# ST. JOHN KANTY/ST. ADALBERT COMMUNITY

## APRIL 4, 2021



### **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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ADMINISTRATORRev. Michael H. Burzynski, Ph. D.PAROCHICAL VICARRev. Paul LaddaWEEKEND ASSISTANT:Rev. Robert StolinskiRELIGIOUS EDUC.Barbara MyszkiewiczDIRECTIOR OF MUSIC/CHOIR MASTER: Robert J. Winkler

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. in Church

Monday, Wednesday, Friday The Rosary is recited after daily Mass First Friday: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Chaplet

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:Monday - Friday8:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.Sunday 8:30 - 11:30 A.M.Phone:716-893-0412Fax: 716-893-9864Internet 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.

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, APRIL 3 - HOLY SATURDAY

Blessing of Easter Food: 1:00; 2:00 PM 7:00 PM In Thanksgiving for Blessings Received by the Koza Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 4 – EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD 10:30 AM +Geraldine Niemczal, (Children & Grandchildren)

MONDAY, APRIL 5 – EASTER MONDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM +Casimer Paluch & Family, (Missert Family)

TUESDAY, APRIL 6 – EASTER TUESDAY NO MASS

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7 – EASTER WEDNESDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM +MM James Fetterman, (MM Alfred Stolinski)

THURSDAY, APRIL 8- EASTER THURSDAY NO MASS

FRIDAY, APRIL 9 – EASTER FRIDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM +Ellie Dombiewicz, (Family)

**SATURDAY, APRIL 10 – EASTER SATURDAY** 4:00 PM +Lorraine Gorny, (MM Westfall)

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 11 - DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

10:30 AM +Sr. M. Odelia FSSJ, (Walter & Terrie Domino) 3:00 PM Divine Mercy Mass at St. Adalbert

Mass Intentions

Mass intentions for 2021 are now being accepted. Weekend and week day Masses are available. The Mass stipend is \$15 per Mass. Please contact the rectory to schedule your intentions. You may also place your intentions, with the stipend amount, in the collection basket or mail in your intentions.

WE KNOW THAT IT IS NOT AN EASY TIME FOR ALL. IF AT ALL POSSIBLE YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS ARE NEEDED. Offertory envelopes may be dropped off at the parish office, mailed or dropped in the collection basket when you come to church

#### Easter Sunday - April 4, 2021

The Lord is truly risen! Through his death and Resurrection, Jesus affords us new life. You must now decide how you are going to live that new life. Will you answer His call? If God is calling you to a Church vocation, contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovocations.org



I would like to sincerely thank everyone in the St. John Kanty and St. Adalbert communities for your continued support and friendship in supporting our great communities. May the joy of the risen Christ be with you during this holy season, and throughout the year.

Wesolego Alleluia, and May God bless you, and Mary love you!

Fr. Mike Burzynski Fr. Paul Ladda Fr. Robert Stolinski

# FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY, PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING:

Enter church through the parking lot door and exit through the back door. If the ramp is needed please inform an usher.

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 existing 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.

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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, on EWTN, or on Channel 2 on Sunday's at 11:00 a.m. from Our Lady of Victory National Shrine & Basilica, Lackawanna, NY.



**SANCTUARY LIGHT** is lit In Memory of Ida Bosiacki Requested by Ed & Chris

#### OFFERTORY: WEEK OF March 28, 2021

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. March 27/28---\$1721.00/Fuel---\$25.00

Easter Flowers---\$129.00 Thank you for your continued support!



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

#### 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

Please pray for the healing touch of Jesus' hand for those

who are ill, especially: Jessica Frysz, Albert Jankowski, Dee Stetz, Rev. Michael Burzynski, Emily Wolf, Patricia Milas, Dr. Owen Moye, Msgr. Matthew Kopacz, Eric G., Ted Kniazuk, Elizabeth Quizon, Dolores Quizon, Emily Ventura, Rev. Walter Matuszak, Norm Macierowski, Julie Ulicki, Jozefa Solecki, Melanie Plata, Kimberly Paul, Don Bartus, David Fenski, Jeffrey Nietopski, Barbara Koza, Joanne Marcucci, Sharon Jakubowski and all the sick of our parish. If you have a name to add or a deletion, please call the parish office.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY Sunday, April 11th at St. Adalbert. Confessions at 2 pm followed by Mass at 3 pm.

#### Troop 107 NEWS

Congratulations to Randy Siejak for receiving the Bronze Pelican Award from the Diocese of Buffalo on Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup>.

The Bronze Pelican recognizes adults for contributing directly to the spiritual nourishment of Catholic youth in the Scouting movement.

**Message for weekend of April 3-4**: In the Christian faith, Jesus is the epitome of **HOPE for all seasons**. His death and Resurrection showed us that after a definitive amount of time, ultimate good can be dispersed to all. Today, we rejoice in our Lord and Savior's glory! We also want to thank you for following the example of Appeal Patron St. Ignatius Loyola who called us to respond in faith, and to find God in all things. We thank you for being attuned to God's presence in everyday circumstances as he taught us, and responding in faith with a gift to the Appeal. With your help, we give **HOPE for all seasons**. Thank you for your continued support of **Appeal 2021!** 

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT,** On February 28, 2020, The Diocese of Buffalo N.Y., ("<u>Diocese</u>") filed for protection under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "<u>Bankruptcy Code</u>").

The Bankruptcy Court has established August 14, 2021 at 11:59 p.m. (prevailing Eastern time) as the deadline to file proofs of claim against the Diocese (the "<u>Bar Date</u>").

If you have a claim against the Diocese, including, without limitation, a claim related to sexual abuse committed by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim on or before the Bar Date.

Please visit <u>https://case.stretto.com/dioceseofbuffalo</u> or call 855-292-7696 for more information on how to file your proof of claim.

IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM, YOU MAY FORFEIT YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND TO SHARE IN ANY DISTRIBUTIONS TO CREDITORS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DIOCESE'S CHAPTER 11 CASE.

The Erie County Surrogate Court has required that an announcement from the Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Buffalo be published in all parish bulletins (paper and electronic) beginning as soon as possible through April 9, 2021. The content is as follows:

Beginning in 2015, The Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Buffalo, N.Y. ("Foundation") began soliciting donations to its "Upon this Rock" ("UTR") capital and endowment campaign. The UTR campaign raised funds for many purposes, including soliciting funds for making essential upgrades to classroom facilities and technology of Christ the King Seminary ("CKS"), expanding CKS's role as a center of retreat and religious celebration, and establishing an endowment fund for CKS. Unfortunately, in early 2020, CKS's Board of Trustees determined that CKS would close at the end of the 2020-2021 academic year. CKS's closure will make it impossible for the Foundation to use the UTR funds raised for CKS for their original intended purposes. However, under New York law, when the original purposes for which funds are donated become impossible to achieve, those purposes can be modified in a manner consistent with original intent by the New York State courts. For many years, CKS provided education and formation for ordained and lay ecclesial ministers in the Diocese of Buffalo and beyond. Accordingly, the Foundation has asked the New York State Supreme Court for the County of Erie to approve a modification of the purposes of UTR funds raised for CKS so that those funds can be used to support the education and formation for ordained and lay ecclesial ministry in the Diocese of Buffalo, as determined in the discretion of the Foundation's Board.

If you have donated to UTR and would like to be heard regarding this requested modification, you may send a letter to: The Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Buffalo, N.Y., Inc., attention Executive Director, 795 Main Street, Buffalo, N.Y. 14203 or an email to <u>donor.info@frcdb.org</u>. Copies of letters or email received by the Foundation will be provided to the Court. You may also make a formal filing in the legal proceeding entitled *Matter of the Modification of Endowment Funds of The Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Buffalo N.Y., Inc.,* Erie County Index No. 814747/2020. In order for your submission to be available for the Court's consideration, please be sure to send any letter or email, or make any filing, no later than Friday, April 9, 2021.

