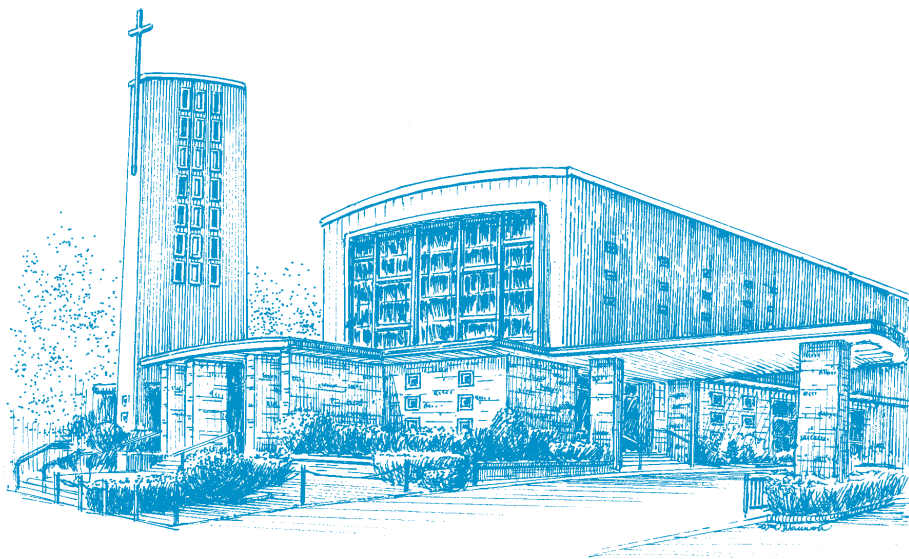


st. priscilla church



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RITE OF RECONCILIATION:

(Confession) 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM, Saturday or by appointment.
Weekday Confession held at 7:00 to 7:15 AM.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

At the rectory during office hours.
Regular Office hours 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM daily.

WEDDINGS:

Arrangement must be made with one of the priests at least six months before the date of the wedding. Confirm desired date at the church before making other arrangements. At least one of the engaged persons (or their parents) must be a registered and active parishioner of St. Priscilla. Weddings are not scheduled on Sunday.

BAPTISMS:

English Baptisms will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM. Polish Baptisms will be held on the first and third Sundays. Attendance at Baptismal Preparation class is mandatory. Register by calling Rectory.

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:30 - 9:00 - 12:15 PM
Polish Mass: 10:30 AM - 6:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday-Friday: 6:30 & 8:00 AM
Saturday: 8:00 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES:

7:00 PM Vigil Mass, 6:30—8:00—11:00 AM (English)
9:00 AM—7:00 PM (Polish)



Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time **August 17, 2008**

Observe what is right, do what is just;
for my salvation is about to come,
my justice, about to be revealed.

— Isaiah 56:1

Spiritual Reflection

“Woman, you have great faith! Your wish will come to pass.” Jesus’ response is to a Canaanite woman requesting healing for her daughter. Jesus and His disciples responded to her because of her persistence, and because they couldn't ignore her faith. Sometimes it is harder to appreciate the faith of those around us we see as different. We can come to believe that churchgoers, the wealthy, the educated, the clean, the Polish, the German, the Norwegians, the Irish, the “nice people” who look and act like us are the ones most worthy of God’s love and attention. Sometimes we need to look a little deeper, as Jesus did with the Canaanite woman. When God looks at us, he sees the goodness He has put into us. He stands ready to help us use that goodness to do good, to help His Kingdom to grow by the gratitude we show through sharing His gifts with others.

School starts soon. We might already be worrying about the things our kids will be exposed to. We may have already pre-judged some of the kids in their class. It’s good for us to be wary of behavior that might rub off onto our own children. Still, it’s dangerous not to allow for the growth of their friends. In helping them to avoid wrongdoing, it can be better for us to speak of wrong behaviors more strongly than the names of those we don’t like. In speaking of races and groups of people, it can be better for us to take a look at behaviors that are less than worthy, rather than groups or races.

We too encounter many people in our dealings each week. There may be newcomers to our city and area. We might work with those who come from different cultural traditions. Some may even speak a different language. It is easy for us to respond to those who seem different with fear and suspicion. We can easily pass on that fear to our children and grandchildren as well. We can do that through comment, jokes and stories. We can make casual comments that we hardly notice. Yet they influence the opinion of a whole new generation. We hope we’ll all be together one day in heaven. God has given us some time here on earth to get ready!

It is good for us to consider from time to time, the people we see as less than ourselves. Then we need to remember God’s love for them and His call for us to reflect that love as well. This week we can spend some time considering our oneness with all people God has made. We can examine our own prejudices and the ways we pass them on to still another generation by what we say or do, or the example we give. We can look first for the good in those around us, especially when we are tempted to stop looking when we see the flaws. We can suspend judgment on those closest to us, our sisters and brothers, husbands and wives, friends and co-workers, simply loving them and looking for the good that is there.

Jesus Himself looked past the Canaanite woman. Through her persistence He and His disciples came to see the faith and love that was in her. As she begs Jesus for help, insisting, “even the dogs eat the leavings that fall from their masters’ tables,” He replies, “Woman, you have great faith! Your wish will come to pass.” That very moment her daughter got better!

This week we can take another look at our personal prejudices. Sometimes we can trace them to our parents and grandparents. They can be reinforced by news media and supported by the stories we listen to. We can take another look at those around us and realize that we are all children of God, and called to treat one another that way. Have a good week!

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Pastor's Notes**GWARANCJA ZBAWIENIA...**

Kiedyś ktoś postawił Jezusowi pytanie: „Czy tylko nieliczni będą zbawieni?” Wówczas Chrystus Pan udzielił na to dwóch odpowiedzi. Powiedział: „Przyjdą ze wschodu i zachodu, z północy i południa i siądą za stołem w Królestwie Bożym.” Uczta w Królestwie Bożym jest otwarta dla gości z czterech stron świata. Święty Paweł napisze w jednym ze swoich listów: „Bóg chce, żeby wszyscy ludzie byli zbawieni” (1 Tm. 2, 4).

Jednak Jezus stwierdza także: „Wielu będzie chciało wejść, a nie będą mogli.” I aby zilustrować drugą odpowiedź, przeciwną poprzedniej, Jezus opisuje „ciasne” drzwi, przed którymi kłębi się tłum. Chrystus chce nam jakby podpowiedzieć: „walczyście o wejście.” Te ciasne drzwi zostaną w pewnej chwili zamknięte. Trzeba zatem wejść jak najszybciej. Nie może być tu mowy o żadnym, spóźnieniu, o żadnym wahaniu.

Tak jak każdy ojciec czy matka cieszy się widząc wszystkie swoje dzieci zgromadzone w domu rodzinnym, tak Bóg nie byłby miłością, gdyby nas traktował bez odpowiedzialności—jak rzeczy. Przecież nikt nie może nikogo zmusić do kochania. Chrystus umiłował nas aż do końca.

Zbawienie kosztuje, gdyż musimy często wyrzekać się zła, którego tak wiele kryje się w każdym sercu. Zbawienie kosztuje, gdyż tak wiele kosztowało Boga. Dla naszego zbawienia stał się On człowiekiem i poniósł śmierć na krzyżu. Zostaliśmy wykupieni za bardzo wysoką cenę, bo za cenę Krwi Syna Bożego—jak napisał św. Paweł. Czyż to, co tak wiele kosztowało Boga, ma nas nic nie kosztować?

Trzeba więc zacząć poważnie pracować dla swojego własnego zbawienia. Nasze dni nie mogą być pustymi stronicami w księdze życia. Nie ma taniego zbawienia—bo Królestwo Boże kosztuje!

- ks. Idzi -

Mass Intentions  **for the week**

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (17)

- 7:30 — +Gregorio & Magdalena Cada
 - +James & MaryEllen Barrett (James)
 - Health & Blessing for Jared Baltao on his 4th Birthday (Parents)
- 9:00 — +Salvatore DeSimone (Family)
 - +Mabel Turnquist Birthday Rem.(Evelyn Cademartrie)
 - +Ralph J. Motto, D.D.S. Birthday Remembrance (Daniel G. Manczak Family)
 - +Gladys Kucharski (Family)
 - +Cristina, Vincenzo DiCristofano (DiCristofano Fam.)
- 10:30— O zdrowie i opiekę Matki Bożej dla Kazimierzy Karbarz (Córka z rodziną)
 - O szczęśliwe rozwiązanie dla Teresy (Rodzice)
 - +Victor Burzyński (Rodzice)
 - Wdzięczni Bogu, za otrzymane łaski z prośbą o Boże bł. dla Marii i Józefa Piszczek z okazji 40 rocz. ślubu
- 12:15— +Joseph Nasca Birthday Rem. (Nesca Family)
 - +Peter Twardzik Birthday Rem. (Nesca Family)
 - +Henry & Mary Koziara
 - +Catherine K. McCambridge
 - +Jan Grudzien 1st Death Anniv. (Daughter & Family)
- 6:00 PM — Za Parafian św. Pryscylli

MONDAY (18) Weekday

- 6:30 — JoAnn Formeller - Birthday (Friend)
- 8:00 — +Luis Luayon, Sr., Birthday Remembrance (Wife)

TUESDAY (19) Weekday

- 6:30 — +Ruth & Barney DeLano (Son Bill)
- 8:00 — +Stanisław Kulaga (Wife)

WEDNESDAY (20) Bernard, abbot, doctor

- 6:30 — +Rosanne Sullivan 2nd Death Anniv. (Husband Pat)
- 8:00 — Health & God's Blessings for Fr. Idzi on his Birthday

THURSDAY (21) Pius X, pope

- 6:30 — +Anthony T. LaValle (Dolores A. LaValle)
- 8:00 — +Helen C. Kmiec 1st Death Anniv. (Son & Wife)

FRIDAY (22) Queenship of the BVM

- 6:30 — +Donald Arnet (Virginia & Jim Hill)
- 8:00 — +Rev. Francis Potempa

SATURDAY (23) Weekday

- 8:00 — +Rose Nardi (Family)
- 4:00 — +Helen C. Kmiec 1st Death Ann. (Chester & Laverne)
 - +Charles Heck (Wife & Daughters)
 - +Joseph Aredia 3rd Death Anniv. (Sister)
 - +Jose Raymundo Ferreira (Jenkins Family)

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (24)

- 7:30 — +Mary Giblack
 - +Cecelia Hayda (Family)
- 9:00 — +Rose Nardi 1st Death Anniv. (Family)
 - +Salvatore DeSimone (Family)
 - +Vincent R. Lucania 25th Death Anniversary (Daughter Virginia)
 - +Goerge F. Kaplan (Janet Kaplan)
 - +James Haughey 2nd Death Anniv. (Family)
 - +For the soul of Helen Jean Labus and blessings for her family for their generosity (Ela) In Thanksgiving (Evelyn Cademartrie)
- 10:30— O Boże bł. i potrzebne łaski z racji urodzin dla ks. Proboszcza Idziego Stacherczaka (Stanisław z rodziną)
 - +Janina Zielińska 1-sza rocz. śmierci
 - O szczęśliwe rozwiązanie dla Teresy (Rodzice)
 - +O szczęście w wieczności dla Victora Burzyńskiego (Rodzice)
 - +O wieczne szczęście dla Wojciecha Cieśli w 6-tą rocz. śmierci
- 12:15— +Germaine Susin
 - +George Werthes
 - +Norman Duna (Julie)
 - +Catherine K. McCambridge
- 6:00 — Msza w języku polskim

Our 
Weekly Offering

August 3, 2008

Currency	\$ 4,293.00
Checks	\$ 3,023.00
Loose Coin	\$ 15.28
Total	\$ 7,331.28
Weekly Goal	\$ 10,000.00
Budget Year to Date	\$ 50,000.00
Collections Year to Date	\$ 37,921.33
Under Budget	\$ <12,078.67>

Thank you for your generosity and support of our Parish.

WEDDING BANNES

If anyone knows of cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, they must contact the Pastor.



II. Katarzyna Trytek & Mateusz Watorski

Jeśli ktoś wie o przeszkodach uniemożliwiających zawarcie Sakramentu Matrzeństwa przez te osoby, prosimy o powiadomienie księdza proboszcza.

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**1st Annual
 St. Priscilla
 Family Day**

Please consider joining us on August 24th for a day filled with good food, good friends, and good community spirit. Festivities begin at 12:15 PM with a Family Mass and continue through 5:00 PM. This is an opportunity to meet our school families, meet and greet the teachers, and consider St. Priscilla for your child's educational future. School and registration information will be available during the day.

If you would like to donate soda, water, or additional food items, please drop them off at the school during business hours or call Mrs. Julie Suwalski at 773-282-2551 or Mrs. Linda Noonan at 773-685-3781 for additional options. We look forward to seeing you for this fun filled day!

THANK YOU!

-Mrs. Julie Suwalski-

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
August 23rd & August 24th

MINISTER(S)	SATURDAY 4:00 PM	SUNDAY 7:30 AM	SUNDAY 9:00 AM	SUNDAY 10:30 AM	SUNDAY 12:15 PM	SUNDAY 6:00 PM
CELEBRANT	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled
DEACON						
LECTOR	Virginia Zyburt	Donna Chesna	Nancy Schultz	Maria Piszczek	Virginia Knight	Justyna Sadowski
COMMENTATOR				Józef Piszczek		Stanisław Słonina
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	As scheduled	As scheduled	As scheduled	Maria Piszczek Józef Piszczek	As scheduled	Stanisław Słonina Ryszard Janusiak
ALTAR SERVERS	K. Johnston P. Hennelly S. Burek	J. Klasek L. Klasek Y. Jurkowski	L. Hart N. Hart Raf. Burgiel	J. Banas D. Fernandez H. Jurkowski	P. Cioch L. Hart J. Suwalski	A. Glowinski M. Wieczorek F. Czarnik




Religious Education Registration

Registration for Religious Education classes from first grade through eighth grade will be held on Saturday, August 16th and 24th, and on Sunday, August 17th and 25th after all the Masses.

We need a copy of your child's Baptism certificate and a minimum deposit of \$30.00 per child at the time of registration. Children preparing for First Holy Communion or Confirmation must have attended Religious Education during the school year of 2007 through May 2008.

We encourage the parents of all students who do not attend a Catholic School to enroll their children in our Religious Education program so they may continue to be instructed in the Catholic faith and to be prepared for the reception of the sacraments. For further information, please call the Rectory at 773-545-8840.



**Thank you,
Altar Servers!**

Our parish thanks and congratulates Altar Servers **DAVID FERNANDEZ** and **NOAH HART** for their perfect weekend attendance in serving during the month of July, including volunteering even when not assigned. We also thank their parents for helping them honor their commitment of serving at the Altar of the Lord.

All other servers and parents are urged to imitate this fine example of commitment.



Pray for ...

Christine Ahtel - George Adamick - John Alongi - Joseph Bargi - Rita Bobowski - Mary Ann Bonk - Joseph Bottino - Meg Butler - Robert Calkins - Dorothy Castronovo - Maria Ceglarek - Maria Clancy - Jane Conley - Nancy & Richard Crabtree - Tarcisio DeBiase - Erminia DeSimone - Frances G. Diprima - Leo Divito - Sister Edwarda Doyle - Myles Druffel - Edward Drzymala - Lorraine DuPlantis - Gene Fuentes - Angiolina Gervasio - Elaine Grochocki - Mary Gudel - Florence Gurda - Jennifer Hebda - Sean Henaghan - Mariana Hernandez - Mildred Ingallinera - Krzysztof Kadzielawa - Janet Kaplan - Chester Kmiec - LaVerne Kmiec - Allyson Krajewski - Walter Krawczyk - Giuseppe Lammanna - Angela Lazio - Romona Lugowski - Mary Lynch - George Major - Carlos Mariduena - Felicita Martinez - Donald Mohr - Donna Mohr - Frances Montana - Mikey Muka - Frank Nasca - Natividad Nicasio - Dolores Nielsen - Stefan Nowik - Wilma Oaks - Catherine O'Brien - Colleen O'Donnell Craig - Leonard Olbrisch - Lorie Pacer - William Panzella - Phyllis & William Peterson - Dolores & Richard Piela - Carmella Pizzo - Russ Plambeck - Bernice Plicner - Donna Pomierski - Debbie Pope - Daniel Pope - Florence Pope - Shirley Potempa - Antonio Puccio - Rachael Reece - Stanley Renda - Stephanie Rhodes - Rosemary Rios - Angelo Rocco - Augusto Sandoval - Phyllis Scully - Josephine & Antonio Sevenhouse - Amy Sherod - Stephen Sierzega - Patricia Slowik - Mary Smolenski - Louise Sowa - Mary Spiewak - Adeline Spitzzeri - Frank Stelka - Odette Stinar - Bob Suwalski - Victor Szatkowski - Marilyn Tamburrino - Helen Tyc - Patricia Tytro - Edward Watrach - McKenna Weber - Robert Welch - Tina Wellnitz - Katie Young - Nora Zacharski - Blanche Zielinski - Joan Ziffra

If you know of any parish member, family member or friends who are homebound and in need of our prayer, we would like to add their names to our **Pray for...** list.

If you would like to be taken off of our **Pray for...** list because you are no longer sick, please contact the rectory at **773 545-8840**.

Rest in Peace ✠

Dorothy Berg

CAPITAL RENOVATION COLLECTION

I want to express my thanks to all who contribute to our Capital Improvements Collection for their generous and consistent donations. We are asked to contribute to so many worthy projects, but these funds are earmarked solely for our own parish. We budget for regular maintenance, but these funds are used for renovations and improvements. We have been given the gift of beautiful parish property and buildings and it is our responsibility to restore and improve them for generations to come!

\$125— Casey Czochara

\$100— Margaret Ackermann, Marion Ward

\$75— R. Zyszczyński

\$50— Władysław Bielen, Adam A. & Jadwiga Kokot

\$40— Emily Sloan

\$35— John Ferrier, Nick Grossmayer

\$30— William & Elaine Balog, Zbigniew Cison, Richard Hujar, Henry Majcher, Peter O'Grady, Margaret Zacharski

\$25— Anonymous, Evelyn Cademartrie, Betty Cullen, Nadine Czekaj, Robert Drzewiecki, Casimir Gaik, Charles Hum, Eleanor Krawczyk, Josef Lata, James Miketta, Edwin Peszek, William Senne, Concetta Serio, Melvin Spejcher, Gerald Sullivan, Chester Wijas, M/M Wronke, Virginia Zyburt

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\$11— Jose Mejia

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\$6— Arkadiusz Gwozdz

\$5— Ruben Adaya, Nicholas Alleva, Chester Antczak, Joseph Edwin Baltao, Daniel Barsella, Javier Benitez, Jan Boratyn, Mary Brown, Roman Brygider, Mieczysława Bubiak, Marian Burek, Kenneth Chrusciel, Mary Ellen Coleman, Eugenia Denisiuk, Michael DeSimone, Stefania Drzymala, Ewa Filar, Daniela Fita, Russell Ford, Genevieve Fruzynski, Thomas Gilleran, Joanne Gogolewski, Maria Greco, Gerardo Gutierrez, Jean Hanisko, Ryszard Hereta, D. & R. Johnson, Henry Kmiec, Leroy Knowles, Tadeusz & Jadwiga Kochanski, Michele Kolak, Zofia Kornacki, Danuta Kowal, Eleanor Kowalski, Nellie Kowalski, Ann Kresch, Kucharski-Olvera-Yuza, Jesse Kulaga, Eugenia Kwintiuk, Jaroslaw Lis, Joann Maass, Angelo Martino, Roewen Masacupan, Albert Mazur, Wanda Mickiewicz, Piotr & Zofia Modla, Helen Mueller, John Nardi, Elizabeth Nelson, Niewiarowski & Prokopiuk, John Norman, Harriet Obrzut, Anna Pedowski, Rosemarie Plaza, Marian Prazuch, Z.T.J. Priami, Joseph Day, Jr., Monika Proszek, Wojciech Proszek, Vincent Ramaglia, Nick Ribauda, Patricia Sciaraffa, Edward & Maria Skrabacz, Victoria Slowiak, Mieczysława Smagacz, Stephen Sodergren, Juan Soto, Marcin Stepek, Krzysztof Strzalka, Stanislaw Tolwinski, Henryka Turczynska, Clarence Waldock, Eugene Emil Warta, Witold Wasilewski, Helena Wincenciuk, Yuza Family, James Zachacki, Steven Zachar

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\$1— Anonymous, Donato Allegretti, Olga Angerman, Jaclyn Fields, Mary Krol, Rose Sardena-Soto

The total was **\$4,568.00**. I thank you all again! -Fr. Idzi Stacherczak, Pastor