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Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 18, 2025

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Fr. Mirek Podymniak, Pastor

Fr. Stanislaw Czerwonka, Parochial Vicar

Fr. Josel Martinez, Parochial Vicar

Fr. Jobe Abbass, In-Residence

Deacon Thomas J. Page

LITURGICAL CELEBRATION

MASS SCHEDULE:

Weekday: (Monday– Friday) 6:45am, 9:00am

Wednesday : 7:00pm Polish, 1st Friday 7:00pm Polish

Saturday: 9:00am, 5:00pm (vigil)

Sunday: 8:30am, 10am (Pol), 11:30am

Last Sunday of the month at 2:00 PM Filipino Mass

Holydays: Please see the announcement in the bulletin for the individual Holyday itself.

PARISH MINISTRIES

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ADDRESSES & TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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Convent:	52-20 84th St.	718 - 424-2376
School:	52-17 83rd St.	718 - 424-2376
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RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Feel free to come to the Friary anytime to request the sacrament of reconciliation.

BAPTISM

Parents are asked to visit the Friary prior to the birth of their child to make specific arrangement.

MATRIMONY

Engaged couples planning to marry at St. Adalbert's should visit the Friary at least six months prior to their wedding date.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

In order to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Matrimony, it is necessary to "belong" to a particular parish. To become a member of our parish, please stop in the Friary office.

Dear Parishioners,

In today's Gospel, we hear a profound message from Jesus during the Last Supper, a moment filled with deep significance as He prepares to face His passion. After Judas departs to betray Him, Jesus declares, "Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in Him." This moment marks a turning point, where love and sacrifice intertwine in the most powerful way. What does it mean for Jesus to be glorified? It is not the glory of earthly power or prestige but the glory that comes from self-giving love. Jesus reveals that His glory is manifested in His willingness to lay down His life for us. In this act of ultimate love, He invites us to understand that true glory is found in humble service and sacrifice for one another.

Jesus then gives us a new commandment: "Love one another; as I have loved you, so you also should love one another." This commandment is both simple and profound. It challenges us to reflect on the nature of our love. Jesus does not merely ask us to love; He sets the standard by which our love is to be measured - His own love.

Think about the ways Jesus loved: He loved unconditionally, even those who betrayed Him, denied Him, and abandoned Him. His love was active - it healed, forgave, and served. As His followers, we are called to embody this love in our relationships with others.

Jesus continues, "By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." Our love for each other is the hallmark of our faith. It is a witness to the world of the transformative power of Christ. In a society often marked by division, anger, and mistrust, our call to love becomes even more critical.

How do we show this love in our daily lives? It can be through simple acts of kindness, patience, and understanding, or standing up for those who are marginalized and voiceless. It is in our willingness to forgive those who hurt us and to seek reconciliation that we truly reflect the heart of Christ.

As we reflect on this Gospel, let us ask ourselves: Are we living out this commandment of love in our families, communities, and workplaces? Are we creating an environment where love is not only spoken but actively lived? May we be inspired by the example of Jesus, who loved us to the end. Let us commit ourselves to being a community marked by genuine love, so that through our actions, the world may come to know the love of Christ.

Fr. Mirek



Drodzy Parafianie,

W dzisiejszej Ewangelii słyszymy przesłanie Jezusa podczas Ostatniej Wieczerzy, gdy przygotowuje się do swojej męki. Po tym, jak Judasz odchodzi, aby Go zdradzić, Jezus oświadcza: „Teraz Syn Człowieczy został uwielbiony, a Bóg został uwielbiony w Nim”. Ten moment oznacza punkt zwrotny, w którym miłość i poświęcenie przeplatają się wzajemnie. Co uwielbienie oznacza dla Jezusa? Nie jest to chęć władzy lub prestiżu, ale chwała pochodząca z miłości ofiarnej. Jego chwała objawia się w Jego gotowości do oddania za nas życia. W tym akcie ostatecznej miłości Jezus mówi, że prawdziwa chwała polega na pokornej służbie i poświęceniu dla innych.

Następnie Jezus daje nam nowe przykazanie: „Miłujcie się wzajemnie; jak Ja was umiłowałem”. To przykazanie zachęca nas do zastanowienia się nad naturą naszej miłości. Jezus nie prosi nas tylko o miłość; On ustala standard, według którego należy oceniać naszą miłość – dlatego powiedział: „Miłujcie się wzajemnie; jak Ja was umiłowałem”.

Warto rozważyć, jak Jezus kochał: kochał bezwarunkowo, nawet tych, którzy Go zdradzili, zaparli się Go i porzucili. Jego miłość uzdrawiała, wybaczała i służyła. Jako Jego naśladowcy jesteśmy powołani do praktykowania tej miłości w naszych relacjach z innymi.

Jezus kontynuuje: „Po tym wszyscy poznają, że jesteście moimi uczniami, jeśli będziecie się wzajemnie miłowali”. Nasza miłość do siebie nawzajem jest znakiem rozpoznawczym naszej wiary. Jest ona świadectwem dla świata o przemieniającej mocy Chrystusa. W społeczeństwie często naznaczonym podziałami, gniewem i nieufnością, nasze powołanie do miłości staje się jeszcze bardziej konieczne.

Jak okazujemy tę miłość w naszym codziennym życiu? Możemy to robić poprzez proste akty życzliwości, cierpliwości i zrozumienia lub stawać w obronie tych, którzy są zmarginalizowani i pozbawieni głosu. To w naszej gotowości do wybaczenia tym, którzy nas skrzywdzili i szukania pojednania naprawdę odzwierciedlamy serce Chrystusa.

Rozważając tę Ewangelię, zadajmy sobie pytanie: Czy żyjemy tym przykazaniem miłości w naszych rodzinach, społecznościach i miejscach pracy? Czy tworzymy środowisko, w którym miłość nie jest tylko wypowiedana, ale jest aktywnie przeżywana? Niech nas inspiruje przykład Jezusa, który umiłował nas do końca. Zaangażujmy się w bycie wspólnotą naznaczoną prawdziwą miłością, aby poprzez nasze działania świat mógł poznać miłość Chrystusa.

Fr. Mirek



St. Adalbert Parish

**Invites all parishioners and friends to
Celebrate the**

**40th Anniversary of Ordination
For**

Fr. Jobe Abbass, OFM Conv.

**on
Sunday, May 25, 2025
following the 11:30 am Mass
in the St Francis Room**

St Adalbert Summer Camp

(718) 639-0212 Web site: Adalbertchurch.org

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July 1 – August 15, Monday-Friday

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Family Pricing for 2025

Week	Date	1 st Child	2 nd Child	3 rd Child
1	July 1 – July 3 \$60 per day per child			
2	July 7 - July 11	\$300	\$280 2 kids x 1 wk = \$580	\$260 3 kids = \$840
3	July 14 – July 18	\$600	\$560 2 kids x 2 wk = \$1160	\$520 3 kids \$ 1680
4	July 21 – July 25	\$900	\$840 2 kids x 3 wk = \$1740	\$780 3 kids = 2520
5	July 28 – August 1	\$1200	\$1120 2 kids x 4 wk = \$2320	\$1040 3 kids = \$ 3360
6	August 4 – August 8	\$1500	\$1400 2 kids x 5 wk = \$2900	\$1300 3 kids = \$ 4200
7	August 11 – August 15	\$1800	\$1680 2 kids x 6 wk = \$3480	\$1560 3 kids= \$ 5040

*** Special Sibling Discount for 2nd and 3rd child ***

*** Early Bird Discount if you pay in full for the whole 7 weeks by June 2, 2025 ***

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 18 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

5:00 PM - + Bob & + Thomas Reilly,
req. June Osman
8:30 AM - Mother's Day Novena
10:00 AM Pol - + Louis Crescimano,
req. Teresa Zajkowski
+ Jan Pasciak, req. John & Cecilia Kielbiowski
+ Chester Greszczuk, req. Wanda & Ed
11:30 AM - + Ivan Trdoslavic, req. Lisa Trdoslavic

Monday, May 19 - Easter Weekday

6:45 AM - Inten. for Lirio Debidos, req. Family
9:00 AM - Mothers Day Novena

Tuesday, May 20 - Easter Weekday

6:45 AM - For All Parishioners
9:00 AM - + Joseph McNamara,
req. Celia McNamara & Family
+ Joe, +Mary, and +Joseph Rempuszewski,
req. Family

Wednesday, May 21 - Easter Weekday

6:45 AM - Special Intention
9:00 AM - + Guiseppina Rizzo, req. Victoe Jimenez
7:00 PM Polish - Birthday Blessings for Sr. Teresilla,
req. M/M Zabor
+ Grzegorz Rodenko, req. Sister

Thursday, May 22 - Easter Weekday

6:45 AM - Friary Chapel Intentions
9:00 AM - In Thanksgiving for the Makayan Family

Friday, May 23 - Easter Weekday

6:45 AM - Friary Chapel Intentions
9:00 AM - + Florence Lignowski, req. Family
+ Helen Iwinski, req. Helen Lesnik-Mistak

Saturday, May 24 - Easter Weekday

9:00 AM - + Wladyslaw Olejnik, req. Stella & Family
5:00 PM - For All Parishioners

Sunday, May 25 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:30 AM - Friary Chapel Intentions
10:00 AM Pol - In Thanksgiving for Wojciechowski
+ Janina, +Franciszek, & + Stanislaw Podpora,
req. Children
11:30 AM - + Maria Spotorno,
req. Husband & Children
+ Francesca Cuoco, req. Family
2:00 PM Filipino Mass - For All Parishioners



St Adalbert Parish Statistics
**EVERYONE OVER THE AGE OF 21
SHOULD
HAVE THEIR OWN CENSUS REGISTRA-
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TRATIONS MAY BE DONE OVER THE
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Please note Friary Office Hours
Monday – Friday - 9:00 am – 4:30 pm
Saturdays – Office Closed
Sundays – Office Closed
Registered Families - 705
Registered Members - 2084
Donations

Sunday, May 11, 2025
Tithing Collection - \$ 3175.00
Capital Improvement - \$ 1615.00
Mail-in envelopes - \$ 143.00
On-line - \$ 966.00
Total : \$ 5899.00

Please pray for our sick brothers & sisters:
Doug Monahan, Jackie Cavalla, Bill Bellas, Lina
Spotorno-Velez, Angelita Agulto, Robbie Giannone,
Paul & Marianne Kiskorna, Eileen Pesek, Joe Wagner,
Charlotte Irwin, Sol Monsalve

**If you know of anyone who is sick, hospitalized, going
for surgery, or needs our prayers please call the
Friary at 718-639-0212 and ask for them to be placed
on our list. Those members of our parish family who
are homebound, hospitalized or sick and would like a
visit from the Friars or a Eucharistic Minister, please
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