

ST. FERDINAND CHURCH

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DECEMBER

14

2025

Welcome!

MASS in ENGLISH:

Monday — Thursday

8am & 12 Noon

FRIDAY:

8:15AM & 12 Noon

Saturday:

8am & 5pm (Vigil)

Sundays:

8:30am, 11:30am & 5pm

MSZA SW. PO POLSKU

Poniedz. — Piątek: 7pm

sobota: 7am

Pierwsza sobota: 8pm

Niedziela: 7am, 10am,
3pm, 7pm

CONFESSIONS:

30 min. before every
Mass when priest
is available

Spowiedz:

30 min. przed lub po
Mszy sw. jeśli Ksiadz
jest osiagalny

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday — Friday

8:30am — 5pm

LUNCH BREAK:

12PM — 12:30PM

Saturday

9am — 12pm

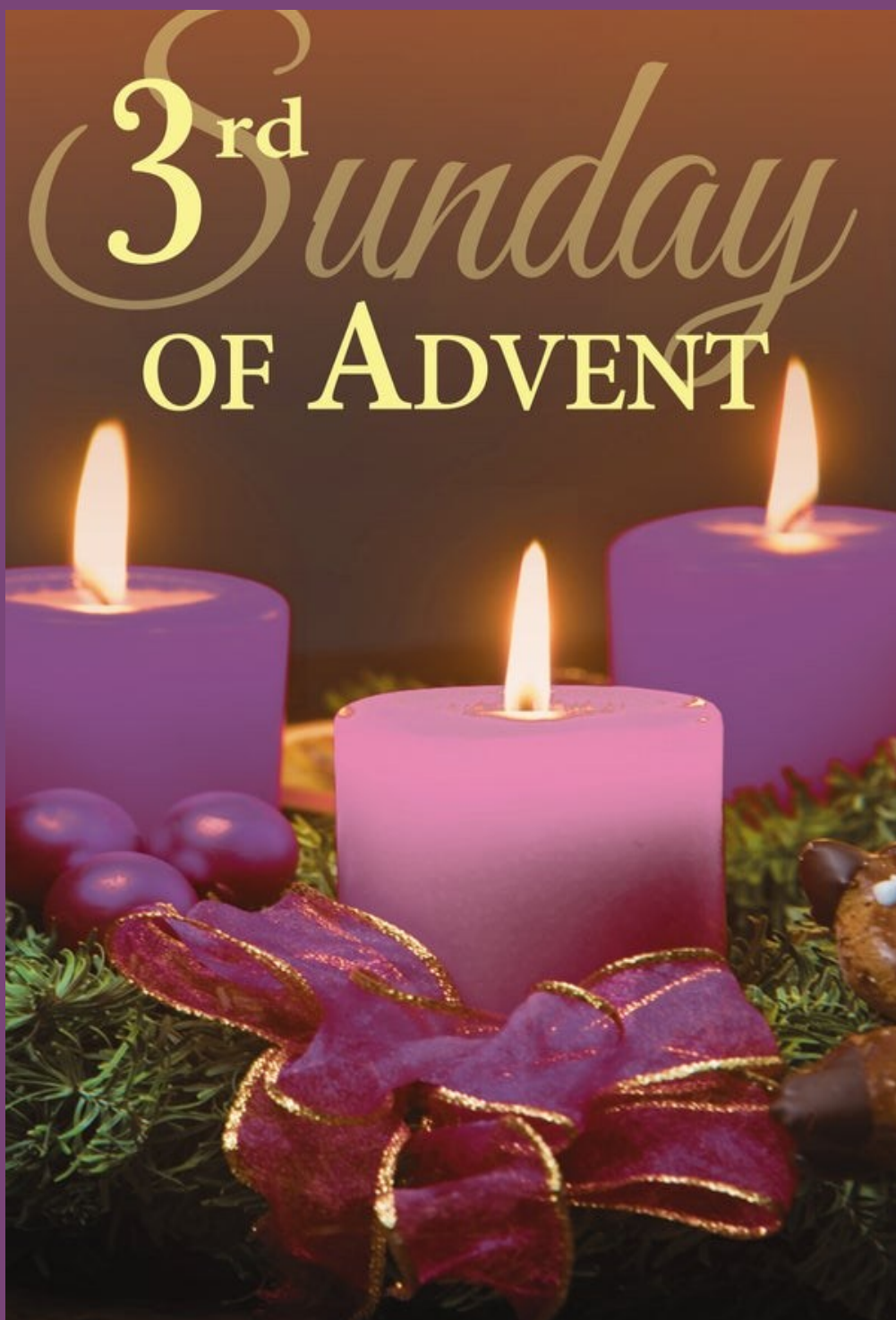
Sunday: Closed

HABLAMOS ESPANOL

En Jueves y martes

9am — 3pm and

5pm — 7pm



MASS INTENTIONS



Monday – December 15

8:00 am – Mary A. Dunlavy

12:00pm – Mass in English

7:00 pm - Piotr Raczkoń – 50 rocznica śmierci

7:00 pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel

Tuesday – December 16

8:15am - Birthday blessings for Erin Boyle Folino

12:00pm – Mass in English

7:00pm – Mass in Polish

7:00 pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel

Wednesday – December 17

8:00 am – Domonic & Ligia Caltagirone

12:00 pm – Mass in English

7:00pm – Mass in Polish

7:00 pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel

Thursday – December 18

8:00 am – Joyous Mater Christi Rosary Guild

12:00pm – Mass in English

7:00pm – Mass in Polish

8:00 pm – Simbang Gabi - Church

Friday – December 19

8:15 am – Mass in English

12:00 pm – Mass in English

7:00 pm - Mass in Polish

7:00 pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel

Saturday – December 20

7:00 am – Mass in Polish

8:00 am – 31st anniversary of passing to eternal life for Stanley Hodana

5:0pm – Simbang Gabi - Church

Eugene Szaban rq. Paul & Sylvia Angarone

Sunday – December 21

7:00 am – Piotr Tworzydło - 46 rocznica śmierci

8:30 am – Souls in purgatory

Patricia Carrara & Frank Moscardini rq. Family

10:00 am – Za wstawiennictwem MB Nieustającej Pomocy, prośba o potrzebne łaski i zdrowie dla Krystyny

11:30 am – Mass in English

3:00 pm – Za duszę śp. Stanisławy Rudzińskiej w 1szą- rocznicę śmierci

5:00 pm - Simbang Gabi

7:00 pm – Mass in Polish

THE SANCTUARY LAMPS THIS WEEK ARE LIT FOR:



+ Andrzej Garczyński

+ Anna Garczyńska



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

As members of the parish faith community, it is our responsibility to remember both in concrete and spiritual ways those who cannot celebrate with us each week because they are ill. Those who are sick in turn, remember all of us.

Alterson Barbara

Bauer Teri

Biancalana Irene

Bergen Yette

Bergen Jayden

Brown John

Caltagirone John

Carsello Heather

Colamonico Frank

Del Vechio Violet

Di Vincenzo Katherine

Donohue Aleksandra

Frei John

Gawlik Alina

Goralczyk Władysława

Gruber Magdalena

Guzzetta Rose

Hernandez Martin

Hotcaveg Betty

Jurczykowski Brianna

Jurczykowski Jessica

Kwiecien Zbigniew

Lagos Liliana

McFarlin Barbara

McFarlin Timothy

Miceli Carmen

Moore Robert

Mora Family

Moris Molly

Naggo Laura

Nykiel John

Ortega Dario Ostria

Paterson Scott

Perez Graciela

Peshek Maria

Peters Phillis

Segopva Veronica

Starczek Stanisława

Steiser Neville

Swanson Julia

Szymanski Martin

Tabor Declan

Wagy Magan

Wojtowicz Gertrude

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

SA Andrew Rios and Konrad Kulon



If you have a loved one serving in the military, please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one .

OUR STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



As we continue to serve the needs of our parish community, your ongoing financial support is deeply appreciated. You may mail your offering to the parish, drop it off in the secure mail slot at the parish office, or give online by visiting:

www.stferdinandchicago.org

Thank you for your generosity and for being part of our parish family.

The collection of December 7 will be reported in the next week's bulletin.

May God bless you for your generosity!

Thank You — Bóg zapłać

Gracias — Salamat!

PLEASE REMEMBER ST. FERDINAND PARISH
IN YOUR WILL.

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE:

Dec. 13th & 14th

Sat.	5:00PM Vigil	L- A. Groper EM —H. Palumbo, Sr. Boguslaw, A. Groper
Sun.	8:30AM	L. — S/R. Pasko EM - R. Pasko. S. Pasko & A. Groeper
	11:30AM	L. — D. Camara/Student
	<i>Rel Ed.</i>	EM - X. Aleman, Dcn. Bill, D. Camara
	5:00 PM	L. J. Portlanger EM - C. Trujillo, J. Portlanger

Dec. 20th & 21st

Sat.	5:00PM Vigil	L- . Dr. M. Starsiak EM - H. Palumbo, Sr. Boguslaw, Dr. M. Starsiak
Sun.	8:30AM	L A. Groper EM— M Medina, Dcn. Bill & A. Groper
	11:30AM	L— F. Bermeo/Student
	<i>NO Rel. Edu</i>	EM., Dcn. Bill, X, Aleman N. Murillo
	5:00PM	L. J. Portlanger EM- C. Trujillo, J. Portlanger

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/ Mt 21:23-27
Tuesday:	Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23/ Mt 21:28-32
Wednesday:	Gn 49:2, 8-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17/Mt 1:1-17
Thursday:	Jer 23:5-8/Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19/Mt 1:18-25
Friday:	Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17/Lk 1:5-25
Saturday:	Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 1:26-38



PARISH CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK:



December 15

9:00am – 11:00am – Food Pantry - Convent
6:30pm – 8:30PM - Cub Scouts Pack 3051 – Convent
6:30pm – 8:30pm – Troop#51 – JTC
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Polish Group Zumba – Gym
7:00pm – 10:00pm – Knights of Columbus
7:00pm – 8:30pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel

December 16

5:30pm – 8:00pm – Radość - JTC
5:30pm – 8:00pm – Phlebotomy – Canning Hall
7:00pm – 10:00pm – Polonia Dance Group - JTC
8:00pm – 10:00pm – Volleyball Group – Gym
7:00pm – 8:30pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel

December 17

1:00pm – 4:00pm – Legion of Mary – Convent
5:00pm – 6:00pm – Filipino Prayer – Church
5:45pm – 7:15pm – Kropeczki – Convent
6:30pm – 8:30pm - Cub Scouts – Convent
6:30pm – 8:30pm – Bible Study/Spanish – Rectory
Basement
7:00pm – 8:30pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Polish Group Zumba – JTC
7:30pm – 9:30pm – Basketball Group- Gym

December 18

8:30am – 9:30am – Legion of Mary – Adoration Church
5:30pm – 8:00pm – Phlebotomy – Canning Hall
6:00pm – 9:00pm – Girls Scouts – Convent
6:30pm – 9:00pm – SFS/Christmas Concert – Chapel/
Cafeteria
7:00pm – 9:00pm –Guadalupano Group – Rectory
8:00pm – 9:30pm – Simbang Gabi - Church

December 19

9:00am – 12:00pm – Legion of Mary – Convent
10:30am – 1:30pm - Legion of Mary – Convent
5:00pm – 6:00pm – Black Nazarene – Church
5:00pm – 10:00pm – PL School – JTC/Cafeteria/Canning
7:00pm – 8:30pm – Simbang Gabi - Chapel
6:00pm – 8:00pm – Youth Group – Rectory
7:00pm – 9:00pm – SPRED – Convent
7:30pm – 9:30pm – Volleyball Group- Gym
8:00pm – 11:00pm - Collegium Cantorum - Chapel

December 20

9:00am – 2:00pm – PL School/JTC/Canning/Cafeteria
12:00pm – 4:00pm – Polish Scouts – Canning Hall
12:00pm – 3:00pm – Polish Scouts/Boys – Gym
5:00pm – 6:30pm – Simbang Gabi – Church
5:00pm – 10:00pm – Polish School - JTC
5:00pm – 7:00pm – Basketball Altar Boys – Gym
7:00pm – 9:00pm – AA Meeting – Convent

December 21

2:00pm – 5:00pm – Legion of Mary-Curia – Convent
5:00pm – 6:30pm – Simbang Gabi – Church
6:00pm – 8:00pm – Sunday Volleyball - Gym

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



December 2025

Dear Friends in Christ,

On the Third Sunday of Advent, parishes throughout our Archdiocese will participate in the Retirement Fund for Religious collection, an annual appeal that benefits nearly 20,500 elderly religious sisters, brothers, and order priests nationwide.

As I look back on my years as a priest I have an abiding sense of gratitude for the women and men religious who have deeply influenced my own journey of faith. These faithful servants have long been a source of inspiration and support in our archdiocese through their lives of dedicated service to the Church. Perhaps you, too, have known a religious whose quiet dedication, prayerful presence, or selfless acts have helped you to daily live the Gospel message.

Today, the challenges many of these senior religious and their communities face in meeting their retirement needs are greater than ever. Most received little or no pay for their service, and their communities now struggle to cover rising health care expenses and the increasing cost of day-to-day eldercare. As the number of religious decreases, the financial burdens continue to grow, and the need is great.

Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious make a real, tangible difference to these many women and men religious. Contributions directly support their ongoing care today and help ensure that their communities can plan wisely for the future care of all their members. Aware that you are asked to support many worthy causes, I invite you to consider making a gift to this year's **December 13-14 collection as you are able**, and to continue to pray for all our elderly religious. You can be assured of their prayers for you.

May God's abundant blessings be upon you and your loved ones during this Holy Season of Advent.

With kind regards I remain,

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Archbishop of Chicago

What is "Las Posadas?"

"Las Posadas" is a beautiful and meaningful tradition observed during the final days of Advent, especially in Hispanic Catholic communities. The celebration takes place over nine days, symbolizing the nine months of Mary's pregnancy and her journey with St. Joseph toward the birth of Christ.

The word *posada* means "lodging" or "shelter." Each evening, a group representing Mary and Joseph processes from "house to house," praying and singing traditional songs as they ask for a place to stay. At each stop, they are initially turned away, just as Mary and Joseph found no room at the inn in Bethlehem. Finally, on the last stop, they are joyfully welcomed, and the celebration continues with prayer, community, food, and joyful fellowship.

This tradition reminds us not only of the Holy Family's journey, but of our call to hospitality, compassion, and solidarity with all who are seeking a place of welcome, especially migrants, the poor, and the vulnerable.

Las Posadas invites us to prepare a place for Christ in our homes and parishes, and most of all, in our hearts as Christmas approaches.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



XX ANNUAL POSADA

20 years in the journey
for immigration reform

SAVE THE DATE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2025 | 11:30 A.M.

DePaul University - Loop Campus

1 East Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, IL 60604





The Filipino Community of St Ferdinand cordially invites you to the 37th year of our annual Simbang Gabi novena of masses in preparation for Christmas for the coming of Jesus Christ.

The celebration is from December 15 to 23, 2025

The following is the schedule:
December:

15 Monday -- 7:00 PM Chapel
16 Tuesday --- 7:00PM Chapel
17 Wednesday - 7:00PM Chapel
18 Thursday -- 8:00 PM Church
19 Friday ----- 7:00 PM Chapel
20 Saturday--- 5:00 PM Church
21 Sunday----- 5:00 PM Church
22 Monday ----- 7:00 PM Chapel
23 Tuesday ----- 7:00 PM last day Church with the Polish Mass.

The following priests saying Masses:
on Dec 15, 2025 - Fr. Filbert
on Dec 16, 2025 - Fr. Cambe
on Dec 17, 2025 - Fr. Cambe
on Dec 18, 2025 - Fr. Noel
on Dec 19, 2025 - Fr. Peter
on Dec 20, 2025 - St. Ferdinand priest
on Dec 21, 2025 - St. Ferdinand priest
on Dec 22, 2025 - Fr. Jessel
on Dec 23, 2025 - Fr. Peter and some concelebrating

Refreshment and Program follows after the final mass, December 23, 2025 in the cafeteria (Activity Center/ David Cortesi Center).

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve – Wednesday, Dec. 24th

5:00 p.m.

12:00 a.m. – Midnight Mass

Christmas Day – Thursday, Dec. 25th

8:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m. – Family Mass

1:00 p.m. – Mass in Spanish

NO – 5p.m. Mass

New Year's Eve – Wednesday, Dec. 31st

5:00 p.m.

New Year's Day – January 1st, 2026

8:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m. – Mass in Spanish

5:00 p.m. – Mass in English





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During this first week of Advent, St. Ferdinand School students prepared their hearts for the coming of Jesus by gathering for Advent Prayer, remembered others who are lonely by creating cards for those in nursing homes with their multi-grade "Buddies," donated toys in an act of assisting children in need, and spread Christmas cheer around SFS by decorating each floor's Christmas trees with home-room-made ornaments!





CONFIANZA QUE SE NOTA, LIDERAZGO QUE INSPIRA

- **ADQUIERE HABILIDADES DE LIDERAZGO PARA DESTACAR EN CUALQUIER ENTORNO.**
- **DESARROLLA UNA MENTALIDAD POSITIVA QUE IMPULSE TU CRECIMIENTO PERSONAL Y PROFESIONAL.**
- **MEJORA TU PERSONALIDAD Y FORTALECE TU AUTOESTIMA.**
- **FORTALECE TU COMUNICACIÓN PARA EXPRESAR IDEAS CON CLARIDAD E IMPACTO.**
- **CONSTRUYE HÁBITOS QUE TRANSFORMAN TU VIDA.**
- **DESCUBRE TU PROPÓSITO Y ALINEALO CON TUS METAS**

Clase Preliminar/Informativa

Martes Enero 27, 2026 7:00 - 10:00pm
Sábado Enero 31, 2026 2:30pm - 5:30pm
St. Ferdinand Church
3131 N. Mason Ave
Chicago, IL 60634
Entrada JTC HALL

Costo Total: \$150 Incluye 10 semanas de clase, material necesario y diploma al finalizar el programa.

Cualquier persona mayor de 15 años puede tomar el curso, si usted no obtiene beneficio le regresamos su dinero.

Para más información: 773-472-1515

A Letter of Appreciation from Father Stan

My great thanks to God for this opportunity to be in the parish of Saint Ferdinand in Chicago during the past one year and five months; 2024/25.

I would like to thank to the Pastor Fr. Piotr Gnoiński. It was nice, gratifying, and always educational for me to take some pastoral work with him as the Pastor of this parish. Father Peter, my great thanks for your kindness and friendship! May God bless you always in leading God's people of this parish according to His will.

I also thank Brother James, the Parish Council and the Parish Staff for their willingness, cooperation, and material support during my stay at St. Ferdinand's, in Chicago.

Lastly, thanks to all the nice Parishioners of Saint Ferdinand in Chicago for your warm-heartedness, hospitality, and generosity.

Thank you very much!
¡Muchas gracias! Maraming salamat!

To the parishioners of St. Ferdinand, I wish you the best in your daily lives; may God bless you all and your families!

In Christ,
Fr. Stan Tabor
Chicago 2025



List z podziękowaniem od księdza Stanisława

Bardzo dziękuję Bogu za możliwość przebywania w parafii St. Ferdinanda w Chicago przez ostatni rok i pięć miesięcy; 2024/25.

Chciałbym podziękować księdzu Proboszczowi Piotrowi Gnoińskiemu. To było dla mnie miłe, satysfakcjonujące i zawsze pouczające, móc podjąć z nim pracę duszpasterską jako proboszcz tej parafii.

Księżu Piotrze, bardzo dziękuję za życzliwość i przyjaźń! Niech Bóg błogostawi Cię w prowadzeniu ludu Bożego w tej parafii zgodnie z Jego wolą.

Dziękuję również Bratu James, Radzie Parafialnej i Pracownikom Parafii za ich gotowość, współpracę i wsparcie materialne podczas mojego pobytu w parafii św. Ferdynanda w Chicago.

Na koniec dziękuję wszystkim parafianom kościoła św. Ferdynanda w Chicago za serdeczność, gościnność i hojność.

Dziękuję Wam!

Parafianom kościoła św. Ferdynanda życzę wszystkiego najlepszego w życiu codziennym; niech Bóg błogostawi Was wszystkich i Wasze rodziny!

W Chrystusie,
Ks. Stanisław Tabor
Chicago 2025

14 -17 grudnia

Niedziela: 14 grudnia
7am, 10am, 3pm, 7pm

15-17 grudnia: 9:30am i 7pm

Spowiedz w środę 17 grudnia

Rano: 8:30-10:30am

Wieczorem: 6-8pm

REKOLEKCJONISTA:

Ojciec Rafał Walczyk, OSPPE

Paulin z Amerykańskiej Częstochowy w Doylestown w Pensylwanii



Ojciec Rafał Walczyk urodził się 28 maja 1975 r. w Kętach, jako czwarte z pięciorga dzieci Weroniki i Edwarda Walczyków – ma trzy siostry i jednego brata. Dorastał w małym miasteczku Brzeszcze koło Oświęcimia w zachodniej Małopolsce.

Z wykształcenia jest mechanikiem maszyn i urządzeń górnictwa podziemnego, ale po ukończeniu szkoły średniej podjął pracę w Polskich Kolejach Państwowych w Oświęcimiu, gdzie pracował przez 5 lat jako Dyżurny Ruchu.

Po 5-ciu latach pracy na PKP, wstąpił do nowicjatu Zakonu Świętego Pawła Pierwszego Pustelnika (Zakon Paulinów). Po studiach filozoficzno-teologicznych w Krakowie, z których jednak 3 semestry spędził w Holy Apostles College and Seminary w Cromwell, CT, 28 maja 2005 roku na Jasnej Górze, przyjął święcenia kapłańskie.

Po święceniach, decyzją Przełożonego Generalnego Zakonu Paulinów, 26 sierpnia 2005 r., jako neoprezbiter, został skierowany do posługi w parafii św. Rozalii w Harwood Heights (Chicago). Następnie, 8 grudnia 2008 r., decyzją Przełożonego Prowincjalnego Prowincji Amerykańskiej

Zakonu Paulinów, został przeniesiony do Doylestown w Pensylwanii i mianowany dyrektorem Narodowego Sanktuarium Matki Bożej Częstochowskiej. Po trzech latach, 6 grudnia 2011 roku, mianowany został proboszczem parafii św. Kazimierza w Yonkers, NY. Po dwóch latach został przeniesiony ponownie do Amerykańskiej Częstochowy i mianowany Przeorem tamtejszego klasztoru.

W trakcie swojej kadencji przeorskiej został odznaczony przez Prezydenta Andrzeja Dudę Krzyżem Oficerskim Orderu Zasługi Rzeczypospolitej Polskiej. Po zakończeniu swojej kadencji przeorskiej w Amerykańskiej Częstochowie pracował kolejno w Rockville, CT, ponownie był proboszczem w Yonkers, NY, po czym wrócił do Amerykańskiej Częstochowy i zajmował się szeroko pojętym duszpasterstwem. Od września 2025 mieszka i posługuje w klasztorze Paulinów w Kittanning, nieopodal Pittsburgha, PA.

Od wczesnego dzieciństwa lubił uprawiać sport. Zanim wstąpił do zakonu, był piłkarzem. Lubi muzykę i gra na gitarze. Jako gitarzysta był członkiem kilku zespołów grających muzykę rockową. W 2002 roku, wraz z grupą seminarzystów, nagrał album z pieśniami uwielbienia. Oprócz sportu i muzyki lubi czytać książki i spacerować po górach.



BOŻE NARODZENIE I NOWY ROK

PORZĄDEK MSZY ŚWIĘTYCH

Wigilia Bożego Narodzenia – 24 grudnia

8:00 p.m. – Pasterka dla dzieci
10:00 p.m. – Pasterka

Boże Narodzenie – Czwartek – 25grudnia

7:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m.
Nie będzie Mszy św o 7:00 p.m.

Św. Szczepana – Piątek- 26 grudnia

9:30 a.m.
7:00 p.m.

• **Msza św. na zakończenie roku – 31 grudnia**

7:00 p.m.

Nowy Rok – Czwartek – 1 stycznia, 2026

7:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m.
Nie będzie Mszy św o 7:00 p.m.

Podhalanie i Miłośnicy Tatr przy parafii Św. Ferdynanda prowadzą zapisy dla nowych członków Koła. Dla wszystkich chętnych, bez względu na wiek czy pochodzenie góralskie, jeśli jesteś miłośnikiem pięknej kultury góralskiej, możesz się do nas zapisać, a nie będziesz żałował. Dla wszystkich, którzy lubią tańczyć i śpiewać, Istnieje możliwość założenia zespołu młodzieżowego. Dla nowych członków Koła, zarząd przez pierwszy rok nie liczy składek członkowskich. W sprawie zapisów oraz informacji prosimy dzwonić do pani Anny : 773-330-4822. Obecny i nowym członkom życzymy Wesołych Świąt i Szczęśliwego Nowego Roku!

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Dear Lord, through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, I (we) offer thee these prayers in reparation for the sins which offend God the most in these modern times - Sins of BLASPHEMY and the PROFANATION OF SUNDAY and Thy Holy Days of Obligation: **One Our Father, Hail Mary; and Glory Be To The Father.**

THE GOLDEN ARROW
Act of Praise for the Reparation of Blasphemies Against the Holy Name of God. Dictated by our Lord to St. Mary of St. Peter
May the Most Holy, most sacred, most adorable, most incomprehensible and ineffable name of God, be for ever praised, blessed, loved, adored and glorified, in heaven, on earth and in hell, by all the creatures of God, and by the Sacred heart of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Alter. Amen.

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