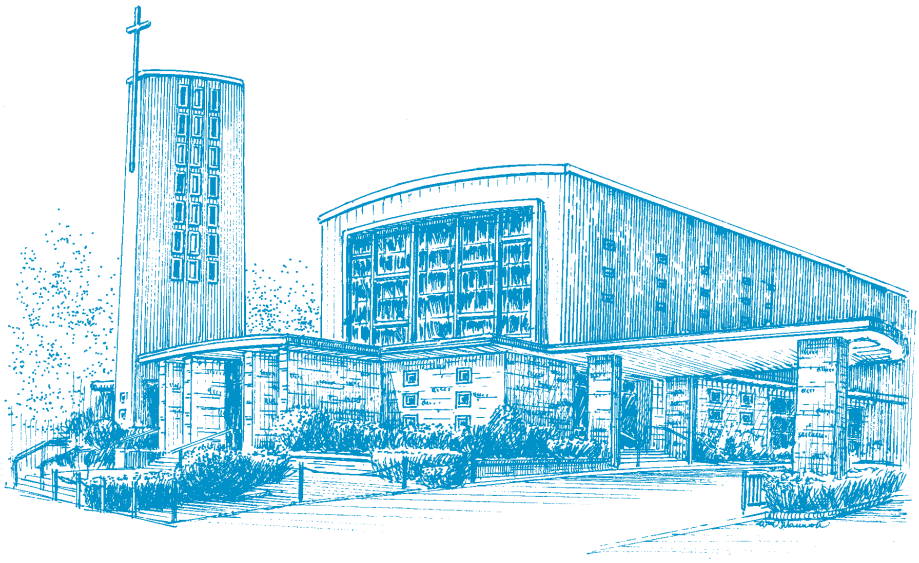
st. priscilla church



Rev. Idzi Stacherczak, *Pastor*
Rev. Joseph Vadakumcherry, *Associate Pastor*
Rev. Grzegorz Warmuz, *Associate Pastor*
Mrs. Linda Noonan, *School Principal*
Paul (Pawel) Tawech, *Music Director*
Mrs. Judy Banasiak, *Coordinator of Religious Education*
Mrs. Anna Adamowski, *Parish Secretary*

RITE OF RECONCILIATION:
(Confession) 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM, Saturday or by appointment.
Weekday Confession held at 7:00 to 7:15 AM.

PARISH REGISTRATION:
At the rectory during office hours.
Regular Office hours 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM daily.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES:
Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:30 - 9:00 - 12:15 PM
Polish Mass: 10:30 AM - 6:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES:
Monday-Friday: 6:30 & 8:00 AM
Saturday: 8:00 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES:
7:00 PM Vigil Mass, 6:30—8:00—11:00 AM (English)
9:00 AM—7:00 PM (Polish)

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. Attendance at Baptismal Preparation class is mandatory. Register by calling Rectory.

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Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 28, 2008
Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus.
— Philippians 2:5

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

OFFICE OF THE CARDINAL

September 2, 2008

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In the midst of a lengthy political campaign, matters of public policy that are also moral issues sometimes are misrepresented or are presented in a partial or manipulative fashion. While everyone could be expected to know the Church's position on the immorality of abortion and the role of law in protecting unborn children, it seems some profess not to know it and others, even in the Church, dispute it. Since this teaching has recently been falsely presented, the following clarification may be helpful.

The Catholic Church, from its first days, condemned the aborting of unborn children as gravely sinful. Not only Scripture's teaching about God's protection of life in the womb (consider the prophets and the psalms and the Gospel stories about John the Baptist and Jesus himself in Mary's womb) but also the first century catechism (the Didache or Teaching of the Twelve Apostles) said: "You shall not slay the child by abortions. You shall not kill what is generated." The teaching of the Church was clear in a Roman Empire that permitted abortion. This same teaching has been constantly reiterated in every place and time up to Vatican II, which condemned abortion as a "heinous crime." This is true today and will be so tomorrow. Any other comments, by politicians, professors, pundits or the occasional priest, are erroneous and cannot be proposed in good faith.

This teaching has consequences for those charged with caring for the common good, those who hold public office. The unborn child, who is alive and is a member of the human family, cannot defend himself or herself. Good law defends the defenseless. Our present laws permit unborn children to be privately killed. Laws that place unborn children outside the protection of law destroy both the children killed and the common good, which is the controlling principle of Catholic social teaching. One cannot favor the legal status quo on abortion and also be working for the common good.

This explains why the abortion issue will not disappear and why it is central to the Church's teaching on a just social order. The Church does not endorse candidates for office, but she does teach the principles according to which Catholics should form their social consciences. The teaching, which covers intrinsic evils such as abortion and many other issues that are matters of prudential judgment, could not be clearer; the practice often falls short because we are all sinners. There is no room for self-righteousness in Catholic and moral teaching.

The Conference of Bishops in this country and the Bishops of Illinois have issued statements about Catholic social teaching and political life. They are available in our parishes. All of us should keep our country and all the candidates for office in the next election in our prayers. God bless you and your families.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Francis Cardinal George

Francis Cardinal George, O.M.I.
Archbishop of Chicago

Mass Intentions for the week

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (28)
7:30— +Raymond Miller (Dolores & Ed Peszek)
9:00 — +Salvatore DeSimone (Family)
+Rosaria M. Csar 19th Death Anniv. (Manczak Fam.)
+Mabel Turnquist Death Anniv. (Evelyn Cademartrie)
+George F. Kaplan (Janet Kaplan)
+For the soul of Helen Jean Labus and blessings for her family for their generosity (Ela)
Health & Blessing for Józef Kulaga on his Birthday (Mama)
+Antoni & Jadwiga Luszczyk (Daughter)
+Victoria Tan Death Anniversary (Rose Ong)
In Thanksgiving (Joseph Ong, Jr.)
10:30— +Maria Buda 3-cia rocz. śmierci (Rodzina)
+Tomasz Buda 40-ta rocz. śmierci (Rodzina)
+O spokój wieczny dla Victora Burzyńskiego (Rodzice)
O Boże bł. dla Marcina Pawła Malaszkiewicza (Rodzice)
O Boże bł., potrzebne łaski dla Michasi w dniu urodzin
12:15— Ronald & Marlene Hussar
+Sarah Adamick (Husband)
2:00 — ANOINTING OF THE SICK
6:00 — Za dusze w czyśscu cierpiące

MONDAY (29) Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, archangels
6:30 — +Frank & Harriet Ziober (Friend)
8:00 — +Margaret M. Sullivan (Family)

TUESDAY (30) Jerome, priest, doctor
6:30 — All Souls in Purgatory
8:00 — +Piotr Marek i za duszami z tej rodziny

WEDNESDAY(1)Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin, doctor
6:30 — +Germaine Susin
8:00 — +George Werthes

THURSDAY (2) Guardian Angels
6:30 — +Stephanie Pudelek (Genevieve Szymczak)
8:00 — +Anton Marienfeld Death Anniv. (Jim Miketta)

FIRST FRIDAY (3) Weekday
6:30 — +Adelaida Cantillas Death Anniv. (Family)
Teresito Villegas Birthday Blessings (Family)
8:00 — In Thanksgiving for graces and plea for further blessings (Zdzisław and family)

FIRST SATURDAY (4) Francis of Assisi, religious
8:00 — +Frank DeBiase 25th Death Anniv. (Wife Maria)
4:00 — +Mark Drzewiecki (R. Drzewiecki Family)
+Frank Viola (Wife Toni)
+Andrew Doppel (Mom & Dad)
+Raymond Miller (M/M S. Cygan)
+Frank Hodits (Family)
Health & Blessings for Joe (Mom & Dad)
+Ramona Lugowski

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (5)
7:30 — +Anna Zagajewski (Daughter)
+Germaine Susin
9:00 — +Salvatore DeSimone (Family)
+Michael J. Marron (Kay Rubyor)
+Vince Filetti, Sr. 9th Death Anniversary (Wife Bea)
+Frank Kucharski (Family)
+Daniel Sexton Death Anniv. (Marian Henaghan)
10:30— +O spokój w wieczności dla Victora Burzyńskiego (Rodzice)
12:15— +Richard Jezierny Birth Remem. (Wife & Children)
Elizabeth, Angelica, Philip & Julie Hussar
+Danny Lynch Birth Remem. (Mom & Dad)
6:00 — Za dusze w czyśscu cierpiące



Bernice Bacia

WEDDING BANNS

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



II. Shelley Figiel & James Skrypnyk

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

Our Weekly Offering

September 14, 2008

Currency	**$ 4,308.00**
Checks	**$ 2,573.00**
Loose Coin	**$ 8.06**
Total	**$ 6,889.06**
Weekly Goal	**$ 10,000.00**
Budget Year to Date	**$110,000.00**
Collections Year to Date	**$ 83,299.64**
Under Budget	**$<26,700.36>**

Thank you for your generosity and support of our Parish.

Market Day

Market Day forms are available at the church entrances, the rectory and at the school.

Market Day is a great way to support St. Priscilla School!

Market Day forms can be turned in to the rectory or the school.

Thank you for your support!



Your Attention Please

CALLING ST. PRISCILLA SCHOOL ALUMNI!

St. Priscilla School would like to keep alumni aware of its good news, events, and developments. Anyone who graduated prior to 2003 is urged to update contact information by calling the school office at (773) 685-3581, or logging on to the website at www.stpriscilla.org. Name and/or address changes keep classes connected and informed. Thank You!

CA$H FOR TRA$H

Attention: Our school needs your help!

Save your empty inkjet printer cartridges and old cell phones—They have value!

Our school has found a company that will pay us ***CA$H*** for empty inkjet printer cartridges and old cell phones. They then recycle the cartridges and phones and sell them at significant savings to their customers.

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:

- Inkjet cartridges and old cell phones can be collected from homes, parents' work, co-workers, and local businesses.
- Collected cartridges and phones should then be brought to a collection box at school in a plastic bag to prevent leakage.
- Cartridges and phones are shipped to our recycling company. (Free shipping is provided.)
- Our school earns $2.25 per inkjet cartridge or cell phone accepted.

Thanks for your support!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
October 4th & October 5th

MINISTER(S)	SATURDAY 4:00 PM	SUNDAY 7:30 AM	SUNDAY 9:00 AM	SUNDAY 10:30 AM	SUNDAY 12:15 PM	SUNDAY 6:00 PM
CELEBRANT	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled
DEACON						
LECTOR	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	Stanisław Słonina	As scheduled	Piotr Grocholski
COMMENTATOR				Józef Piszczek		Krystyna Niemczyk
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	Stanisław Słonina Józef Piszczek	As scheduled	Stanisław Ryczek Czesław Mazur
ALTAR SERVERS	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled

Pastor's Notes



DWAJ SYNOWIE...

„Co myślicie: pewien człowiek miał dwóch synów... Który z tych dwóch spełnił wolę Ojca?" (Mt. 21, 28-31)

Ludzi żyjących na świecie można podzielić na trzy grupy. Do pierwszej należą ci, którzy dużo mówią a nic nie robią. Do drugiej ci, którzy nic nie mówią a za to wiele robią. Do trzeciej grupy należa ci, którzy i dużo mówią i dużo czynią. Są to ludzie, których mowa zgadza się z ich czynami. Do której z tych trzech grup ty dziś należysz?

Ewangelia dzisiejszej niedzieli mówi nam o dwóch synach. Jeden z nich dużo mówił, ale nic nie czynił. Obiecał ojcu, że pójdzie pracować, ale nie poszedł. W jego życiu mowa nie pokrywała się z czynami.

Drugi syn powiedział, że nie będzie pracował, ale później się jednak opamiętał i poszedł do pracy. Przemyślał swoje powiedzenie, i zmienił zdanie. Możemy więc wyciągnąć z tego wniosek taki, że trzeba nieraz długo myśleć, zanim podejmie się jakąś decyzję. Każda decyzja jest ważna, jeśli jest roztropna i przemyślana.

Pan Jezus zachęca nas do bardzo ostrożnego i przemyślanego wypowiadania swoich myśli. Mówi On: „Niech wasza mowa będzie tak, tak, nie, nie. A co ponad to jest, od Złego pochodzi" (Mt. 5, 37). Wielomówstwo wielu ludziom zaszkodziło, stało się przyczyną gniewów, nieporozumień i kłótni. Dlatego słusznie twierdzi nasze ludowe przysłowie: „Choć pożyteczną jest mowa, powstrzymaj ust swych ochotę, srebrnymi bowiem są słowa—milczenie jest szczerozłote."

Wielomówstwo zgubiło wielu ludzi. Ostrożność i oszczędność w wypowiadaniu słów była zaletą wielu świętych. Bądźmy zatem bardzo ostrożni w wypowiadaniu swoich poglądów o drugich ludziach. Nikt bowiem z nas nie „siedzi" w drugim człowieku i nikt nie wie, jakimi racjami ktoś się kieruje, podejmując taką czy inną decyzję. Każdy człowiek jest wielką tajemnicą i przed tą tajemnicą trzeba zawsze pochylić głowę. Tylko jeden Bóg może obiektywnie oceniać człowieka, bo tylko On wie kim naprawdę jest człowiek.

Starajmy się więc bardziej panować nad naszym językiem i wypowiadanymi przez nas słowami i opiniami.

—ks. Idzi—



Christine Achtel - George Adamick - John Alongi - Joseph Bargi - Rita Bobowski - Mary Ann Bonk - Joseph Bottino - Meg Butler - Robert Calkins - Dorothy Castronovo - Maria Ceglarek - Maria Clancy - Jane Conley - Nancy & Richard Crabtree - Albert Dale - Tarcisio DeBiase - Erminia DeSimone - Frances G. Diprima - Leo Divito - Myles Druffel - Edward Drzymala - Gene Fuentes - Angiolina Gervasio - Elaine Grochocki - Mary Gudel - Florence Gurda - Jennifer Hebda - Sean Henaghan - Mariana Hernandez - Mildred Ingallinera - Krzysztof Kadzielawa - Janet Kaplan - Chester Kmiec - LaVerne Kmiec - Allyson Krajewski - Walter Krawczyk - Giuseppe Lamanna - Angela Lazio - Romona Lugowski - Mary Lynch - Carlos Mariduena - Felicita Martinez - Donald Mohr - Donna Mohr - Frances Montana - Mikey Muka - Frank Nasca - Natividad Nicasio - Dolores Nielsen - Stefan Nowik - Wilma Oaks - Catherine O'Brien - Colleen O'Donnell Craig - Leonard Olbrisch - Lorie Pacer - Phyllis & William Peterson - Dolores & Richard Piela - Carmella Pizzo - Russ Plambeck - Bernice Plicner - Donna Pomierski - Debbie Pope - Daniel Pope - Florence Pope - Shirley Potempa - Antonio Puccio - Rachael Reece - Stanley Renda - Stephanie Rhodes - Rosemary Rios - Angelo Rocco - Augusto Sandoval - Phyllis Scully - Josephine & Antonio Sevenhouse - Amy Sherod - Stephen Sierzega - Patricia Slowik - Mary Smolenski - Louise Sowa - Mary Spiewak - Adeline Spitzzeri - Frank Stelka - Odette Stinar - Bob Suwalski - Victor Szatkowski - Marilyn Tamburrino - Helen Tyc - Patricia Tytro - Edward Watrach - McKenna Weber - Robert Welch - Tina Wellnitz - Katie Young - Blanche Zielinski

If you know of any parish member, family member or friends who are homebound and in need of our prayer, we would like to add their names to our ***Pray for…*** list.

If you would like to be taken off of our ***Pray for…*** list because you are no longer sick, please contact the rectory at **773 545-8840**.

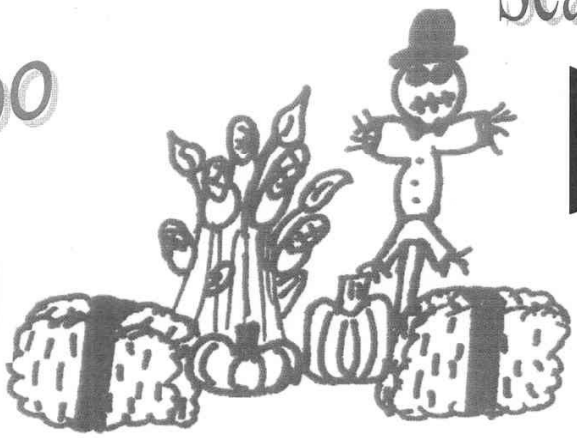
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IT'S 1ST ANNUAL HARVEST FEST & CAR SHOW FUNDRAISER

Face Painting

Scarecrow Contest

Petting Zoo



Pony Rides

Beer Garden

BingO

Food

St. Priscilla Harvest Fest 2008

DJ

Polka Band

SATURDAY, OCT 4TH FROM 2PM-10PM
SUNDAY, OCT 5TH FROM 12N-8PM
AT ST. PRISCILLA CHURCH
(7001 W ADDISON ST. CHICAGO, IL)

Live Entertainment



CAR SHOW WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY FROM 12N - 4PM

REGISTRATION AT 11AM.

FEE: $20

TROPHIES WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT 3:30PM

** WAIVER MUST BE SIGNED AT TIME OF REGISTRATION
** WEATHER PERMITTING

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