Food and Bar Tickets:
\$25 buys you \$30 worth of tickets during the dance.**

This offer is valid only on the above listed weekends – these tickets are NOT refundable.

Pracownicy Parafialni, Rada Parafialna i Komitet od Spraw
Finansowych serdecznie zapraszają wszystkich parafian i gości na

WALENTYNKOWĄ ZABAWĘ

11 luty, 2017 - 7pm do 12am **Bawić nas będzie zespół RANGERS BAND.**

Kuchnia obficie zaopatrzona, cash bar i niespodzianki. Zabawa tylko dla dorosłych 21+.

Bilety w cenie \$20 od osoby są dostępne w biurze parafialnym lub po Mszach Św.

W ten weekend. **Specjalna Zniżona Cena na Kupony Żywnościowe:**

kupony wartości \$30 będą dostępne w cenie \$25 do 5-go lutego. Kupony żywnościowe
sprzedawane są bez możliwości dokonania zwrotu.

KITCHEN MENU:

SINGLE SERVING OF POLISH SAUSAGE—*kielbasa*—\$4

CHICKEN BBQ DRUMSTICK—*kurza nóżka*—\$1

2 POTATOE CUPCAKES—2 *babeczki ziemniaczane*—\$1

PLATE OF 10 SANDWICHES—10 *kanapek*—\$10

PLATE OF 10 PCS OF CAKE—10 *ciastek*—\$10

CUP OF WHITE BARSZCZ—*barszcz biały*—\$1

COFFEE / TEA / WATER —*kawa, herbata, woda*,—\$1

BAR MENU:

BOTTLE OF FINLANDIA + SODA—\$35

BOTTLE OF STERLING + SODA—\$35

BOTTLE OF JOHNNY WALKER + SODA—\$35

BOTTLE OF WINE—\$20 GLASS OF WINE—\$4

CRANBERRY OR ORANGE JUICE—\$4

SODA-2 L :(:7-UP, COKE, DIET COKE, TONIC)—\$4

DRINK—\$4

BEER—\$4



ZAMYŚLENIE NAD EWANGELIĄ

W czytaniach Ewangelii z ubiegłej niedzieli słyszeliśmy Jezusa zwracającego się do Jego uczniów w słynnym Kazaniu na Górze. Każde z wymienionych w tym kazaniu błogosławieństw zaprasza nas do przeżywania naszego życia w prawości i w oparciu na głębokiej wierze i zaufaniu Bogu. Taka postawa, zapewnia nas Jezus, obdarzy nas szczęściem i pokojem.

Dzisiejszy urywek Ewangelii usytuowany jest natychmiast po Kazaniu na Górze i stanowi niejako kontynuację tematów podjętych w Błogosławieństwach. W dzisiejszym czytaniu Jezus uczy nas jak być Jego naśladowcami. Wyjaśniając zadania uczniów posługuje się krótkimi przypowieściami, które (w zależności od tego, jaką wiedzę posiadamy na temat starożytnej symboliki) mogą, lub nie, być trudne do zrozumienia. Soli, w czasach Jezusa, przypisywano trzy szczególne cechy: czystość, ochrona przeciwko korupcji (zniszczeniu) oraz jako wzmacniacz podnoszący smak. Światło natomiast było i nadal jest postrzegane jako uniwersalny obraz wyrażający dobroć. Zadaniem obydwu elementów jest przeobrażenie stanu czegoś na lepsze. Sól nadaje smak, zmieniając na przykład mdłe jedzenie w smaczne pożywienie natomiast światło rozprasza ciemność i pozwala nam wyraźnie zobaczyć nasze środowisko, zapobiegając w ten sposób wykonywaniu chaotycznych czy ryzykownych ruchów.

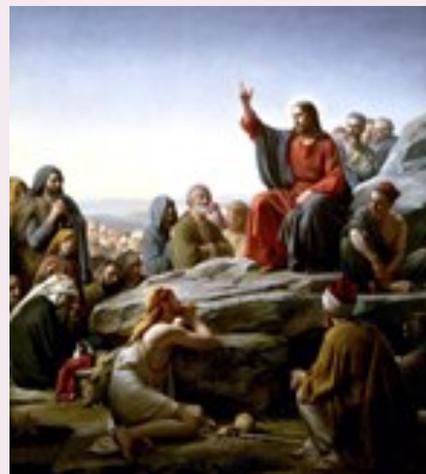
Warto zauważyć, że w dzisiejszym fragmencie Jezus nie mówi uczniom, że mają stać się solą ziemi i światłością świata. Mówi im, **że są solą ziemi, że są światłem świata**. Co to znaczy? Jezus rozpoczyna nauczanie od stwierdzenia, że uczniowie są dobrymi ludźmi, że posiadają zdolność do wzmocnienia piękna naszego świata; posiadają już w sobie zdolność bycia światłem dla kogoś kto pogrążony jest w ciemności. Natychmiast jednak, już w następnym zdaniu Jezus ostrzega przykładem zwiędłej soli, że zdolności te, jeśli zostaną zignorowane to nieuchronnie ulegną szybkiemu wyniszczeniu, tworząc w efekcie z uczniów Jezusa takich mdłych, nijakich - z nazwy tylko - Chrześcijań.

Co więc powinniśmy czynić by nie stać się elementem zdatnym tylko do wyrzucenia? Jak uniknąć znalezienia się w tak fatalnym stanie? Wróćmy do dzisiejszego pierwszego czytania z księgi proroka Izajasza (Iz 58, 7-10) i zobaczymy czy jest tam dla nas jakaś rada. Prorok, na rozkaz Boga, mówi:

"dziel swój chleb z głodnym, wprowadź w dom biednych tułaczy, nagiego przyodziej, nie odwracaj się od współziomka, usuń jarzmo, nie groź palcem i przestań wygłaszać fałszywe oskarżenia i złośliwe mowy, nakarm duszę przygnębiającą.... – wtedy to zabłyśnie twe światło..." A więc - jest sposób.

Bo tylko wtedy, gdy podejmiemy wyzwania zawarte w Błogosławieństwach, gdy z odwagą stawimy czoła uciskom, gdy zdecydujemy się obdarzać miłosierdziem, gdy w pełni i z zaufaniem powierzmy się naszemu Bogu – wtedy to zachowamy cechy soli i będziemy światłem rozpraszającym ciemność. Tylko wtedy możemy okazać się żywym, praktycznym, może nawet na tyle atrakcyjnym przykładem chrześcijańskich wartości, że zdolnym do pociągnięcia także innych do pójścia za Chrystusem.

Z pozdrowieniem w Chrystusie, *Krystyna Maciorowski*



PARISH HOSPITALITY Please join next Sunday, February 11th after the 7:30am, 9am and 10:45am morning Masses for coffee, treats and friendly conversation.



Zapraszamy do sali parafialnej w następny weekend po porannych Mszach Św. o godz. 7:30am, 9am i 10:45am na towarzyskie spotkanie przy kawie i ciastku.

Serdecznie DZIĘKUJEMY wszystkim, którzy przynoszą różnego rodzaju smakołyki na nasze miesięczne poczęstunki! Jesteśmy wdzięczni i dumni z naszych hojnych parafian.



GOSPEL REFLECTION

In the Gospel Reading of last Sunday we heard Jesus addressing His disciples with the famous Sermon on the Mount, the Beatitudes. Each of the Beatitudes invites us to live our lives with faith and integrity, promising in turn, peace and happiness.

Today's Gospel passage follows immediately that sermon and is, so to speak, a continuation of the Beatitudes' theme. Jesus instructs us on how to be His followers. He uses a couple of short parables that (depending on how knowledgeable we are with ancient symbolism) may or may not be difficult to discern. Salt in the time of Jesus was connected with three special qualities: purity, preservation from corruption, and giving flavor. Light, of course, was and still is a universal image of goodness. Both agents provide change for the better. Salt gives flavor, changing bland food into tasty sustenance and light dispels darkness enabling us to have a clear visibility of our environment, thus preventing chaotic and risky movements.

It is worth noting that in today's passage Jesus is not telling the disciples they have to become the salt of the earth or the light of the world. He tells them **they are the salt of the earth**, as well as *the light of the world*. What does that mean? Jesus starts his instruction by telling His disciples that they are a good people, that they already have in themselves the ability to intensify the beauty of the world; they possess the ability to be a light to someone in need. However, in the next sentence He utters a warning that this can quickly vanish if the disciples fail to act upon these good qualities. They merely will become bland, lifeless – in name only - Christians.

How can we prevent this sorry state of insipidness from befalling us? Let's go back to the First Reading from the prophet Isaiah who says: *"share your bread with the hungry, shelter the oppressed and the homeless, clothe the naked, do not turn your back on your own, remove from your midst oppression, false accusation and malicious speech...then your light will shine."* That is how! For it is only when we answer Jesus' advice to be courageous when oppressed, when we decide to be merciful and poor in spirit, that is when we are allowing our light to shine. Only then we are able to keep the saltiness. Only then we can become a living, practical example of Christian values. Who knows, as such, we can even inspire someone to become a follower of Christ as well.

Have a blessed week! *Krystyna Maciorowski*

BIBLE STUDY— on the book of Matthew, which is the Gospel that is read during the 2017 church year continues this week. **Morning sessions**, led by Krystyna Maciorowski are on Tuesdays **at 9: 45am** and will conclude on Tuesday, February 14, 2017. **Evening sessions**, led by Deacon Tony, start on **January 31st at 7pm** and conclude on February 21, 2017. Both, the morning and evening sessions will be of the same content, both will be in English, though Polish parishioners are welcome. Krystyna will cover the background and history of Matthew's Gospel, which will make it easier to appreciate and understand the gospel each Sunday. The study will continue on Tuesdays for four weeks and could continue after Lent with a more in depth study of Matthew using Jeff Cavin's video series. Make a resolution to grow your faith in 2017 by attending the series.

Friends and neighbors are welcome!

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December 27, 2016

St. Thomas Becket^k Parish
Father Chris Kulig
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Dear Fr. Kulig,

Thank you for St. Thomas' donation of 250 pounds of food items for the food pantry at the Catholic Charities office in Des Plaines. Your parish's generosity helps us help families in need.

An estimated 800,000 people in Cook County live in "food insecure" households, meaning they may not know how they're going to put dinner on the table tonight, or buy groceries next week. Tens of thousands of those people live in the northwest suburbs, where as many as 1 in 8 families are food insecure.

That's why the food pantry at our Northwest Regional office is so important. We provide canned and dry goods, fresh fruit and vegetables, meat, bread, eggs and dairy products to nearly 5,500 households with 20,000 residents every year. Each household gets a four-day supply of food, meaning we distribute nearly 240,000 meals per year. We couldn't do it without the support of donors like you.

Founded in 1917, Catholic Charities helps more than 1 million people a year from all denominations. We operate 150 programs at 164 sites offering food, clothing, shelter, and a comprehensive network of services. We also are strong stewards of funding, with 92 cents of every dollar we raise going directly to programs.

Thank you again for your donation. With your help, we can fight hunger in our communities.

Regards,

Michael J. Waters

Thank you, St. Thomas Becket!

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Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago
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POZWÓL SOBIE POMÓC!

Duszpasterstwo Imigranci-Imigrantom działające przy Archidiecezji Chicago zaprasza osoby o niskich dochodach (obywateli Stanów Zjednoczonych, posiadaczy zielonej karty oraz osoby nieudokumentowane) na spotkanie, które odbędzie się w sali parafialnej w niedzielę, **26 lutego 2017 r. o godz. 12pm**. Specjaliści d/s podatkowych pomogą **BEZPŁATNIE** wypełnić roczne rozliczenie podatkowe oraz udzielą informacji na temat uzyskania numeru podatkowego **ITIN** - potrzebnego do rozliczenia podatkowego.

Na spotkanie proszę przynieść: z 2016 roku—Formy W2, formularze 1099 z banków i instytucji finansowych, IRA dystrybucje, podatki za dom oraz zaświadczenia z banku o tzw. mortgage, ofiary na cele charytatywne, karty social security (wszystkich członków rodziny), numer podatkowy ITIN oraz kopię rozliczenia podatkowego za 2015 rok. Więcej informacji o Duszpasterstwie i spotkaniu: Małgorzata Antoniak: 874.917.0422.

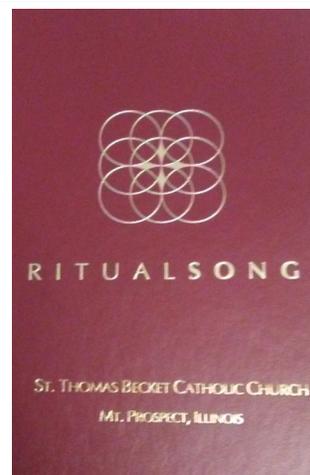
After over 15 years of use and due to the changes in the Order of Mass, St. Thomas Becket must replace our current hymnals. We are in need of 400 hymnals for our parish and hope to raise the money to help cover some of the costs.

Each hymnal is valued at approximately \$20; however, we are only requesting a \$10 donation and you can donate for as many hymnals as you like. You can dedicate each donation to the memory of a loved one or in honor of your family or friends. Donor badge with details from each donation will be placed inside the hymnals.

Your generosity and commitment to our Music Program at St. Thomas Becket is vital to our success, and anything you can give toward the purchase of our new hymnals will be greatly appreciated. Please send your donations by March 1st via the mail, collection basket, or drop them off at the parish office.

Thank you for considering a donation toward the purchase of our new hymnals. If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact me at kzeronik@stbmp.org.

Again, thank you for support and generosity.
Kraig Zeronik—Associate Director of Music



NEW HYMNALS

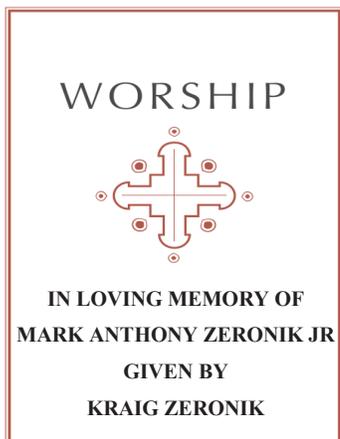
Hymnal Donation Form

Please detach and return to the parish office by March 1st, 2017

Given By _____

Phone Number _____

In Loving Memory of _____



| | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday |
|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Date | Jan 26 | Jan 27 | Jan 28 | Jan 29 | Jan 30 | Jan 31 | Feb 1 |
| Winning Number | 464 | 221 | 100 | 369 | 056 | 495 | 249 |
| Prize Amount | \$25 | \$25 | \$25 | \$50 | \$25 | \$25 | \$25 |



**COMING UP
THIS WEEK**

Sunday, February 5, 2017

9:30am Baptismal Prep (P)
 11:45am H.S. Confirmation Class
 2pm Baptism
 4pm Super Bowl Party
 MANNA—turn in your orders
 Valentine's Day Dance ticket sale

Monday, February 6, 2017

Tuesday, February 7, 2017

9:45am Bible Study (E)
 7pm Bible Study (E)

Wednesday, February 8, 2017

7pm Choir

Thursday, February 9, 2017

6:30pm SPRED
 7pm First Reconciliation Church Tour

Friday, February 10, 2017

7pm Mass (P)

Saturday, February 11, 2017

7pm-12am Valentine's Day Dance
 MANNA—pick up your orders

Sunday, February 12, 2017

HOSPITALITY
 12:30pm Family Mass
 2pm Baptism (E)
 MANNA—pick up your orders

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR FEB 11/12

| <i>MASS TIME</i> | <i>PRESIDER</i> | <i>MUSIC/CANTOR</i> | <i>LECTOR</i> | <i>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</i> | <i>SACRISTAN</i> |
|------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------|--|------------------|
| 4:30pm | Rev. Chris Ciaston | Paula K. Linda K. | Laura T. | Fran G. Marie V. Joe C. Deb H. Mira L. | Lee M. |
| 7:30am | Rev. Chris Kulig | Adam W. | Jozefa K. | Anna C. Roman P. Adam S. Halina S. | Dariusz B. |
| 9:00am | Rev. John Roller | Paula K. Val G. | Lorry N. | Pat R. Edyta W. Kathy S. Gail M. Lorry N. | Joanna K. |
| 10:45am | Rev. Chris Kulig | Adam W. | Wojciech G. | Wojciech G. Malgorzata P. Halina W. Antonina S. Agnieszka A. | Jadwiga G. |
| 12:30pm | Rev. Chris Ciaston | Paula K. Val G. | Darlene M. | Helen B. Gail L. John W. | Bogdan Z. |

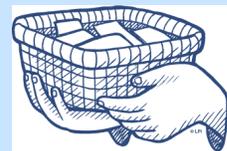
**TO TECH WHO
CHRIST IS
Parish Capitol Campaign**

Parish Goal— \$615,000 As of: Feb 1, 2017
Total Pledged: \$643,262
Percent of Goal: 105%

GOD BLESS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY
BÓG ZAŁĄĆ ZA HOJNOŚĆ!

SUNDAY OFFERING / KOLEKTA

| | | |
|------------------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| Each Sunday Budget | \$ 7,700 | Attendance at Liturgies— 1,625 |
| January 29 | \$ 6,034 | |
| RE collection | \$ 1,255 | |
| Jan E-Giving | \$ 4,130 | |
| YTD Budget | \$ 235,228 | |
| YTD Actual Collections | \$ 236,975 | |
| # of Envelopes Sent | 501 | |
| # of Envelopes Used | 256 | |



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READINGS OF THE WEEK



Readings for the Week of February 5
Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-9/1
Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16
Monday: Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6,
10, 12, 24, 35c/Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: Gn 1:20--2:4a/Ps 8:4-9/
Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/
Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30/Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-5/
Mk 7:24-30
Friday: Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5-7/
Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2-4abc,
5-6, 12-13/Mk 8:1-10
Next Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2,
4-5, 17-18, 33-34/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt
5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37
Observances for the Week of February 5
Sunday: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Day for Consecrated Life
Monday: St. Paul Miki and Companions,
Martyrs
Wednesday: St. Jerome Emiliani;
St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin
Friday: St. Scholastica, Virgin
Saturday: Our Lady of Lourdes; World
Day of the Sick
Next Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary
Time; World Marriage Day

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Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/
Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Thursday 8:00am - 2:00pm
Saturday 9:00am - 3:00pm
Sunday Closed

INFORMACJE PARAFIALNE

Parafia Świętego Tomasza Becketa
zaprasza całą wspólnotę polskojęzyczną
do wspólnej modlitwy i nabożeństw.

Msze Św. w jęz. polskim—niedziela:

7:30am i 10:45am piątek: 7:00pm

w jęz. angielskim—sobota: 4:30pm

niedziela: 9:00am i 12:30pm

Parish Mission Statement

*We, the parish family of St. Thomas Becket,
are a community of believers united in Christ,
who dedicate ourselves to proclaim the Good
News and foster a sense of belonging.*

*As we gather together in prayer and worship,
we draw our nourishment from His word
and the Bread of His Table.*

*With shared responsibility we go forth to serve
and affirm our sisters and brothers.*

*Guided by the Holy Spirit,
we strive to build the Kingdom of God
within and beyond our parish.*

*My, Parafia Świętego Tomasza Becketa,
jesteśmy wspólnotą wiernych zjednoczonych
w Chrystusie, którzy troszczymy się o Bożę
dziedziczość i z oddaniem głosimy Dobrą
Nowinę. We wspólnym gromadzeniu się
i modlitwie, karmimy się Jego Słowem
i Chlebem z Jego Stołu.*

*Z poczuciem wspólnego obowiązku podążamy
w służbie naszym braciom
i siostram. Pod przewodnictwem Ducha
Świętego dążymy do budowania Królestwa
Bożego wewnątrz i poza naszą parafią.*



Sunday, February 5, 2017

7:30am †Ludmiła i Michał Długi

†Romualda Zima

†Kazimierz Beskur

9:00am †Margaret Mary McCarthy

†Lydia Acevedo

†Loretta Wagner

10:45am †Romualda Zima

†Helena Sokółowska

†Roman Rojek

12:30pm †Rev. Frank Wachowski

Monday, February 6, 2017

9:00am †Emilia & Stanisław Mika

Tuesday, February 7, 2017

9:00am †Marion Kozłowski

Wednesday, February 8, 2017

9:00am †William Kamzol—

23rd death anniversary

Thursday, February 9, 2017

NO MASS OR SERVICE

Friday, February 10, 2017

9:00am For STB Parishioners

7:00pm For STB Parishioners

Saturday, February 11, 2017

4:30pm †Sophie Pietranek

Sunday, February 12, 2017

7:30am †Kazimierz Beskur

†Mieczysław Lizak

9:00am †Margaret Mary McCarthy

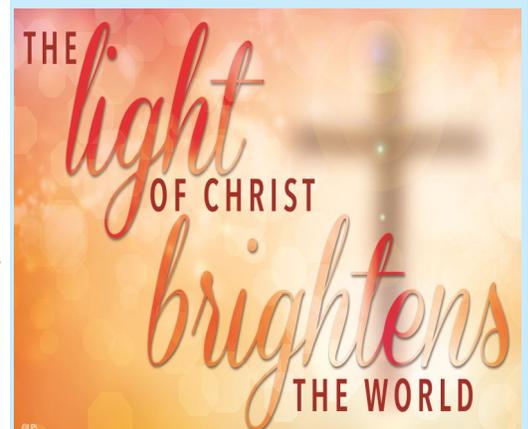
10:45am †Helena Sokółowska

†Władysław Sołtys

†Fryderyk

12:30pm †Jan Rogowski

†Marcin Więcek



TO REGISTER IN OUR PARISH, FOR BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Please call the rectory to make arrangements: 847-827-9220.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Friday: 6:15pm-6:45pm, Saturday: 3:30-4:15pm.

First Fridays of the month: 5:30pm-6:45pm and ADORATION: 5:30-6:45pm

REJESTRACJA DO PARAFII, SAKRAMENT CHRZTU I MAŁŻEŃSTWA

Prosimy o kontakt z biurem parafialnym w celu ustalenia daty: 847-827-9220.

PreCana - przygotowanie do Sakramentu Małżeństwa - obowiązkowe. Kurs w języku polskim w naszej parafii odbędzie się w dniach: 21 stycznia, 1 kwietnia i 20 maj 2017r.

SAKRAMENT POKUTY

Piątek: 6:15pm-6:45pm i Sobota: 3:30pm- 4:15pm.

PIERWSZE PIĄTKI MIESIĄCA

Spowiedź i Adoracja Najświętszego Sakramentu: 5:30pm-6:45pm, Msza Św. w jęz. polskim: 7pm



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WHY DO WE DO THAT?

CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Question:

What is holy water and how do I explain the reason that it is placed at the entrances of churches to my non-Catholic friends?

Answer:

Holy water is a sacramental; a reminder of the life of the church expressed and celebrated through the sacraments. By blessing ourselves with holy water as we enter the church, we are reminded of our own baptism and our call to conversion. Much as we are baptized and then journey through life, we bless ourselves and move through the church, symbolizing again the guiding presence of the Lord, which comes to us through baptism. We especially use holy water during Easter when the priest sprinkles the people. It serves to remind us that we are indeed on a journey of faith that makes us one with Christ. So blessing ourselves not only reminds us that we are baptized into a community of faith, but also helps us renew our own baptismal promises to reject sin and to believe in God. It is the heart of Christian belief to turn from sin and toward God. Holy water and baptism make it a visible sign for all of us to follow.

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