

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.

September 3, 2017

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

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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 5:15 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.

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.



Worship SCHEDULE



SATURDAY – SEPTEMBER 2

Vigil: Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. — Vincent Patane (Kay Stafford)

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 3

Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. — Kazimierz Onisk (Ann Józwiak)

11:00 a.m.—Polish Mass— Edward Osimowicz (Wife Janina)

MONDAY – SEPTEMBER 4

Labor Day

8:00 a.m.— Za Rodziców, Juliannę i Jana Kiljan (Syn z Rodziną)

TUESDAY – SEPTEMBER 5

Saint Teresa of Calcutta, Religious

5:30 p.m. — Zofia Kukielka (Joseph Siekierski)

WEDNESDAY – SEPTEMBER 6

8:00 a.m. - Frances and Valentine Wochna (Granddaughter)

THURSDAY – SEPTEMBER 7

8:00 a.m. — 4th Anniversary: Helena Kwaczyńska (Daughter Lidia)

5:30 p.m. - Barbara Webster (St. Stanislaus Ladies Society)

FRIDAY - SEPTEMBER 8

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 a.m.— Mary Nolan (John and Eileen Philippone)

5:00 p.m. — Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession

6:00 p.m. — Tomasz Kaczówka (Cecylia Tryt)

6:30 p.m.—Chaplet of Divine Mercy

SATURDAY – SEPTEMBER 9

Saint Peter Claver, Priest

8:00 a.m. – Saint Stanislaus parishioners

Vigil: Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. — Sister Dominic Bennett (Friends of Sister Dominic)

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 10

Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. — Stephen and Josephine Zieliński (Children)

11:00 a.m.—Polish Mass— In thanksgiving for blessings received on the occasion of the 75th Birthday of Ewa Kajosz



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

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 3

- ◆ Coffee Hour after the Masses

MONDAY – SEPTEMBER 4

- ◆ Parish office closed in observance of Labor Day
- ◆ 7:30 p. m. - Northeast Freedom AA Group meeting (Auditorium)

SATURDAY—SEPTEMBER 9

- ◆ 1:00 p.m. —3:00 p.m.—Bible Study (Religious Education Center)

SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 10

- ◆ Coffee Hour after the Masses



Year of the Eucharist 2017-2018

March 3, 2018 will mark the 150th Anniversary of the founding of the Diocese of Rochester. On that date in 1868 Pope Pius XI (the longest reigning Pope in history) named Bernard J. McQuaid as the first Bishop of Rochester. Only a year later Bishop McQuaid left the Diocese to travel to Rome to participate in the First Vatican Council. Bishop Matano invites us to enter into a time of celebration and a time of prayer around this anniversary.

Bishop Matano also calls us into a deeper reflection on and deepened connection with the Holy Eucharist throughout this anniversary year.

A momentous time, a time to celebrate, a time to deepen our faith around Our Lord Jesus present in the Holy Eucharist, our Church and our Diocese.

Live the Liturgy

Inspiration for the Week

Even as people of faith we often find ourselves reasoning our way through our trials and difficulties. It makes a huge difference using our own eyes and not those of God. God knows that we live in an imperfect world filled with suffering, pain, difficulties, disappointments, and death; all part of the mix. Jesus shows us by example that when we encounter hardships God transforms them into something better.

We do not need to despair. God gives us hope. When we view our lives through God's eyes and not our own this gift of hope and transformation becomes very apparent. We must lose our lives in order to gain them.

Labor Day Prayer

O God, You asked St. Joseph to accept Your will that his wife-to-be would have a Son. St. Joseph accepted Your will and worked with Jesus as His father and teacher. We seek Your blessing upon all the work of our hands, and we dedicate our work to Your greater glory. We ask Your blessing upon all workers, especially those who work to make our lives easier and more enjoyable. We ask all this through the intercession of St. Joseph, Patron Saint of Workers, in the name of Jesus Your Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen. St. Joseph the Worker, pray for us.

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do."

Peter had expressed horror at the prophetic words announcing that Jesus' suffering and death were imminent. Peter didn't want his friend and teacher to undergo this terrible ordeal. He wanted "no such thing" ever to happen to his Lord. But Jesus sharply rebuked Peter's response, comparing it to that of the tempter, Satan. Just as temptation becomes an obstacle to our doing what is right, so Peter was presenting an obstacle to Christ's mission. Suffering was part of it, like it or not. To deny this difficult element of Christ's work would be to deny the bigger plan of God. And so Jesus rightly told Peter that He wasn't thinking like God thinks.

Of course, since we are human, it's only natural that we should think as human beings do. We, like Peter, tend to recoil at the idea of facing unpleasant or painful circumstances. But clearly God sometimes allows such situations to take place for a greater good.

Today's Gospel challenges us to think "as God does" by holding both of these elements together. Unlike Peter who only focused on the sad part of the story, we are called to recognize the Resurrection on the other side of the Cross, and to be willing to do whatever is necessary to get there. In fact, Jesus tells us later in this Gospel to take up our cross and follow Him. That is not the "human" way of thinking. It's the Godly way. Our natural response is to reject and scorn the trials and tribulations that we face, but Jesus wants us to embrace them patiently and "come after" Him on the (sometimes rough) road to eternal life.

**Why Do We Do That?
Catholic Traditions Explained**

Question: As we celebrate Labor Day, can you tell me about Catholic teaching regarding labor?

Answer: One of the most important principles of Catholic social teaching is the dignity of work and the rights of workers. Four encyclicals address this foundational social teaching: "Rerum Novarum" (1891) by Leo XIII, "Quadragesimo Anno" (1931) by Pius XI, "Laborem Exercens" (1981) and "Centesimus Annus" (1991) by John Paul II. They address both the theology and dignity of work. In Genesis, God takes the initiative in creating the world, calling forth human beings to be faithful stewards of creation. From this perspective, work can be spiritually understood in terms of sharing in God's ongoing activity to build, create, and transform the world. Human beings are co-creators with God. This vocation demands self-discipline.

Besides an exercise in self-discipline, work is also the means by which we develop and fulfill ourselves. In work, we shape the world and our environment. Through work, we also shape ourselves. Pope John Paul II summarized this point in "Laborem Exercens," "The value of human work is not primarily the kind of work being done but the fact that the one who is doing it is a person" (#6). Labor Day offers an excellent opportunity to reflect on how we view work in light of our Catholic social teaching.

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, Phyllis Adamski, 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, Linda Cranston, Nolan Cybulski, Irene Czerwicz, Veronica and Florian Czerniak, Lee Daly-Homa, Hania Ferenc, Casimera Francione, Phyllis Gardiner, Eleanore Golomb, Madeline Gotham, Joanne Hawkes-Orman, Veronica Hajecki, Ruth Hoffman, Laura Ippoliti, Kathy Przyklek-Jedrzejek, Connie Kawka, Hanna Knapik, Joan and Nick Legonelli, Norma Leblanc, Irene Lichwiarz, Tracy Lingenfelter, Theodore McCracken, Kathleen McHugh, Jim Mills, Vicki Mielcarek, Justina Montanez, Iwona Muszak, Helena Nadworniak, Emily Nakas, Maria Nawrocki-Dzyban, Susan Oberle, Thomas I. Orczyk, Brenda and David Ortiz, Cristine Paradowski, Vincent Parks Jr., Walter Pawlak, Gloria and Bernie Pensek, Quinn Pomroy, Jan Quist, Genevieve Rodgers, Zofia Robaczynski, Fabian Rogalski, Joe Rogers, Shirley Rojek, Trudy Rosolowski, Paul Russello, Rick Rosser, Elaine Scalzo, Tom Schramil, Sharon Smith, Emily Straszyński, George Swartz, Bernard and Trina Weeg, Irena Wiśniewski, Janet Zienkiewicz, Ann Zukoski 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 or a family member is admitted to the hospital and would like Fr. Roman to visit and/or administer the Sacrament of Healing, please call the rectory (467-3068).

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Catholic Church celebrates the birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary on its traditional fixed date of September 8, nine months after the December 8 celebration of her Immaculate Conception as the child of Saints Joachim and Anne.


The circumstances of the Virgin Mary's infancy and early life are not directly recorded in the Bible, but other documents and traditions describing the circumstances of her birth are cited by some of the earliest Christian writers from the first centuries of the Church. Saint Augustine described the birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary as an event of cosmic and historic significance, and an appropriate prelude to the birth of Jesus Christ. "She is the flower of the field from whom bloomed the precious lily of the valley," he said.

Religious Education Program at St. Stanislaus

Religious Education classes, Confirmation Sessions, and Adult Faith Formation **Monday, September 11th at 6:15 p.m.** Registrations forms are available: on the church bulletin boards, on the parish website, at the rectory, and are due by September 1st. Payment will be due at the 1st class. No registration or fee required for Adult Faith Formation.

We don't have a firm date for the First Penance & First Communion, but it will begin in late September or early October. We will provide you with the information at a later date.

For more information you may contact Pamela Moore with questions at 467-3068 or at Pamela.Moore@dor.org



Altar Flowers

The floral centerpiece at the main altar for this weekend Masses is offered in loving memory of Edward Osimowicz, by his wife Janina.

XXII Niedziela Zwykła

Kiedy Jezus informuje Apostołów, że będzie cierpiał i zostanie zabity, Piotr robi mu wyrzuty. Nie jest to objaw tchórzostwa, raczej niezrozumienia spraw Bożych. Piotr myśli racjonalnie o przyszłości—boi się najpierw o życie Jezusa, a dopiero potem o siebie i innych uczniów.

Ofiara krzyżowa Jezusa Chrystusa to szczyt tajemnicy Bożego planu zbawienia. Kościół żyje nią stale, ponieważ sprawuje Eucharystię. Tu poznajemy naukę Krzyża, która jest dla nas mądrością i mocą Bożą.

Jezus nie żąda wyrzeczenia się życia, ale przyjęcia go w takiej nowości i pełni, którą tylko On dać może. Człowiek w głębi swojego jestestwa zakorzenił tendencję do „myślenia o sobie samym”, umieszczania własnej osoby w centrum spraw jako miary wszystkiego. Kto naśladuje Chrystusa odrzuca jednak to koncentrowanie się na sobie samym i nie ocenia rzeczy w oparciu o własne korzyści. Przeżywa swoje życie w kategoriach daru i bezinteresowności, a nie zdobyczy i posiadania. Życie prawdziwe wyraża się bowiem w darze z siebie, co jest owocem łaski Chrystusa: życie wolne, we wspólnocie z Bogiem i z braćmi. (św. Jan Paweł II)

Urodziny Matki Bożej

Ewangelia nie mówi o narodzinach Maryi. Po raz pierwszy Maryja występuje u św. Mateusza w rodowodzie Jezusa, i od razu jako Matka Zbawiciela. Dlaczego więc 8 września obchodzimy święto wspominające Jej urodziny? Kościół wspomina wiele wydarzeń, które nie zostały udokumentowane na kartach Pisma Świętego, choćby Wniebowzięcie Najświętszej Maryi Panny. Tradycja, drugi z korzeni Objawienia, daje nam podstawy do obchodzenia Narodzin Matki Zbawiciela. Warto dodać, że w kalendarzu liturgicznym występują tylko trzy czyjeś narodzenia: obok Bożego Narodzenia jest też narodzenie św. Jana Chrzciciela oraz właśnie Matki Bożej.

Religijny Program dla Dzieci na Rok 2017-2018

Lekcje Religji na rok 2017-2018 rozpoczną się w **Poniedziałek, 11-go Września o godzinie 6:15** wieczorem.

Formy rejestracyjne są do nabycia w kościele przy bocznych drzwiach lub na plebanii. Po więcej informacji prosimy dzwonić Pam (467-3068) albo Pamela.Moore@dor.org

Be a Problem Solver and Feed the Hungry!

We face MANY problems in the world! One of them, the significant decline in food donations for the Sr. Regis Food Cupboard. This is ONE problem we CAN SOLVE If everyone brings in ONE box or can of food each week, we will not only FILL the shelves but more importantly fill the needs of those who suffer from the pains of hunger. Some of the most needed foods are: **CANNED or FRESH FRUIT, SOUP, PEANUT BUTTER and RICE.**

Labor Day

Labor Day is a creation of the labor movement and is dedicated to the social and economic achievements of American workers. It constitutes a yearly national tribute to the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity and well-being of our country. It is appropriate, that the nation pay tribute on Labor Day to the creator of so much of the nation's strength, freedom, and leadership — the American worker.



Labor Day Blessing

Let us pray...

Lord of work and play, we pray to You today.
 You worked for six days,
 creating all that we see and sense around us.
 On the seventh day You rested
 and saw that everything You had made was good.
 Today on our national day of rest from labor,
 we thank You for the gift of leisure,
 and remember all who have gone before us,
 working hard, long hours without break and good pay
 so that we can appreciate the gifts of family and friends
 and enjoy safety and prosperity in the work of our hands. Amen.

Pope Francis Intentions for September

That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.

**Extraordinary Ministers - Lectors - Commentators—Altar Servers – Ushers
 Schedule for Saturday and Sunday: September 9-10, 2017**

Mass Time	Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion	Lector	Commentator	Altar Servers	Ushers
Saturday 4:00 p.m.	George Hoffman Ruth Hoffman	Sharon Grant	Sharon Grant	Jenna Taha, Jessica Kowalski Tiziana Sostre Chloe/Matthew Parsons	Gene Golomb, Bill Brand George Madden Paul Jasen
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Bernadette Trox Lee Daly-Homa Bob/Andria Mikiciuk	Kate Robson	Kate Robson	Jack/Amanda/Philip Procaccini	Don Williams, Stephen Zielinski, Eugene Chmiel Sr., Ken Gustyn
Sunday Polish Mass 11:00 a.m.	Cecylia Warzecha Adela Piotrowska	Witold Lawrynowicz	Grażyna Lawrynowicz	Małgorzata/Jan/Joseph Makula, Jan Wnuk, Lucja Rzepa	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 **August 26-27, 2017**
Offering: Attendance:

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 1,248.00	91
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$ 1,556.00	108
	11:00 a.m.	\$ 1,095.00	172
Rectory		\$ 910.00	
Maintenance		\$ 175.00	



As of 8/27
\$47,196

May God abundantly bless all who show love for St. Stanislaus Parish by their regular loyal and dedicated support of the parish.

Parish Office Closed

Parish office will be closed on Monday, September 4 in observance of Labor Day.

"Being unwanted, unloved, uncared for, forgotten by everybody, I think that is a much greater hunger, a much greater poverty than the person who has nothing to eat."

~Mother Teresa

Votive Candles for the Month of September

- ◆ **Angels Candles** are burning in loving memory of Patti Pollock, offered by Jim and Sonja Stenlik.
- ◆ **Votive Candle on the Blessed Mother altar** is burning in loving memory of John Warzecha, offered by Mr. and Mrs. Ryszard Pawelec.
- ◆ **Votive Candle in Shrine of Our Lady of Częstochowa and Saint John Paul II** is burning in thanksgiving for many blessings and favors received and asking for future blessings for Ewa Kajosz.
- ◆ **Votive Candle in Shrine of Our Lady of Częstochowa and Saint John Paul II** świeci się za zmarłych rodziców Kajosz i Emily Korczakowski, ofiarowane przez Ewa Kajosz.

Second Collection Next Weekend

Second collection next weekend is designated for the Religious Education Program at our parish. Please be generous.

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