



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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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. in Church

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
The Rosary is recited after daily Mass; Divine Mercy
Chaplet is recited the first Friday of each month.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday 8:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Sunday 8:30 – 11:30 A.M.

Phone: 716-893-0412 **Fax:** 716-893-9864

On Facebook: www.facebook.com/stjohnkanty

Internet address: <http://www.saintjohnkanty.com/>

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.

Visit our parish website – www.saintjohnkanty.com



REMINDER THAT ONLY THOSE WITH HANDICAP PERMITS MAY PARK IN THE DESIGNATED HANDICAP PARKING SPACES

MASS SCHEDULE

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

SATURDAY, JULY 18 – WEEKDAY

4:00 PM +Albert Wingerter, (Cindy)

SUNDAY, JULY 19 – SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:30 AM +Russell Case, (Walter)

MONDAY, JULY 20 – WEEKDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM Special Intention

TUESDAY, JULY 21 – WEEKDAY NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22 – ST. MARY MAGDALENE (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM +Frances Janas, (Son)

THURSDAY, JULY 23 – WEEKDAY NO MASS

8:30 AM

FRIDAY, JULY 24 – WEEKDAY

8:30 AM +Benedict & Barbara Zaraczyk, (Family)

SATURDAY, JULY 25 – ST. JAMES, APOSTLE

4:00 PM +Florence Baranowski, (Children)

SUNDAY, JULY 26 – SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:30 AM +Harry Jaworski, (MM Mark Zaganiacz)

Mass Intentions



WE ARE IN NEED OF WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS-

Remember your loved ones who have passed away, special occasions and those who are ill. You can drop your Mass Intentions in the collection basket or call/stop by the parish office. **Mass Intentions are \$15.**

PLEASE NOTE THAT WEEKDAY MASSES WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY IN THE CHURCH



ETERNAL REST

Let us join in prayers for Bishop Edward U. Kmiec who passed away recently. May the Risen Lord Jesus, the Resurrection and Life welcome him into the joy of eternal life

FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY, PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING:

You must wear a face mask while in church.

Observe social distancing.

Sit in pews marked appropriately.

If possible, bring a bottle of hand sanitizer for use upon entering the church, before receiving Communion, after receiving Communion, and after exiting the church.

*Communion is only distributed in the hand. Parishioners should remain masked until it is time for them to receive, and then return immediately to the mask
There is no sign of peace. Holy water is not being used.
There is no congregational singing.*

There is no passing of the collection basket. Please place your donation in the basket as you enter the church.

If you are not feeling well, please stay home.

The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains in place. All who are especially vulnerable or simply uncomfortable attending a public liturgy are encouraged to remain at home and view Mass via livestreams, which will continue in local parishes.

Bishop Scharfenberger encourages all to pray regularly for the health, care and safety of New Yorkers, residents of the United States and those internationally who have fallen victim to the severe effects of the coronavirus



SANCTUARY LIGHT is lit in Memory of Albert Wingerter requested by Cindy



MARY CANDLE is lit for a Special Intention requested by Caroline



SACRED HEART CANDLE is lit for a Special Intention requested by Connie

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 19, 2020

God is patient and merciful as we work to sift through the good and evil in our lives. How can you help people determine what is fit and unfit for God's kingdom? If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535.

SUGGESTED PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:

Jesus, really present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the altar, since I cannot now receive thee under the sacramental veil, I beseech thee, with a heart full of love and longing, to come spiritually into my soul through the Immaculate Heart of thy most Holy Mother, and to abide with me, thou in me, and I in thee, in time and in eternity. Amen.



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

St. Anne



Honor St. Anne, mother of Mary, grandmother of Jesus.

Saturday, **July 25** (4 PM Mass)

Sunday, **July 26** (10:30 AM Mass)



Please pray for the healing touch of Jesus' hand for those who are ill, especially: Jessica Frysz, Albert Jankowski, Dee Stetz, Rev. Michael Burzynski, Ms. Chmura, Emily Wolf, Patricia Milas, Dr. Owen Moye, Msgr. Matthew Kopacz, Eric G., Ted Kniazuk, Elizabeth Quizon, Dolores Quizon, Basilia Bocalan, Emily Ventura, Rev. Walter Matuszak, Norm Macierowski, Julie Ulicki, Jozefa Solecki, Melanie Plata, Frances Czuprynski, Kimberly Paul, Mary Ann Maciejewski and all the sick of our parish. **If you have a name to add or a deletion, please call the parish office.**

OFFERTORY: WEEK OF July 12, 2020

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.

July 11/12 \$1550.02

Peter's Pence \$46.00/Fuel \$25/Bldg. \$235.00

Thank You!

Fr. Paul Ladda will make a Mission Appeal at our Parish this weekend

Fr. Ladda will speak about the Diocese of Shinyanga which is located in the North West of Tanzania.

Their Mission is to preach the Good News to all. That is, to facilitate a unified participatory and holistic approach in empowering the community to recognize and identify the challenges they face; spiritually and materially support and lead our communities to move forward and solve their problems and anticipate and prepare for the future. To make

this mission possible, we focus on deep evangelization, furthering socio-economic development, provision of health services for HIV/AIDS victims, educating orphans/vulnerable children and adolescents; building small Christian communities and supporting the poor and the marginalized.

Background on the Gospel Reading

In today's Gospel, Jesus offers three parables to describe the Kingdom of Heaven. He also explains why he speaks to the crowds in parables and interprets the parable of the sower for the disciples. This reading is a continuation of Jesus' discourse that we began reading last Sunday.

All three parables use commonplace experiences to describe aspects of the Kingdom of Heaven. The first parable is longer and more detailed than the next two, and it alerts us to the two-fold reality of the Kingdom of Heaven. The beginnings of the Kingdom of Heaven can be found in this world. The fruition of the Kingdom of Heaven, however, will not be realized until the final judgment. In the meantime, as Jesus' explanation to the disciples cautions, any effort to judge the progress of the Kingdom of Heaven is premature. Only God, in the final judgment, will distinguish the fruit of the Kingdom of Heaven and offer its reward.

The second and third parables call to our attention the abundance that will result from the small beginnings of the Kingdom of Heaven. Just as a mustard seed—the smallest of all seeds—will become a large bush, so too God will bring his Kingdom to full bloom. As a small amount of yeast will leaven the entire batch of bread, so too God will bring about the expansion of his Kingdom. In each case the image is of the superabundance that God brings out of even the smallest of signs of the Kingdom.

Contained within these parables are words of caution as well as words of consolation. In the parable of the sower we are warned against judging others. To judge and uproot the "weeds" prematurely will harm the wheat; final judgment rests with God. In the parables of the mustard seed and the yeast, we are consoled by the message that God can work wonders and produce abundance from even the smallest beginnings of the Kingdom of Heaven.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS [ALL THOSE AFFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD]

Compassionate and Loving Father,

In the face of confusion and concern, impart to us the calm of Your presence.

In You allow us to find hope and healing.

Be with those who serve the sick and give them Your caring hands.

Be with those who lead and give them Your spirit of wisdom.

Be with those who have fallen ill and give them Your comforting heart.

Wrap Your arms around our world and hold us in Your love.

Allow us at this time of trial to then serve as instruments of that love to all we meet.

We ask this in Your Name. Amen.



TV RAFFLE

We are having a raffle for a VIZIO-V-SERIES 50" 4K HDR SMART TV on Sunday, December 6, 2020

Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00

They are available through the Parish Office

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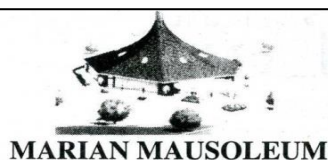
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By Family

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By Wife & Family

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Families
By Sally & Family

Frank & Gerry & Mary Niemczal
By Debbie & Randy & Family

Richard Slazak
Mieczyslaw & Leocadia
Pajakowski
By Dolores

Walter Koza
By Koza Family

Michael & Mark Jakubiak
By Aunt Sally

Francis & Theresa Jablonski
By Roy & Karen Baer

Dear Husband & Father
Gene Siejak
By Sally & Family

Adam Michalek
By Family

Sovinski & Tarabula Family
By Family

Edward Hosinski
By Wife Dolores & Family

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Wardynski, By Millie

Kalisz & Zulawski Families
By Connie Zulawski

Charlotte Fyda
Gloria & Ralph Snyder
By Jennifer Snyder-Haas

Maciorowski & Peplowski
Families
By Norman Maciorowski

Bosiacki & Januchowski Families
By Edward & Christine Bosiacki

Januchowski/Smigielski Family
By Jerry & Family

John & Stella Wrobel
By Chet, Ella, Dave & Ryan

Dziatkowski & Marciniak Families
By Gert Marciniak

Franciszek & Honorata
Stanczewski & Frank & Mary &
Jim & Rita
By Family

Sikorski & Jerszewski Families
By Grace

Kwandrans & Szyndel Families
By Kwandrans Family

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By Family

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Valerie Mincel & Family
By Sigmund & Christine Mincel

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Families By Family

Leonard Tortorice
By Nelson & Marlene Oldfield

Drozd, Jozwiak & Jankowski
Families
By Phyllis Drozd

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

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

Michael Streicher
By Wife Cindy

Domino & Michalek Families
By Mary Domino

Makolinski Family
By Daughter, Sue O'Neill

Walek Family
By Alice Walek

Jennie Showalter
By Daughter Janice

Ulicki & Jaworski Families
Parents of Harry & Pat Jaworski

Anthony & Katherine Rogowski
By Family

Natalie R. Palmowski
By Nancy R. Floyd

Adrian & Marian Borowicz
By Daughter Mary & Mike
Muscato

Benedict S. & Barbara. Zarajczyk
By Family

Phyllis Pepe
By Family

Baron Family
By Diane Baron

Ronald, Christine, Randy & Andy
Pawlak
By Julie Pawlak

Eugene & Florence Baranowski
By Children

Chmielewski & Konwinski
Families
By Family

Geryak & Sestak Families
By Family

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

Helen & Walter Rembacz,
Lucy Majchrzycki

Frank & Regina & Paul Ziembiec
By Helen & Joe Ziembiec

Majchrowicz & Jagodzinski
Families
By Dorothy

Husband Edwin Marciniak
By Gert

Henry 'Skippy' & Alicia Spychaj
By Children & Grandchildren

Sr. Mary Hortense
By Family

Edmond & Martha Pinkowski
By Sunday Family

Mary & Stanley Maslanka
By Daughter, Millie

Barbara Miller
By Terejko & Thornton Family

Trzcinski & Spychaj
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By Deb & Don Bartus

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By Deb & Don Bartus

Irene Szalda
By Dombek Family

Henry Kucinski
By Marian Kucinski & Children

Millie & Ray Cegielski
By Marian & Michael Kucinski

Marie & Stanley Szeluga
By Donna

Richard Laskowski
By Maryann & Jim Kajdasz

Stanley & Mildred Glowny
By Family

Edward & Harriet Niedzielski
By Sunday Family

Grzywa & Majcher Families
By Wally & Terrie Domino

Gorny & Trawinski Families
By Family

Orlowski & Bienas Family
By Norbert & Barbara

VARIOUS INTENTIONS

Living & Deceased Members of
Rosary Soc.

Living & Deceased Members of
Holy Name
Soc.