Clergy

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Synopsis:

Many years ago, the lives of three Catholic priests were joined by tragic events. Now, on every anniversary of the catastrophe they endured, the three meet in order to celebrate the fact of their survival. Their everyday lives are very different. Lisowski (Jacek Braciak) is a big-city curia employee, making a spectacular career with one eye on a lucrative Vatican position. His problem is that his ambitions are being thwarted by Archbishop Mordowicz (Janusz Gajos), a luxury-steeped church big shot, freely using his political clout to build Poland’s largest new sanctuary. The second priest, Trybus (Robert Wi?ckiewicz) is a countrysiderector. Fulfilling his calling in a place of dire poverty, he becomes more and more prone to human failings. And things don’t look any brighter to Father Kuku?a (Arkadiusz Jakubik), who — despite his passionate faith — keeps losing his parish’s trust practically on a daily basis. Once a young altar boy in Kuku?a’s parish falls victim to sexual abuse, the events accelerate at a frightening pace and push all characters to the very limit. Not be-fore long, the stories of the three priests reunite once again, and the events taking place will affect the lives of everyone involved.

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