

Rectory of
Immaculate Conception Church
467 Delaware Avenue
Kingston, N. Y.

69th Program - 1/28/45. - #1.

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Niech bedzie pochwalony Jezus Chrystus.
Friends of Poland - How about a polka HASIA
BASIA FOR FLORIAN SZCZYPCA On his 18th birth
day.

Once again we take the liberty to re-
mind you that we are now appealing for FIGHT
ING POLAND - not only for clothes, but for
funds as well.

Have you sent your bundle of clothes for
the human skeletons left in Poland? No, it's
not too late. The address? Immaculate Concep-
tion School, Kingston N.Y.

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If you have no clothes to send for the
Polish War Victims, how about a contribution?
Simply address it to Yours Devotedly, Father
Malinowski, in care of WKNY or I. C. Church,
Kingston N.Y.

Every contribution of 5 dollars or more
will be announced. Last Sunday we announced
receipt of 115 dollars.

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Today's contributing friends of Poland
are: Mrs. Tecla Cwill, \$10; Mr. & Mrs. Anthony
Brudniak \$5; Mr. & Mrs. Jos. Hudela \$5; Mr. &
Mrs. John Setera \$5; and Mr. & Mrs. Joseph
Gregoraszczyk \$15 - for all of whom we play
TANIEC NA ZARECZYNACH - the betrothal dance.

Last Sunday at I.C. Church, we resolved
to make a novena of MONTHLY COMMUNIONS for our
boys and girls in the service - that is - we
all resolved to receive Holy Communion once a
month for 9 consecutive months for our loved
ones in the service.

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How do you like the idea? Well, then,
how about joining us?

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The important thing to do and to resolve, is to select some definite day. Otherwise procrastination will ruin your good intention.

There will be no difficulty for those who belong to the parish society or sodality that goes to the sacraments at an appointed time each month.

With your permission, we will be parochial for a moment. At I.C., the parochial school boys go to confession, the Thursday Before the First Friday, which day they receive Holy Communion, each month.

The members of the Children of Mary Sodality, junior and senior, receive Holy Communion the First Sunday of ~~the~~/month/ each month.

The Holy Name Men approach the altar, every Second Sunday of the month.

And the Holy Rosary Society Ladies march to the altar in a body every Third Sunday of the month.

So if you don't belong to any of these parochial societies, we suggest that you select the 4th Sunday of the month - and stick to it. So, how about it?

How and when did we get the idea of a novena of MONTHLY COMMUNIONS? Well, we'll tell you after we play this number - MATKA ZOLNIERZA * MOTHER OF A SOLDIER - for marine Jimmie Kellerman, now convalescing after being wounded for the third time. He's the lad who wrested a saber from a Jap officer. So, happy birthday to Marine Jimmie Kellerman.

How and when did we get the idea of a novena of MONTHLY COMMUNIONS for our loved ones in the service? The idea came to us after reading a Xmas letter from one of I.C. boys, actually written Xmas day somewhere in Belgium.

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XMAS NITE, DEC. 25th, '44 SOMEWHERE IN BELGIUM
~~NOTE~~ - I GUESS YOU KNOW THRU THE PAPERS
AND RADIO JUST ABOUT WHAT THE SITUATION IS OVER
HERE AT PRESENT, NOT ONE THAT YOU PEOPLE CAN SI
DOWN AND PLAN A BIG V DAY CELEBRATION BUT A
SITUATION THAT CALLS FOR ALL THE COOPERATION
POSSIBLE SO THAT THESE PEOPLE CAN BE DECISIVELY
DEFEATED.

I READ THAT PRICE IN THE PAPER ABOUT THE
MAYOR AND CHIEF MURPHY, PLANNING THAT BIG PARAD
AFTER GERMANY IS DEFEATED. THEY HAD BETTER DO
A LIITTLE MORE PRAYING AND LESS PLANNING. THE
THING TO DO, IS TO DEFEAT THESE BIRDS AND THEN
PLAN YOUR CELEBRATING.

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YOU WILL NO DOUBT NOTICE WHERE THIS LETTE
IS BEING WRITTEN FROM, I DON'T THINK I HAVE TO
TELL YOU WHY. (the previous letter was address
somewhere in Germany - this one somewhere in Bel
gium) OUR LAST PLACE WASN'T SO BAD. WE STAYED I
A HOUSE, HAVING HAD IT PRETTY GOOD. AT THIS
WRITING, WE ARE OUT IN THE OPEN and for a home,
we built ourselves a dugout. THERE ARE 6 OF US
SLEEPING IN IT, PRETTY CROWDED BUT SAFER THAN
SLEEPING IN PUP TENTS. WE HAVE A BLOW TORCH
GOING AND IT KEEPS US PRETTY WARM. WE ALSO
HAVE A LIGHT HOOKED UP TO A BATTERY, SO HAVE
PREETY FAIR LIGHT. MY CORNER IS A BIT DARK BUT
I CAN SEE GOOD ENOUGH TO WRITE.

FURTHER ON HE WRITES * QUOTE *

TODAY BEING XMAS * AND SPEAKING OF EATING
WE HAD A TURKEY DINNER ABOUT # 3 O'CLOCK. IT
WAS REAL GOOD. WE ATE OUT IN THE COLD BUT THAT
MADE NO DIFFERENCE.

I WENT TO MASS ABOUT 10.30 THIS MORNING,
IT BEING HELD IN AN OLD COW STABLE. NOTHING
FANCY LIKE CHURCHES BACK HOME. BUT JUST THINK :
THE LORD WAS BORN IN A MANGER AND HERE WE CEL*
EBRATED MASS WITH THE SAME SURROUNDINGS.

AS LAST YEAR, I OFFERED UP MY COMMUNION
FOR MOM AND YOU.

P.S. WAITING FOR THE OPLATEK. WAS THINKIN
ABOUT IT LAST NITE. END OF QUOTE.

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The oplatek as we presume you already know, is the XMAS WAFER, used in the DZIELENIE OPLATKIEM, or the exchange of Xmas greetings.

If these boys in fox holes, can find time to go to confessions and receive Holy Communion FOR YOU, it's a shame if you can't find time to do the same for them.

So, are you with us? A novena of MONTHLY COMMUNIONS for the men and women in the service And don't think they wont appreciate it. You heard many times already: there are no atheists in fox holes.

After that resolution, you deserve some music JAZDA DO WARSZAWY * TRIP TO WARSAW for Mr. & Mrs. John Dziewiatowski of Plattkill.

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Surprised Mr. & Mrs. John Dziewiatowski? Heard you tune in every Sunday. Bog Zaplac.

Perhaps a practice we introduced in I.C. parish, will interest you and be helpful to you as well as to others.

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As soon as a member of I.C. parish dies, - no matter what time of the day - the bell of the church is tolled, informing all within hearing, that some one just passed away in the parish.

But that is not all. Everyone hearing the bell tolled, says quietly or in his heart; Eternal rest grant unto him or her, O Lord. May his or her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, thru the mercy of God, rest in peace, Amen.

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For instance, only last Thursday evening, a week ago, shortly after the novena service to OUR LADY OF VICTORY, the church bell was tolled announcing the death of T/Sgt Joseph Brown, killed in action in France.

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So, whenever you hear the I.C. Church bell tolled, at any unusual hour, won't you say that prayer - or any short prayer. Bog Zaplac.

We might add that the bell is ~~tolled~~ then tolled at Angelus time for 3 consecutive days until the funeral takes place.

And what is Angelus Time? We'll explain that next week, for now it's time for an oberek NA OKRECIE - ON BOARD SHIP. *for the speedy recovery of Charles Byak.*

Remember you have a dinner date at the White Eagle Hall, Lincoln's Birthday, the 12th of ~~Feb~~ Febr, between 5 and 9 - plus free dancing. *for all the supper guests.*

And so DO WIDZENIA until next Sunday at 4. Gos Bless you and yours. And BOG ZAPLAC for listening.