



MISSION STATEMENT

*A Christian Community founded on the faith of Polish immigrants,
Welcoming and accepting all as brothers and sisters in Christ,
Working together to create one family bound by Christ's love*

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ADMINISTRATOR Rev. Michael H. Burzynski, Ph. D.
PAROCHIAL VICAR Rev. Dominik Jezierski
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St. Adalbert's Cemeteries:
6200 Broadway, Alden, NY 14086
681-3090

<http://buffalocatholiccemeteries.org/LOCATIONS/StAdalbert.aspx>

TRUSTEES: Edward Bosiacki
Jennifer Snyder-Haas

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Mass: 4:00 P.M. (Confessions 3:30 P.M.)

Sunday Mass: 10:30 A.M. (Confessions 10:00 A.M.)

HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS: As announced.

WEEKDAY MASSES: 8:30 A.M. Parish Center Chapel

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

The Rosary is recited after daily Mass; Divine Mercy

Chaplet is recited the first Friday of each month.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. Sunday 8:30 – 11:30 A.M.

Phone: 716-893-0412 **Fax:** 716-893-9864 **Internet address:** <http://www.saintjohnkanty.com/>

On Facebook: www.facebook.com/stjohnkanty

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: We welcome all visitors and ask that if you like what you see and hear to please contact the parish office to register. A parishioner is someone who has completed a registration form, regularly attends Mass, and regularly supports the parish financially through the use of envelopes. It is necessary to be a registered and active parishioner in order to receive a letter of recommendation to serve as a Godparent or Confirmation Sponsor. If you are moving away, we ask you to please contact the parish office so we can update our records.

MARRIAGE: Please consult with the Parish Administrator/Deacon at least six months to one year before setting a wedding date.

BAPTISM: Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

LECTORS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20
4 PM Vivien Pepe
SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
10:30 AM Brenda Myc
SATURDAY, JANUARY 27
4 PM Chris Bosiacki
SUNDAY, JANUARY 28
10:30 AM Caroline Easton

MINISTERS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20
4 PM Ted & Janet Kniazuk
SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
10:30 AM Caroline Easton, Jennifer Snyder Haas
SATURDAY, JANUARY 27
4 PM Bob Koza, Janice Staufenberger
SUNDAY, JANUARY 28
10:30 AM Randy Deschamps, Vivien Pepe

Mass Intentions



IF THE MASS IS FOR A LOVED ONE, PLEASE INFORM AN USHER

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20- WEEKDAY
4 PM Barbara Koza, (Son)

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 21-THIRD SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**
10:30 AM Pam & Jim Budny, (Family)

MONDAY, JANUARY 22 - WEEKDAY
8:30 AM +Lenore Siwiec, (Family)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23 – WEEKDAY
NO MASS

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 24 – ST. FRANCIS DE SALES,
BISHOP & DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH**
8:30 AM +Norma Gladysz, (Husband)

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 25 –THE CONVERSION OF
ST. PAUL, APOSTLE**
8:30 AM +Stephanie Walek, (Alice)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26-ST. TIMOTHY & TITUS, BISHOPS
8:30 AM +Henry Marek, (Family)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27- WEEKDAY
4 PM +Gloria Szeglowski, (Family)

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 28-FOURTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**
10:30 AM +Genevieve Wojtusiak, (Estate)

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light is a reminder of the Eucharistic presence of Christ in the tabernacles of the Catholic Churches of the world. The Light is available for "A Special Intention" or "in Memory of Your Deceased Loved One." With a donation of \$15.00 the light will burn for the week for your prayer intention and will be published in the bulletin. Please call the parish office at 893-0412 to schedule your intention.

Also available for your prayer intention is the candle by Mary and the candle by Sacred Heart.



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Dear Holy Spirit, please help those who hear your call only as a whisper, that they may know it is You calling them to service. May you fill those you call with the grace and courage to respond to your whisper. I will pray, encourage and support those whom You have chosen for priestly vocations. Amen

LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THE SICK

Please pray for the healing touch of Jesus' hand for those who are ill, especially: Jessica Frysz, Amy Herdlein, Albert Jankowski, Dee Stetz, Florence, Julie Jarrot, Rev. Michael Burzynski, Ms. Chmura, Gertrude Hargraves and all the sick of our parish. **If you have a name to add or a deletion, please call the rectory office.**

OFFERTORY: WEEK OF January 14, 2018

We have been given many blessings. How will we share our treasure with others? All of the parish financial resources depend on the donations of the parishioners.

Envelope #	Loose	Envelopes	Total
Reg. 71	\$113.00	\$1302.00	\$ 1415.00

MASS BOOK 2018

We are accepting Mass Intentions for 2018. We have many dates available. You can drop your Mass Intentions in the collection basket or call/stop by the parish office.

FAITH MOMENT REFLECTION

In today's gospel, Mark describes how Jesus called two fishermen, Simon and Andrew, as his first disciples. Jesus invited them to follow Him and become "fishers of men." The disciples dropped their nets and left everything behind to follow Jesus. Their jobs. Their families. Imagine the courage and incredible faith the disciples must have had to dedicate their lives to Jesus. Like the disciples, the commitments we make take courage and faith. We can trust God to guide us as we follow the example of Jesus in living His Gospel message. Sometimes we are called out of our comfort zone like Simon and Andrew. But remember, God is always with us. In proclaiming the Good News Jesus said "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

Today's Faith Moment was provided by Christ the King Seminary. You can listen to Faith Moments on WBEN radio 930 AM, WLOF 101.7 FM, or at www.faithmomentsonline.org.

TEAM PIEROGI is now working Monday and Wednesday mornings in Kanty's Kitchen. If you are interested in learning how to make pierogi you are welcome to join us and learn from some of the best! Experienced at making pierogi? We would welcome you to volunteer a couple of hours a week with us...we have a good time, have great lunches, and make a lot of new friends through our 'customers', many of whom return week after week and year after year to purchase our well known pierogi! Volunteers (and we do have both women and men!) arrive around 9 a.m. **PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING US!!**

END OF THE YEAR TAX STATEMENTS

If you need a statement for tax purposes, please call the parish office and leave your name and envelope number.

BULLETIN MEMORIALS-it is time to renew the memorials in our bulletin. This is a wonderful way to remember a loved one. The cost is \$25.00 for the one year renewal. If you would like to add a memorial or renew one please place the fee and request in the collection basket in an envelope marked "Bulletin Memorials". You may also drop off your request during office hours or in the mail. The fees will help defray the cost of printing our bulletins. Thank You.



ETERNAL REST

Let us join in prayers for Arthur Drowniak and Bernice Stamates who passed away recently. May the Risen Lord Jesus, the Resurrection and Life welcome Arthur and Bernice into the joy of eternal life.

USCCB-Word of Life: "Pray with a multi-faceted novena that includes a new intention, brief reflection, bonus information, and suggested actions each day. Sign up now and participate Thursday, January 18 - Friday, January 26: <http://www.9daysforlife.com>.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, January 21

Faith Formation classes

Tuesday, February 6

Travel with St. John Kanty to the Seneca Niagara Casino. Cost \$18 per person-you receive \$25 Seneca Slot Dollars plus \$5 food voucher. Depart our parking lot at 9 am return at 3:30 pm
Call Dolores 675-2420 to make a reservation.
Seats are limited.

Sunday, February 11

Holy Name Spaghetti Dinner 11-2 pm
Presale tickets \$8.00 at the door \$9.00
Dinner includes salad, spaghetti & meatballs, garlic bread, dessert and beverage. Tickets will be sold beginning January 20/21 before and after Mass

The Catholic Relief Services Collection-next weekend

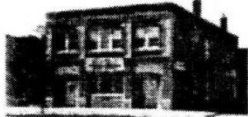
Most refugee children do not have access to formal education. Many have been out of school for years or missed the chance. For these children, their future is a difficult road full of obstacles. But with your help, these families find hope. Your donations to The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC) are providing educational opportunities for refugee children including catch-up and remedial classes. Now, over 6,000 students in 21 schools are getting the education they need to protect the future ahead of them. Your donations are putting these children on a road of hope

SJK125 ANNIVERSARY TIME CAPSULE: Be a part of SJK's Anniversary time capsule! Now and through the Christmas holidays the parish will be collecting notes for our anniversary time capsule. There are pre-printed forms in the vestibule for your use. These are on special paper that will not degrade over time and will be the only paper that the church will be accepting. A box for your note is also available, and only one per person, please. The capsule will be sealed early in 2018. Today is a great time to complete your note to us!

Roe v Wade Catholics are encouraged to participate in a solemn observance of the Roe v Wade anniversary by placing a candle in the front window of their homes at sundown on the evening of January 22. The candle serves as a reminder of 50 million unborn babies who have been aborted since the 1973 Supreme Court decision.

The new year is upon us. If you are looking for a resolution, consider volunteering with Catholic Charities. The agency offers a wide array of opportunities, from reception and office work to organizing donations, instructing classes and facilitating respite groups. If 2018 is the year you want to give back in a meaningful way, visit <http://www.ccwny.org/volunteer> and explore the opportunities available. For more information on Catholic Charities and other services and programs we provide, visit <http://www.ccwny.org>.

St. John's Funeral Home, Inc.



Norbert & Timothy Orlowski
1456 Broadway, Buffalo 14212 250 Orchard Park Rd., West Seneca 14224

(716) 892-4600

(716) 824-1631



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Funeral Homes

Daniel Smolarek
Licensed Funeral Director

2510 Union Road, Cheektowaga
2047 Broadway, Buffalo

Pietszak 897-2400

Funeral Home
Orlowski-Pietszak Funeral Home

Wilhelmina, Janine &
Michael Klimeczko
Licensed Directors

2400 William Street * 806 Clinton St.



MARIAN MAUSOLEUM

St. Stanislaus Cemetery

"Over A Century of Service With Respect and Dignity"
Affordable Mausoleum, Ground Burial and Niche Space Available
700 Pine Ridge Road, Cheektowaga 892-9135

In Memory of

Edward & Wanda Bryk
By Family

Walter & Sharon Kubik
By Kubik Family

Drozd, Jozwiak & Jankowski
Families
By Phyllis Drozd

Phyllis Pepe
By Family

Trzcinski & Spychaj
Families
By Deb & Don Bartus

Daskiewicz Family
By Julie Jarrot

Kalisz & Zulawski Families
By Connie Zulawski

Parents, Brothers, Sisters & In-laws
By Esther Lukaszewska

Eugene & Florence Baranowski
By Children

Bartus & Sobon Families
By Deb & Don Bartus

Stanley Bystrak Jr.
By Wife & Family

Charlotte Fyda
Gloria & Ralph Snyder
By Jennifer Snyder-Haas

Husband & Father Robert Felski, Sr.
By Dolores & Family

Chmielewski & Konwinski
Families
By Barbara Chmielewski

Irene Szalda
By Dombek Family

Wagner, Brzycky & Siejak Families
By Sally & Family

Maciorowski & Peplowski
Families
By Norman Maciorowski

Michael Streicher
By Wife Cindy

Geryak & Sestak Families
By Family

Henry Kucinski
By Marian Kucinski &
Children

Francis & Mary Niemczal
By Debbie & Gerry

Bosiacki & Januchowski
Families
By Edward & Christine Bosiacki

Domino & Michalek Families
By Mary Domino

Jenny & Teddy Imbierowski
By Ed, Diane, Elizabeth & Paul
Czajka

Millie & Ray Cegielski
By Marian & Michael
Kucinski

Richard Slazak
By Wife Dolores

Januchowski/Smigielski Family
By Jerry & Family

In Memory of Walek Family
By Alice Walek

John Jarrot
By Wife Julie

Marie & Stanley Szeluga
By Donna

Vincent Hodur
By Stella Hodur

John 'Jan' Wrobel
By Chet, Ella, Dave & Ryan

Jennie Showalter
By Daughter Janice

Helen & Walter Rembacz,
Lucy Majchrzycki

Richard Laskowski
By Maryann & Jim Kajdasz

Michael & Mark Jakubiak
By Aunt Sally

Dziatkowski & Marciniak Families
By Gert Marciniak

Ulicki & Jaworski Families
Parents of Harry & Pat Jaworski

Frank & Regina & Paul
Ziembiec
By Helen & Joe Ziembiec

Stanley & Mildred Glowny
By Family

Francis & Theresa Jablonski
By Roy & Karen Baer

Franciszek & Honorata
Stanczewski & Alice, Eme & Rita
By Mary

Anthony Rogowski
By Wife & Family

Majchrowicz & Jagodzinski
Families
By Dorothy

Edward & Harriet
Niedzielski
By Sunday Family

Dear Husband & Father
Gene Siejak
By Sally & Family

Sikorski & Jerszewski Families
By Grace

Natalie R. Palmowski
By Nancy R. Floyd

Husband Edwin Marciniak
By Gert

VARIOUS INTENTIONS
In Thanksgiving for
Blessings Received -
Wally & Terrie

Adam Michalek
By Family

Stella Augustyniak
By Julie Jarrot

Guy Giancarlo
By Wife Rita

Henry 'Skippy' & Alicia Spychaj
By Children & Grandchildren

Living & Deceased
Members of Rosary Soc.

Andrew Sovinski & Tarabula Family
By Family

Kwandrans & Szyndel Families
By Kwandrans Family

Adrian & Marian Borowicz
By Daughter Mary & Mike Muscato

Sr. Mary Hortense
By Family

Living & Deceased
Members of Holy Name
Soc.

Chester & Anne Seweryniak
By Family

Big Tony Polka Show (Tony Rozek)-Sundays at 5:00 p.m. WJLL 1440 AM For advertising or information call 824-6092
bigtonypolkashow@yahoo.com