



THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Year "A"

Responsorial Psalm: "The Lord is near to all who call upon him."

We come to Christ so that we may have life. For us, to live is Christ, and to die is gain. Christ came so that, through faith in Him, we might be born of God and never die. Everyone who believes in Christ has eternal life and will not come under judgment, because they have passed from death to life. Christ calls us to repentance and faith in the Gospel, so that we may not perish but become a new creation and enter the Kingdom of God. We are called to seek the Lord, to call upon Him, to turn away from sinful ways and return to Him, receiving His forgiveness and living for God. God's ways are not the ways of the world, and His thoughts are not the thoughts of the world. The Lord tells us: "The last will be first, and the first will be last."

Catechesis #98

Today's Topic: "Amen"

In this week's catechesis, you will find answers to these and other questions:

- What are we really saying when we say "Amen"?
- Did you know that "Amen" is also a name for Christ?
- What does our "Amen" mean when we receive Holy Communion?

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Through the sacrament of Baptism, we welcome into the Church:



Cecilia Grace Ociesca
Hannah Rose Janda

We wish the parents and godparents of the newly baptized
God's blessing and protection of Our Lady of Ludzmiarz for every day.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

during the past week it was celebrated by:

Daniel Pliszka, son of Piotr and Katarzyna
Ashley Vuckovic, daughter of Vladimir and Yvonne

Shanahan Arulnathan, son of Manuelpillai and Beatrice
Nivethini Christyrajana, daughter of Paul and Asanthapathma

Johnathan Szeliga, son of Wieslaw and Jolanta
Natalia Banaszak, daughter of Mariusz and Katarzyna

We congratulate the newly married couples and pray that God will bless them abundantly and that
Our Lady of Ludzmiarz will watch over them throughout their married life.

ROSARY PRAYER

- In September, Monday through Friday at 6:30 p.m. This week led by
Rose #24 – Venerable Pauline Jaricot.
- **Rosary for Priests** – Tuesdays following the evening Mass.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Anyone wishing to join our Eucharistic Adoration group is invited to contact
Beata Konieczna at 647-403-7407 or 647-403-7407.

BIBLE STUDY

Our Bible Study: Salvation History begins on **September 17**. Through 23 sessions, participants will journey through the history of salvation while growing in prayer, building Christian community, participating in interactive group discussions, and learning from outstanding biblical scholars through video presentations.

Info: st.eugenebiblestudy@gmail.com

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027

World Youth Day will take place in **Seoul, South Korea, August 3-8, 2027.**

Flight: **July 29 – August 2, 2027.** Two options are available:

- Flight + transportation – **CAD \$4,225 + package – USD \$410**
- Flight + transportation + two one-day local excursions – **CAD \$4,495 + package – USD \$410**

Registration open until the end of September. For young people **ages 16-25.**

Please contact Fr. Tomasz: padretjomi@outlook.com for more information.

CATECHISM 2026-2027

Wednesday: 18:30-19:30 Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation (POL, ENG)

Thursday: 18:00-19:00 "The Good Shepherd," (ENG, children ages 3-5)

18:00-19:00 Preparation for First Holy Communion (POL, ENG)

Saturday:

13:30-14:30 "The Good Shepherd," (POL, children ages 3-5)

13:30-14:30 Senior Kids (POL, children ages 5, 6 and 7)

13:30-14:30 Preparation for First Holy Communion (POL)

13:30-14:30 Post-First Communion classes for children in Grades 3-5 (POL)

Registration for Catechism classes is now open. Registration forms are available on the parish website demazenod.org. Completed forms should be emailed to siostra.eugeniusz@gmail.com or delivered to the parish office **by the end of September 2026.**

For registration for First Holy Communion and Confirmation, the child's **Baptismal certificate and the signatures of both parents** are required.

Catechism classes will begin the week after Thanksgiving.

DAY OF RECOLLECTION FOR CHILDREN

Saturday, September 26, from 12:30-16:00 — a gathering for children and youth will be held in St. Anthony Room. For more information, please contact Sr. Anna.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2027

Mass intentions for 2027 will be accepted on **Wednesday, October 7, from 9:00 to 20:00 in the sacristy.** Each family may request **one Sunday Mass intention and two weekday intentions** at this time. After this date, intentions may be requested during regular parish office hours. **Mass intentions will not be accepted by phone or online.**

THE MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION

Invites you to the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel on **Sunday, September 20.** Holy Mass will be celebrated at 2:00 pm, followed by the traditional parish picnic. St. Peter's Church, 6056 Ninth Line, Mississauga.

PARISH BANQUET

Saturday, October 31, 2026

Millennium Gardens Banquet Centre

The Rosary Society of St. Eugene de Mazenod Parish invites everyone to an

"Evening of Community, Faith and Hope." Starting at 5:00 pm Holy Mass for parishioners, benefactors and sponsors.

Doors open at 6:00 pm, Dinner at 7:00 pm. Raffle and great entertainment.

Tickets will be available for purchase on **Sunday, September 20, after the Masses.** Info: Halina – 905-216-2762

ST. EUGENE FOUNDATION

The St. Eugene Foundation **"Hope for the Future"** warmly invites everyone on **Saturday, November 14** to Millennium Gardens to celebrate **30 years of service** with a special banquet. Info and tickets: Bożena – 647-213-6493

"ŹRÓDŁO"

Polish Folk Song and Dance Ensemble "Źródło" is accepting children and youth **ages 6-15** for the 2026/2027 school year. Classes are held Thursdays from **18:00-20:00** in the lower hall of the Our Lady of Ludzmiarz House.

Classes begin **September 10.** Info: Natalia Chmielewska – 647-207-1019

Everyone is welcome!

MEETINGS

- **September 20** – Information meeting with Fr. Tomasz about the upcoming World Youth Day
- **September 22** – Catholic Moms, St. Faustina's room

RCIA REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** for adults **19 years of age and older**.

RCIA is intended for those who wish to become Catholic through Baptism, as well as baptized Catholics who have not yet received First Holy Communion or Confirmation. Please register through the parish office at 905-451-1422.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

From **Wednesday, September 23 to Sunday, November 1**, another **40 Days for Life** campaign will take place in Mississauga, promoting the protection of human life from conception to natural death. Our parish is invited to participate in prayerful vigil on **Sundays, October 4 and 11, from 7:00 to 19:00**.

For more information, please see the flyers in the church vestibule or contact mississauga40days@gmail.com; www.40daysforlife.com/mississauga/

CHAIN OF LIFE

The "Chain of Life" is a peaceful, prayerful witness in defence of human life and against the tragedy of abortion. **This year, our parish is invited to gather along Steeles Ave., in front of our church, on Sunday, October 4, after the 12:30 Mass.**

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

The Polish-language Bereavement Support Group at St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish in Mississauga offers community and spiritual support; it is not a therapeutic support group. The program consists of 8 weekly sessions. The first session will begin on October 19, 2026. Registration is required. To register, please contact the parish office at St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish: (905) 848-2420.

HELP FOR PEOPLE STRUGGLING WITH ADDICTION

In **July 1983**, Elvira Petrozzi founded the "Cenacolo" Community in Italy. The community offers support to people who feel lost in life and are struggling with addictions. Its approach is based on prayer, work, and relationships with others. There are four Cenacolo centres in Poland. More info: cenacolo@onet.pl and [Cenacolo Community – Florida](http://CenacoloCommunity-Florida)

PRE-MARRIAGE COURSE

At St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish, **from October 6 to November 24, 2026**. Sessions are **held on Mondays at 20:00** in the parish hall. Registration is available at www.kolbe.ca under Liturgy and Sacraments / Sacrament of Marriage. The next session will be offered in February.

PARISH REGISTRATION AND CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Families and individuals who have joined our parish community are encouraged to formally register with the parish. Parish registration and change-of-address forms are available at www.demazenod.org and at the parish office. Completed forms may be submitted to the parish office or placed in the collection basket during Mass.

FRESH CABBAGE

Our parish youth invite you to purchase fresh heads of cabbage on Saturday and Sunday, October 17–18. We encourage you to place your order in advance. The order list is available in the sacristy. Thank you for supporting this fundraising initiative to help cover the cost of the youth trip to Korea.

COFFEE and DONUTS

- September 20** – Kropeczki
- September 27** – Living Rosary Society
- October 4** – Youth Group
- October 11** – Living Rosary Society
- October 18** – Friends of the Mission Group
- October 125** – Living Rosary Society

CHURCH CLEANING

Friday, September 25 – Rosary Society (groups: 1, 2, 3, 4). Volunteers are always welcome. Please contact Aleksandra Kaszkur at 647-830-8364.

OUR THANKS and GRATITUDE

We extend our thanks to all those who have recently helped at our parish:

Church – T. Kopacz, A. Skalski, S. Kolanowski, E. Snarski, R. Polowczyk
Cleaning – Families: Kaszkur, Kuś, Krawczyński, Thompson – Stkoe and: B. Sarkowicz, M. Żbikowska, B. Pierzchlewska, P. Chorobik, F. Szapiel, M. Sikora, M. Lewicki, M. Gieniec, A. Gregorczyk, F. Gregorczyk and Volunteers
Businesses – EuroMax Foods, Price Chop Cleaners – for their continued support in maintaining our parish.

PARISH MAINTENANCE

Materials Cost – Our Lady of Ludźmierz House (MBL): \$20,466.55.

Amount raised to date: \$17,830.00 (87.12% of the total cost)

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend – is for expenses related to materials for work completed at the Our Lady of Ludźmierz House

Next weekend – the second collection will be designated to help reduce the debt incurred during the construction of our church.

OFFERTORY

Parish Support..... \$ 10,595,00

Special collection for the Retreat Preacher..... \$ 3,660,00

May God reward your generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS and DEVOTIONS

SATURDAY, September 19

8:30 – † For Zofia and Stanisław Kapel and Anna and Jan Zych

17:00 – † For Marek Sadowski – *family and daughter*

18:30 – For Parishioners

SUNDAY, September 20

8:00 – † For Balbina and Mieczysław Ciesla

9:30 – † For Ludwika and Bolesław Mróz

11:00 – For the Scouts of the "Żarzewie" and "Bałtyk" Groups and for the children beginning the new school year

12:30 – For God's blessings and needed graces for Grażyna and Stanisław Ładej on their 50th wedding anniversary

18:00 – Thanksgiving, asking for continued God's blessings for Karolina and Adam

MONDAY, September 21 – St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

8:30 – † Marianna Kurka, on the 1st anniversary of her death – *daughter with family*

19:00 – † Mariusz Żołyński, on the 3rd anniversary of his death – *sister with family*

TUESDAY, September 22

8:30 – † Stanisław Kulik – *wife*

19:00 – † Józef, Kazimiera and Marek Derewiecki, on the anniversary of their deaths – *daughter with family*

- *Devotion to Blessed Karolina Kózkówna*

WEDNESDAY, September 23 – St. Pio of Pietrelcina, Priest

8:30 – For God's blessings and the gifts of the Holy Spirit for **Nikodem Pio** on the occasion of his name day – *dad*

19:00 – *Devotion to Our Lady of Ludźmierz*
Mass offered for the collective intentions

THURSDAY, September 24

8:30 – † Wiktoria Trzcińska – *residents of Villa Polonia*

19:00 – † Irena and Wacław Piątas – *Jacek and Anna*

FRIDAY, September 25

8:30 – † Maria Gronau – *Living Rosary*

19:00 – 1, † Władysława and Józef Lis – *family*

2, In thanksgiving for the gift of Anna Koziół's life, with a prayer for God's blessings

SATURDAY, September 26

8:30 – † Kazimierz and Roman Kiecz – *family*

17:00 – For God's blessings and all the graces needed for grandson Natan Pietraszek – *daughter with family*

18:30 – † For the repose of the soul of Emilia Sagan – *father and siblings*

SUNDAY, September 27

8:00 – For God's blessings and the protection of Our Lady for Karol Wojcik - *family*

9:30 – For God's blessings and the grace of healing for Halina – *husband with family*

11:00 – † Weronika and Stanisław Guzdek

12:30 – For good health and God's blessings for Sr. Michalina on the occasion of her birthday and name day

18:00 – For Parishioners

Readings for September 27, 2026

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading – Ezekiel 18:25–28

Psalm: 25:4–5a, 6 + 7b, 8–9

Second Reading – Philippians 2:1–11

Gospel – Matthew 21:28–32