



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

<i>Saturday Vigil</i>	4:00 PM	<i>St. Stanislaus</i>	<i>St. John Gualbert</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00 AM	<i>St. John Gualbert (Polish)</i>	
	9:15 AM	<i>Corpus Christi</i>	
	10:15 AM	<i>St. John Kanty</i>	
	10:30 AM	<i>St. Katharine Drexel</i>	
	11:45 AM	<i>St. John Gualbert</i>	
	12:00 PM	<i>St. Stanislaus (Polish)</i>	

WEEKDAY MASSES

<i>Monday, Wednesday, Friday</i>	<i>St. Stanislaus 8:00 AM</i>	<i>St. Katharine Drexel 8:30 AM</i>
<i>Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday</i>	<i>Corpus Christi 8:45 AM</i>	
<i>Tuesday, Thursday</i>	<i>St. John Gualbert 8:00 AM</i>	<i>St. John Kanty 8:30 AM</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Corpus Christi 12:15 PM</i>	
<i>First Saturday</i>	<i>Corpus Christi 8:45 AM</i>	

HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS: As announced

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday 8:00 A.M. – 11:00 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/Pastor 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 Intentions

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10-WEEKDAY
NO MASS

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11-SIXTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

10:15 AM + Mary Ann Przybyl, (Family)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12-WEEKDAY
NO MASS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13-WEEKDAY
8:30 AM For the People of the Parish

ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14
9:00 AM +Leonard Gancarz, (Friend)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15-LENTEN WEEKDAY
8:30 AM For A Special Intention

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16-LENTEN WEEKDAY
8:30 AM NO MASS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17-LENTEN WEEKDAY
NO MASS

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18-FIRST SUNDAY OF
LENT**
10:15 AM + David Wirth, (Family)

The Mass book for 2024 is open.

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.

OFFERTORY: WEEK OF February 4, 2024

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.

Regular \$1574.00

Thank You for Your Support

STATEMENTS FOR INCOME TAX

Parishioners who would like to have your statement of financial contributions must call or email your parish office. Tax letters will be mailed to you.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot

now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Please pray for the healing touch of Jesus' hand for those who are ill, especially: Jessica Fryszyk, Dee Stetz, Emily Wolf, Patricia Milas, Dr. Owen Moye, Msgr. Matthew Kopacz, Eric G., Elizabeth Quizon, Dolores Quizon, Emily Ventura, Norm Macierowski, Julie Ulicki, Melanie Plata, Kimberly Paul, Jeffrey Nietopski, Joanne Marcucci, Sharon Jakubowski, Edward Szadkowski, Stanley Kowalski, Paul Fox, Rogo Family, Marcia P, Corazon Bocalan, Kaitlyn Dubik, Dina Szymanski, Richard Cislo and all the sick of our parish. **If you have a name to add or a deletion, please call the parish office.**

VOCATION VIEW

Today St. Paul tells us to "do everything for the glory of God." Most people serve God with their leisure time. Some are called to a full-time life of service to God, Church, and neighbor. If you feel that calling, contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovocations.org

Lenten Regulations

Abstinence-All Catholics who have reached their 14th birthday are bound to abstain totally from meat on the following days: Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.

Fasting-All Catholics between their 18th and 59th birth days are also bound to observe the Law of Fast on the following days: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. This practice involves limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may be taken on two other occasions in the course of the day.

Easter Duty-After they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, all the faithful are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled during the Easter season, unless for a good reason it is fulfilled at another time during the year. This obligation may be fulfilled between February 18, 2024 (First Sun day of Lent) and May 26, 2024(Trinity Sunday).

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY FEBRUARY 11, 2024

Today at St. Joseph Cathedral, Bishop Fisher is honoring and praying for all married couples and especially couples celebrating a significant anniversary 25, 50, 60, or more years.

Congratulations to Joseph and Helen Ziembiec who were married on 10/12/68 and are at this celebration.

World Marriage Day is observed every year on the second Sunday in February, sometimes coinciding with St. Valentine's Day. It highlights the promise of a marital union and the beauty of being a lawfully wedded couple under the eyes of Christ. World Marriage Day upholds and honors the sacrifices and faithfulness of husbands and wives.

Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes Calendar of Events

COLLECTION OF SOUP FOR THE SUPER BOWL to support the Response to Love Center and the Lovejoy Food Pantry at St. Katharine Drexel. Collection runs thru February 11. Drop off at Corpus Christi, St. Stanislaus, St. Adalbert, St. John Kanty, St. Katharine Drexel, and St. John Gualbert. Look for bins at your church. "Giving is Good for the Soul". Delivery to the Response to Love Center takes place Wednesday, February 14 at 9:30 am

Ash Wednesday Masses

9:00am St. John Gualbert (Polish) – No music
9:00am St. John Kanty
12:15pm Corpus Christi
5:30pm St. Katharine Drexel
6:00pm St. Stanislaus
6:00pm St. John Gualbert

Ash Wednesday & Every Friday in Lent Fish Fry St. Katharine Drexel School Hall

Our famous Ash Wednesday Fish Fry or Shrimp Dinner will be held on February 14th from 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the school hall. Tickets are \$15 There will also be a grilled cheese & fries meal for children for \$5, a Crabcake dinner and a Shrimp dinner for \$15 and a seafood platter of fish, shrimp, & crab cake for \$20. Dinners include fries, coleslaw, mac salad, & bread. Dine in or take out and you may bring your own wine or beer.

ST. JOHN KANTY PIEROGI/PLACEK SALE IN SJK PARISH RECTORY

Every Saturday & Sunday beginning 2/17 from 10 AM-1 PM through Palm Sunday
KRAUT PIEROGI/CHEESE PIEROGI
6 FOR \$12.00
PLACEKS \$7.00 EACH
SMALL BASKET RAFFLE

St. Adalbert will also be selling Easter chocolate

GORZKIE ZALE SUNDAYS DURING LENT

AT 3 PM-Begins 2/18

"Gorzkie Zale (Bitter Lamentations) are returning to St. John Gualbert's on Sundays during Lent at 3PM. We are the only remaining parish in our area to pray these Lenten devotions at that traditional midday time. Please join us

The Spiritual Life Pillar is organizing a Lenten Agape Soup Brunch, which will take place in the vestibule of St. Adalbert's Basilica, 212 Stanislaus St.. Buffalo on February 18. We invite all parish family members to stop by after all morning masses! At 10:30 am, 11:45 am, & 1:15 pm we will be doing a sneak-peak at the upcoming Life in the Eucharist seminar (which will start the following Wednesday Feb 21st), followed by a presentation on St. Adalbert's church history. If interested, we request you sign up on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church by Feb 12 - just so we get a rough idea on how much soup to make. But if you cannot commit by the sign-up deadline please still stop by anyway - we will try to make some extra soup to have enough for everyone!



EAST BUFFALO FAMILY OF PARISHES - LENT 2024

The Life in the Eucharist (LITE) program consists of presentations based on theological themes rooted in the teachings of the Catholic Church. It comprises an integral approach to the Eucharist rooted in the celebration of the liturgy and our lives with a deeper, more involved appreciation in the abiding presence of God through prayer. The program is a series of stories, teachings, small and large group discussions, witness, skits, songs, prayers, laughter and humor presented on each of the five themes covered. These themes are: God's love as Nourishment, Reconciliation, Transformation, Abiding Presence and Communion with the Suffering.

SCHEDULE (ALL SESSIONS START AT 6:00 PM)

February 21 - Corpus Christi Kolbe Center
February 28 - St. Katharine Drexel School Hall
March 6 - St. Stanislaus Adamski Center Lower
March 13 - St. Katharine Drexel School Hall
March 20 - Corpus Christi Kolbe Center

PLEASE JOIN OUR FAMILY FOR LITE!



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

English:

(All Stations at 6:00pm)

Feb 16 – St. Adalbert
Feb 23 – St. John Gualbert
Mar 1 – St. Katharine Drexel
Mar 8 – St. John Kanty
Mar 15 – Corpus Christi
Mar 22 – St. Adalbert

Polish:

All Friday's at St. Stanislaus **6:00pm**
Mar 29 (Good Friday) 12:00pm at St. Stanislaus in English

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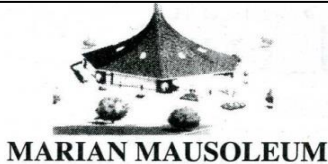
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In Memory of

Edward & Wanda Bryk By Family	Kalisz & Zulawski Families By Connie Zulawski	Drozd, Jozwiak & Jankowski Families By Phyllis Drozd	Edward Sunday By Wife, Marcia	John & Julie Jamot By Family
Daskiewicz & Jarnot Families By Family	Charlotte Fyda Gloria & Ralph Snyder By Jennifer Snyder-Haas	Husband & Father Robert Felski, Sr. By Dolores & Family	Ronald, Christine, Randy & Andy Pawlak By Julie Pawlak	Irene Szalda By Dombek Family
Stanley & Patricia Bystrak By Family	Maciorowski & Peplowski Families By Norman Maciorowski	Michael Streicher By Wife Cindy	Eugene & Florence Baranowski By Children	Henry & Marian Kucinski By Children
Wagner, Brzycky & Siejak Families By Sally & Family	John & Stella Wrobel By Chet, Ella, Dave & Ryan	Domino & Michalek Families By Mary Domino	Chmielewski & Konwinski Families By Family	Millie & Ray Cegielski By Michael Kucinski
Frank & Gerry & Mary Niemczal By Debbie & Randy & Family	Dziatkowski & Marciniak Families By Gert Marciniak	Stephen, Julia, Leonard, Marcia, Norman Makolinski By Daughter, Sue O'Neill	Geryak & Sestak Families By Family	Marie & Stanley Szeluga By Donna
Richard Slazak Mieczyslaw & Leocadia Pajakowski By Dolores	Franciszek & Honorata Stanczewski & Frank & Mary & Jim & Rita By Family	Walek Family By Family	Jenny & Teddy Imbierowski By Ed, Diane, Elizabeth & Paul Czajka	Richard Laskowski By Maryann & Jim Kajdasz
Walter & Barbara Koza By Koza Family	Sikorski & Jerszewski Families By Grace	Jennie Showalter By Daughter Janice	Helen & Walter Rembacz, Lucy Majchrzycki	Barbara Miller By Terejko & Thornton Family
Michael & Mark Jakubiak By Aunt Sally	Kwandrans & Szyndel Families By Kwandrans Family	Ulicki & Jaworski Families Parents of Harry & Pat Jaworski	Frank & Regina & Paul Ziembiec By Helen & Joe Ziembiec	Stanley & Mildred Glowny By Children/Grandchildren
Francis & Theresa Jablonski By Roy & Karen Baer	Walenty-Anna Kochul Family Valerie Mincel & Family By Sigmund & Christine Mincel	Anthony & Katherine Rogowski By Family	Majchrowicz & Jagodzinski Families By Dorothy	Edward & Harriet Niedzielski By Sunday Family
Dear Husband & Father Gene Siejak By Sally & Family	Wieszczecinski & Wozniak Families By Family	Natalie R. Palmowski By Nancy R. Floyd	Husband Edwin Marciniak By Gert	Peter & Regina Stelmach By Family
Adam Michalek By Family	Leonard Tortorice By Nelson & Marlene Oldfield	Adrian & Marian Borowicz By Daughter Mary & Mike Muscato	Henry 'Skippy' & Alicia Spychaj By Children & Grandchildren	Grzywa & Majcher Families By Wally & Terrie Domino
Sovinski & Tarabula Family By Family	Stanley & Jennie Szymanski By Dina	Benedict S. & Barbara. Zarajczyk By Family	Edmond & Martha Pinkowski By Sunday Family	Gorny & Trawinski Families By Family
Dolores & Edward Hosinski By Children, Cheryl, Ron, Janice, Karen & Sister, Millie	Baron Family By Diane Baron	Phyllis Pepe By Family	Mary & Stanley Maslanka By Daughter, Millie	Orlowski & Bienas Family By Norbert & Barbara
Msgr. E. Sobierajski & Edmund Wardynski, By Millie	Helen P. Borowicz By Family		Zbigniew Sr., Jozefa, Zbigniew Jr., Richard Solecki, By Helene, Barbara & Mary	Ferdinand & Anne Nowicki-Peter & Veronica Slazak By Loretta Nowicki
Guy & Rita Giancarlo By Family				<u>VARIOUS INTENTIONS</u> Living & Deceased Members of Rosary Soc.
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