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26th International Exhibition of Church Construction, Church Fittings and Furnishings and Religious Art

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Sacroexpo 2025: A celebration of liturgy and sacred art

The 26th edition of Sacroexpo once again confirmed its position as one of Europe's leading events for the religious industry, fully meeting the expectations of those who appreciate sacred art and innovation. Hosted at Targi Kielce, the exhibition attracted thousands of visitors over three inspiring days.

Nearly 200 exhibitors from 10 countries presented a wide range of church and parish equipment, devotional items, Christian-themed board games, Catholic publications, and pilgrimage offers to major religious destinations. A special highlight was the showcase of modern technologies designed for parishes, including cemetery management systems, online fundraising tools, and mobile applications for locating Masses and religious services.

Art has always been a defining pillar of Sacroexpo. This year, visitors immersed themselves in the Sacred Art Zone, the renowned Drapikowski Studio Exhibition, and the *Regina Poloniae* showcase of Papal Madonnas. For their outstanding contributions to culture, *Wydawnictwo Jedność* and Kraków-based poet Adam Ziemianin received the prestigious **Per Artem Ad Deum Medal**, awarded under the patronage of the Vatican's Dicastery for Culture and Education. Sacroexpo continues to serve as a vibrant platform where tradition meets innovation, providing a unique space for reflection on the role of art and spirituality in contemporary life.







The 27th edition
of Sacroexpo will be held
on 15–17 June 2026
at Targi Kielce.

Sacroexpo facts and figures



10 countries







sacred art exhibitions



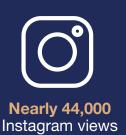


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Accompanying events

The rich program of side events added depth and inspiration to this year's edition.

A lecture by Fr. Dr. Michał Chaberek on the dialogue between faith and science, addressing the challenges posed by neo-Darwinian theories while affirming the Church's respect for scientific inquiry.







An author session with Fr. Prof. Witold Kawecki, presenting his book Jesus: *The Mystery of Redemption*, which emphasized the centrality of Christ in modern spirituality.

A talk by Fr. Sebastian Picur on digital evangelization, inspired by Blessed Carlo Acutis, showing how the Church can reach the faithful through social media.





Presentations by *Wydawnictwo Święty Wojciech*, the "Lenten Scratch Card" initiative, and Caritas' humanitarian campaign Family to Family



Liturgical spirit at the forefront

A major debut this year was the conference "The Spirit of the Liturgy as the Spirit of the Church", organized to mark the 20th anniversary of Benedict XVI's election. Opened by Bishop Jan Piotrowski, the event highlighted the formative and unifying role of the liturgy.





Liturgical spirit at the forefront

Renowned theologians and scholars including Fr. Dr. Jan Strumiłowski, Fr. Dr. Wojciech Surówka, Dr. Paweł Milcarek, and Fr. Prof. Marek Lis enriched the discussions. The conference was co-organized by the Diocesan Museum in Kielce and the Ratzinger Studies Centre in Bydgoszcz.

Additionally, the **Sacristans' School**, led by the Sisters of St. Jadwiga the Queen, provided practical training for clergy and laypersons involved in liturgical service.



See recordings from the conference





Sacred Art Exhibitions

This year's art program featured works by contemporary talents such as Borys Fiodorowicz, Piotr Barszczowski, Sylwia Perczak, and Aleksander Grzybek, curated by Art in House Auction House and Gallery.



Sacred Art Exhibitions

The Drapikowski Studio's "Pilgrims of Hope" exhibition showcased masterpieces including jeweled vestments for the Black Madonna of Częstochowa and Marian monstrances created for Fatima and Medjugorje.

The Regina Poloniae Exhibition presented papally crowned Madonnas revered across Polish sanctuaries. Iconographer Maria Pilch described the display as a heartfelt tribute to John Paul II and Benedict XVI, honoring their deep devotion to the Virgin Mary.

Visitors also had opportunities for contemplation in the iconographic oratory hosted by Wesoła 54 Pastoral Centre and in a special exhibition commemorating Benedict XVI.



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Per Artem Ad Deum – 20 years of Tribute to Art

This year marked the 20th anniversary of the Per Artem Ad Deum awards. The 2025 laureates, *Wydawnictwo Jedność* and poet Adam Ziemianin, were celebrated at a prestigious gala. "Thanks to this award, our books become works of art," said Fr. Leszek Skorupa, Director of Jedność.

The evening concluded with a moving performance by the ensemble *U Studni*, featuring poetry by Adam Ziemianin, admired for his spiritually rich and lyrical reflections.

Exhibitor Awards

Innovation and creativity were recognized through Sacroexpo's distinguished awards:

TOP DESIGN Distinctions

- AXENCIA GALICJA
- HAFTINA ATELIER
- FENICE
- MIRANDA TEXTILES

TOP DESIGN Award

• GRANITY SKWARA



Sacroexpo Product Distinctions

- JAKÓBCZAK STUDIO marble statue of St. Michael the Archangel
- ART COLIBRI MOSAIC handmade mosaics

Sacroexpo Product Medals

- Andrzej Burkot's Woodcarving Studio "Adoring Angels" wood sculptures
- ZYGZAK hand-embroidered Roman chasuble



Exhibitor Awards

Honorary Awards

- CHARISTIA Cardinal Józef Glemp Medal for handcrafted communion wafers
- MIRANDA Archbishop Wojciech Polak Medal for the "Misterium" fabric collection
- Abiti Caelesti Bishop Jan Piotrowski Award for the "Ruby" vestment collection





Exhibitor Testimonials:



Yana Omelianiuk, Doroshenko Company

We're very pleased. We enjoy Targi Kielce and have made many valuable connections.

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Amelia Szymańska, Indico Plus

There's great potential for growth here – in business and ideas. Client conversations inspire our direction.





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