

ST. JOSEPH PARISH, POLISH NATIONAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

worshipping at the

BISHOP KARDAS MEMORIAL HOME

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Pastor - Father Krzysztof Mendelewski

Assistant Priest - Father Thomas Sheha

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

(unless otherwise announced)

Saturday: Holy Mass 7:00 PM Spanish

Sunday : Holy Mass 9:00 AM English

11:00 AM Polish

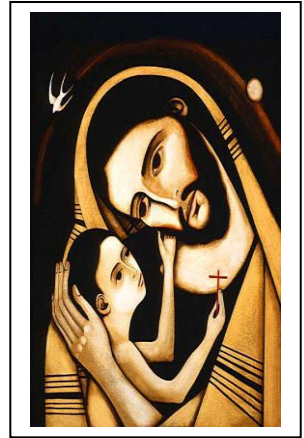
Daily: Morning Prayer ... 8:15 AM

Holy Mass 8:30 AM

Vespers- (Mondays/Feast Days) 5:00 PM

Marriage: 6 months prior arrangement

Baptisms : by appointment



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February 19, 2012

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time B

Sexto Domingo Ordinario B

Szosta Niedziela Zwyczajna B



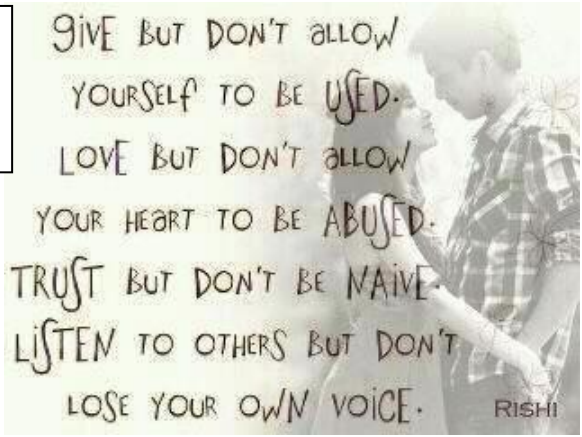
Our website: www.stjosephpnnc.org

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

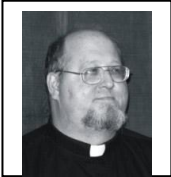
If this is your first visit with us, please sign our guest register in the vestibule and join us for a cake and coffee fellowship that follows every Sunday Mass and on various feast days of the Church year. St Joseph Parish, Polish National Catholic Church has been an integral part of the Davie / Broward County Community for the past twenty nine years and the Bishop Kardas Memorial Home has been serving the retirement needs of Polish National Catholics in South Florida since 1956. We hope to continue our growth in service to God and community. This commitment manifests itself in a regular devotional and prayer life and a greater participation in both ecumenical and community activities. At St. Joseph PARISH, our primary emphasis is on the PARISH family. All who belong

sense this family spirit - expressed in a real love and concern for one another. Our pastor makes a point to know each family on a one-to-one basis with frequent visits to family homes and to the hospitalized. Thus the spiritual health and vitality of all parishioners and all our friends is supported by both pastor and laity. We invite You to join our PARISH family! If you are looking for a PARISH and are considering St. Joseph's, feel free to talk with any parishioner about it. We will introduce you to our family in all its wonderful aspects - a family whose real strength lies in our personal and real relationship to Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. We express this faith in our Church through our liturgy which is Catholic and traditional, shared between priest and laity. We demonstrate this faith in the prayerful material and emotional support we give one another. We share this faith in a Church rooted in Democratic principles and a church constitution giving laity full rights and due process in matters financial, administrative and material. OUR PARISH...firm in faith, Catholic, democratic, and OPEN to the growth that comes as more join our family. MAKE YOURSELF RIGHT AT HOME!

Message from Pastor



Fr. Tom's Corner



"The First Noel"
Greetings family! I am going to tell you a little secret. As of last week, we still have not taken down our Christmas tree. Now, it is true that we put it up late, two days after Christmas. And my wife is contemplating decorating it with hearts for Valentine's Day. If it was up to me, I would keep the tree up all year long. We could decorate it with flags for Memorial Day, sparklers for Fourth of July. If it stayed

up until Thanksgiving, we could decorate it with little paper turkeys. But I suspect the tree will be coming down soon and things will go back to normal. I hope that you are all having a blessed day today. God bless all.

WEEKEND MASS ATTENDANCE:

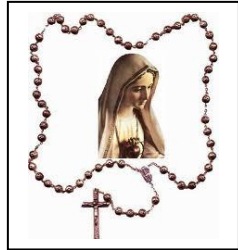
Saturday, February 11th, 7 pm – 55

Sunday, February 12th, 9 am – 44

11 am - 17

We collected: \$3884.90 Thanks. Bog zaplac!

**WE HAVE SPECIAL ROSARIES
AVAILABLE TO ALL AT NO COST**



We invite all to pray the Holy Rosary, asking God’s blessings for our Polish National Catholic Church. Made by Sarah and Carol Szydowski of All Saints PNC Parish in Sterling Heights, Michigan, these rosaries feature five different color bead sets for the five dioceses of the Polish National Catholic Church. In praying the mysteries, we ask those having these rosaries to pray for God’s blessing on each of the dioceses. Sarah & Carol make the rosaries available at no cost, only asking that we pray regularly for God’s blessings upon this, His Church. Those desiring one of these rosaries are asked to see Father Chris who has them for FREE distribution.

**This Month’s bulletins are being sponsored by:
DOROTHY BLASIK**

If you would like to help your parish and be acknowledged for your gift then consider sponsoring the weekly bulletin. For a \$ 75 donation we will acknowledge your sponsorship and the \$ 900 we can raise annually, together with the donation for ads will just about cover the cost of our bulletin. Please consider sponsoring one month today.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR COUPON EXCHANGE

We’ve placed a box near the bread table that says “Coupon Exchange - Take some, Leave some” We encourage all to bring in their unused coupons and take the ones they need. If we all participate, we can all save. The box will be kept



current.

PRAY FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND:

clergy ill:

Bishop Jan Dawidziuk at home in Cleveland, OH.

Father Joseph Brzek serving in Chicago, IL.

Father Gus Sicard serving in San Antonio, TX.

Father Ed Meus serving in Merrillville, IN.

Father Paul Zomerfeld serving in Johnstown, PA.

Father John Kraus serving in Milwaukee, WI.

in the hospitals:

shut-ins & nursing homes & rehab centers:

Rosalia Regalado in Sunrise Nursing & Rehab, Sunrise

Joseph Dan in Wilton Manors Nursing & Rehabilitation Center

Grace Paskuly at Sinai Plaza Nursing Home, Miami

Betty Angelastro in Margate Health Care Center, Margate

at home:

Anthony Troyan at home in Coral Springs

Mary Barto in Hollywood

Frances Wegman in St. Cloud, FL

Robert Jankowski at home in Hollywood

Andre & Henry Lupkowski at home in Cooper City

Lee Wilmes (son of Barbara Wilmes) in Arkansas

YOU ARE INVITED TO: Faith Lessons on:

WALKING WITH GOD IN THE DESERT:

Monday Evening Dinner and Adult Bible Study Series.

Everyone invited ... No cost for food or study - 6:30 pm

Current Study:

Are you going through a difficult period of life? The loss of a loved one? Unemployment? A crisis of faith? During these desert times, it's easy to think God has disappeared. In this discovery guide, designed for use with the six-session



Walking with God in the Desert DVD, discover that it's only when we are totally dependent on him that we find God is closer than ever.

Everybody who loves to sing or play guitar, piano or organ or other instrument is invited for choir rehearsal: for English Mass every Wednesday at 6:30 pm, for Polish Mass every Monday at 6:30 pm, for Spanish Mass every Friday at 6 pm.



Kto spiewa dwa razy sie modli
Who sings prays twice
Que canta ora dos vec



On behalf of Spojnia, Inc., which is a joint organization of the PNCC and Polish National Union, we would like to announce a new website for The Manor at Waymart in Waymart, PA!! www.manoratwaymart.org . Please place the web address in your parish bulletins, newsletters and add a link on your parish websites. The Manor will be adding information on a regular basis, so please, check out the website!



The Manor at Waymart is a Personal Care Home located in the country setting of Northeast Pennsylvania. Built in 1976, it is a modern, one level home that can accommodate fifty-two residents.

A solarium in the backyard and large covered front porch offer different views of nature's beauty. The home and grounds are smoke-free for the health benefit of the residents. Two different size spacious rooms vary in size from 174 square feet to 267 square feet. Residents can bring their own furniture or use the furniture provided. Either way residents are encouraged to bring personal belongings to make their room their own.

All rooms include phone with local service. Private telephone service with long distance, cable TV, and internet are available through local providers.

MORTGAGE & REALTY ADVICE

Mortgage rates are currently at a historic low of 3.84%. If you are hoping to buy a house, it is important to be prepared ahead of time. I can help you to check your credit score and all the requirements that banks have. A thirty dollars (\$30.00) donation to St. Joseph's Church would be appreciated. Appointments are available on Friday evenings at Church Hall at St. Joseph Parish in Davie.

Call Adolfo Nietch at 954 404 0420. Hablamos Espanol.



GUITAR CLASSES
SATURDAY 3:30 PM
& by appointment –

See Anna Mendelewski or call her at: 215 913 5926



Special Fund Raiser

Check out this website for our
St Josephs Fundraiser!

"Rada Cutlery has been in business for over 60 years and maintains a reputation for quality and Value.

Rada Cutlery is made in Iowa, USA and comes with a lifetime guarantee. Absolutely the BEST knives I have ever used - and the bonus: They are not expensive! That is why I decided to share this "little secret" with all of you, while helping our Church Community at St. Josephs Parish - who will benefit 40% from each order - How cool is that???" Please take a moment to log onto the website www.HelpOurFundraiser.com

Our Internet Order Number is: 503666

Password is (of course) : **ourchurch**

Thanks so very much for supporting St. Joseph's

- Anna Manzella - Fundraiser Lead

Attention: St. Joseph Polish National Catholic Church in Davie, Florida will be awarding two \$500.00 Scholarships!

Scholarship Application Form 2012 Eligibility:

An application for the Kata Scholarship may be made by a member in good standing of St. Joseph's Polish National Catholic Church of Davie, Florida, Three years of consecutive membership is required by the member. The applicant must be a full-time student carrying 12 credit hours per semester and enrolled at a college or university (an institution of higher learning). A single \$500.00 scholarship will be awarded to two selected candidates. The award will be given only one time to the applicant.

Applications can be requested from the scholarship chairman, Sandra Fay (Sandy). You may call 954-966-6535 and leave a message. Leave your name, phone number, and that you are requesting a Kata scholarship application. Sandy will address any questions you may have. I can be e mailed at sfdoxids@att.net. A message by phone will be quicker, so an application can be received in a timely manner. The deadline for submission will be February 29, 2012. The awards will be given for this school term (Spring/Summer).



Thanks to all wonderful people who dedicated time and work helping to prepare Polish Feast event!

Fr. Chris and Anna Mendelewski



**ST. JOSEPH'S YOUTH
GROUP**

FISH FRY

On Ash Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2012

following the evening service.

Tickets are available. Please, see any Youth Group Member. Tickets: \$6.50 – reservation, \$7.00 at door.



FR SAT SUN
FEBRUARY 24 – 25 -26
FR SAT SUN
MARCH 2 – 3 - 4

LECTOR SCHEDULE:

FEB, 18 – SAT 7 pm Laura Diaz;

FEB 19 – 9 am Ed Rumowicz

11am Henryka Arliszewska

7pm Chris Navarro; FEB, 26- 9 Frances

Navarro; 11 Elzbieta Groniecka



SCHEDULE OF REGULAR ACTIVITIES

School of Christian Living Class every Saturday at 5:00 PM (Sept-May)

Lighthouse Ministry gathering as announced in the bulletin

Parish Committee Meeting every second Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM

Lectors, Greeters, Ushers, Collectors ministries as announced in the bulletin

Moms In Touch Prayer Group every Saturday (Sept.-May) 2:00 PM

Ladies Society of the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament every first Sunday of the month at 10:30 AM

Youth Group as announced in the bulletin

Spanish Choir Rehearsal – Friday at 6:30 pm

English Choir Rehearsal every Wednesday from 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Adult Video Bible Study and Dinner every Monday at 6:30 PM

Lectionary Based Adult Bible Study every Friday at 7:30 PM

First Holy Communion & Confirmation classes every Saturday 5:00 - 6:45 pm

MASS INTENTION & ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

February 19, 2012 – 7th, Sunday in Ordinary Time – B

9 am – English Mass

Prayer intention – in memory of Jan & Jozef Mastalerz.

10:15 AM Rolls and Coffee in the Fellowship Hall

11 am – Polish Mass – in memory of Viera Babirad (greg)

Monday – Feb.20th (Poniedzialek)

8:30 – Holy Mass in memory of Viera Babirad

5 pm Vesperas & Holy Mass:

6:30 pm Bible Study and Dinner.

Tuesday through Friday - morning prayers 8:15 am & following Holy Mass in memory of Viera Babirad (greg)

Wednesday: 5:30 pm English Choir Rehearsal

February 22nd – ASH WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM HOLY MASS WITH BLESSING & DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES

7 PM HOLY MASS WITH BLESSING & DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES

Friday – February 24 – 6 pm – Spanish Choir rehearsal.

Saturday – February 25th - (Sobota)

Morning Prayers at 8:15 am following Holy Mass in memory of Viera Babirad (greg)

3 pm. Guitar classes

5 pm School of Christian Living

7 pm Holy Mass in Spanish; Prayer intention: in memory of Jan & Katarzyna Mastalerz

Next Sunday February 26th – 1st Sunday of Lent B

9 am Holy Mass in English; Prayer intention: in memory of Pawel & Ludwika Rembiasz.

10: 15 Rolls & Coffee in the Fellowship Hall

11 am Holy Mass in Polish – in memory of Viera Babirad (greg)

REMINDER:

Remember to bring in your old palms so that we can burn them on February 19th. There is a container in the Church for you to place them in.

PARISH ANNUAL ELECTION MEETING

MARCH 04, 2012 FOLLOWING THE HOLY MASS

**ON THIS DAY WILL BE CELEBRATED ONLY ONE
MASS AT 10 AM.**

Announcement in Polish about driving courses:
Kursy na prawa jazdy zawodowe CDL klasy A, B, oraz
autobusy. Do dwóch tygodni, można zrobić uprawnienia do
prowadzenia pojazdów komercyjnych, po drogach USA.
Zarobki od \$1,500 do 2500 na tydzień.
Po rezerwacji prosimy dzwonić pod numer: 727 459 9692.

ATTITUDE

The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me, is more important than facts.

It is more important than past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do.

It is more important than appearance, giftedness or skill.

It will make or break a company... a church... a home.

The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the string we have, and that is our attitude.... I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it. And it is with you.....

WE ARE IN CHARGE OF OUR ATTITUDES. (...S.F.)

LIFE LINE SCREENING

The Power of Prevention

At our church the 1st of May 2012

from 8 – 5 pm

Life Line Screening uses painless ultrasound (sonogram) To see the plaque build in your arteries – leading cause of stroke.

80% of strokes can be prevented.

More information see next Parish Bulletin.

What the Constitution of PNCC says about Parish Committee:

SECTION 4. The administration, management and control over all the property of the Parish is vested in the Parish Committee elected by the Parish and confirmed by the Diocesan Bishop, and strictly dependent upon and answerable to the lawful authorities of this Church.

**ARTICLE XVI
MANAGEMENT OF A PARISH**

SECTION 4. The management of the material matters of a Parish rests in the hands of the Parish, executed by the Parish Committee with the Pastor.

**ARTICLE XVII
PARISH COMMITTEE**

SECTION 1. The Parish Committee is elected by the Parish members at its annual Parish meeting (or at a meeting conducted prior to the annual meeting), and 48 when approved by the Diocesan Bishop, enters upon its duties.

SECTION 2. Whenever, in the judgment of the Parish Pastor and Diocesan Bishop, it appears that the duties of the Parish Committee are not properly fulfilled, the Pastor, or the Parish members upon a petition signed by at least one-third (1/3) of the parishioners having a right to vote, may call a special meeting of the Parish with the concurrence of the Diocesan Bishop for the purpose of reorganizing the Committee or electing a new Committee.

SECTION 4. The Parish Committee shall consist of the Pastor, Chairman, Vice-chairman, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, and not less than three (3) Directors.

ARTICLE III

RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF MEMBERS OF THE POLISH NATIONAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

SECTION 2. A member to be a voting member must be not less than 18 years of age and a believer of this Church who enrolls and unites himself with others in a visible society called a Parish, and contributes his offerings, labor and life to fulfill the goals of his Parish and the entire Church, and believes and receives the holy Sacraments, believes in the ideals, principles and aims of this Church, complies with the Constitution and Laws thereof, and by personal charity and active cooperation with the Bishops, Pastor and lay members of his Parish help realize the aims and mission of this Church.

SECTION 3. Members of this Church have a twofold duty: spiritual and material.

A. Spiritual Duties are:

worship, love and obedience to God. A member of this Church expresses such acts of worship, love and obedience towards God by

(1) private prayer;

(2) active participation in the corporate worship of the Church;

(3) active participation in the sacramental life of the Church, that is: the worthy hearing of the Word of God, receiving Baptism and Confirmation, the sacraments of Penance and Holy Communion as often as possible, but at least once a year, and the other Sacraments which Christ our Lord instituted for the sanctification and perfection of man;

(4) the proper rearing of children and the good examples of parents and guardians, through pastoral preparation in school and in Church, and ends temporarily with the reception of the Sacrament of Holy Unction. In its essence religious life continues eternally.

B. Material Duties are as follows:

- (1) those enacted by the General Synods;
- (2) those enacted by the Special Synods;
- (3) those enacted by the Diocesan Synods;
- (4) those adopted by the Parish; and
- (5) in addition, every member endeavors to make free will offerings as the needs of the Church and the Parish require.

SECTION 4. A member of a Parish who fails to carry out his financial obligations for a period of one year and, after due notice in writing sent by certified mail to his last known address as directed by the Parish Committee fails to rectify or justify the same within sixty (60) days, shall lose his right of voice and vote in the Parish. (1986)

SECTION 5. A person who lost his right of voice and vote in the Parish may present to the Parish Committee or to the Pastor his request for restoration of his right of voice and vote in the Parish together with his unpaid financial obligations or justification for his failure to pay the same. Upon the Parish Committee's approval of his request, his right of voice and vote shall be restored.

SECTION 6. A member who harms, slanders, or libels this Church or any of its Parishes or members in a moral or material manner may be summoned by his Pastor or Bishop, or persons authorized by either of them, to repair the wrong committed by him. Should he refuse to do so, the matter shall be referred to the proper Church Tribunal under Article XXII for disposition.

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SECTION 7. Members have the right, individually or collectively, to present their grievances and complaints to Church authorities as herein after provided for in Article XXII.

SECTION 8. Only those who are members of a Parish for not less than one year shall be elected to

Parish offices. Only those who are members of this Church for not less than two years shall be elected as delegates to a Synod. This does not apply to newly organized Parishes.

SECTION 9. Only members of this Church for not less than two years shall be elected or appointed to offices of this Church and who are members for not less than five years shall be elected or appointed to membership on the Supreme Council of this Church.

**PLEASE, BE RESPONSIBLE FOR
YOUR PARISH AND COME ON
MARCH 4TH
TO ELECT NEW PARISH COMMITTEE
FOR 2012.**

