



THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, year C

Responsorial psalm: "God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor."

The pursuit of excellence, recognition, and honor can hinder our souls. Comparing ourselves to others or striving to outshine them reveals our struggle to find true joy in the Lord and embrace His gifts. When we partake in the Eucharist with faith in Jesus' infinite and unique love, we no longer seek fulfillment for our deepest desires elsewhere. Simplicity, humility, and a spirit of service illuminate the lives of those whom Jesus has set free.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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



Fopefoluwa Eileen Adedamola
Noah Preston Glyn-Williams

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

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

This week:



Janith Shehan Perera, son of Telasinghe and Shamen
M L Dewmini Perera, daughter of Damocian and Anita

Dariusz Robert Plewa, son of Kazimierz and Irena
Anna Marie Kolodziej, daughter of Andrew and Barbara

Sebastian Henryk Ganrysiak, son of Dariusza and Bogumily
Victoria Maria Stawiarz, daughter of Janusz and Agnieszka

Celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage. We wish them an abundance of God's graces and the loving care of Our Lady of Ludzmierz on their new journey towards holiness.

DEATH NOTICE

Last week, we entrusted to God's mercy:

† **Slawomir Nawrocki (65)**

Eternal rest, grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.



FIRST THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

This week is the first Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday of the month. We invite everyone:

- On **Thursday** – Eucharistic Devotion
- On **Friday** - Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
- On **Saturday** – Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

EXCHANGE OF HOLY ROSARY MYSTERIES

Saturday, September 6, after the 6:30 PM Mass – English-speaking groups;

Sunday, September 7, after the 8:00 and 11:00 AM Mass – Polish-speaking groups

HOLY ROSARY



We invite all parishioners to pray the Holy Rosary from **Monday to Friday at 6:30 PM. Group 10 – Our Lady of Ludzmierz** will lead the Rosary this week.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Begin your journey toward a deeper relationship with Jesus by spending time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament at our Perpetual Adoration Chapel. Please contact Beata Konieczna at 647-403-7407 for more information.

THE CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY IN CITIES AROUND THE WORLD!

On **Sunday, September 28th**, immediately after the 12:30 PM Mass, the "Iskra of Divine Mercy" group from Łódź, along with the Sanctuary of Divine Mercy in Białystok, invites you to join us in prayer. This event commemorates the anniversary of the beatification of Blessed Michał Sopoćko, the confessor of St. Faustina. For this year's intentions and more information, please visit www.iskra.jezuici.pl.

MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES

Couples celebrating their marriage anniversaries will have the opportunity to renew their marriage vows on **Sunday, September 14, 2025, at 12:30 p.m.** during a solemn, indulgent Holy Mass. Couples are encouraged to check in at the sacristy or the parish office for more information.



MARIAN FEAST in Honour of OUR LADY OF LUDZMIERZ, THE MOHER OF GOOD COUNSEL, QUEEN OF POLISH-CANADIANS

September 14, 2025



This year's program of events:

Triduum - September 10-12 (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)

7:00 pm – Marian Devotion with petitions and thanks

- Holy Mass
- Marian Procession with candles around the church
- Marian Appeal

Community Day – Saturday, September 13 from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm:

- Blessing of cars, trucks, and their drivers every half hour
- BBQ hosted by the Worriers of Mary
- Garage Sale (we will be accepting items starting Sept 10 at the rectory)
- Blessings of children's bicycles at 3 PM
- 5:00 pm – Holy Mass in the chapel of Meadowvale Cemetery
- 6:30 pm – Holy Mass (English)

SUNDAY, September 14:

Masses according to regular schedule: 8:00, 9:30 (English), 11:00 am, 6:00 pm
12:30 pm – High Mass

After the 12:30 Mass, we invite everyone to a Polish-style picnic!

If you or your business would like to sponsor a prize for our lottery, please contact the parish office – your generosity can make a meaningful difference!

Catechesis 2025 – 2026

Wednesday: 18:30 – 19:30 Confirmation Classes (Pol. & Eng.)

Thursday: 18:30 – 19:30 Good Shepherd Eng. (children ages 3-5)
18:00 – 19:00 First Communion Classes Pol. & Eng.

Saturday:

13:30 – 14:30 Good Shepherd in Polish (children ages 3-5)

13:30 – 14:30 Senior Kids Pol. (children ages 5, 6, 7)

13:30 – 14:30 First Communion Classes in Polish.

13:30 – 14:30 Children grades 3 – 5 (post First Communion) in Polish

Registration for the 2026 catechesis is now open. Registration forms can be downloaded from our website: <http://demazenod.org/>. Completed forms should be sent to the address: siostra.eugeniusz@gmail.com or delivered to the parish office by the end of September. Please note that a certificate of baptism is required when registering for First Communion and Confirmation, and it must be signed by both parents. Classes will start the week after Thanksgiving.

SUPPORT FOR MARRIAGES IN CRISIS

The Catholic Apostolate "Retrouvaille" warmly invites couples in crisis to a transformative retreat at the Queen of the Apostles Retreat House in Mississauga from September 4-7 this year. This program is designed to empower couples to enhance their communication, foster trust, and navigate conflict with greater ease and grace. Discover the potential for renewal at www.helpourmarriage.org

LONG WEEKEND

We kindly remind everyone that the parish office will be closed on **Monday, September 1**, for the Labor Day long weekend.

RCIA – RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

This year, our Parish will be offering the RCIA – The Rite of Christian Initiation Program for adults (19+) who wish to become members of the Catholic Church or are missing one of the sacraments of Christian initiation: First Communion or Confirmation. For more information, please contact the parish office at 905-451-1422.

ADVERTISEMENT IN THE BULLETIN

Individuals and companies wishing to advertise in the parish bulletin should contact the parish office by **September 30 at (905) 451-1422**. Ads will appear in the weekly printed newsletter and on parafia@demazenod.org under the "Bulletin" tab. We warmly invite all those interested and encourage you to consider the services of companies that advertise in the parish bulletin.

- Requests to update **parish group leader names** and phone numbers for the bulletin are accepted **until September 30** at the parish office, Tel. 905-451-1422.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS

The Board of the Perpetual Fund of the Christian Polish Millennium announces student scholarships. Application forms are available at www.millenniumfund.ca. Completed forms must be sent by regular mail to the Millennium office and **postmarked by September 15, 2025**.

PREMARITAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

St. Maximilian Kolbe parish will offer a premarital course for couples who have never been married, from **October 6 to November 24, 2025**. Classes are on **Mondays at 8:00 p.m.** in the parish hall. Please register at www.kolbe.ca. A separate premarital course for remarried couples is available through Catholic Family Services. For details, visit www.cfstoronto.com.

PILGRIMAGE MEETING

Join us for an evening of fun and dinner on September 20, 2025!

Program: 5:00 p.m. – Holy Mass at St. Eugene de Mazenod Parish

6:30 p.m. – Festivities at the House of Our Lady of Ludzmierz.

Activities include a lottery, a pilgrimage video, and music by DJ Bocian and Maciek.

For more information, please call 647-588-5870 or 416-873-7652.

ATTENTION RESIDENTS OF VILLA POLONIA

Beginning September 1, we will be implementing a prohibition on overnight parking in the parking lot of St. Eugene de Mazenod Parish. This measure is necessary to ensure the safety and accessibility of our community. Vehicles parked overnight will be subject to fines, and repeated violations may lead to towing. We appreciate your cooperation in keeping our area safe and welcoming!

SCOUTS

Join the "Bałtyk" and "Zarzewie" Water Scout Troops for the 2025/2026 Scouting Year! Meetings are on Tuesdays for kids ages 7 to 16. The first meeting is scheduled for September 16th, with registration taking place on September 9th from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Our Lady of Ludzmierz House.

COFFEE AND DONUTS

August 31 – The Men's Rosary Group

September 7 –

September 14 – Parish Picnic

CHURCH CLEANING

Friday, August 29 – The Knights of Columbus

All volunteers are asked to contact Aleksandra Kaszkur at 647-830-8364.

OUR THANKS AND GRATITUDE

We would like to thank those who have recently worked at our parish:

Church – E. Snarski, H. Żyła, S. Kolanowski, T. Kopacz, A. Skalski, R. Polowczyk

Cleaning – Families: Kaszkur Kuś, Dudek and: B. Sarkowicz, M. Żbikowska, B. Pierzchlewska., Z. Słota, M. Sikora, R. Cegielski, RF. Szapiel Rosary Society

Businesses – EuroMax Foods and Price Chop Cleaners - thank you for your continued support in helping our parish.

THE CURRENT COST OF MAINTAINING THE PARISH

"Letter of Credit" Closing Cost	- \$62,000.00
Snow Removal from the property	\$18,000.00
Cost of Insurance	\$28,000.00
Cost of Electricity	- \$62,000.00
Total	\$170,000.00

* To date, \$107,481 has been collected, representing 63.22% of the required amount. *

THE SECOND COLLECTION

Today, the 2nd collection is for the parish loan repayment

Next Sunday, there will be a second collection for the parish maintenance costs.

OFFERINGS

Parish.....	\$ 10,087.00
Parish maintenance costs.....	\$ 3,737.00

May God reward your generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS AND DEVOTIONS

SATURDAY, August 30

8:30 – For God's Blessings and necessary Graces for Beata Konieczna with gratitude for the coordination of perpetual adoration – *Adores*

17:00 – † Franciszek Waz and † Mirosław Watroba - *Family*

18:30 – † Parents Maria and Franciszek Kaniak – *Daughter and Family*

SUNDAY, August 31

8:00 – † Roman Czop on the 9th Anniversary of Death and all the

Departed from the Zulinski, Czop and Nagorka Families - *Family*

9:30 – For God's Blessings and the Gifts of the Holy Spirit for Fr. Jan Kolodnyński on his Birthday

11:00 – For God's Blessings for children and parents – *Parents*

12:30 – 1. For God's Blessings and protection of Our Lady of Ludzmierz

for Tomasz Habel on his 40th Birthday – *Wife Monika*

– 2. For God's Blessings for Marzena Bochinska on her birthday

18:00 – For Parishioners and Benefactors

MONDAY, September 1

8:30 – † Stanisław Kulik – *Family*

19:00 – † Józefa Emilia Krawczyk – *Danusia and Sławek*

TUESDAY, September 2

8:30 – † Adam Wroński – *son Andrzej with Family*

19:00 – † Kazimiera Bohdanowicz on the 4th Anniversary of Death –

Daughter with Family

– *Holy Family Devotion*

WEDNESDAY, September 3 – Gregory the Great

8:30 – For God's Blessings and the Gifts of the Holy Spirit for

grandchildren – *Andrzej and Maria Wronski*

19:00 – *Our Lady of Ludzmierz Devotion*

Mass with GROUP INTENTIONS

THURSDAY, September 4

8:30 – † Zbigniewa Osipiuk on the 8th Anniversary of Death – *Wife*

– *Eucharistic Devotion*

19:00 – For God's Blessings and God's Grace for Teresa Musiał on her

Birthday – *Friends*

– *Eucharistic Devotion*

FRIDAY, September 5

8:30 – For God's Blessings and God's Grace for Halina and Ryszard Polowczyk on their Wedding Anniversary

– *Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

19:00 – For God's Blessings and protection of Our Lady of Ludzmierz for Danuta and Janusz on their Birthdays

– *Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

SATURDAY, September 6

8:30 – For all members of the Rosary Society

– *Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary*

17:00 – † Wilma Janiczak – *Daughter with Family*

18:30 – For all members of the Rosary Society – Eng. group

SUNDAY, September 7

8:00 – † For all those entered into the Perpetual Mass Book

9:30 – For Parishioners and Benefactors

11:00 – For the souls suffering in purgatory

12:30 – † Helena Magda on the 13th Anniversary of Death – *Children*

18:00 – In Thanksgiving and for the healing Grace for Robert on his Birthday – *Family*

NEXT SUNDAY, September 7

First Reading: *Wis. 9.13-18*

Responsorial Psalm: *90.3-4, 5-6, 1213, 14+17*

Second Reading: *Philem. 9b-10, 12-17*

Gospel: *Lk. 14.25-33*