

# ST.CASIMIR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## APRIL 7, 2019

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Fr. Marek Rudecki, SAC - Administrator Fr. Wiesław Gaska, SAC - Associate Pastor

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### MISSION STATEMENT

"The Mission of St. Casimir's Roman Catholic Parish is to nurture our Christ-centered prayer community steeped in love in the spirit of selfless service to God and neighbor, ever mindful of our roots under the protection of Our Lady of Czestochowa, in recognizing the Eucharist as the source and summit of our Christian life."

### Parish Membership:

Every family and single adult to be considered an active member of St. Casimir's Parish must be properly registered in the parish, receiving and regularly using the parish weekly donation envelopes. Only in this way can the parish issue documents attesting to parish membership and Catholic practice, e.g. a letter to be a Godparent or Sponsor. New parishioners are requested to visit the parish office.

**SUNDAY MASSES:** 

Saturday - Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM (English).

Sunday: 8 AM, 10AM (Polish).

**WEEKDAY MÁSSES:** 

Monday through Saturday 8AM (English) in our Rectory Chapel.

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION:** 

VIGIL MASS: 7 PM (English)

HOLY DAY MASSES: 8:00 AM (English) & 7 PM (Polish). FIRST FRIDAY MASS: - 8 AM (English) & 7 PM (Polish)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM Sundays -15 minutes prior to each Holy Mass. First Friday- 6:15 PM

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT: (HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION)

Saturday: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:** 

following Monday morning Mass (8 AM)

**SICK & SHUT-IN VISITS:** 

Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

**BAPTISMS:** 

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**MARRIAGES:** 

Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

and you will visit us again. If you think yo fill in the form below and bring or mail to make arrangements for your registration.	elcome. We trust that the liturgy will be a blessing to you ou may be interested in joining St. Casimir's Parish, please to parish office or place in the collection basket. We will New phone number and address change information are	REGIS
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# FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK			
FIRST SATU	URDAY	4/06/19	
8:00 A.M.	+ Aleksandra Kułaga -		
	By Children & Grandchildren.		
4:00 P. M.	HOLY HOUR with the Exposition of the		
4 00 D M	Most Blessed Sacrament and Benediction		
4:00 P. M.	CONFESSIONS (in Polish & English)		
5:00 P. M.	+ Wanda Dworadowska - Od Syna Jarosława z Rodziną.		
	Od Syna jarosiawa z Rodziną.		
FIFTH SUN	DAY OF LENT	4/07/19	
8:00 A.M.	++ Zygmunt Walencik (26 Rocznica Śmierci)	i	
	Wiktoria Walencik -		
10.00 4.15	Od Syna, Kazimierza Walencik z Rodz	ziną.	
10:00 A.M.	+ Jonathan Łupiński -		
11.00 A M	Od Rodziców i Sióstr, Ashley i Emily.		
11:00 A.M.	GORZKIE ŻALE (po polsku).		
<b>MONDAY</b>		4/08/19	
8:00 A.M.			
THECDAY		4/00/10	
TUESDAY 8:00 A.M.	+ Henry Kielkucki Jr	4/09/19	
0.00 H.W.	By Family.		
	Dy runniy.		
WEDNESDA		4/10/19	
8:00 A.M.	+ Rosa Park (Anniversary in Heaven) -		
	By Son, Chang Jo Lee		
THURSDAY	St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr	4/11/19	
8:00 A.M.	•		
FRIDAY		4/12/19	
FRIDAI	DAY OF ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT	4/12/19	
8:00 A.M.	- God's Blessings & Good Health &		
0100121121	To Keep a Good Job Upon Sondra So,		
	George Chen & Stacy Lynn.		
6:30 P. M.	STATIONS OF THE CROSS (in English	)	
7:00 P. M.	Msza św. (po polsku)		
	DROGA KRZYŻOWA (po Mszy św.)		
SATURDAY	St. Martin I, Pope & Martyr	4/13/19	
8:00 A.M.	0.0 1.1 2, 1 0p 0 00 1.1 2, 1	1, 10, 17	
4:00 P. M.	<b>HOLY HOUR</b> with the Exposition of the		
	Most Blessed Sacrament and Benediction	1.	
4:00 P. M.	CONFESSIONS (in Polish & English)		
5:00 P. M.	- O Zdrowie i Boże Błogosławieństwo		
	Dla Jan Szumny - Od Mama.		
	Od Mama.		
PALM SUNI	DAY	4/14/19	
	OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD		
8:00 A.M.	+ Magdalena Koo's Soul -		
10.00 4.35	By Daughter-in-law, Christina Koo.	•1	
10:00 A.M.	+ All Deceased Members of The Tara Pata Fa	mily -	
11:00 A.M.	By Helen Siembab. GORZKIE ŻALE (po polsku).		
11.00 A.M.	GORZKIE ZALE (po poisku).		
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WE EXTEND A SINCERE INVITATION AND HEART-FELT WELCOME TO CATHOLIC FAMILIES AND INDI-VIDUALS TO COME AND SHARE IN WORSHIPING WITH OUR FAITH COMMUNITY. ANYONE WISHING TO REGISTER AS A PARISHIO-

ANYONE WISHING TO REGISTER AS A PARISHIO-NER OF OUR PARISH IS HEARTILY ENCOURAGED TO PLEASE DO SO BY COMPLETING THE LOWER POR-TION OF OUR BULLETIN AND LEAVING THE INFOR-MATION WITH ONE OF OUR USHERS OR AT OUR RECTORY.

| APRIL 7, 2019 | SAINT CASIMIR CHURCH

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FAMILY

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2019

SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2019 MASS AT 5:00 P.M.

ATTENDANCE: 61; COLLECTION: \$ 623.00 SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2019 MASS AT 8:00 A.M.

ATTENDANCE: 48; COLLECTION: \$ 471.00 MASS AT 10:00 A.M.

ATTENDANCE: 214; COLLECTION: \$1,485.00 TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 323 TOTAL COLLECTIONS: \$2,579.00 CHURCH REPAIR & MAINTENANCE FUND: \$1,018.00

#### FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

To the exiles in Babylon, Isaiah fortells a new exodus, when the Lord will lead His people from captivity to freedom. True freedom is rooted in the person of Jesus, not in observance of the Law. It is He who challenges us to examine our own hearts before self-righteously judging others.

THIS WEEKEND, we extend, as one united, loving Faith Community of Saint Casimir Church, all our deep appreciation, enthusiasm, and prayers to our new Pastor, Rev. Marek Rudecki SAC and Associate Pastor, Rev. Wiesław Gaska SAC, who are members of the Pallotine Fathers (Society of the Catholic Apostolate). Let us pledge our profound support and dedication to Fr. Rudecki SAC and Fr. Wiesław Gaska SAC, that we may, united in our love for God, Faith and Parish, together develop a heartfelt, successful and compassionate bond for the wellbeing of all.

HOLY HOUR - Every morning (Monday - Friday) we observe HOLY HOUR with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament prior to our 8 AM Mass. Please come and spend some quality time in private adoration and meditation with Our Savior in the Holy Eucharist - it is truly an exceptional way to begin your day!

TODAY (4/7) - SECOND COLLECTION - REGIONAL SCHOOL TAX - Additional Envelopes for this monthly Archdiocesan Collection are available in the vestibule of our Church.

**TODAY** (4/7) - **GORZKIE ŻALE** - The traditional Lenten lamentation - "**Gorzkie Żale**" (The Seven Last Words of Christ) will be sung in Polish by our faithful in Church at 11:00 AM with Benediction and the Veneration of the Relic of the True Cross.

TODAY (4/7)- 58TH ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS LUNCHEON - Come out today with Polonia from across Westchester to celebrate and support the amazing Spirit of Polonia, as well as all of the extraordinary honorees at the 58th Annual Scholarship Awards Luncheon at the Castle Royale, 92 Waverly St., Yonkers from 12 noon to 2:30 PM. The Luncheon's prestigious program will entail the Sashing of the 2019 Gen. Casimir Pulaski Marshal, our dedicated Mrs. Jadwiga Hajdukiewicz, our beautiful 2019 Miss Polonia, Monika Dworakowska, our lovely 2019 Junior Miss Polonia, Julianna Kaplińska, and the 2019 Citizen of the Year, our consummate Choir Director, Mrs. Anna Kaplińska, as well as the conferring of the 2019 Scholarship Awards upon extremely worthy scholarship re

cipients. The Luncheon will also feature several highl entertaining performances by the Students of our Polish Saturday School, our St. Casimir Children's Choir, and our extremely talented parishioner, Mr. Peter Astriab, who will perform Nocturne Op. 2 No. 2 (by Chopin) and the Bohemian Rhapsody (Queen). Guest Speaker for this afternoon's program is world-renowned, Mr. Bartosz Bilinski

We are proud to CONGRATULATE all of today's amazing Honorees and Scholarship Award recipients, as well as the Westchester Pulaski Association, Inc. - Officers, Directors, Staff and membership, for their outstanding dedication, perseverance, and enthusiasm in endeavoring to continue the propagation and perpetuation of the profound Heritage, Traditions, Culture and Love for the magnificent Spirit of Polonia!

## MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2019 LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE

(Polish and English)
AT 6 PM IN CHURCH

Everyone is most wholeheartedly urged to please set aside some time in the evening of April 8th to attend our LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE in order to fully prepare your mind, your spirit and, most importantly, your soul to fully participate in the extremely sacrificial and penitential observance of Holy Week (Palm Sunday - April 14th through Holy Saturday Vigil - April 20th) and culminating with the glorious celebration of the magnificent Resurrection of Our Savior on Easter Sunday, April 21st.

THURSDAY (4/11) -CLEANING OUR CHURCH - We cordially invite the very dedicated ladies (and gentlemen) of our Parish to please come and help "Spring Clean" our Church at 6:30 P.M., so that we may refresh our Church in preparation for Our Savior's triumphant Resurrection on Easter Sunday. You are kindly asked to please bring your own cleaning solutions and implement.

**FRIDAY (4/12) - STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - Throughout the Season of Lent, The **Stations of the Cross Services** will be offered every Friday in English at 6:30 PM (except Good Friday - April 19th) and in Polish at 7 PM.

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (4/14) - With our observance of PALM SUNDAY, we commemorate Christ's messianic entrance into Jerusalem, today also commences our observance of HOLY WEEK, profoundly the most solemn and penitential week of our Christian Liturgical Calendar.

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BLESSED PALM – Palm will be available and Blessed during each of our Sunday Masses (including our Saturday evening Mass at 5:00 PM). However, an extremely beautiful and deeply meaningful Solemn Procession and Palm Blessing will be observed during our Sunday, 10 AM Polish Mass.

PALM SUNDAY - SECOND COLLECTION - PALM AND EASTER FLOWER COLLECTION - We are asking for your continued generosity for this special and highly beloved traditional Easter Collection. It is our sincere hope, that through this Collection for Palm Easter Flowers, all of our faithful will enjoy the opportunity to share in adorning our beautiful Church with lovely seasonal flowers to reflect the majesty of Our Savior's triumph and glorious Resurrection on Easter Sunday. Additional Palm and Easter Flower Envelopes are available in the vestibule of our Church.

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## PIATA NIEDZIELA WIELKIEGO POSTU

Na świecie ciągle zbyt wielu jest tych, którzy potępiają, a także zbyt wielu obojętnych i pobłażliwych. I wciąż za mało jest ludzi prawdziwie miłosiernych. Jeśli zajmujesz się sądzeniem innych, to znaczy, że zapominasz o tym, iż sam jesteś grzesznikiem. Zapomniałeś, że Jezus przychodzi nie do tych, którzy potępiają, ale do tych, którzy są grzeszni. Szkoda czasu i energii na porównywanie się z innymi, na sądzenie ich. A przede wszystkim szkoda nie skorzystać z łaski przebaczenia, którą Bóg każdego dnia chce nas obdarzać.

**DZISIAJ (4/7) – DRUGA KOLEKTA – REGIONAL SCHOOL TAX. -** Wszyskim ofiarodawcom składamy serdeczne Bóg zapłać!

DZISIAJ (4/7) - GORZKIE ŻALE - należące do pięknych tradycji uświeconych praktyką wielkopostną, odprawiamy w każdą niedzielę o 11:00 AM.

SPOWIEDŹ - przed Świętami Wielkanocnymi odbędzie się w poniedziałek, 8 kwietnia, od godz. 6:00 PM.

**CZWARTEK** (4/11) – wszystkich chętnych pragnących pomóc przy sprzątaniu kościoła przed świętami, zapraszamy na godz. 6:30 wieczorem. Proszę zabrać ze sobą swoje środki czystości.

**PIĄTEK (4/12) - DROGA KRZYŻOWA po polsku -** po Mszy św. o godz. 7 PM. Zapraszamy do wspólnej modlitwy.

NIEDZIELA PALMOWA (4/14) - DRUGA KOLE-KTA – przeznaczona na pokrycie kosztów palm na Niedzielę Palmową oraz kwiatów i dekoracji na Wielki Tydzień i Zmartwychwstanie Pańskie.

### WEEKDAY MASSES ARE STILL AVAILABLE!!

PLEASE NOTE: we still have a number of WEEKDAY Masses throughout this current year readily available to fulfill your personal Holy Mass intentions. Perhaps you have a deceased beloved family member or friend you would like to remember with the celebration of Holy Mass, or offer a Mass In Thanksgiving for God's wondrous Blessings or a Mass you would like to be celebrated for a cherished living person. If so, please contact our Rectory; we would be most pleased to assist you in arranging for the celebration of the Holy Eucharist to be celebrated in fulfillment of your Mass requests.

BUS TRIP TO WEST POINT - KOŚCIUSZKO DAY CELEBRATION at the US Military Academy sponsored by the Westchester Pulaski Asso., Inc. on Saturday, April 27th. The itinerary for this culturally and historically enriching trip will include Mass at 9:45 AM in the Cadet Chapel of the Most Holy Trinity; followed by the USMA Cadet Review at the Parade grounds and the Annual Kościuszko Observance at the Kościuszko Monument at 12:30 PM; as well as a most insightful tour of this highly prestigious military site. Please bring your own lunch. The bus will depart from St. Casimir Church promptly at 7:30 AM and is expected to return to Yonkers by approximately 4 PM. Tickets for this trip are \$10.00 per person (\$5.00 per child). A \$5.00 deposit must be given to hold a reservation (with all tickets prepaid prior to the trip). For further information and reservations, please contact: Terry at 914-476-2326, tlipska@yahoo.com or Lucyna at 914 320-2049 lucy. okrutniak@gmail.com. The deadline for reservations is Wednesday, April 24, 2019



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