

**Ronald P. Sciera****Roman Catholic priest**

Born Nov. 9, 1934, Niagara Falls (NY), U.S.; son of Matthew and Wanda (Fryc).

**Education:** Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), St. Mary's College, Orchard Lake (MI), 1957; Master of Arts (M.A.), Louvain University (Belgium), 1961; ordination, 1961.

**Career:** associate pastor, Holy Family Church, 1961-62, St. Peter Church, St. Anthony Church, 1962-71, Leroy (NY), St. Aloysius Church, Cheektowaga (NY), 1971-73, Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Buffalo (NY), 1973-79; pastor, Precious Blood Church, 1979 -, healing services organizer and conductor, 1981 - Buffalo; youth trips organizer, 1965 -; contributor to catholic radio programs, 1985 -.

**Member of, i.a.:** Association of Polish Priests for Polish Affairs; Erie County Youth Board, 1974; director, Kensington - Bailey Community Center, 1974; board directors member, Villa Maria College; chaplain, Buffalo Sabres Hockey Club, St. Joseph's Guild; Knights of Columbus; Kosciuszko Foundation.

**Honors:** Citizen of the Year for Religion, *American - Polish Eagle*, 1990; *Maxima Cum Laude*, Orchard Lake Alumni Chancellor's Senate, 1991.

**Languages:** English, Polish, Italian, French.

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