



OCTOBER 23, 2016
Thirtieth 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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30th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

“But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, ‘O God, be merciful to me a sinner.’” - Lk 18:13

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TO TEACH

Who Christ Is



Uczyć, kim jest Chrystus

A \$350 million campaign for strong parishes, Catholic education and faith formation in the Archdiocese of Chicago

As part of the total \$350 million goal, *To Teach Who Christ Is* will raise a minimum of \$150 million to support local needs in every parish across Chicago. Our goal at St. Thomas Becket is \$615,000. We will receive 60% of the funds raised. We will also receive 100% of any funds raised if we exceed our goal. This means that our parish will receive a minimum of \$369,00 for our local needs when we reach our goal! Our share of the funds will be directed to restore our church to its original architectural plan. This effort will update our worship space and bring it to its full potential.

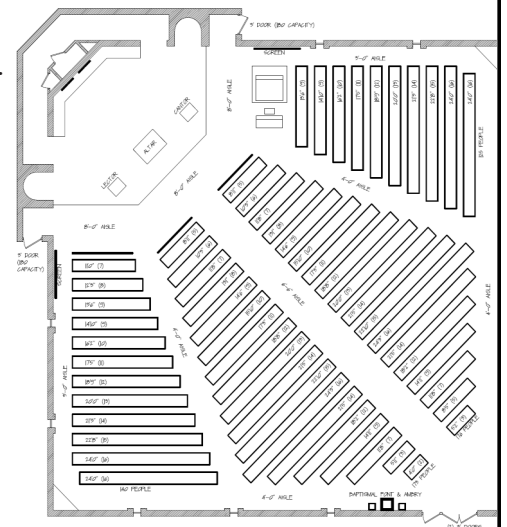
Naszym celem w parafii Św. Tomasza Becketa jest zebranie \$615,000. Jako parafia otrzymamy 60% zebranej sumy. Otrzymamy również 100% wszelkich funduszy zebranych ponad nasz cel. Oznacza to, że minimalna kwota, którą otrzymamy na zaspokojenie lokalnych potrzeb, jeśli osiągniemy wyznaczony cel, wynosi \$369,000! Fundusze, które pozostaną w naszej parafii będą wykorzystane na renowację naszego kościoła, aby przywrócić go do kształtu zamierzonego w pierwotnych planach architektonicznych naszej świątyni.

Parish Goal—(cel parafii): \$615,000

As of—(z dniem): October 19, 2016

Total Pledged—(kwota zadeklarowana): \$260,835

Percent of Goal—(procent kwoty docelowej): 42%



Questions about your pledge or payments? Please call (312) 534-8500

Anderson JoRene
Campobasso Family
Chmela Stephen & Camille
Chwała Wojciech & Anna
Cisternino Giuseppe & Mary
Conoscenti Linda
Dzierzak Antoni & Jadwiga
Friedrichs Michael & Cheryl
Garibaldi Thomas & Barbara
Hetzl James & Debra
Jason Patricia
Kalita Jan & Beata
Karpier Roman & Christine
Kelley Robert & Roslyn
Konkey Robert & Gloria
Kowalkowski Paula
Krol Gregorz & Marlena

Kulikowski Allan & Mary
Larsen Antonia
Lawler James & Gail
Link Mirosława
Ludtke Robert & Mary
Maciorowski Michael & Krystyna
Marzec Marilyn
McGeever Patrick & Gail
McGrath William & Darlene
Orr Gale
Pacenti Tony
Prostko Jeffrey & Laura
Quirini Gene & Helene
Reynolds Patrick & Patricia
Rev. Kulig Krzysztof
Rogowski Ronald & Wiesława

Rose Charlene
Rushkewicz Bob & Lorrie
Schmid Allan & Anne
Skowron Henryk & Joanna
Snopko Halina
Sosin Jacek & Renata
Starzec Family
Szwalec Stanislaw & Barbara
Theisen Maria
Versen Donald & Joan
Walorski Frederick & Joyce
Wilhelm Jolanta
Wojnicki Chester & Halina
Women's Guild
Wydanski Peter & Edyta
Wysocki John & Sarah

Karte zadeklarowania można otrzymać od Ks. Krzysztofa lub w biurze parafialnym.



Feast of All Saints—Tuesday, November 1

9am English 6:30pm Bilingual 8pm Polish

All Souls Day Envelopes are now available in the lobby of the church.
Names of our deceased loved ones will be listed in the Book of the Dead.
This book will be displayed in the church throughout the month of November.

Uroczystość Wszystkich Świętych—Wtorek, 1 listopad

9am w jęz. angielskim, 6:30pm dwujęzyczna, 8pm w jęz. polskim

Koperty na WYPOMINKI znajdują się w przedsionku kościoła. Książka z nawiskami naszych bliskich zmarłych wystawiona będzie przez miesiąc listopad w kościele. Nazwiska zmarłych będą również czytane przed i podczas polskich Mszy Św. przez cały listopad.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE—ALL SOULS

The Bereavement Ministry of St. Thomas Becket would like to extend a very special invitation to everyone to attend a bilingual Mass of Remembrance on **Wednesday, November 2nd at 7pm**. During this Mass we celebrate those who have gone before us in death. Those who have lost their family member during this past year are receiving special invitations, but **everyone is most welcome to participate**. If you like, you may bring a framless picture of your loved one. These will be displayed on the Resurrection Altar through the month of November. After Mass coffee and light refreshments will be served in the parish hall.



WSPOMNIENIE BLISKICH ZMARŁYCH—DZIEŃ ZADUSZNY

*W środę, 2-go listopada o godz. 7pm odbędzie się specjalna dwujęzyczna Msza Św. ku wspomnieniu naszych bliskich, którzy odeszli przed nami do wieczności. Specjalne zaproszenie otrzymują ci, którzy stracili członków rodzin w przeciągu ostatniego roku, ale **wszyscy są zaproszeni do wspólnej modlitwy**. Zdjęcia zmarłych (bez ramek) można przynieść i będą wystawione przez miesiąc listopad na Ołtarzu Zmartwychwstania.*

Po Mszy Św. zapraszamy do sali parafialnej na lekki poczęstunek.

TODAY'S GOSPEL—LUKE 18:10-14

“Two people went up to the temple area to pray; one was a Pharisee and the other was a tax collector. The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this prayer to himself, ‘O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity -- greedy, dishonest, adulterous -- or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week, and I pay tithes on my whole income.’ But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, ‘O God, be merciful to me a sinner.’ I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former; for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.”

Which person am I?

DZISIEJSZA EWANGELIA WEDŁUG ŚW. ŁUKASZA— 18:10-14

“Dwóch ludzi przyszło do świątyni, żeby się modlić, jeden faryzeusz a drugi celnik. Faryzeusz stanął i tak w duszy się modlił: "Boże, dziękuję Ci, że nie jestem jak inni ludzie, zdiejcy, oszuści, cudzołożnicy, albo jak i ten celnik. Zachowuję post dwa razy w tygodniu, daję dziesięcinę ze wszystkiego, co nabywam". Natomiast celnik stał z daleka i nie śmiał nawet oczu wznieść ku niebu, lecz bił się w piersi i mówił: "Boże, miej litość dla mnie, grzesznika!" Powiadam wam: Ten odszedł do domu usprawiedliwiony, nie tamten. Każdy bowiem, kto się wywyższa, będzie poniżony, a kto się unią, będzie wywyższony”.

Którą osobą ja jestem?

An Opportunity to Serve our Parish

The Spiritual Life Commission is looking for parishioners who would like to be part of our commission.

Our mission is to help plan opportunities for spiritual growth at St. Thomas Becket, and anyone who values his or her faith is welcome...no expertise or previous experience is necessary.

Please prayerfully consider joining us.

We meet the 2nd Tuesday of the month from 7 to 8:30 pm. You may come and visit a meeting before you make a commitment or call JoRene Anderson (847-463-6322) or Pat Jason (847-394-0028) for more information.

Mercy: Love Put into Action

This week the Spiritual Life Commission presents the Spiritual Works of Mercy as a way to live out the Year of Mercy. They are adapted from "Keenager News" published by Catholic Charities.

Counsel the Doubtful—Listen and empathize with others struggles. Share a book or article that can provide guidance.

Instruct the Ignorant— Communicate the love of God to every person you meet. Volunteer as a teacher in the parish Religious Education program.

Admonish the Sinner— Strive to create an example of trying to live without sin while accepting that we sometimes fail. When the need arises to correct someone, do so without arrogance.

Comfort the Afflicted— Take a moment to listen to someone going through a tough time. Write a card or letter expressing concern and encouragement.

Forgive Offenses Willingly— Let go of grudges. Learn to ask for forgiveness and be transformed in your life.

Bear Wrongs Patiently— Step away when you are frustrated with someone and ask God for patience. Work to be at peace.

Pray for the Living and Dead—Keep a book of prayer intentions.

Ask a family member, friend, or even stranger if there is anything you can pray for.

IT'S TURKEY DELIVERY TIME AGAIN

For the past 3 years, St. Thomas Becket volunteers have picked up and delivered frozen turkeys with trimmings to donate to the hungry in the northwest suburbs. Each 45lb. box has a 10lb frozen turkey and all the trimmings. This year we get 25 boxes to bring to Northwest Compass in Mt. Prospect. We need volunteers, preferably with pickup trucks, SUVs or vans to help drive, load and unload boxes of turkeys.

On November 20th, the Sunday before Thanksgiving, we will meet at Northwest Compass, 1300 W. Northwest Hgwy. at 9:30am. Then motorcade to the Buona Beef factory in Glendale Heights to pick up boxes at 10:45am. From there we drive back to Northwest Compass. There we will unload all boxes and store at that location. Compass will distribute the turkeys/trimmings starting on Monday.

Each year this has been an act of Love; as well as a fun experience for all who participate.

Contact Tony or Doreen Jannotta to volunteer and answer any questions. Call at 847-690-9970. Or email: jannotta@comcast.net if you're interested.

A Special Thank you to the owners of Buona Beef, the Buonavolanto family, for their donation and generosity. Also thank you to CIACO (Chicago Italian American Charitable Organization) for packing 800 boxes of turkeys for distribution in the Chicagoland area.



St. Thomas Becket Women's Guild

Please join us for the October Women's Guild Meeting. The meeting will be held on Monday October 24, in the parish hall. The meeting will begin at 7 pm with the general business, door prizes split the pot and then dessert and coffee. Guest are always welcome. Gale Orr is our guest speaker filling us in on the area real estate market and tips for presenting a home for resale.

NOT A MEMBER YET?

Please use this form below and return it with a \$20 annual membership fee.

St. Thomas Becket Women's Guild 2016-2017
1321 N. Burning Bush Lane, Mount Prospect, IL 60056

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Birth Month and Day _____

City, State, Zip _____ Email _____

The area that I am interested in helping is : Hospitality _____, Fundraising _____,
Various collection drives _____, Spiritual _____, Other _____

ANNUAL HAT & MITT & COAT DRIVE



It's that time of the year already and the cold weather will be here soon, and so is our Hat & Mitt & Coat Drive. Your generous donations of hats, mittens, scarves and coats (new please) up to size 14 are being collected for children in need at our area schools. Monetary donations are also greatly appreciated and will be used for purchase of these items. Please place your donations in the Bradle box by October 23rd. Thank you for you generosity and May God Bless You.

Women's Guild & Open Door Committee

*To już ta pora roku kiedy wkrótce będzie zimno i rozpoczynamy naszą coroczną zbiórkę CZAPEK, RĘKAWICZEK I KURTEK. Państwa hojne ofiary tych artykułów—prosimy aby kurtki były nowe do rozmiaru numer 14—będą zbierane dla dzieci z ubogich rodzin w naszym sąsiedztwie. Będziemy również bardzo wdzięczni za ofiary pieniężne na zakup tych potrzebnych ciepłych rzeczy. Prosimy zostawiać ofiary w przedsionku kościoła do 23-go października. Dziękujemy za Waszą hojność i Bóg Zapłać.
Klub Kobiet i Komitet Otwartych Drzwi*

Zapraszamy serdecznie na ostatnie już spotkanie biblijne



“Poznajemy Ewangelię według św. Łukasza”

Spotkanie odbędzie się 25-go października o godz. 7:00pm w sali parafialnej.

Spotkanie prowadzi Krystyna Maciorowski.



Knights of Columbus

Mount Prospect Council 6481

Annual ID Drive 2016

Please Help Intellectually Challenged People in Our Community

This year, why not buy your Halloween candy from the Knights of Columbus? All proceeds will benefit intellectually challenged individuals in our community. Your candy purchase will help support organizations such as:

- ***Misericordia Home***
- ***St. Alphonsus SPRED***
- ***St. Raymond SPRED***
- ***St. Thomas SPRED***
- ***Special Olympics***
- ***St. Joseph's Home***
- ***Clearbrook***
- ***Riverside Foundation***

_____ **50 – .5 oz. Tootsie Roll Bars - \$10.00**

_____ **300 – .5 oz. Tootsie Roll Bars - \$50.00**

_____ **Tootsie Roll Candy Banks - \$2.00 ea.**
(Filled with Bite-Size Tootsie Roll Candies)

Please leave a message for your order at 847-259-6108 or e-mail your request to Ed Janak JanakFam1@aol.com

Please be sure to include the number of items you would like and an address and phone number/e-mail address to confirm and ensure delivery

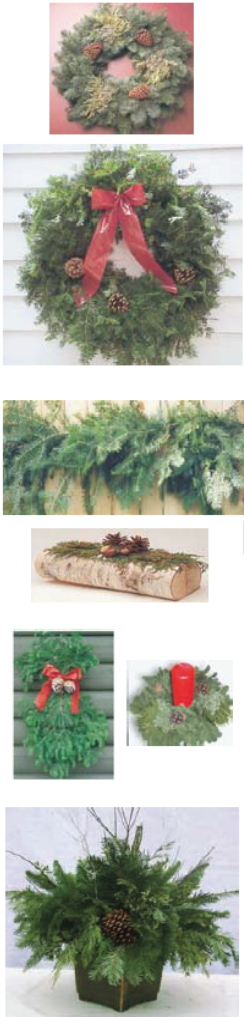
***Make checks payable to Knights of Columbus Council 6481.
To insure delivery before Halloween, orders must be received by 10/24/16.***

As always, thank you for your support in this drive



Knights of Columbus Council # 6481

2016 Christmas Wreath and Decoration Sale



Wreaths & Garlands	Quantity	Total Price
20" Noble Fir Mix Wreath with Velveteen Bow.....	\$31	
36" Noble Fir Mix Wreath with Velveteen Bow.....	\$45	
48" Noble Fir Mix Wreath with Velveteen Bow.....	\$65	
26" Single Face Balsam with Velveteen Bow.....	\$26	
36" Single Face Balsam with Velveteen Bow.....	\$31	
36" Double Face Balsam with Velveteen Bow.....	\$47	
48" Single Face Balsam with Velveteen Bow.....	\$46	
60" Single Face Balsam with Velveteen Bow.....	\$57	
72" Single Face Balsam with Velveteen Bow.....	\$70	
25' Balsam Garland.....	\$31	
25' Premium Noble Garland (Indoor/Outdoor)	\$50	

12" Holiday Yule Log	\$21	
Door Swag	\$16	
12" Candle Ring Wreath with 4" Candle	\$25	
Evergreen Planter (Best Seller)	\$31	
Cemetery Stands (not pictured—wreath not included)	\$10	

Total

- **Order your decorations by mail using this order form (Include full payment with mail orders)**

Please make checks payable to: **Knights of Columbus Council #6481**

Mail your order to: **K of C Wreath Sale c/o John Baggot**
913 S. Tower Lane
Mount Prospect, IL 60056-4259

Your Name: _____ Phone number: _____

Orders can be picked up on December 4, 2016 after Sunday morning masses.

Select which parish you would like to pick up your order:

St. Alphonsus • St. Cecilia • St. Emily • St. Raymond • St. Thomas Becket

Mail orders are due by November 19, 2016

Any questions / problems, contact: John Baggot at 847-253-9188 or baggot18@aol.com

Thank you for your order!

	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Date	Oct 13	Oct 14	Oct 15	Oct 16	Oct 17	Oct 18	Oct 19
Winning Number	429	100	118	342	061	007	230
Prize Amount	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$50	\$25	\$25	\$25



**COMING UP
THIS WEEK**

Sunday, October 23, 2016

11:45am Children's Choir
 12:30pm Confirmation Enrollment
 Hat & Mitten & Coat Drive

Monday, October 24, 2016

6:30pm Różaniec (P)
 7pm Women's Guild meeting

Tuesday, October 25, 2016

6:30pm Różaniec (P)
 7pm Bible Study (P)

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

6:30pm Różaniec (P)
 7:30pm Choir (E)

Thursday, October 27, 2016

6:30pm Różaniec (P)
 6:30pm SPRED

Friday, October 28, 2016

6:30pm Różaniec (P)
 7pm Mass (P)

Saturday, October 29, 2016

6:30pm Różaniec (P)
 MANNA-order forms in bulletin

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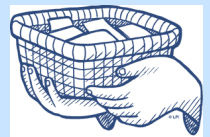
MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR OCT 29/30

MASS TIME	PRESIDER	MUSIC/CANTOR	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SACRISTAN
4:30pm	Rev. Bill Zavaski	Paula K. Li nda K. Choir	Brenda T.	Arnold G. Allan K. Mary L. Bob L. Lorry N.	Bob K.
7:30am	Rev. Chris Kulig	Adam W.	Karolina C.	Lukasz B. Karolina C. Halina S.	Dariusz B.
9:00am	Rev. Peter Wojcik	Paula K. Theresa	Lorry N.	Krystyna M. Bob D. Kathy S. Ken K. Pat R.	Sandy O.
10:45am	Rev. Chris Kulig	Adam W.	Artur N.	Jan K. Malgorzata P. Beata K.	Jan K.
12:30pm	Rev. Peter Wojcik	Paula K. Martin H.	Veronica M.	Bogdan Z. Linda M.	Bogdan Z.

Catholic families should be living symbols of our conviction that life is always, always a gift from God. Teach your children to respect human life from conception to natural death. Pray as a family for an end to this evil that destroys the weakest of the weak, the poorest of the poor.

SUNDAY OFFERING / KOLEKTA

Each Sunday Budget	\$ 7,700	
October 16	\$ 6,445	Attendance at Liturgies— 1,650
October E-Giving	\$ 2,380	
YTD Budget	\$ 120,457	
YTD Actual Collections	\$ 124,322	
# of Envelopes Sent	501	
# of Envelopes Used	244	



Second collection next weekend will be for the Religious Education program and for Catholic Schools.

Druga kolekta w następny weekend będzie przeznaczona na program nauki religii i na szkoły katolickie.

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READINGS OF THE WEEK



Readings for the Week of October 23

Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3,
17-19, 23/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14
Monday: Eph 4:32--5:8/Ps 1:1-4, 6/
Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-32/
Ps 128:1-5/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-14/
Lk 13:22-30
Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1-2, 9-10/
Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-5/
Lk 6:12-16
Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2-3, 5/
Lk 14:1, 7-11
Next Sunday: Wis 11:22--12:2/
Ps 145: 1-2, 8-11, 13-14/2 Thes 1:11--2:2/
Lk 19:1-10

Observances for the Week of October
23, 2016

Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary
Time; World Mission Sunday
Monday: Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
Friday: Simon and Jude, Apostles
Next Sunday: 31st Sunday in Ordinary
Time; Priesthood Sunday

Office for the Protection of Children and Youth:

ttharayil@archchicago.org
Thomas Tharayil: 312-534-8267

Catholic Cemeteries:

www.catholiccemeterieschicago.org
708-449-6100

Give Central – On line donation
system accessible through our web-
site: www.stthomasbecketmp.org

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stthomasbecket@stb.org

PARISH WEBSITE

www.stthomasbecketmp.org

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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, October 23, 2016

7:30am †Leszek Damrat
†Stanisław Wasilewski
9:00am †Margaret Mary McCarthy
†Lois Ryan
†Bogusław Karas

10:45am †Maria Pyrc
†Zofia Habrajska
†Anna Pyrc

SPECIAL: Małgorzata i Robert –
rocznica ślubu

SPECIAL: Jadwiga Jasionowska –
o zdrowie

SPECIAL: Ewa i Robert –
rocznica ślubu

12:30pm †Tony & Maria Dorkin

Monday, October 24, 2016

9:00am †Maria & Mitch Bandur

Tuesday, October 25, 2016

9:00am †Alice Wieland
†Alice Kamzol

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

9:00am †Stanisława, Teresa &
Bogumiła Janowski

Thursday, October 27, 2016

NO MASS OR SERVICE

Friday, October 28, 2016

9:00am †Francis Cardinal George
7:00pm For STB Parishioners

Saturday, October 29, 2016

4:30pm †Ann & Sam Pacenti

Sunday, October 30, 2016

7:30am †Leszek Damrat
†Wanda Sarna

9:00am †Margaret Mary McCarthy
†Eva Scaramella

10:45am For STB Parishioners

12:30pm †Janet Lochhead



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

GIVECENTRAL.ORG—Your contributions to the parish can be made online through a secured site: givecentral.org

Give Central Member Enrollment Steps:

1. Go to: www.givecentral.org
2. Click on the link “New Users Register Here” or go to: www.stthomasbecketmp.org

Click on the button “DONATE” then on “START GIVING”

3. Search for St. Thomas Becket Parish either by name, zip code or address
4. Create your Give Central profile and enter your payment method (credit card or bank account)

Benefits of online giving:

- Instant record of your contributions and payments
- Email notification of contributions and payments
- Never miss another Sunday Contribution when you are out of town
- You can log on from anywhere there is internet access

ELEKTRONICZNE WPLATY WSPARCIA PARAFIALNEGO

Dokonywanie wpłat ofiar „na tacę” przez internet za pośrednictwem bezpiecznego programu GiveCentral

Instrukcja rejestracji dla nowego użytkownika:

1. Wejść na stronę : www.givecentral.org
2. Kliknij na link “New Users Register Here”
Lub przejdź do: www.stthomasbecketmp.org
Kliknij na przycisk "DONATE", a następnie na "START GIVING"
3. Odszukaj parafie św Thomas Becket wprowadzając do pola poszukiwań jedno z n/w wyrażen: „St Thomas Becket Parish”, kod pocztowy: 60056; lub nasz adres
4. Utwórz swój profil osobowy oraz wskaż metodę płatności (kartą kredytową lub przelewem z rachunku bankowego)

Obopólne korzyści wynikające z elektronicznego przekazywania ofiar:

- Natychmiastowe tworzenie się rejestru i raportów złożonych dotacji
 - Elektroniczne potwierdzenie dotacji
- Kontynuacja wsparcia dla parafii (nawet w okresach wakacyjnych nieobecności na niedzielnej Mszy)
- Możliwość logowania wszędzie gdzie istnieje dostęp do internetu

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Question:

I wonder if there's anything I can do to influence my friends to get involved in church--and even go more often? Can you help?

Answer:

Evangelization is always a delicate balance. Faith itself is a gift, yet it needs to be nourished. So any influence you have needs to be the kind that encourages and invites deeper commitment, stronger faith, and a desire for God. Being preachy or overly pious often has the exact opposite effect. In the Gospel Jesus says you will know a tree by its fruit. Show others the fruit of the church's work and ministry. Look for activities, service projects, special events, outreach programs, etcetera, that you can invite them to. Introduce them to the priest and pastoral staff. Use personal contact to make others feel welcome and comfortable. The best way to be a witness to the faith is by doing. When your friends, cradle Catholics or not, see what you do and what the community of faith does to live and spread the Gospel, they'll want to be part of it. People are drawn to be part of something that is good, helpful, and makes their lives better. You just have to show them that the church is more than just Sunday Mass or a stopover for Christmas. Jesus called the apostles with little more than "Come and see!" You can too.