

st. priscilla church



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RITE OF RECONCILIATION:

Monday—Friday at 7:45 AM until 8:00 AM
Saturday from 3:00 PM until 3:45 PM or by appointment.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Registration can be completed by coming into the Rectory.

PARISH RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday and Friday 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM
Tuesday—Thursday 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

WEDDINGS:

Arrangement must be made with one of the priests at least six months before the date of the wedding. Confirm desired date at the church before making other arrangements. At least one of the engaged persons (or their parents) must be a registered and active parishioner of St. Priscilla. Weddings are not scheduled on Sunday.

BAPTISMS:

English Baptisms will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM. Polish Baptisms will be held on the first and third Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM. Attendance at Baptismal Preparation class is mandatory. Register by calling the Rectory.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:30 A.M. - 12:15 PM
Polish Mass: 10:30 AM - 6:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday - Saturday: 8:00 AM
Mass in Polish
Wednesday & Saturday 8:30 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES:

7:00 PM Vigil Mass, 8:00—11:00 AM (English)
9:00 AM—7:00 PM (Polish)



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Sixth Sunday of Easter May 25, 2014

“I will ask the Father,
and he will give you . . . the Spirit of truth.”
— John 14:16-17

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

* ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS AND GUESTS OF ST. PRISCILLA *

We have always been taught that when you receive Holy Communion, we are to consume it all and not to break it. A few weeks ago, it has come to our attention that some parishioners or guests are not aware of the consequences of receiving **and not** consuming the Holy Eucharist and are committing serious, grave and mortal sins. We currently have had three incidents, where the Holy Eucharist was left in the pews or on the floor of the church by someone who recently stood up to receive it.

As Catholics, we firmly believe that the Holy Eucharist truly is the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ and that Christ Himself is present in a real and substantial manner (Catechism, No. 1373-1381). The Church, therefore, must always cherish and guard this great gift of our Lord.

The Eucharist, or Holy Sacrament is the most honored sacrament for Catholics because in it Christ himself is contained, offered himself for us, and it is consumed. The mystery of the Eucharist is carried out continuously through the work of our salvation. The Eucharist is the summit and source of all worship and Christian life. The other sacraments, and all other ecclesiastical works of the apostolate are related to the Holy Eucharist and are oriented toward it (cf. can. 897 NCP).

As Catholics, we must know and educate others about the Canon laws of the church regarding the Most Holy Eucharist.

"The most August sacrament is the Most Holy Eucharist in which Christ the Lord himself is contained, offered, and received and by which the Church continually lives and grows. The eucharistic sacrifice, the memorial of the death and resurrection of the Lord, in which the sacrifice of the cross is perpetuated through the ages is the summit and source of all worship and Christian life, which signifies and effects the unity of the People of God and brings about the building up of the body of Christ. Indeed, the other sacraments and all the ecclesiastical works of the apostolate are closely connected with the Most Holy Eucharist and ordered to it" [Can. 897].

Crimes committed in the temple are "an expression

of disdain and contempt for the Church or constitute a violation of the dignity of man and society" (Liturgical Ministries Ceremonial of Bishops). **Violating the sanctity of temples, desecration, sacrilege are a sign of debasement of their perpetrators.** Any encroachment on God and His signs is the fall of man. Who does not have respect for God, who is love, then does not have respect towards any other value.

Therefore, the consequences of desecration of the Blessed Sacrament belong to the category of the most serious "A person who throws away the consecrated species or takes or retains them for a sacrilegious purpose incurs a ***latae sententiae*** (*automatically no longer belonging to the church*) excommunication reserved to the Apostolic See" (Canon 1367 CIC). This means that the perpetrators of this act, by the very fact of its commission, excluded themselves from the Church, and their absolution is reserved to the Holy Father (Pope).

Therefore we ask that the priest or Eucharistic Ministers be mindful that the person receiving Holy Communion does so properly and consumes the sacred Host. **We cannot have incidents where the sacred Host is found in a hymnal or on the church floor. We cannot have incidents where people place the Host in their pocket. The Host is very sacred to us and to all Christians around the world and we have to treat it with respect.**

When we see these abuses, we should first ask the Holy Spirit for prudence and fortitude. Then, approach the person and politely yet firmly instruct him about what is the proper way for receiving Holy Communion. If a person has not consumed the Host, remind him either to do so or return it. Or, find a priest right away, so he can deal with the matter. Moreover, **we must all take responsibility for properly teaching others about the sacredness of the Holy Eucharist through our words and actions. In so doing, we will be the faithful guardians of this precious gift.**

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (25)**

- 8:30 — +Deacon Fred Spitzzeri (Pastor and parishioners)
 +Jim Cooper (Henry Kruzel)
 +Nick Grossmayer Birthday Remembrance (Pat Novey)
 +Eleanor Troch (Herrity and Reilly Families)
 ++Jozef, Mieczyslaw and Wladyslawa Gajda (Family)
 ++Jozef and Leon Owca (Family)
 ++Leslaw Laczynski (Family)
- 10:30 — O bł. Boże dla Ojczyzny i wszystkich Polaków na całym świecie, święte owoce działalności Ligi Katolickiej oraz dusze w Czyśćcu cierpiące
 O zdrowie, Boże bł. i wszelkie potrzebne łaski dla Jana Cioch z racji urodzin (Polska Grupa)
 O Boże bł. i wszelkie łaski dla Agnieszki i jej rodziny (Rodzice)
 O zdrowie i Boże bł. dla całej rodziny
 O zdrowie i Boże bł. dla Magdy Tołwńskiej w 10 rocz. urodzin (Rodzice)

O radość w wieczności dla:

- +Józef Sopek (Żona z synami)
 +Wojciech Cieśla
 +Robert Ćwik w 15-tą rocz. śm. (Rodzice z rodziną)
 +Stanisław Łukasiewicz w 19-tą rocz. śmierci
 +Józefa Piotrowska (Rodzina Boksa)
 +Oskar Ziaja w rocz. urodzin
 +Ignacy Turczynski w 22-gą rocz. śmierci (Żona)
 +Agnieszka Lassak (Wnuki)
- 12:15 — All Souls in Purgatory #48
 6:00 — O Boże bł. dla rodziny

MONDAY (26) Saint Philip Neri, Priest (Memorial Day)

- 8:00 — All Deceased members of St. Priscilla Church

TUESDAY (27) Easter Weekday (St. Augustine of Canterbury)

- 8:00 — Kevin and Cathi Knickrehm Anniversary (Aunt)

WEDNESDAY (28) Easter Weekday

- 8:00 — St. Priscilla Parishioners #32
 8:30 — Za zmarłych polecanych w wypominkach #49

THURSDAY (29) Easter Weekday

- 8:00 — St. Priscilla Parishioners #33

FRIDAY (30) Easter Weekday

- 8:00 — St. Priscilla Parishioners #34

SATURDAY (31) The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 8:00 — All Souls in Purgatory #50
 8:30 — O Boże bł. dla rodziny
 4:00 — Health and Birthday Blessings for Chester Kmiec
 +Bernice Hujar (Hujar Family)
 +Debbie Grams (Lorrie Kraft)
 +Harry Kane (Kane Family)



Fernando and Pat Abella	Peter Leyden
Ann Aitken	Joseph LoPiccolo
Joe Bargi	Mary Lund
Lorraine Belokon	Mary Lynch
Christine Brozell	Michael Manczko
Evelyn Cademartrie	Barbara McDonald
Maria Ceglarek	Mike Muka
Jan Drożdż	Antoni Nierzejewski
Dorothy Heck	Carol Niewinski
Jennifer Hebda	Henry Orry
Marian Henaghan	Joseph Rath
Andrew Jennings	Marge Reavis
Carrie Kacen	Alice Reckmann
Marie Kane	Augusto Sandoval
Janet Kaplan	Norbert Schultz
Maureen Kearney	Helen Sterling
Chester Kmiec	Gina Swensen
Laverne Kmiec	Roger Vlasos
Helen Kumiega	Jola Wolfe
Dolores LaCour	Katie Young
Helen Lapore	Carla and Adam
Maria Lech	

If you would like to have a name added or removed from our Parish "Pray For..." sick list, please call the rectory at 773-545-8840 ext. 221. Thank you!

WEDDING BANNES

If anyone knows of cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, they must contact the Pastor.



I. Piotr Świdorski & Marta Milewska

III. Marc Terrulli & Kristina Johnopolos

Jeśli ktoś wie o przeszkodach uniemożliwiających zawarcie Sakramentu Małżeństwa przez te osoby, prosimy o powiadomienie księdza proboszcza.



Rest in Peace

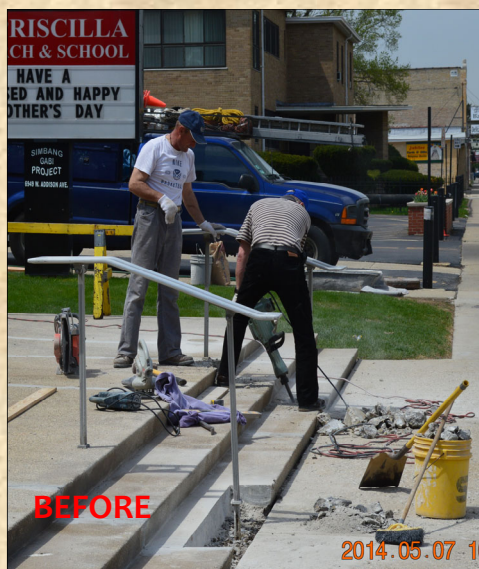
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May 11, 2014

Currency	\$ 3,445.00
Checks	\$ 3,546.00
Loose Coin	\$ 9.38
Total	\$ 7,000.38
Weekly Goal	\$ 7,500.00
Budget Year to Date	\$337,500.00
Collections Year to Date	\$291,800.13
Under Budget	\$<45,699.87 >

Thank you for your generosity and support of our Parish.



Thank You



After so many years of severe weather, some cement areas have cracked, especially near the rails, so there was a need to repair it. Once again, I would like to thank **Mr. Krzysztof Soltyszewski**, our wonderful parishioner, who undertook this repair with his company, as a **free donation** for St. Priscilla Parish. As pastor I am very grateful to this parishioner.

May God Bless you!

- Fr. Idzi Stacherczak -



Saturday, May 31

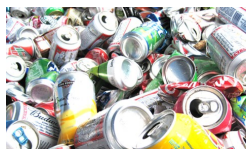
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

**ST. PRISCILLA'S BOY SCOUTS
TROOP 803**

Invite All To A



**Car Wash and Aluminum Can Drive
in the church parking lot**



GOOD SAMARITAN/ DOBRY SAMARYTANIN

This past week, an elderly parishioner reported to our office that a Good Samaritan had helped her. While getting groceries at Jewel she noticed that she had a flat tire. At first she felt desperate and she called her husband, who drove to her aid by bicycle. Unfortunately, her husband had some difficulty and a Good Samaritan named, Czesław, asked if they needed his help. Czesław quickly changed the flat tire and did not ask for anything in return. The parishioner was very shocked that someone still offers their help in today's society and she is very thankful to Czesław for his help.

Pewna nasza parafianka po zakonczonych zakupach w Jewel zauważyła że w jednym z kół nie ma powietrza. Co ja teraz zrobić pomyślała sobie. Zadzwoiła więc do męża o pomoc. Zanim mąż przybył na miejsce, okazało się, że znalazł się opatrnościowo „Dobry Samarytanin,” który bez interesownie pomógł zmienić koło naszej parafiance. A jednak są jeszcze dobrzy ludzie!!!

Proper and Improper Ways to Receive the Holy Eucharist



Respectful!

Please study these pictures and if you are in the habit of approaching the Holy Sacrament in an improper manner, we ask that you change to one of the two **respectful** methods shown on this page.



Respectful!



IMPROPER

Refrain from receiving the Holy Eucharist in these manners.



IMPROPER

To the right we see three different **improper** ways parishioners receive Holy Communion. These three pictures are examples of **HOW NOT TO RECEIVE THE HOLY EUCHARIST!**



IMPROPER



We would like to warmly thank our parishioners for planting flowers around the church.

Józefa Kobylarczyk and Kazimiera and Mieczysław

Ziobro have been planting flowers around the church for a few years. We thank them for their beautiful donations and for the time they spend to keep the flowers vibrant.



Dziękujemy!



To All Men and Women of St. Priscilla!

WE ARE LOOKING TO EXPAND OUR USHER MINISTRY

A **Church usher** is the first official representative of the Christian Church that anyone sees when they arrive and as such plays an important role in making the people feel welcome to the service.

He/She introduces visitors to the church. The church usher helps the Pastor to make the service a success by putting the congregation in the right frame of mind to receive the message. The usher meets the people with a pleasant smile, a warm welcome, and directs them to comfortable seats. He/She also sees to it that perfect order is kept in and around the church at all times during the services.



Humility is key in an usher. Ushers are required to be punctual and time conscious as they are required to be at church far earlier than the rest of the congregation.

If you are now an usher or are interested in becoming one and are 18 years old or older, we are inviting you to a meeting on **Saturday, June 7 at 5:00 pm** for the purpose of increasing our usher staff at every Mass on weekends. Please fill out the bottom portion of this page and bring it with you to the meeting or if you cannot attend the meeting please drop it in Sunday collection baskets or to the Church Rectory.

Czy Chciałbyś Powiększyć Grono Parafialnych Marszałków (Tacowych)?

Parafia Św. Pryscylli pragnie szeroko otworzyć drzwi dla naszych braci i sióstr, którzy pragną w naszej świątyni oddawać cześć Bogu. Czynimy to poprzez różnorodność Nabożeństw i Mszy św. Aby dobrze służyć naszej społeczności parafialnej potrzebni są również ci, którzy będą potrafili w przyjazny sposób zaprosić naszych parafian i gości do wnętrza świątyni. Takimi właśnie osobami są Marszałkowie. To nie tylko ludzie, którzy w niedzielę zbierają ofiary, ale ci którzy są pierwszymi osobami którzy witają nasz na progu kościoła. Instytucja Marszałków parafialnych jest znana w każdej parafii w Stanach Zjednoczonych. W naszej parafii również mamy grupę oddanych sprawie Bożej mężczyzn spełniających tę posługę.

Zwracamy się dzisiaj do tych wszystkich, którzy pragnęli by dołączyć i powiększyć grono naszych Marszałków. Jeżeli jesteś członkiem naszej parafii, i ukończyłeś przynajmniej 18 lat, a jednocześnie uważasz że mógłbyś spełniać tę posługę dla dobra naszych braci i sióstr, to poświęć teraz chwilę czasu i wypełni poniżej poddany krótki kwestionariusz. Po wypełnieniu proszę wrzucić tę informację podczas niedzielnej składki lub przynieść ją do kancelarii parafialnej. Pierwsze spotkanie informacyjne dla obecnych i nowych Marszałków odbędzie się w Sobotę, dnia 7 Czerwca o godzinie 5:00 po południu.

Please cut along this line/ Tutaj odciąć



USHER MINISTRY

Please join our Usher Ministry!

I would like to usher at the following Mass(es)/
Chciał(a)bym być Marszałkiem podczas
następującej Mszy:

Name (Last, First)/
Nazwisko i Imię: _____

Address/ Adres: _____

Telephone Number/
Numer Telefonu: _____

Saturday, 4:00 PM ☐

Sunday, 8:30 AM ☐

Sunday, 12:15 PM ☐

Niedziela, 10:30 AM ☐

Niedziela, 6:00 PM ☐