

FIRST READING

Isaiah 52

SECOND READING

Acts 3:12-26

PRAYER BEFORE THE SERMON

SERMON

THE CREED

SONG

Adwentu idzie nowy czas (Polish only)

QUIET PRAYER TIME

(Silence is kept) Prayer time is a good time for worshipers to reflect on the Word that they heard preached during the service. Use this time for prayer or to think about what you have heard or experienced. A light music may be played in the background. Prayer time will be concluded by the Lord's prayer cited by all in Polish.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in Heaven...

CLOSING SONG

Witaj Jezu, Cię czekamy (Come Thou Long Expected Jesus)

OFFERING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

Niech będzie chwała i cześć (Let There Be Glory And Honour And Praises)

PRAISE POINTS

1. Kirill's parents feel better.
2. The pastor from Kirill's hometown feels better.
3. For Christ's grace in our church.
4. Maria Garcarz's mother has returned home.

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAYER FOR THE SICK AND NEEDY

1. Sashko, Anna's, Leana's health.
2. Everyone who is suffering from the coronavirus infection around the world. May God be with them, bless them and comfort them. And also may God give wisdom to scientists who are working on researches about this virus, so that there will be effective means to fight against this virus developed as soon as possible.
3. For the health of a pastor from Kirill's hometown.
4. For Leana's grandmother's health.
5. For Dave and his family's wellbeing.
6. Artur's and Tatyana's parent's health.
7. The health of Maria Garcarz's parent's.

PRAYER FOR STUDENTS AND WORKER

1. Serhii and Daniela, for wisdom in making the right decisions connected with a mortgage.
2. For the Love God Greatly ministry, that women would use the materials to study the Bible.
3. For wisdom in organizing and leading the women's Bible study group at church.
4. For good relationships between the young people in our Church and their parents.
5. For wise decisions for Kirill and for his trip in December.
6. Leana's residency card, that it would be processed on time. Also that she would find time to study the Bible with her mother.
7. For Artur, Tatyana and their children's work. Also for Uzbekistan and the Sharakhimov family's relatives as the Covid-19 situation is bad over there.
8. Lewis's studies.
9. Blessing in finding a house for Ania and Sashko.
10. For Sashko, that he would be able to find a good gastrologist.
11. For Pavel, that his visa would come through on time and for the flat renovation process.
12. For Iwo, for wisdom in organizing time till the end of this year.

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

1. Pray for more church workers for our fellowship and a university student ministry.
2. Let us pray for the successful printing of the book „Are we together?” by R.C. Sproul and of the Cracow Catechism.
3. For the publishing of John Calvin's "Institutes" into Polish.
4. For cooperation with the Ministry of culture and national heritage in publishing Jan Łaski's Catechism.

OTHER

1. Pray for unity among all Reformed churches in Poland. Pray for the Presbyterian Church in Poland to come to existence.
2. For the leaders of the countries around the world, for wisdom in making decisions amidst the covid-19 pandemic.
3. Prayer for Belarus, especially for the Churches and the Christians who live there.

If anyone is in need of a mask please contact Leana: tel. 519-723-776

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 03 / 12** Bible study (in Polish)
Thursday, 17.30 Smolki 8. For zoom link contact: 730484005
- 03 / 12** Catechism study (in Polish)
Thursday, 19.00 Smolki 8. For zoom link contact: 730484005
- 06 / 12** Morning service in Polish
Sunday, 10.00 Smolki 8
- 06 / 12** Morning service in Polish with English translation
Sunday, 12.00 Smolki 8

Online giving for the church is payable to: Fundacja "Europejska Misja Chrześcijańska", ul. Św. Filipa 23/4, 31-150 Kraków IBAN: PL 94 1140 2004 0000 3802 7701 2043. Cash offerings should be put into white envelopes placed at the back of hymnals and put into the offering basket.

Cash offering from last week: 0 zloty. Bank transfers received during the week: 200 zloty.

All up to date events including this bulletin can be found on our church's web site: www.kosciolzbawiciela.pl



KOŚCIÓŁ
CHRYSTUSA ZBAWICIELA

29th November 2020 (First Sunday of Advent)

Welcome to all worshippers this evening to Christ the Saviour Presbyterian Church in Krakow. As you enter the sanctuary, please feel free to greet one another. When the prelude begins let us quietly prepare for the worship of God. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please allow us to get to know you better by staying for tea and coffee after the service.

CONFESSION OF SINS

A moment of silence is followed by this corporate prayer:

Let us confess our sins

All: Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

SONG - Zbawca ludów, Zbawca dusz (Saviour of the Nations Come)

RESPONSIVE READING - Advent candles lighting

Celebrant: Jesus said, "I am the light of the world; the one who follows me will not walk in darkness but have the light of life."

All: We light this candle as a sign of the coming light of Christ.

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness —on them light has shined. [✠] Come, Lord Jesus, our light and our salvation.

All: Let us walk in the light of the Lord. — Isaiah 9:2, NRSV