FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 14, 2017

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**Parish Mission Statement**

Saint Monica is a welcoming Catholic faith community. Proclaiming the power of the Word of God, we join together in the celebration of the Eucharist and all Sacraments. We aim to follow Jesus Christ —

**To Serve as He Served, To Live as He Lived, and To Love as He Loved.**

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### Sacraments

**Anointing of the Sick**

The special grace of this Sacrament offers the Lord’s healing strength, peace and courage to anyone who is seriously or chronically ill, hospitalized or about to undergo surgery. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to have someone anointed.

**Baptism**

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated twice a month: the first and third Saturday of the month at 11:00 a.m. (some exceptions due to Holy Days and liturgical celebrations). Please call the Parish Office to register for the program and to set a date for the Baptism.

**Marriage**

Archdiocese of Chicago guidelines for marriage preparation ask that a minimum of six months be set aside for preparation for marriage. No firm date for a wedding will be set until the conclusion of the couple’s first meeting with the parish minister. At least one of the engaged persons (or their parents) must be a registered and active parishioner of St. Monica. No Sunday weddings are scheduled.

**Ministry to the Sick/Homebound**

If you or a family member are in a local hospital or are homebound and would like to have a visit from a priest, please call the Parish Office to make arrangements. Ministers of Care are also available to bring Communion to those who are confined at home and are unable to attend Mass, either temporarily or on a continual basis. Please call the Parish Office to schedule a visit.

**Reconciliation (Confession)**

Monday — Friday from 8:00 — 8:25 a.m., Saturday from 3:00 to 3:50 p.m., and 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. (English and Polish). Individual confessions available by appointment.

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**Parish Office Hours**

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday at 4:00 p.m.—English
6:00 p.m.—Polish
Sunday at 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 Noon, and Polish at 1:30 p.m.

**Weekday Mass Schedule**

Monday—Friday at 8:30 a.m.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday—6:00 p.m.
Thursday—7:00 p.m. in Polish

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**Parish Staff**

Rev. Mariusz (Mario) P. Stefanowski 
Pastor
Rev. Andrew Izyk 
Associate Pastor
Rev. William Holbrook 
Resident Priest
Mr. Ron Gronek 
Deacon
Mr. Ed Podgorski 
Deacon
Mrs. Joanna Szeplotko 
Parish Secretary
Mr. Kamil Duda 
Director of Music
Mr. Richard Grabowiecki 
Maintenance Engineer
Mrs. Gwenn Suvada 
Business Office Coordinator

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**Academy Staff**

Mr. Raymond Coleman 
Principal
Mrs. Darlene Connelly 
School Secretary
Our Prayers

Monday, May 15, 2017
8:30 a.m. — † Harry Komornick
† Elisa Alverio
† Louise E. Constantino
6:00 p.m.— † Claro & Virginia Ricana

Tuesday, May 16, 2017
8:30 a.m. — School Mass • May Crowning
6:00 p.m.— Mass in English

Wednesday, May 17, 2017
8:30 a.m. — John Komornick (67th Birthday Bless.)
6:00 p.m.— People of St. Monica Parish
7:00 p.m.— Mass in Polish

Thursday, May 18, 2017
8:30 a.m. — Leticia L. Reyes
† Frank & Josephine Kummer
7:00 p.m.— Mass in Polish

Friday, May 19, 2017
8:30 a.m. — Margaret Carini
6:00 p.m.— Mass in English

Saturday, May 20, 2017
4:00 p.m.— A. T. McCue
† Frances Slabas
6:00 p.m.— Mass in Polish
† Za zmarłych z rodziny Soczewa

Sunday, May 21, 2017
7:30 a.m. — Ryszard & Genevieve Swierzbinski
9:00 a.m. — Paul Widtmann (Death Anniv.)
† James Herman
† Dr. William Frett
† Dagmar Simon (Birthday)
10:30 a.m. — Jozy McGinnis
† David Ostrowski
† Thomas O’Donnell
12:00 p.m. — Larry Smotrys
† Tony, Baby, Vilash, Vigay Vattaprymbil
† Anna Bury
1:30 p.m.—Polish Mass
† Edward Wójcik
• O Boże błog. i potrzebne łaski dla ka., Mariusza Stefanowskiego
w 13 rocznicę świętego kapłanów
• O Boże błog. dla Marii i Władysława Iskra oraz ich dzieci w wniku.
• O Boże błog. dla Katarzyny i Jana Iwańskich z okazji 1 rocznicy ślubu.

Welcome Our New Children of God

Charles J. Rivamonte
Rylee M. Dolan
Amara L. Doctolero
Layla M. Ellous
Ava D. Dimaggio

Special Prayers For Those In Need

Arnott Family    Cindy Cisek   Max Piekos
Phyllis Babbs    Grace Cleys   Henrietta Pinkowski
Carol Batjes     Joan Craig    Deacon Ed Podgorski
Marilyn Bell     Samantha Crump Augie Sansone
Sylvia Boulahanis Carol Edwards Roberta Gols
Pat Brennan      Roberta Gols  Kerri Horan
Adam Burek       Martin McNeele
Jo Buscemi       Jose Perez
Rogelio Castro, Sr.  Jose Perez
Dolores Nieciecki  Joanna Lajka
Marzena Duda     Mary Allegretti
Sharon Petrozz, Alice Baxter  Michael Kelly
Alice Baxter      Steve Skubski  Timothy Kim

and all the sick and aged of our parish...

Remember Our Military

United States
Air Force
Michael Brimie
Zachary Muldoon
Matt Olken
Anthony Villalpando
Laurel Walsh
United States
Army
Eric Ambriz
James Ambriz
Kurt Beyer
Tom Bobek
Daniel Clark
United States
Army, cont’d
Julio Rios
Michael Rivera
Andrew Thomas
Christopher Walsh
Michael Zadlo
United States
Army Reserve
Jason Adamczyk
Roman Gronke
Keith Maslon
Sean O’Grady
United States
Coast Guard
Christine Ambriz
United States
Marines
Vincent Bertucci
Andrew Cobos
Gage Cygnar

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.
Protect them as the protect us.
We ask this in Jesus’ name.
Amen

May 14, 2017
THE WAY

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that he is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.
Spring 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This is a special year for the Archdiocese of Chicago as we celebrate the 100th anniversary of Catholic Charities. Catholic Charities’ centennial year is truly a celebration for all of us because its great tradition of charitable care has included the support of volunteers and donors from every parish in the archdiocese. For 100 years, through every era of war, peace, poverty and prosperity, Catholic Charities has worked together with the faithful to fulfill the Gospel mission to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, welcome the stranger, comfort the afflicted, and bring hope to the hopeless.

Each year on Mother’s Day, we have an opportunity to make a financial contribution to the Catholic Charities Mother’s Day Collection. This year, as we face increasing violence in our communities, it is a critical time for us to come together to support Catholic Charities. With more than 150 locations throughout Cook and Lake Counties, Catholic Charities’ services are intentionally located in the most troubled areas.

Through food and nutrition programs, early childhood education, alternatives for at-risk youth, trauma and grief counseling, job training, domestic violence programs, and substance abuse treatment, Catholic Charities’ services are a powerful antidote the culture of drugs, gangs and violence that takes root in desperate areas.

Your donation to Catholic Charities will help the Church’s efforts to promote peace, restore human dignity, and bring hope to those living with brutal violence and poverty. Please contribute as generously as you are able during Catholic Charities collection on Mother’s Day. Or, make your donations directly to Catholic Charities at 721 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60654, www.catholiccharities.net/donate. May God bless you and your families.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago
Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
As we continue in the joy of Easter, we are once again reminded that it is our Lord, Jesus Christ, who stands in the very center of our faith, our worship, and our life. His words from today’s Gospel bring us confidence and encouragement not to be afraid nor preoccupied with the daily worries. Our sincere faith in Christ will bring peace and hope into our hearts. Let us put our trust in our loving Savior and embrace his Gospel with an open heart.

Of many things...

Just yesterday, May 13 we began our parish celebration to honor the 100th Anniversary of the Apparition of Our Lady at Fatima in Portugal on May 13, 1917. I hope this occasion will help us to develop a deeper devotion to the Blessed Mother and ultimately bring us closer to Her Son, Jesus. As part of this year’s anniversary we will have a special Mass with the Fatima Procession on the 13th day of each month beginning in May and continuing through October. Please join us in prayer.

As we celebrate Mother’s Day today, we pray for all mothers living and deceased. May God bless all mothers! May they feel our appreciation and respect for this most beautiful vocation of motherhood. May God in his mercy embrace all the deceased mothers that they may rest in peace with God. Happy Mothers Day!

I would like to express my deep gratitude to our Knight of Columbus who made a donation of $2,800 to our parish from the proceeds of their Fish Fray. May God bless your ministry for all the good you do. God bless you!

I would also like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to all of you who support our parish Building Maintenance Fund. I am so encouraged by your generosity. Last week we received over $5,000 in donations! It is important to note that 100% of your generous donations to this fund stay here at our parish. Even though most of the improvements that are done are not very visible, they are nonetheless extremely important to ensure our buildings are in good condition to serve us and the future generations. One of the most recent unexpected expenses was the repair of the heating pipe in the school with the cost over $5,000 dollars, of which $3,500 was paid from the Building Maintenance Fund, thus alleviating the financial burden from the school budget. Once again, thank you so much for your generosity!

Fr. Mariusz P. Stefanowski
Pastor

"Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God; have faith also in me.'" J 14,1
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Today's readings describe the complexities of trying to live a spiritual life while still living in a world that demands concrete action. Acts tell us about disagreements beginning to emerge in the early Christian communities over divisions of labor. Some people are praying and preaching while others are feeding the hungry. In First Peter we are reminded that Jesus is the cornerstone. Jesus was rejected yet is the very foundation for building the community, and yet he also a stumbling block for those who do not follow the path laid out by his life and works. In John we hear again the contrast of the spiritual and the concrete, of houses with many rooms, of truth and life. Is it surprising that the apostles and we are sometimes confused about how to live the life Jesus intended for us?

FINDING REALITY IN FAITH
The readings today describe a faith community struggling with the realities of preaching, teaching, praying, and spreading the word of God while others are concerned about putting food on the table and a roof over their heads. In Acts decisions are made about a division of labor. Some will preach and others will ensure that the community is fed. In First Peter there is talk of spiritual houses, builders, and cornerstones, of faith and stumbling blocks. In John, Jesus begins to prepare the apostles for his departure. Jesus talks about his Father's house but the apostles want concrete answers to their questions. They want to see the Father. They don't know the way. Jesus' response is both spiritual and concrete. His answer is both faith and works.

FINDING FAITH IN THE REAL WORLD
The tensions within the readings are tensions we feel every day between our faith and the world in which we live. We stumble over stones that litter the way, over lies that hide the truth, even over the reality of death. We want our faith to be solid, so we can test its permanence and reality. But faith is not concrete. Faith is a living thing, a leap into the unknown. Works are concrete. The works of the apostles are what sustained them even as they struggled with their own faith. We must feed the hungry and shelter the homeless even as we speak to ourselves and others of faith beyond brick and mortar. While we live in a world of harsh realities, we must remember there are realities beyond those we see but not beyond our belief. We know that the faith born of love for others and lived out in caring for the sick and sorrowful, the hungry and homeless, the poor and imprisoned is real.

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**SUMMER SOCIAL**

**SATURDAY**

JUNE 3, 2017  
6:00 – 10:00 PM

**SAINT MONICA PARISH**

**BEYENKA HALL**  
5107 N. MONT CLARE AVE  
Admission at the door: $2.00

**MUSIC – DANCING – GAMES**  
**FOOD - BEER GARDEN**  
*Fun For all Ages!!*

Live Musical Entertainment Provided by **SOULTREK**

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**BOY SCOUTS TROOP #943**

On Saturday, May 20, 2017, there will be a **CAR WASH**  
9am to 2pm  
held by Boy Scout Troop 943.  
Please support our Boy Scouts!

Sponsored by St. Monica Parish, The Foster-Harlem Property Owners Association, and The Knights of Columbus

For more information contact:
Christopher Devine at 773-759-9115  
or John Lough at 773-640-4768
Foster-Harlem Property Owners Association invites you to our next meeting which will take place in

**ST. MONICA’S BEYENKA HALL,**
Thursday, May 18th at 7:00 PM in
5105 North Mont Clare Ave, Chicago, IL

During the meeting we will have two guest speakers.

**Guest Speakers**

**Anthony Napolitano,**
Alderman, City of Chicago 41st Ward

**Jane Grover**
Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning

*Complimentary refreshments will be served. All community residents are welcome!*

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**ST. MONICA PARISH GOLF OUTING**

**SATURDAY, JULY 8TH**

**ARLINGTON LAKES GOLF CLUB**
1211 S New Wilke Rd, Arlington Heights, IL

18 HOLES OF GOLF WITH CART
$90.00 PER PERSON (GOLF & DINNER) OR $25.00 PER PERSON (DINNER ONLY)

**Prizes for:** Longest Drive • Closest to Pin • Longest Putt

AS WELL AS

**HOT DOGS AND DRINKS AT THE TURN**

*Reserve your spot by contacting Greg Lamb, Chairman, at (773) 763 - 2572 or e-mail: dlamb7002@sbcglobal.net*

*Please complete the form below and return in an envelope marked “Greg Lamb - Golf Outing” and return to the Parish Office by July 1st*

**Name:** ___________________________ **Telephone:** ___________________________

**E-mail:** ___________________________

*Please make checks payable to “St. Monica Parish”*

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THE MASS BOOK
for intentions
for Calendar year 2018
will be opened as of May 15th.

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2018 MASS INTENTIONS
**St. Monica Parish - Schedules**

**Week at Glance at St. Monica Parish**

**Monday May 15, 2017**
- 4:30pm - 5:30pm  Girl Scouts Mtg - Rzany Hall
- 7:15pm - 8:15pm  Al-Anon Mtg - Ministry Room
- 8:00pm - 10:00pm  Mens Volleyball-Gym

**Tuesday May 16, 2017**
- 7:30am - 8:15am  Sr. Band Rehearsal - Beyenka Hall
- 8:30am - 9:30am  May Crowning - Church
- 8:30am - 3:00pm  Sr. Band lessons - Beyenka Hall
- 6:30pm - 7:30pm  Evan. Respect Life Mtg - West Mtg Rm
- 7:00pm - 8:30pm  School Board Mtg - Beyenka Hall

**Wednesday May 17, 2017**
- 7:30am - 8:15am  Jr. Band Rehearsals - Beyenka Hall
- 8:30am - 10:30am  Jr. Band Lessons - Beyenka Hall
- 5:15pm - 6:15pm  GS Daisy room - Rzany Hall
- 7:00pm - 8:30pm  2018 Confirmation Mtg - Beyenka Hall

**Thursday May 18, 2017**
**Eucharistic Adoration**
- 3:00pm - 4:00pm  St. Monica Cheerleading - Beyenka Hall
- 7:00pm - 9:00pm  Poster-Harlem Property Owners - BH

**Friday May 19, 2017**
- 6:00pm - 10:00pm  BS#943 Iron Chef - Parking Lot
- 7:00pm - 8:30pm  BS#943 Troop Mtg - Scout Room
- 7:00pm - 9:00pm  GS Closing Ceremony - Beyenka Hall

**Saturday May 20, 2017**
- 8:00am - 12:00pm  BS#943 Car Wash - Parking Lot
- 9:00am - 10:00am  Rel Ed - Beyenka Hall
- 9:00am - 11:00am  Rel. Ed - School, Gym,
- 10:15am - 11:00am  RE Closing Mass - Church
- 11:00am - 9:00pm  Cub Scout Blue & Gold Banquet - BH
- 11:30am - 1:00pm  STARS - Mtg Room, West Rm, Chapel

**Sunday May 21, 2017**
- 7:30am - 2:00pm  SVDP Monthly Food Drive - Foyer
- 10:30am - 11:30am  Academy Family Mass
- 4:00pm - 6:30pm  Adult Volleyball - Gym

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**Liturgical Ministry Schedule**

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Z okazji Dnia Matki składamy najserdeczniejsze życzenia! Życzymy szczęścia, zdrowia i radości! Niech Bóg miłosierny, który dał Swą Matkę za naszą Matkę obdarzy Was swym błogosławieństwem!

Dnia 14 maja, na Mszy Świętej o godz. 1:30 pm modlimy się w intencji wszystkich matek, a w szczególności za:

Ewę Biczek
Izabelę Ścieszka
Krystynę Ścieszka
Zofię Szyczyk
Cecylię Nawrot
Mariannę Żak
Barbarę Koptilin
Jadwigu Siennicką
Felicję Ostrowską
Helenę Postołowicz
Bożenę Gebis
Teresę Wszeborowską
Czesławę Leśmak
Władysławę Mieszaniec
Annę Mieszaniec
Katarzynę Bożek
Leokadię Knapińską
Danutę Lesak
Marię Bochenek
Czesławę Makicką
Annę Strapczuk
Helenę Marczuk
Edytę Wieliczko
Marię Krawczyk
Reginę Schwarz
Annę Witkowską
Józefę Kamińską
Zofię Gadek
Krystynę Płachta
Marię Olcha
Henrykę Szermińską
Marię Srokę
Henrykę Szepiotko

Za Świętej Pamięci:

Urszule Biczek
Józefę Filimowicz
Anielę Pieczonka
Marię Kołodziej
Adelę Putur
Marię Sabiński
Mariannę Zając
Wiktorię Dzik
Stanisławę Kwiecień
Marię Świędrek
Stefanię
Zenadę Koptilin
Annę Kucińską
Rozalię Stolarczyk
Stefanię Bolek
Marię Błas
Władysławę Durak
Marię Zielińską
Monikę Lipę
Annę Klak
Katarzynę Pociask
Marię Parwa
Weronikę Wiszowata
Barbarę Firlej
Bronisławę
Katarzynę Popławską
Danutę Wilk
Krystynę Terlecką
MAJ – LITANIA LORETAŃSKA

LITANIA LORETAŃSKA
DO NAJŚWIĘTSZEJ MARYI PANNY

Chryste, usłysz nas. Chryste, wysłuchaj nas. 
Ojcie z nieba, Boże, - zmiluj się nad nami. 
Synu, Odkupiciela świata, Boże, 
Duchu Święty, Boże, 
Święta Trójco, Jedyny Boże,

Święta Maryjo, - módl się za nami. 
Święta Boża Rodzicielko, 
Święta Panno nad pannami, 
Matko Chrystusowa, 
Matko Kościoła, 
Matko łaski Bożej, 
Matko Milosierdzia, 
Matko nieskalana, 
Matko najczystsza, 
Matko dziewicza, 
Matko nienaruszona, 
Matko najmilsza, 
Matko przedziwna, 
Matko dobrej rady, 
Matko Stworzyciela, 
Matko Zbawiciela, 
Panno roztopna, 
Panno czcigodna, 
Panno wsławiona, 
Panno pośrednica, 
Panno łaskawa, 
Panno wierna, 
Zwierciadło sprawiedliwości, 
Stolico mądrości, 
Przyczyno naszej radości, 
Przybytku Ducha Świętego, 
Przybytku chwalebny, 
Przybytku sławny pobożności, 
Róże duchowna, 
Wieżo Dawidowa, 
Wieżo z kości słoniowej, 
Domie złoty, 
Arko przymierza, 
Bramo niebieska, 
Gwiazdo zaranna, 

Uzdrowienie chorych, 
Ucieczko grzesznych, 
Pocieszycielko strapiłych, 
Wspomożenie wiernych, 
Królowo Aniołów, 
Królowo Patriarchów, 
Królowo Proroków, 
Królowo Apostołów, 
Królowo Męczenników, 
Królowo Wyznawców, 
Królowo Dziewic, 
Królowo Wszystkich Świętych, 
Królowo bez zmazy pierworodnej poczęcia, 
Królowo Wniebowzięta, 
Królowo Różańca świętego, 
Królowo rodziny, 
Królowo pokoju, 
Królowo Polski, 

Baranku Boży, który gładzisz grzechy świata, 
- przepuść nam, Panie. 
Baranku Boży, który gładzisz grzechy świata, 
- wysłuchaj nas, Panie. 
Baranku Boży, który gładzisz grzechy świata, 
- zmiluj się nad nami.
Spiewnik Wielkanocny

V NIEDZIELA WIELKANOCY

Jak szczęśliwa Polska cała
w niej Maryi kwitnie chwała,
od Bałtyku po gór szczyty,
kraj nasz płaszczem jej okryty.

O Matko Boska, Królowo Polska,
o Pani nasza Częstochowska.

W Częstochowie tron Swój wzniosła,
piękna, moza i wyniosła,
Lecz najczulsza z matek ziemi,
Cierpi razem z dziećmi swymi.

Tyś cudami zajaśniała,
Swoje serce nam oddała,
Ludu Polski, dziecię drogie,
Masz tu Matkę, szczęścio błągije.

Była cicha i piękna jak wiosna
żyła prosto zwyczajnie jak my.
Ona Boga na świat nam przyniosła
i na ziemi wrodzła nowe dni zajaśniały.

Matka, która wszystko rozumie,
sercem ogrania każdego z nas.
Matka zobaczyć dobro w nas umie,
Ona jest z nami w każdy czas.

Dzisiaj światu potrzeba dobroci,
by niepokój zwyciężyć i zło.
Trzeba ciepła, co życie ozloci,
trzeba Boga, więc ludziom nieśmy Go,
tak jak Ona.

Kłaniam się Tobie, Przedwieczny Boże,
Któżego niebo objąć nie może;
Ja, proch mizernej, przed Twą możnością
Z wojskiem Aniołów klękam z radością.

Tu Stwórce swego wiara wyznaję,
Kocham serdecznie, pokłon oddaję,
Cieszę się wielce z Twiej Boskiej chwały,
Niech Ci się kłania z niebem świat cały.

Dziękuję za to, żeś się zostawił
W tym Sakramencie, abyś nas zbawił.
Za swoje łaski tu wyświadczone
Odbieraj od nas serca skruszone.

Przed Tronem Twoim serca składamy,
Oto pokorne wszyscy wołamy:
Błogosław Panie swemu stworzeniu
Broń od nieszczęścia, ciesz w utrapieniu.

Przed oczy Twoje nędzę stawiamy,
Ratuj, niech pomoc od Ciebie mamy.
Tyś Bogiem naszym, pięknością wieczną,
Bądź i obroną zawsze skuteczną.

Zostawaj z nami, póki żyjemy,
W tym Sakramencie niech Cię wielbimy.
A gdy się złoży z ciałem rozstanie,
Twym świętem Ciałem zasil nas Panie.

My chcemy Boga, Panno Święta!
O, usłysz naszych wołań głos!
Miłości Bożej dźwigać pęta,
To nasza chluba, to nasz los.

Błogosław, ślodka Pani,
Błogosław szelki stan!
My chcemy Boga, my, poddani.
On naszym Królem, On nasz Pan!
My chcemy Boga, my, poddani.
On naszym Królem, On nasz Pan!

My chcemy Boga w rodzin kole,
W troskach rodziców, w dziatek snach.
My chcemy Boga w książce w szkole,
W godzinach wytchnień w pracy dniach.
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MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

**APRIL**

- **April, 2**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **April, 9**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **April, 14**: None
- **April, 15**: Easter Vigil Collection
- **April, 16**: Easter Sunday Collection
- **April, 23**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 7**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 14**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 21**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 25**: Ascension of Our Lord
- **May, 28**: Regular Sunday Collection

**MAY**

- **May, 7**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 14**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 21**: Regular Sunday Collection
- **May, 25**: Ascension of Our Lord
- **May, 28**: Regular Sunday Collection

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**Parish Goal:** $800,000.00  
**Total Pledged:** $748,800.00  
**Percent of Goal:** 93.60%

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