



HOLY TRINITY R.C. POLISH CHURCH

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Mass schedule at our church: Monday to Friday 7 pm (Polish);
Saturday 8 am (English);
Sunday 9 am (English), 10:30 am & 12:30 pm (Polish).

BULLETIN FOR TWO SUNDAYS

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 13, 2025

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 20, 2025

Today's Gospel reminds us of the commandment of love. When Jesus is asked by a scholar of the Law how to attain eternal life, He turns the question back and encourages the man to answer it himself, knowing the Law. The scholar replies by quoting two verses from the Old Testament concerning love of God and love of neighbor.

This good answer pleases the Master, who even praises the scholar. However, the man asks a further question: "Who is my neighbor?" To answer, Jesus tells a parable. He speaks of a man considered foreign and heretical by the Jews - a Samaritan - who helps a person injured and left by the roadside. Neither a priest nor a Levite helps

the poor man. But the Samaritan, despite everything, is moved by compassion. He not only gives first aid but also takes the wounded man to an inn and entrusts him to the innkeeper.

The Samaritan does far more than what custom or duty of the time would have required. Through this parable, Jesus broadens the understanding of the Jewish concept of "neighbor." A neighbor is not only someone with whom we share kinship, race, religion, or other ties, but anyone in need - regardless of their background.

Love includes all people, for each one of us is a child of God the Father.

Parish News

**The parish bulletin* can be read online on the website of our Parish Family: <https://olph.dionet.org>

**In July*, the Church encourages special devotion to the Precious Blood of Our Lord Jesus. Let us pray daily the Litany of the Most Precious Blood of Christ, through which we have been redeemed.

**During July and August*, the parish bulletin will be published every two weeks.

**The youth of our parish*, together with Sister Elzbieta and Father Stanislaw, will take part in the Jubilee of Youth in Rome (July 19 - August 4). Mass intentions can be submitted for Holy Masses that will be celebrated in various Italian sanctuaries.

**You can follow the pilgrimage* of our parish youth in Rome and across Italy on Instagram: Holy Trinity Parish Youth @worshipwarriors.pl

We will pray every day for the intentions entrusted to Fr. Stan.

**Donations June 29:* W-D \$3,140; Easter \$100; Priest pension \$160; Youth \$9,500 (Polonia Centre).

Donations July 6:* W-D \$3,690; B-F \$20; Priest pension \$100; the Icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help \$2,450. **Thank you!

Best wishes

The Sacrament of Baptism* was received by **Victoria Karpinski, daughter of Beata Skorupa and Lukasz Karpinski (July 13). May the good Lord bless them abundantly.

Thank You

**To the Polonia Centre* for supporting our youth's trip to Rome for the Youth Jubilee with \$9,500.

**With all my heart*, I thank everyone who supported (\$2,450) the initiative to bring an authentic copy of the Icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help from the Shrine in Rome! On July 24th, we will pick up the ordered Icon and, through the intercession of the Blessed Mother, we will pray at the Sanctuary for the intentions of all the Benefactors. Fr. Stan



" You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength,
and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself." Luke 10:27

Other Announcements

**All students of Polish Descent* pursuing a Graduate degree are invited to apply for a Polonia Centre GRADUATE scholarship. Visit www.poloniawindsor.ca for information.

**43rd Annual Walking Pilgrimage* to the Shrine of the Canadian Martyrs in Midland (August 4–10). Registration is online only at www.pielgrzymka.ca The parish pilgrimage group will reimburse the registration costs for children after the pilgrimage.

**16th Annual Cycling Pilgrimage* from London to Midland (August 4-10) under the spiritual guidance of the Michaelite Fathers. For information and registration, please contact Ula and Janek at 519-472-0564.

**Bishop John Michael Catholic Leadership Scholarship.* This scholarship is available to full-time first-year students (including high school graduates, mature, and transfer students) who are members of a parish within the Diocese of London and whose financial situation makes attending university especially difficult. The award supports students who have the potential to make a positive impact on the Catholic community and the common good of society. Application deadline: July 30, 2025. Learn more and apply at:

www.kings.uwo.ca/future-students/finances/funding/entrance-scholarships

**All are invited to Catholic Faith Fest 2025*, a joyful, diocesan-wide family celebration of our Catholic faith! When? - Saturday, August 9, 2025. Where? - Good Shepherd Parish, Lakeshore. The evening will begin with Mass at 5 pm., celebrated by Bishop Fabbro, followed by a variety of fun and faith-filled activities for all ages. Everyone is welcome!

**Rosaries for Parishioners* - Pauline and Jim Kennedy from St. Thomas offering rosaries, at no charge, to diocesan parishioners. They have Mission Rosaries, Jubilee Rosaries and rosaries in other colours. If you would like one, please call 226-777-0779 to request your preferred type/colour and arrange to pick it up.

**The Polish School at Holy Trinity Parish* will begin the new school year on Saturday, September 13th. Registration is open from August 18th to September 7th, and can be completed online only at: www.wecdsb.on.ca/programs/ilp For more information or assistance with registration, please contact Sr. Teresa at 519-990-3628. Everyone is welcome!

Fragment of the Bull announcing the Jubilee Year

25. In our journey towards the Jubilee, let us return to Scripture and realize that it speaks to us in these words: "May we who have taken refuge in Him be strongly encouraged to seize the hope set before us. We have this hope, a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters our inner shrine behind the curtain, where Jesus, a forerunner on our behalf, has entered" (Heb 6:18-20). Those words are a forceful encouragement for us never to lose the hope we have been given, to hold fast to that hope and to find in God our refuge and our strength.

The image of the anchor is eloquent; it helps us to recognize the stability and security that is ours amid the troubled waters of this life, provided we entrust ourselves to the Lord Jesus. The storms that buffet us will never prevail, for we are firmly anchored in the hope born of grace, which enables us to live in Christ and to overcome sin, fear and death. This hope, which transcends life's fleeting pleasures and the achievement of our immediate goals, makes us rise above our trials and difficulties, and inspires us to keep pressing forward, never losing sight of the grandeur of the heavenly goal to which we have been called.

In our church

**Sacrament of Reconciliation* at our parish: 30 minutes before Holy Mass.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary* (prayer for peace) Mon. to Fri. from 6 pm

**Mothers Prayers.* Tuesdays at 6 pm in the church.

**Permanent Novena to Mother of Perpetual Help* every Wednesday after Mass at 7 pm.

**Men's Rosary.* Thursdays at 6:30 pm in the church.