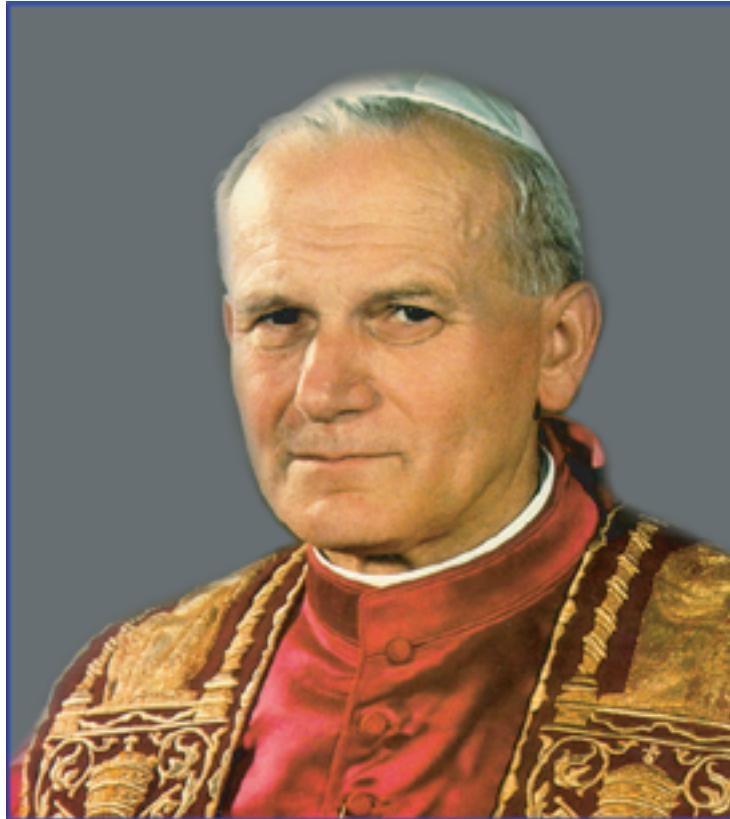


Pope John Paul II Memorial



Holy Father of the Universal Catholic Church • 1978 to 2005

Born Karol Wojtyla in Wadowice, Poland on May 18, 1920

Entered the Seminary in 1941

Ordained a Priest on November 1, 1946

Appointed Auxiliary Bishop of Krakow, Poland in July, 1958

Appointed Archbishop of Krakow, Poland in December, 1963

Elevated to Cardinal of the Catholic Church on May 29, 1967

Elected as Holy Father of the Universal Catholic Church on October 16, 1978

Died at His Vatican Home in Rome, Italy on Saturday, April 2, 2005

May He Rest in Peace