

## MISSION STATEMENT

St. Stanislaus Kostka Parish is a community dedicated to proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ as taught by the Roman Catholic Church through Word, Sacraments and Service while preserving and sharing the cultural roots of the Parish.

Parafia Świętego Stanisława Kostki jest wspólnotą, której celem jest głoszenie Ewangelii Jezusa Chrystusa według nauki Kościoła Rzymskokatolickiego. Misją parafii jest głoszenie Słowa Bożego, sprawowanie Sakramentów oraz służenie innym w zachowaniu tradycji kulturowych.

May 20, 2018

# *St. Stanislaus Kostka Church*

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## PENTECOST

*Receive the Holy Spirit*

### MASS SCHEDULE:

**Saturday:** 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

**Sunday:** 9:00 a.m. (English) 11:00 a.m. (Polish)

**Weekdays:** Monday 8:00 a.m.,

Tuesday 5:30 p.m.,

Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

Thursday 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.,

Friday 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Confession at 5:00 p.m.

Holy Hour at 5:00 p.m.

and Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 6:30 p.m.

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday: 3:00-3:40 p.m. or by appointment

Please remember the ST. STANISLAUS CHURCH OF ROCHESTER, NY (our legal title) considering bequests, endowments, memorials or other special contributions when making out your will. All donations are tax deductible.

REV. ROMAN CALY	Pastor
DCN. RAYMOND MIELCAREK	Deacon (Retired)
MRS. SONJA STENCLIK	Pastoral Coordinator
MRS. BRIDGET NOWAK	Finance Director
MRS. MAGDALENA WNUK	Secretary/Bookkeeper
MRS. PAMELA MOORE	Religious Education Coordinator
MR. DARIUSZ TEREFENKO	Organist
MRS. DOROTHY PROCACCINI	Senior Ministries

### PARISH COUNCIL:

MRS. DOROTHY STYK	Chairperson
MR. JOHN KNICK	Vice-Chairperson
MS. KATHY GUSTYN	Secretary

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday through Friday  
9:00 AM-2:30 PM.  
Evenings by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Sundays at 12:15 p.m. or by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Couples are asked to contact the office at least six months before marriage is to take place.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Welcome! Please stop at the Rectory during business hours and introduce yourself. We would like to get to know you.

**CARE OF THE SICK:** Inform staff when relatives are confined to home so that we can arrange to have the Eucharist brought to them. Please notify us of family members living in nursing homes or institutions.



**SATURDAY – MAY 19**

**Vigil: Pentecost Sunday**

4:00 p.m. — Jan, Feliksa and members of Samiec and Palmąków families (Samiec family)

**SUNDAY - MAY 20**

**Pentecost Sunday**

9:00 a.m. — Paul Russello (Provenzale family)  
11:00 a.m.—Polish Mass— St. Stanislaus parishioners

**MONDAY – MAY 21**

**Saint Christopher Magallanes and Companions, Martyrs**

8:00 a.m. — Harold Schoenheit (Wife Veronica)

**TUESDAY – MAY 22**

**Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious**

5:30 p.m. — Lesław, Zofia and Jan Nobilec (Janina Nobilec)

*Followed by May Devotions*

**WEDNESDAY – MAY 23**

8:00 a.m. - Nick Baraniak (Zofia Robaczyński)  
5:30 p.m.— Regina and Stefan Piotrowski (Adela Piotrowski)

*Followed by May Devotions*

**THURSDAY – MAY 24**

8:00 a.m — In honor of Floryan Słowiński and entire family (Larry Słowiński)

5:30 p.m.—Jan, Józefa, Stanisław and Kazimiera Lubas (Katarzyna Basamon)

*Followed by May Devotions*

**FRIDAY - MAY 25**

**Saint Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church**

**Saint Gregory VII, Pope; Saint Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin**

8:00 a.m. — Raymond A Walters Jr. (Family)  
5:00 p.m. — Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - Confession  
6:00 p.m. — Tomasz Kaczówka (Cecylia Tryt)

*Followed by May Devotions*

**SATURDAY – MAY 26**

**Saint Philip Neri, Priest**

8:00 a.m. – Piotr and Helena Tomczyszyn (Daughter, Chris Eggleston)

**Vigil: The Most Holy Trinity**

4:00 p.m. — In thanksgiving for blessings received on the occasion of the 68th Wedding Anniversary of Florian and Veronika Czerniak

**SUNDAY - MAY 27**

**The Most Holy Trinity**

9:00 a.m. — Richard and Jane Kirchgessner (Family)  
11:00 a.m.—Polish Mass— Piotr, Anna i Mikołaj Kardela (Córka z Rodziną)



**Welcome!**

*A very warm welcome is extended to all who have come to St. Stanislaus Church to worship this Sunday. We are grateful to our parishioners and we welcome our guests who visit us this weekend.*

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

**SUNDAY – MAY 20**

- ◆ After the Masses: Pre-Festival Luncheon Fundraiser organized by the Festival Committee (Auditorium)

**MONDAY – MAY 21**

- ◆ 8:30 a.m.—Making pierogi for Festival (Kitchen)
- ◆ 6:30 p.m.— Holy Name of Jesus Society meeting (Parish Hall)
- ◆ 6:30 p.m.—Polonia Civic Center meeting
- ◆ 7:30 p.m. — North East Freedom AA Group meeting (Auditorium)

**WEDNESDAY—MAY 23**

- ◆ 5:30 p.m. — Polish Choir practice
- ◆ 7:00 p.m. — Polyphonic Choir practice

**SUNDAY – MAY 28**

- ◆ Coffee Hour after the Masses



**Prayer for the Holy Spirit**

Holy Spirit,  
fan into flame the gifts  
I received in my Baptism and Confirmation.  
I want to receive the fire of Your Love  
as Your disciples did at Pentecost.  
Come with wonder and awe,  
with wisdom, understanding, and counsel,  
with courage and faith in You.  
Holy Spirit, may my actions witness  
to Your Presence in my life.  
Help me to see the ways my strengths  
can serve others in their weakness.  
In all my interactions, I want to radiate  
love, joy, peace, patience, kindness,  
generosity, faithfulness, gentleness,  
and self-control.  
Breathe new life  
into the world through me.  
Amen.

**Live the Liturgy - Inspiration for the Week**

"Lord, send out Your Spirit and Renew the face of the earth!" We only know that the wind exists because of what it does. A gentle breeze felt on our face or watching a tree swaying or swirling snowflakes all prove the existence of "something" causing these things to happen. But, apart from its effects, we cannot see the origin or substance of wind. The Holy Spirit is the wind of God. Watching an early Church emerge, people coming to believe, disciples of Jesus change the way they live and conduct their affairs—all give witness to the presence of the Holy Spirit. Observing the courage and conviction of those who have found faith, working for justice, feeding the poor, seeing how wounds are healed—all point to something greater than ourselves working and living among us. How do our lives give witness to the Spirit?



**Pentecost Sunday**

Today we celebrate the "Birthday of the Church!" Pentecost is described in the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles. But before the great driving wind and tongues of fire empowering the Disciples, the Holy Spirit had already arrived. The Gospel for today's Mass during the day is from John 20. Jesus appears to the fearful disciples after His Resurrection. He first speaks a message of calm. "Peace be with you." The apostles "rejoiced when they saw the Lord." When the enthusiastic response settles down, Jesus "breathed on them and said to them 'Receive the Holy Spirit.'" This action is Trinitarian, and it has happened before. If you turn your Bible back to the beginning, you'll read: "The Lord God formed man out of the clay of the ground and blew into his nostrils the breath of life, and so man became a living being" (Genesis 2:7). In the Garden of Eden, we see God's first, original covenant with man. The breath of life signifies that original indwelling of grace, the special state of likeness and friendship with God before the Fall. Here now, in this locked room, the Apostles receive the long-awaited promise: the very breath of God, new life, a new Covenant. In the pairing of these two readings-the Pentecost experience in Acts and the breath of Jesus in John's Gospel -we see that the coming of the Holy Spirit is not only an empowering, it is an indwelling. We have each received the Breath of Grace in our Baptism. It is confirmed, strengthened, and deepened in each reception of the Sacraments. If we persevere in virtue, the Spirit of God is alive in us, inspiring our actions of love. This Pentecost Sunday, how is the breath of God alive in you?

**Parish Council Election Update:**

Dear Parishioners,

The term for 2 members of the Parish Council Waldemar Wojdak and Jerzy Jurkowski has ended. We are grateful for their time, dedication and commitment to serving our parish needs for many years. We now have 2 vacancies.



The Parish Council election was scheduled for the weekend of May 19-20. The Parish Council voted to cancel the election process since there was only one nominee on the ballot, Mr. Tom Strzepek. The Council accepted the nomination and Mr. Strzepek will begin his 3 year term effective July 1, 2018. The Parish Council is still actively seeking to fill the second vacancy. If you are interested in \*supporting the work of Fr. Roman and our Parish Mission, \*helping to strengthen and preserve our beautiful traditions and devotions and \*working to see our Parish Community grow and thrive, contact the rectory to submit your name for consideration. Best regards,

*Dorothy Styk  
Parish Council Chairperson*

**Diocesan Mission Sunday-Weekend of May 19-20**

For over fifty years, the Sisters of St. Joseph have labored in Brazil. Sr. Barbara Orczyk served in Brazil for decades. The Sisters of Mercy have tended to the needs of those in Chile. This weekend, May 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>, we call upon you to help with your prayers and sacrificial gift, so that they may continue to bring Christ into a world where darkness, despair and emptiness prevail. Your continued generosity and support will help these religious to provide the services and resources to the people they serve.

*Congratulations  
on your*



We sincerely congratulate the newly confirmed members of our parish! The following parishioners received the seal of the gift of the Holy Spirit during a Confirmation Mass on May 16th at the cathedral.

- Denver (Joseph) Edwin**
- Alexandria (Hedwig) Hajec**
- Gregory (Valentine) Herdzik**
- Shannon (Brigid) Mahany**
- Audrey (Raphael-Catherine) Moore**
- Maria (Paul) Wojciechowski**
- Nicholas (Martin) Zygadlo**

We also wish to congratulate **Karolina KostECKi**, who was confirmed on April 19th.

Confirmation imprints on the soul an indelible spiritual mark, which is the sign that Jesus Christ has marked a Christian with the seal of his Spirit, and a time to celebrate the continuing grace-giving presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives. Please keep these faith-filled stewards in you prayers for their continuing conversion.

**Please Pray for . . .**

Please pray for all those in hospitals, who are ill or recovering from surgery, and all those ailing at home, in hospice or in nursing homes.

Please keep in your prayers: Linda Adams, Kathleen A. Adams, Marylu Balacki, Ruth Banaszak, Arlene Bialaszewski, Dolores Biddle, Tracy Britton, Leonard Brozak, Ian Joseph Bruckhaus, Eugene Cherkis, Joseph Camptone, Carol Capidone, Norma Coleman, Carl Conde, Marcia Cote, Linda Cranston, Nolan Cybulski, Veronica Czerniak, Lee Daly-Homa, Hania Ferenc, Casimera Francione, Phyllis Gardiner, Eleanore Golomb, Madeline Gotham, Kathy Gustyn, Joan and Mary Kay Hausladen, Joanne Hawkes-Orman, Veronica Hajecki, Kim Harvey, Ruth Hoffman, Jan Hoholuk, Richard Hurysz, Laura Ippoliti, Kathy Przyklek-Jedrzejek, Helena Jurczuk, Connie Kawka, Nick Legonelli, Norma Leblanc, Irene Lichwiarz, Marcin Lukowiak, Beth Lynch, Theodore McCracken, Kathleen McHugh, Jim Mills, Deacon Ray Mielcarek, Vicki Mielcarek, Justina Montanez, Baby Michael Moretter, Iwona Muszak, Emily Nakas, Susan Oberle, Thomas I. Orczyk, Brenda and David Ortiz, Cristine Paradowski, Vincent Parks Jr., Gloria and Bernie Penssek, Quinn Pomroy, Mary Ann Pembroke, Jan Quist, Genevieve Rodgers, Zofia Robaczyński, Fabian Rogalski, Joe Rogers, Shirley Rojek, Trudy Rosolowski, Rick Rosser, Elaine Scalzo, Tom Schramil, Sharon Smith, Emily and Joe Straszynski, George Swartz, Bernard and Trina Weeg, Irena Wiśniewski, David Wojdag, Paul M. Wojdag, Janet Zienkiewicz, Ann Zukosky and Józef Zawitkowski.

To add a loved one's name to this prayer list or to take someone off the prayer list, please call the parish office at 467-3068.

If you would like Fr. Roman to visit or anoint a loved one who is in the hospital, nursing home etc. you should call or preferably text him at 585-705-7142. Leave the name of the person, name of hospital, nursing home, room number and if it is an emergency/eminent death. You may still call the rectory 467-3068 with this information.

**Niedziela Zesłania Ducha Świętego**

Przeżywamy dzisiaj nie tylko posłanie uczniów do świata, lecz również rozesłanie Ducha Świętego. To On jest tym, który może odnowić oblicze ziemi, Jego moc<sup>1</sup> działał Jezus “który się począł z Ducha Świętego” i który rozpoczął swą publiczną działalność od namaszczenia Duchem Świętym w wodach Jordanu. Mocą Ducha, który zstąpił w dniu Pięćdziesiątnicy wypełnia swą misję Kościoła. Czyni to jako wspólnota uczniów. Wobec zadania odnowienia świata stoimy razem z braćmi zjednoczeni z nimi Duchem Świętym. Nie możemy jednak tylko oglądać się na innych: na papieża, biskupów i kapłanów, na świeckich działaczy katolickich.

Duch Święty zstępuje na wspólnotę ale jednocześnie zstępuje w postaci oddzielnych języków ognia udzielając się każdej osobie z osobna. Każdy uczeń Jezusa ochrzczony i bierzmowany jest odpowiedzialny za misję Wsólnoty – Kościoła. Jest odpowiedzialny za przebudowę Świata. Domem, który nieustannie napęłnia Duch Święty jest Kościół Chrystusowy. Obecność i działanie Ducha Świętego w Kościele są przebogate. Kapłaństwo, które odgrywa tak ważną rolę w życiu i rozwoju Kościoła jest dziełem i darem Ducha Świętego. Do nowo wyświęconych kapłanów biskup-konsekrator zwraca się z tymi słowami, które w dzisiejszej Ewangelii Chrystus kieruje do apostołów zgromadzonych w Wieczerniku: “Weźmijcie Ducha Świętego (J 20,23).

Niech Duch Święty – Bóg, który jest darem miłości Ojca i Syna zstąpi dzisiaj znowu na nas. Niech nas odmieni, umocni. Niech będzie – jak śpiewaliśmy dzisiaj w Sekwencji – tym, który rozgrzeje serca twarde, da zasługę męstwa, da wieniec zwycięstwa, da szczęście bez miary. Niech będzie w końcu – jak prosił Sługa Boży Jan Paweł II – tym, który odnowi oblicze ziemi, również tej naszej ziemi.

**Pierogi na Festiwal**

Pierogi będziemy robić 21 Maja i 4, 9, 11, 23 Czerwca, o godzinie 8:30 rano. Prosimy o pomoc!

**Przed Festiwalowy Obiad po Mszach św. w Niedzielę.**

**Mary’s ‘Helping Hands’...**

**Help Mothers in Poverty Feed Their Families:**

May is dedicated to Mary, our Blessed Mother. In honor and thanksgiving to our Lady for her love and care for all, donate food to the Sr. Regis Food Cupboard. Help the mothers in need and living in poverty feed their families.



All foods are GREATLY appreciated. There are some foods which are especially needed: macaroni and tomato sauce, cans of mixed vegetables, beets, collard greens, all kinds of canned fruit, applesauce, and for a special family treat cake mixes and frosting. Even just donating ONE item each week will fill a plate at the table of the poor and a mother will be grateful- especially Mary!



We would like to warmly welcome into our Catholic community following child of God:

*Amelia Marie Visic*



**Marriage Banns**

Taylor Concordia and William Cordona III

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**Altar Flowers**

The floral centerpiece on the Blessed Mother altar for last weekend’s Mother’s Day Masses was offered by Teresa Laskowski in loving memory of her mother, Maria Laskowski, Teresa Kierecki and Barb Smagin.

**Parish Membership** is necessary for Baptism, Matrimony, or Sacramental Sponsor Forms. In order for a Sponsor Form to be issued, one must be a registered, participating member of the parish. Registration forms are available in the parish office and bulletin boards at the entrances of the church.

**Extraordinary Ministers - Lectors - Commentators — Altar Servers – Ushers  
Schedule for the weekend of May 26-27, 2018**

Mass Time	Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion	Lector	Commentator	Altar Servers	Ushers
Saturday 4:00 p.m.	Pam Bialaszewski Elaine Bialaszewski	Sharon Grant	Sharon Grant	Chloe/Matthew Parsons Jenna Taha	Gene Golomb Bill Brand George Madden Tom Struzik
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Veronica Schoenheit Lee Homa Bob/Andria Mikiciuk	Sister Theresa	Sister Theresa	Amanda/Philip Procaccini Evan/Elena Anderson	Don Williams Stephen Zielinski, Eugene Chmiel Sr. Ken Gustyn
Sunday 11:00 a.m.	Cecylia Tryt Krystyna Lizak	Maryla Szymański	Jacek Szymański	Jan/Maria/Małgorzata Makula, Jakób Wyrozebski	John Knick Mark Sewhuk Maciej Kostecki Bronislaw Suchodolski

**Yearly Budget**  
7/1/17-6/30/18:  
**\$315,400**

**Our Gifts to God**  
**For the Work of Our Church**  
**For the weekend of May 12-13, 2018**  
**Offering: Attendance:**

Goal  
\$315,400

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 811.00	105
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$ 1,966.00	182
	11:00 a.m.	\$ 1,370.00	237
Rectory		\$ 650.00	
Ascension		\$ 722.00	



As of  
May 13  
**\$255,886**

**Thank you for supporting**  
**St. Stanislaus Church and Parish.**  
**Your donation provides support**  
**to the parish**  
**and to its ministries.**

**Pierogi for the Festival**

We are making pierogi for our annual Polish Arts Festival on May 21; June is 4, 9, 11 and 23. at 8:30 am. We are planning on making pierogi on Mondays and Saturdays at 8:30 am to make about 13,000. Please call Jan at 729-7878 if you would like to help!

**Upcoming Events in Our Parish:**

- ◆ **June 3:** Year of the Eucharist Corpus Christi Mass at 10:00 a.m. with Bishop Matano
- ◆ **June 24:** Parish picnic (after the 11:00 a.m. Mass) on parish grounds
- ◆ **August 3-4:** Saint Stanislaus Polish Arts Festival

**Pre-Festival Fundraiser Luncheon this Sunday!**

The Festival Committee will be holding a Pre-Festival Luncheon Fundraiser after the Masses this Sunday, May 20th. Please come in support of this fundraiser and our parish!

**Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of St. Kateri Tekawitha- July 14<sup>th</sup>**

Sr. Bernade's Traveling Group is going to the Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine on Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup>. This shrine is a place of peace and reconciliation and is a tribute to 3 canonized martyred Jesuit missionaries. It is also the birthplace of St. Kateri Tekawitha. For information and registration forms, please contact the rectory at 467-3068. The deadline to register is May 25<sup>th</sup>.

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