

**JUNE 29, 2025 (Cycle 1- Year C)**

*Peter, rescued from the power of Herod, and Paul, protected from his enemies,  
proclaim with their lives that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of the living God.*

**SATURDAY, JUNE 28**

**6:00 P.M.** Susie Skloss *by Family*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 29 - SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES**

**10:00 A.M.** 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary for the Living & Deceased members of Cestohowa Altar Society

**MONDAY, JUNE 30**

9:00 A.M. 1) Shirley Janecek *by M/M Preston Pawelek*

2) Mildred Scheffler *by Peter Scheffler*

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 2**

9:00 A.M. Living & Deceased family *by Julie Pruski & Family*

**THURSDAY, JULY 3 - ST. THOMAS APOSTLE**

7:30 A.M. Special Intentions *by M/M Jeffrey Wiatrek*

**FIRST FRIDAY, JULY 4**

6:30 P.M. 1) Willie Sr. & Cecilia Sekula *by Willie Sekula*

2) Gerard Shodrock *by M/M Mike Beers*

**SATURDAY, JULY 5**

**6:00 P.M.** Agnes Jaskinia *by Willie Sekula*

**SUNDAY, JULY 6 - FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**10:00 A.M.** For our Parish Family

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### **SERVING the LORD**

**Extraordinary Ministers:** SAT. Scott Lindley SUN. Adrian Wiatrek

**Lectors:** SAT. Mary Pruski SUN. Barbra Peterson

**Ushers:** SAT. Volunteers SUN. Jacob Pruski & Corey Stone

**Offertory:** SUN. Cody Labus Family

**Altar Servers:** SUN. Kaci, Quinn, Ian & Dos

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR -- Lord in your loving Mercy please send the Holy Spirit with the Gift of healing** upon these servants who are in need of strength: *Lillian Broll, James Mzyk, Elaine Felux, Annette Pruski, Sixtus Moczygemba, Lucian Moczygemba, Cody Franckowiak, Carmen Garza, Florence Jaskinia, Louise Jurgajtis, Col. Kenneth Wiatrek, Patrick Wiatrek & Gladys Waclawczyk.*

**FOR THE SAFETY OF MILITARY PERSONNEL:** Thank you for the selfless sacrifice of these men and women and their families: *Cody Swierc & Raymond Morin.*

## **Happy 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary to all the Ladies in Cestohowa**

**VOCATION CORNER:** “*You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it.*” (Matthew 16:18)

Sometimes God speaks to us very clearly, other times it is a little more difficult to understand what God is asking of us. Maybe you feel like Peter, God is calling you to something greater than yourself, but we don’t fully understand what He is asking of us. Now would be a great time to talk to your priest to better learn how to hear God’s voice and discern His purpose for your life.

**A PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:** We ask You to strengthen us as we follow the vocation to which You have called us. We pray particularly for those called to serve as priests, sisters, brothers and deacons: Those whom You have called, Those You are calling now, Those You will call in the future. May they be open and responsive to the call of serving Your people.

**SECOND COLLECTION: TODAY, JUNE 28<sup>th</sup> & JUNE 29<sup>th</sup> - for Peter’s Pence.**

This collection supports the Pope’s philanthropy by giving the Holy Father the means to provide emergency assistance to those in need of natural disaster, war, oppression, and disease. This collection is a gesture of solidarity through which every member of the faithful can participate in the activity of the Pope as Pastor of the universal Church.

**OFFICE HOURS:** Starting July 7<sup>th</sup> office hours will be : **MONDAYS - 10AM - 1PM**, the other days will be the same - Wednesdays - 2PM - 5PM and Fridays - 2PM - 5PM.

**OFFICE CLOSE:** Parish office will be closed on **Friday, July 4<sup>th</sup>** .

### **WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS**

*Elizabeth James Dziuk* were baptized Sunday, June 22, 2025. Our Christian Community welcomes you.

**2025 ARCHBISHOP’S APPEAL FOR MINISTRIES:** Don’t forget that the 2025 AA for Ministries is still on. We thank all those who have already responded. Our Parish goal for the 2025 Appeal is \$11,442. So far, we have raised \$4,315 (number of donors: 19).

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY:** June 29<sup>th</sup> - Karen Gawlik & Katharine Barnhill; June 30<sup>th</sup> - Hannah Smith & Michael Cavazos; July 1<sup>st</sup> - Bethany Anderson; July 2<sup>nd</sup> - Jessica Luna & Troy Mutz; July 3<sup>rd</sup> - Bruce Wiatrek & Laken Labus.

**TREASURES OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SAN ANTONIO BOOK:** Don’t miss out on owning one. We still have these beautiful books available in the parish office for FREE.

**ONE MINUTE MEDITATIONS: Room for God** - “Make room therefore the Christ, and refuse entrance to all others. When you have Christ, you are rich and have need to (nothing) else.”

**Give love** - One way to give thanks to God for all the gifts he has bestowed on you is to work for the poor and vulnerable. Sharing your gifts with those less fortunate is how God intends you to use what he gives you. “*Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more*”

**Say “Amen!”** The proper form when receiving Communion is to reply “Amen” when the Eucharistic minister raises the bread or wine and pronounces it, “The Body (or Blood) of Christ.” By responding this way, you openly state your belief in the presence of Christ.

**OUTSIDE EVENTS : ●CESTOWA COMMUNITY HALL NEWS** - Cestohowa Community Hall presents A Night In Cestohowa with Jake Hooker & The Outsiders on **Saturday, August 9, 2025**. We are selling \$1000 Tables of 8 and \$100 Individual Tickets, including dinner and an open bar. Tables will also include gifts. Or at 7:30, the doors will open for \$50 tickets for dancing only. See the flyer in the back of the church for additional information. If you are interested in attending, don't hesitate to get in touch with Tamyra Albers at 210-218-3569 for information. Also, if you would like to donate items for the silent and live auctions, your donation will be much appreciated. All proceeds will benefit the Cestohowa Community Hall Renovations. Thank you.

**●BEAVER ROUNDUP - AUGUST 2<sup>ND</sup>** . RSVP, Beaver Roundup, PO BOX 34, Falls City, TX 78113.

\$20 per person payable to BEAVER ROUNDUP no later than July 23, 2025.

**●PRESENTATION AT THE POLISH HERITAGE CENTER:** All those interested in Polish history, culture, and heritage are welcome! **Thursday, July 3, 2025** - in Panna Maria - 10:00am - 12:00pm.

*Welcome by Aloys Notzon, President and Chairman of the PHC Board. Master of Ceremonies: Professor Jim Mazurkiewicz PhD - Texas A&M University. Featured Guest Speakers: Professor Przemyslaw Czarnek - Minister ( Polish Sejm). Waldemar Biniecki - Journalist-Editor-in-Chief of KURYER POLSKI in US. “The History and Role of American Polonia”*

**CHURCH COLLECTIONS:** June 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> - \$3283.25

Counters - Aileen Jendrusch & Diane Moy

**HAVE A HAPPY 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY**



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**PARISH SECRETARY OFFICE HOURS**

Mondays - 2:00 P.M. -5:00 P.M.  
Wednesdays -2 :00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.  
Fridays - 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

**WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturdays - 6:00 P.M. / Sundays - 10:00 A.M.

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

As scheduled

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Upon request

**RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY**

Before Mass

**HOLY MASS & BENEDICTION**

Prayers/Litany for Vocations

Wednesdays after the  
9:00 A.M. Mass

**DEVOTION TO OUR LADY  
OF CZESTOCHOWA**

Mondays - after Mass.

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY  
ANOINTING**

Please call the priest when sick  
or in the hospital.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Call Rectory at least  
two weeks before.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**

Call Rectory at least six  
months in advance.

**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS**

Fridays - after Mass

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Wednesdays - 6:00 PM

**WELCOME**

Nativity of BVM Family extends  
a heartfelt welcome to our visitors  
& guests and invite you to return

