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**Znane i nieznane źródła dotyczące ks. Jana Krzysztofa Kluka
w zasobach akt Archiwum Diecezjalnego w Drohiczynie**

**The known and unknown sources of information on the Rev.
Jan Krzysztof Kluk from the Drohiczyn's Diocese Archives**

SUMMARY

The aim of the work *Znane i nieznane źródła dotyczące ks. Jana Krzysztofa Kluka w zasobach akt Archiwum Diecezjalnego w Drohiczynie* [The Known and Unknown Sources of Information on the Rev. Jan Krzysztof Kluk from the Drohiczyn's Diocese Archives] is to publish the archival records about the Rev. J.K. Kluk, the parish priest of Ciechanowiec and a great naturalist. Some of them had been unknown at all or hadn't been cited precisely. That is why the texts are published in the original Latin or Polish together with short commentaries and the copies of the original documents. All of that gives the readers an opportunity to analyze the authentic materials such as the baptismal certificate of the Rev. J.K. Kluk, his appointment to the post of altarist of St. Roch in the church of Ciechanowiec or his appointment as parish priest in Winna, as well as birth certificates and other documents, which he had written. The documents include also to Rev. Kluk's and his mother Elżbieta's admission to the Fraternity of Holy Trinity in Ciechanowiec, numerous certificates of five days closed retreat at the Missionary Fathers' convent at Siemiatycze and accounts of the missions of the Priests of the Mission (lazarists) at Siemiatycze to Ciechanowiec. Other documents comprise Rev. Kluk's remarks on some problems of the parishes during his inspections of them when he was dean, his notes written between the lines of birth certificates in parish registers, his mother's and his own certificates of death, as well as copy of his last will.

The current study may prompt other archivists, especially the workers of the Document Archives in Warsaw, "Ossolineum", Vilnius University Archives, the Priests of the Mission Archives in Kraków, to publish the sources on the life and activity of the Rev. J.K. Kluk.

In spite of the fact that already 260 years have passed from the day of his birth, we feel that far from everything has been said about this good shepherd and great scientist.

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