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PALM SUNDAY OF THE  
LORD'S PASSION

APRIL 2, 2023



***Holy Week***

**SATURDAY, APRIL 1—PALM SUNDAY VIGIL**

4:00 pm MDG In Loving Memory of Elizabeth Kelly  
by Tom & Phyllis Kelly  
5:30 pm SA Billy & Lauren Panas by Debbie Ditro

**SUNDAY, APRIL—2 PALM SUNDAY**

7:30 am SA † W intencji Towarzystwa Różańca Św.  
8:30 am SG HEALING MASS  
Patricia Smith by Peggy & Kevin Roche  
10:00 am N Dianne Doherty by Patrick Doherty  
10:30 am SA † Bronisław Wodzień (20 r. śmierci)  
11:30 am MDG Artemio & Argia Manso  
by Donald & Rosanna Alburger

**MONDAY, APRIL 3**

7:30 am SA o Boże błogosławieństwo i wstawiennictwo  
Św. Jana Pawła II dla Danuty i całej rodziny  
8:00 am MDG Leon Wozniak by Windisch Family  
7:00 pm SA † o zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla  
Joanny Bieniek of. mama

**TUESDAY, APRIL 4**

7:30 am SA † Roman Romanowski (10th Ann.) of. Theresa  
Romanowski  
8:00 am N Living & Deceased Windthorst Members  
By Windthorst  
7:00 pm SA † Mariusz Kraszewski of. stryjek Ryszard z  
rodziną

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5**

7:30 am SA † Steve Cutillo of. Dobrowolskyj Family  
8:00 am MDG Argia Manso by Manso Family

***Sacred Triduum***

**HOLY THURSDAY, April 6**

7:00 pm MDG Mass of the Lord's Supper (English)  
7:00 pm SA Mass of the Lord's Supper (Polish)

**GOOD FRIDAY, April 7**

10:00 am Morning Prayer at MDG  
3:00 pm The Passion of the Lord at Nativity (English)  
7:00 pm The Passion of the Lord at St. Adalbert (Polish)

**HOLY SATURDAY, April 8**

10:00 am Morning Prayer at Nativity

**EASTER VIGIL**

7:00 pm SA For Living & Deceased Parishioners  
7:30 pm SG For Living & Deceased Parishioners

**EASTER SUNDAY, April 9**

7:30 am SA For Living & Deceased Parishioners  
8:30 am SG For Living & Deceased Parishioners  
9:00 am SA For Living & Deceased Parishioners  
10:00 am N For Living & Deceased Parishioners  
10:30 am SA For Living & Deceased Parishioners  
11:30 am MDG For Living & Deceased Parishioners



**- CLERGY -**

**Rev. James Olson, Pastor**  
**Rev. Bindel-Mary Nnabuife,**  
**C.M., Assistant**  
**Rev. James Gorman, Senior Priest**  
**Rev. Jan Palkowski, Senior Priest**  
**Deacon Ralph J. Shirley**

**- OFFICE HOURS -**

**St. Adalbert**

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**Monday 12 Noon—4:00pm**  
**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,**  
**9:00am—4:00pm**

**Closed for lunch 12:00—1:00pm**

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**Wednesday, Thursday**  
**8:30am—2:00pm**

**Sunday, March 19, 2023**

<b>SUNDAY COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$ 11,414.00</b>
<b>BLOCK</b>	<b>\$ 1,100.00</b>
<b>E-GIVING:</b>	<b>\$ 492.00</b>

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 Pope Blessed Pius IX



## Live & Online Sunday Rosary

Facebook: Storm the Heavens Community Rosary

Youtube: Storm the Heavens Rosary April 2, 2023

April 2—Nativity B.V.M.—7:00 pm

April 9—St. George—7:00 pm

April 16—St. Adalbert—7:00 pm

April 23—M.D.G.—7:00 pm

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### MODLITWA RÓŻAŃCOWA POWRACAMY DO ODMAWIANIA RÓŻAŃCA W KOŚCIELE

Parafianie z wszystkich Kościołów w dzielnicy Port Richmond spotykają się co niedziela w innym kościele, aby odmawiać wspólnie Różaniec.

2 kwietnia —Nativity B.V.M.—7:00 pm

9 kwietnia—St. George—7:00 pm

16 kwietnia—St. Adalbert—7:00 pm

23 kwietnia—M.D.G.—7:00 pm

Różaniec będzie transmitowany na żywo na facebooku i youtube  
 Storm the heavens



## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please remember in your prayers, the sick of the parish, especially Anne Marie Jaskel, Terry Wahl, Berne Klinke, Nancy Davis, Tricia Anderson, Edward Carpenter, Terry Snead, Bob DiTomasso, Carter Tritz, Joanne Manning, Liam Blaney, Teresa Caterino, Frances R. Matkowski, Madine Kradzinski, Susan Manning, Josie Babb, Janet Babb, Jan Szymula, Rosemarie Grace, Pat Rafferty, Savanna Dempsey & Timmy Dempsey, Donna McDonnell, Geraldine Chew, Sherry Beck, Chris Sofia, Aidan Blakla, Katherine Stockman, James C. Stockman, Jeffrey Hobbs Jr., Brianna Rose O'Neill, Ralph Wagner, Eileen Toner, Anthony Pelle Jr., Thelma Nogowski, Ken Lewis, Virginia Reilly, Bill & Theresa Sherwin, Alfreda Gocłowska, Pat Grosso, Father Neil Kilty, Glen F. Krupa, Walter McClain, Joann Fithian, Erika K, Norman, Lisa Olson, Roy McCann, Joseph Schminke, Addie, Alessandra, Richard Adams, Brian Stec, Jerry Primerano, Joan Beverly Morton, Carol Piffer, Devon Stepalovitch, Mary Tacconelli, Phyllis Kelly, Marie Saxton, Jeanette Karcher, Don Alburger, Catherine Gaskill, Linda Smith, Lisa Kohr, the Homebound, First Responders, Those in Nursing Homes, Healthcare Workers, Victims of the Coronavirus  
 All People who live in the Ukraine  
 Victims of Earthquakes in Turkey & Syria

*May God watch over them.*



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## SANCTUARY LAMPS

April 2, 2023

### St. Adalbert Church

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy**

Offered by wife Dolores & family  
In Loving Memory of Edward Milewski

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy**

Ofiarowana o łaskę uzdrowienia dla  
Ryszarda

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Divine Mercy**

Ofiarowana przez rodzinę  
Za śp. Kazimierza i Dariusza Kiersnowskich

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint John Paul II**

Special Intention

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint John Paul II**

Offered by family  
Happy 70th Birthday Frank - Love & Blessings

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint Joseph**

Ofiarowana o Boże błogosławieństwo dla całej rodziny

#### **Sanctuary Candle by Saint Joseph**

Ofiarowana przez brata Ryszarda z rodziną  
Za śp. Józefa Kraszewskiego



### Mother of Divine Grace Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

Toby by Nonna

#### **Mother of Divine Grace Candle**

Blessings for Alexander by Gmom & Gpop

### Saint George Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

In Loving Memory of Jane & Bertha Stach  
By Ausra Maknys

### Nativity B.V.M. Church

#### **Sanctuary Lamp**

In Loving Memory of Deceased Lees & Whalen Families

#### **Blessed Mother Candles**

In Loving Memory of Joseph & Dorothy Fagan  
In Loving Memory of Frank & Eleanor Skiendzielewski  
In Loving Memory of Jennifer Marcinkiewicz  
In Loving Memory of Daniel & Robby Burns  
In Loving Memory of Bernadette Marcinkiewicz



## Baptisms

May God Bless  
*Charleigh Ferry*  
*Sylvia Narducci*

and their parents & families  
Baptized on March 26, 2023  
at St. John Paul II Parish

## Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased



*Please remember in your prayers:*  
*Sandy Cassizzi,*  
*All Deceased Members of the Parish,*  
*All Family Members,*  
*All Forgotten Souls*  
*Victims of Ukraine*



Dziękujemy **Panu Organiście**  
**Bogumiłowi** za ofiarowanie  
Świecy Paschalnej do  
Kościoła Św. Wojciecha.

We are very grateful to  
**Mr. Bogumił – St. Adalbert**  
**Church Organist**, for  
donating the Paschal Candle  
to St. Adalbert Church.

## CARING FOR CAREGIVERS GROUP

St. John-Paul II Parish Caring for Caregivers Group: Are you someone who is caring for a family member, loved one, or friend who has a significant illness? Are you someone who is caring for a family member, loved one or friend who has some type of disability? If so, the Caring for Caregivers Group may be able to help. If you would like more information or to join our group, please call the Rectory at 215-739-3500 and leave a message for either Marge Pliszka or Deb Shirley. Someone will return your call as soon as possible.



**THANK YOU!      DZIĘKUJE!**

**Donations to St. Adalbert Church**

\$300.00 - Danuta Dobrowolskyj  
\$100.00 - Cecelia Jesiolowska

# EASTER MASS SCHEDULE



## EASTER VIGIL

7:00 p.m. at Saint Adalbert (Polish)

7:30 p.m. at Saint George (English)

## SUNRISE PROCESSION

7:00 a.m. at St. Adalbert Church (Polish)

## EASTER SUNDAY MASS OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

7:30 a.m. St. Adalbert (Polish)

8:30 a.m. at St. George Church (English)

9:00 a.m. at St. Adalbert Church (English)

10:00 a.m. at Nativity B.V.M. Church (English)

10:30 a.m. at St. Adalbert Church (Polish)

11:30 a.m. at Mother of Divine Grace Church (English)

**"YOU MUST OPPOSE  
EVERY FORM  
OF HATRED  
WITH THE  
INVINCIBLE  
POWER  
OF CHRIST'S LOVE."**

**-POPE ST.  
JOHN PAUL II**



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**"My God, my God,  
why have you abandoned me?"**

Responsorial Psalm for Today





## Sodality of Our Lady of Fatima

The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, April 11, 2023** in St. Adalbert's rectory basement at 1:30 P.M. All ladies of the Parish are welcome!



**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**Padre Pio Pilgrimage**  
Wednesday, June 14, 2023

Sight & Sound, Lancaster, PA  
"Moses" Wednesday, August 9, 2023  
For info call Theresa at 215-813-2780.

*Wishing all the parishioners  
A Happy, Blessed Easter! Wesolego Alleluja!*



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For any  
questions, please  
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856-297-6630



**B.B.V.C. 2023**

"Dearest God, Give Me Holiness"  
— St. John Neumann —



### BROTHERS OF BORROMEO VOCACION CAMP 2023

April 22, 2023, 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM  
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Questions? [jmminich@archphila.org](mailto:jmminich@archphila.org) ~ 610-667-5778  
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# PALM SUNDAY

## HEALING & ANOINTING MASS

8:30 AM - St. George

## GORZKIE ZALIE

10:30 a.m. Following Mass at St. Adalbert

## ROSARY

7:00 p.m.—Nativity B.V.M.

# Holy Week



- MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK: TENEBRAE—7:00 P.M.—Mother of Divine Grace  
TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK: LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS (OLPR) - 1:15 p.m.—St. Adalbert  
WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK: STATIONS OF THE CROSS—9:00 a.m.—MDG

## HOLY THURSDAY

- MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER – 7:00 p.m. – Mother of Divine Grace (English)  
MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER—7:00 p.m.—St. Adalbert (Polish)  
ALL CHURCHES WILL BE OPEN FOLLOWING MASS UNTIL 10:00 p.m.  
NIGHT PRAYER – 10:00 p.m.—Mother of Divine Grace

## GOOD FRIDAY *(Fast & Abstinence)*

- MORNING PRAYER – 10:00 a.m.—Mother of Divine Grace  
PASSION OF THE LORD—3:00 p.m.—Nativity B.V.M. (English)  
LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS (Polish Language School)—3:00 p.m.—St. Adalbert  
PASSION OF THE LORD—7:00 p.m.—St. Adalbert (Polish)



## HOLY SATURDAY

- MORNING PRAYER —10:00 a.m.—Nativity B.V.M.  
BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD—10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., and 2:00 p.m.—St. Adalbert Church



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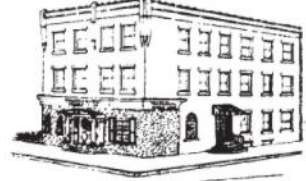
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