



Wadowice – the family home and birthplace of John Paul II is located in an exceptionally picturesque Małopolska Region, combining natural landscape wealth and many tourist attractions of the Beskid Mały Mountains and Wieliczka Foothill. The best way to get to know them better is to explore their charm from the saddle of your bike by choosing one of the recommended routes. All cycling tours lead through the Municipality of Wadowice by asphalt - paved or rural roads. The shortest route is about 16 km long, while the longest covers 28 km. They were designed in a way to begin and end within the papal city, and their level of difficulty encourages the entire families to spend their free time in an active way. On

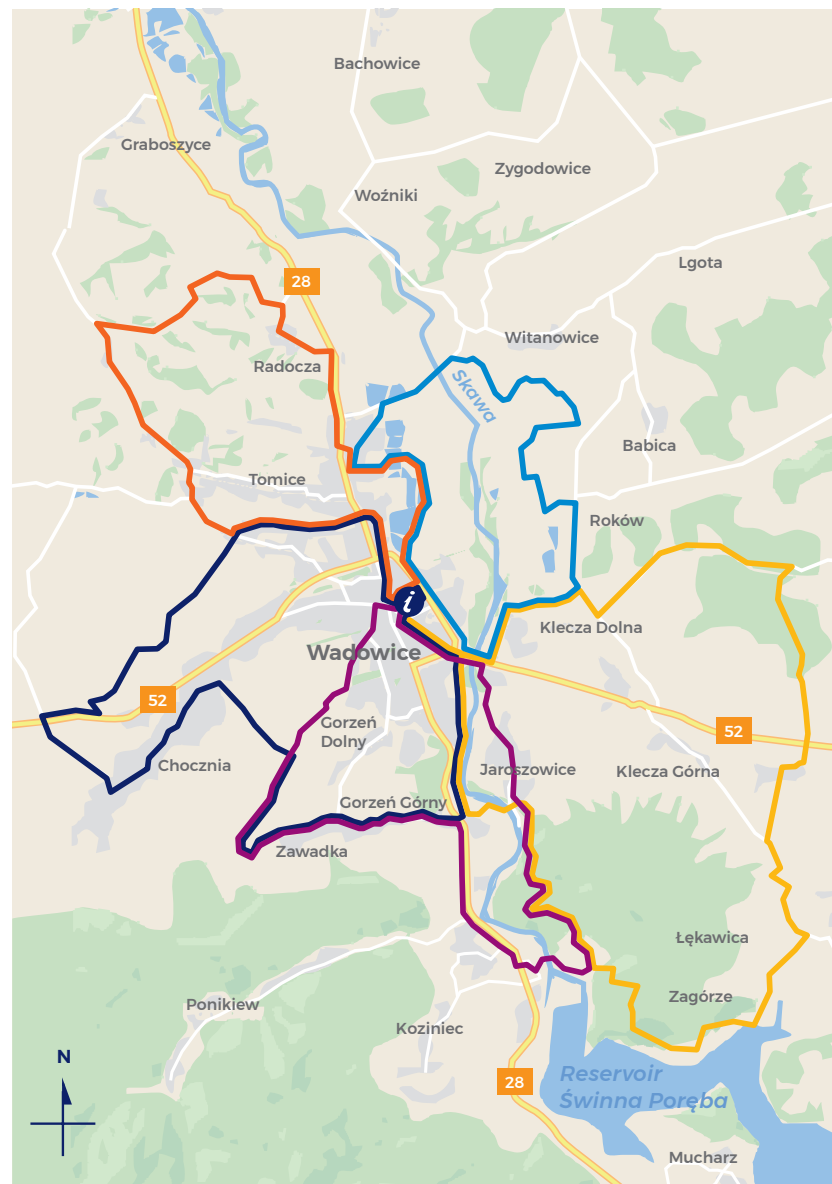
the route, you will find historic manor houses, memorial sites and many natural attractions. You can also admire the panoramic view of the Beskid Mały Mountains, the dam in Świnna Poręba with the Skawa River and medieval ponds. For more information on cycling routes visit our website: www.it.wadowice.pl.



For those who do not have their own bicycle, we provide free bike rental at the **Tourist Information Center in Wadowice**, tel. +48 33 873 23 65 or email: biuro@it.wadowice.pl. You can also pay for renting that two-wheel vehicle at company “**kajaki-na-skawie**”, tel. + 48 608 093 166, www.kajaki-na-skawie.pl, at **Młyn Jacka Hotel & Spa**, tel. +48 33 873 40 80, Jarosławice 234, www.Hotelmj.pl (about 5 km from the center of Wadowice, bicycles available for hotel guests), at the **Tourist Information Center in Stryszów**, tel. +48 33 879 79 31, Stryszów 553, www.stryszow.pl (about 14 km from the center of Wadowice) and at the **Town Bicycle Rental in Sucha Beskidzka (Sucha Beskidzka Municipal Museum)** tel. +48 33 874 26 05, 1 Zamkowa Street, muzem.sucha-beskidzka.pl (about 21 km from the center of Wadowice).

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CONTACT TO ATTRACTIONS ON THE ROUTES:

- **John Paul II Family Home Museum**, reservation: +48 33 823 35 65 or 33 823 26 62
- **Town Museum**, +48 33 873 81 00
- **Hell's Angel - Polish-American Private Museum of Zygmunt Kraus**, +48 605 536 062
- **Ponar - Historical Zone**, +48 33 488 26 70 or e-mail: marketing@ponar.pl
- **Jewish Cemetery**, +48 600 819 122 or 608 277 308
- **“Bałysówka” (Art Gallery) in Tomice**, +48 606 998 332
- **Emil Zegadłowicz Museum**, +48 532 788 635



WADOWICE
where it all begins

On a bike



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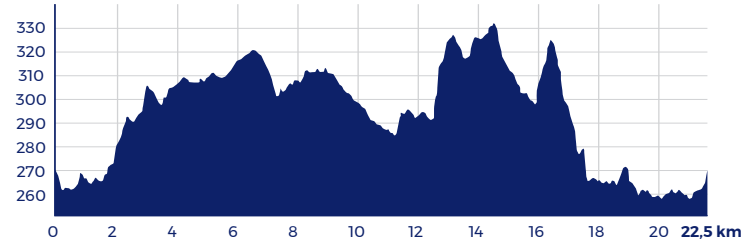
Wadowice is a great starting point, from which you can begin your adventure in Małopolska.

The Old Highroad



Route: Wadowice (0 km) – John Paul II Square, Krakowska Street, Wojska Polskiego Street, **Tomice (1,3 km)** – Rzyczki Street, **Chocznia (3 km)** – Stary Gościniec (Old Highroad), national road No. 52, Drapówka, Housing Estate of doc. J. Putek, Kościelna Street, Góralska Street, **Zawadka (13,6 km)** – main road in the villages: **Goźeń Dolny** and **Goźeń Górný (16,6 km)**, **Jaroszowice (17,9 km)** – national road No 28, Polish Tourist Association's (PTTK) yellow trail, bicycle route, **Wadowice (22,5 km)** – Błonie Street, Lwowska Street, John Paul II Square.

Tourist attractions: Wadowice (John Paul II Family Home Museum, City Museum, Ponar Historical Zone military cemetery, Jewish cemetery) **Chocznia** (Stary Gościniec with God's Passion – choleric cemetery, the Church of St. John the Baptist from the nineteenth century. **Zawadka** (views of the Beskid Mały Mountains – Iłowiec) **Goźeń Górný** (Emil Zegadłowicz Museum) **Jaroszowice** (the Skawa River Valley).



• Distance: 22,5 km • Level of difficulty: Medium

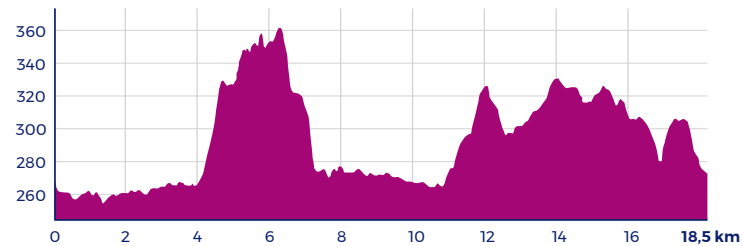


To the dam in Świnna Poręba



Route: Wadowice (0 km) – John Paul II Square, Lwowska Street, Wenecja Street, **Jaroszowice (1,9 km)** – main road, entrance to Jaroszowicka Mount and crossing to its western slope, exit at the dam in Świnna Poręba, national road No 28, **Goźeń Dolny** and **Goźeń Górný (11,2 km)** – main road, **Zawadka (12,4 km)** – main road, **Chocznia (15,5 km)** – Góralska Street, **Wadowice (18,5 km)** – Karmelicka Street, John Paul II Square.

Tourist attractions: Wadowice (John Paul II Family Home Museum, City Museum, Hell's Angel – Polish-American Private Museum of Zygmunt Kraus), **Jaroszowice** (climbing rocks on Mount Jaroszowicka Góra, view of the dam and reservoir in Świnna Poręba), **Goźeń Górný** (Emil Zegadłowicz Museum), **Zawadka** (views of the Beskid Mały Mountains – Mount Iłowiec), **Chocznia** (the route is a part of the Way of St. James), Wadowice (the Monastery of Discalced Carmelites from the nineteenth century).



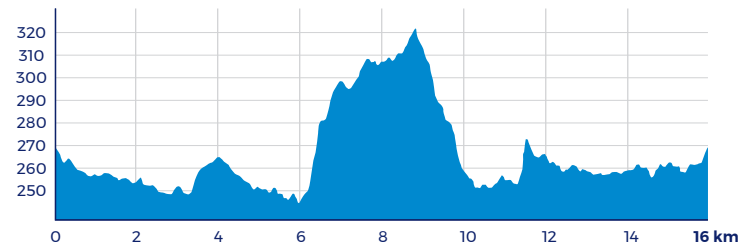
• Distance: 18,5 km • Level of difficulty: Medium

The Between the ponds



Route: Wadowice (0 km) – John Paul II Square, Lwowska Street, Sienkiewicza Street, Nadbrzeźna Street, Podstawie Street, **Tomice (2,7 km)** – Łęg Street, Dworska Street, Krakowska Street, **Witanowice (6,1 km)** – Radwany Street, Graniczna Street, **Roków (9,9 km)** – the road through the center of the village, between fish ponds, **Wadowice (16 km)** – Zaskawie Street, Wałowa Street, Konstytucji 3 Maja Street, Lwowska Street, John Paul II Square.

Tourist attractions: Wadowice and **Tomice** (medieval fish ponds, Natura 2000 area – the Lower Skawa Valley, area for aquatic and wetland birds), **Witanowice** (view of the Beskid Mały Mountains), **Roków** (fish ponds with fishery and a fish bar, historic manor from the nineteenth century), **Wadowice** (John Paul II Family Home Museum, Town Museum, Hell's Angel – Polish-American Private Museum of Zygmunt Kraus).



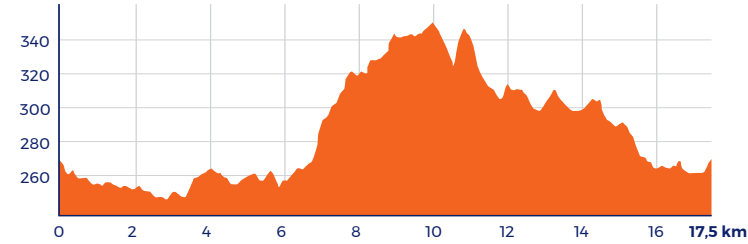
• Distance: 16 km • Level of difficulty: Easy

The Little Beskids



Route: Wadowice (0 km) – John Paul II Square, Lwowska Street, Sienkiewicza Street, the pavement to Wadowice Bus Station – Marszałka J. Piłsudskiego Street, Podstawie Street, **Tomice (2,7 km)** – Łęg Street, Dworska Street, Strażacka Street, Wadowicka Street, **Radocza (5,2 km)** – Jana Pawła II Street, Piastowska Street, Jagiellońska Street, Piastowska Street, **Frydrychowice** – Słoneczna Street, Górna Street, **Tomice (12,8 km)** – Wspólna Street, **Chocznia** – Patria, **Tomice** – Rzyczki Street, **Wadowice (17,5 km)** – Wojska Polskiego Street, Zatorska Street, John Paul II Square.

Tourist attractions: Wadowice (medieval fish ponds, Natura 2000 area – the Lower Skawa Valley), **Tomice** (Bałysówka – the art gallery), **Radocza** (wooden Church of the Transfiguration of Jesus from the sixteenth century, two viewpoints on the Beskid Mały Mountains), **Tomice** (viewpoints on the Beskid Mały Mountains), **Wadowice** (John Paul II Family Home Museum, Town Museum, Ponar – Historical Zone, military cemetery, Jewish cemetery).



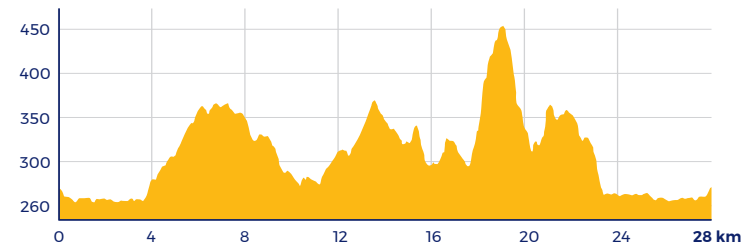
• Distance: 17,5 km • Level of difficulty: Easy

The Following history



Route: Wadowice (0 km) – John Paul II Square, Lwowska Street, Konstytucji 3 Maja Street, Wałowa Street, Zaskawie Street, **Kiecza Dolna (3 km)** – Rogatka, Nowa Wieś, Ostrawa, Zaczise, **Barwałd Dolny (8,7 km)** – Dział, Kleszczówka, Zakosćiele, Rutajek, national road No. 52, Przymiarki, **Łękawica (12,4 km)** – Na Zbóju, the center of the village, Podędworze, Zimna Woda, Zagórze, the south and west slope of Wierchowica Mount, the west slope of Jaroszowicka Góra (Mount), **Jaroszowice (19,7 km)**, Jaroszowice-Zbywaczówka, bike route, **Wadowice (28 km)** – Błonie Street, Lwowska Street, John Paul II Square.

Tourist attractions: Wadowice (John Paul II Family Home Museum, Town Museum, Hell's Angel – Polish-American Private Museum of Zygmunt Kraus), **Kiecza Dolna** (former manor complex from the nineteenth century), **Barwałd Dolny** (wooden Church of St. Erasmus, World War II bunkers, the quarry), **Łękawica** (Mount Jaroszowicka Góra, view of the Beskid Mały Mountains), **Mucharz** (view of the Świnna Poręba Reservoir), **Goźeń Górný** (Emil Zegadłowicz Museum).



• Distance: 28 km • Level of difficulty: Hard