

**POLISH UNION OF THE US OF NA  
TO MERGE WITH  
FIRST CATHOLIC SLOVAK LADIES ASSOCIATION**

On January 8, 2017, the delegates of the Polish Union converged at Genetti Hotel and Conference Center in downtown Wilkes-Barre, PA. The purpose of this Special Convention was to approve a merger with First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association which is located in Beechwood, Ohio.

CEO/National Secretary & Chairperson of this Special Convention, Charlotte L. Androckitis read a statement which included greetings and best wishes to the delegates sent from Cynthia M. Maleski, National President, CEO and Chair of the Board of First Catholic Ladies Association.

After a lengthy discussion, the 39 delegates of the Polish Union that were present unanimously approved the merger contract between the both Fraternal Organizations.

Representing the First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association at the Polish Union Special Convention were local representatives from District 10. Namely: Magadalen I. Iskra, President; Martha Iskra, Trustee; Ann Hudock, Treasurer and Ann Dougher, Auditor.



Pictured above are the current Board Members of the Polish Union. After the merger becomes effective they will become an Advisory Board on Polish Union matters to the First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association.

Sitting from left to right: John P. Bednarski, CFO; Rev. Patrick L. Albert, Chaplain & Chairman of the Board; Charlotte L. Androckitis, CEO/National Secretary and Atty. Jeffrey J. Malak, CLO. Standing from left to right: Toni Storts, District Director of the Illinois Area; William Giebus, Director; Nancy Bachurek, Director; Terri Rumensky, Director; Joan Wisinski, District Director of the Illinois Area; Joseph P. Pudlosky, Jr., Director; and Sheri Pudlosky Brierley, Director.

Keeping with the tradition of the Christmas season, the group broke the blessed wafer with each other, and then enjoyed a delicious buffet.