



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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PAROCHIAL VICAR Rev. Dominik Jezierski
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St. Adalbert's Cemeteries:
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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.

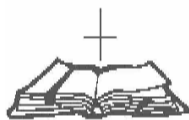
LECTORS

SATURDAY, APRIL 21 4:00 PM	Vivien Pepe
SUNDAY, APRIL 22 10:30 AM	Jennifer Snyder-Haas
SATURDAY, APRIL 28 4:00 PM	Randy Deschamps
SUNDAY, APRIL 29 10:30 AM	Caroline Easton

MINISTERS

SATURDAY, APRIL 21 4:00 PM	Jean Waligorski, Arlene Ventura
SUNDAY, APRIL 22 10:30 AM	Randy Deschamps, Caroline Easton
SATURDAY, APRIL 28 4:00 PM	Vivien Pepe, Jennifer Snyder-Haas
SUNDAY, APRIL 29 10:30 AM	Gary & Patricia Mertz

Mass Intentions



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

SATURDAY, APRIL 21- EASTER WEEKDAY

4:00 PM +Benjamin Kubik, (Family)

SUNDAY, APRIL 22 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10:30 AM +Geraldine Niemczal, (Family)

MONDAY, APRIL 23 – EASTER WEEKDAY

8:30 AM +Henry Staszak, (Richard Cislo)

TUESDAY, APRIL 24–EASTER WEEKDAY

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25 – ST. MARK, EVANGELIST

8:30 AM +Leo J. Bernas, (Family)

THURSDAY, APRIL 26 –EASTER WEEKDAY

8:30 AM +Dennis H. Bernas, (Family)

FRIDAY, APRIL 27- EASTER WEEKDAY

8:30 AM +Cheri Harper, (Richard Janas)

SATURDAY, APRIL 28- EASTER WEEKDAY

4:00 PM +Jan Strzelczyk, (Family)

5:30 PM Mass at St. Adalbert

SUNDAY, APRIL 29 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10:30 AM +John, Rozalia, Robert Golbert, (Ann)

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 Jarnot, Rev. Michael Burzynski, Ms. Chmura, Gertrude Hargraves, Ben Lisiecki 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 April 15, 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. 35	\$100.15	\$ 546.00	\$ 646.15

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.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, April 21

2:00 PM Adult Faith Formation in Parish Center
4:00 PM Mass

Sunday, April 22

9:00 AM Religious Education
10:30 AM Mass

Saturday, April 28

2:00 PM Adult Faith Formation in Parish Center
4:00 PM Mass
5:30 PM Feast of St. Adalbert Mass

Sunday, April 29

10:30 AM Mass

Saturday, May 5

2:00 PM Adult Faith Formation in Parish Center
4:00 PM Mass

Sunday, May 6

9:00 AM Religious Education
10:30 AM Mass
Rosary meeting after Mass



**SAVE THE DATE
OUR SUMMER FESTIVAL
SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 2018**

OUR 2018 MISSION COOPERATIVE APPEAL

The Propagation of the Faith office of our Lansing diocese has invited the diocese of KUMBAKONAM, India to speak to us about their missionary activities and challenges. Accordingly, **Rev. Mount Joseph Selvan Durai Raj** will be speaking to us during all the Masses this weekend **April 21/22**. This diocese has an area of 7823 sq km. and is situated in Tamil Nadu, South India with a Catholic population of 2,13,000 which is just 6 % of the total population. It is served by 200 diocesan and 73 religious priests, 568 nuns and 15 trained lay catechists. The Kumbakonam diocese celebrated the centenary of its inception in 1999 by setting certain concrete and meaningful goals for a New Evangelization in the III millennium.

**Therefore, your fervent prayers and generous help are earnestly requested for building the Kingdom of God, in and through the diocese of Kumbakonam, India.
SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND APRIL 21/22.**

**FEAST OF ST. ADALBERT
SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 2018**

5:30 P.M. Mass at St. Adalbert with soprano vocalist Brittany Mruzcek

Celebrating the Feast of St. Adalbert and commemorating the 100th Anniversary of Poland's Independence with the participation of the *Am-Pol Eagle* (Followed by refreshments)

FAITH MOMENT REFLECTION

Right now, at this very moment, God is pouring out his love for you. In today's reading, John reminds us to stop and think about that -- to "see what love the Father has bestowed on us." We get so caught up in our daily routines, we overlook the reality of God's love in the here and now, a love that invites us to become God's children. So stop for a moment and "see" God's love. In your family and friends. In the beauty of our natural world. In the peace of your church or place of worship. God gives this great love freely to us and only asks that we love him in return; that we love one another as he loves each and every one of us. When we "see" God's love, we see the perfection of love in action.

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.

FAITH FORMATION: Our 10 week Adult Faith Formation Program has started! Faith formation is a lifelong process. Join us if you can on Saturdays at 2 in the Parish Center...learn more about what Catholics believe, and why. There is a DVD presentation by the well-known Bishop Robert Barron of the Word on Fire Catholic Ministries followed by a short discussion. Refreshments are served, and the class ends in time to attend 4 o'clock Mass at SJK. The program runs through June 9. Although weekly attendance is encouraged it is not mandatory. Bring a family member or friend with you!



To all our pierogi makers, sellers and those who purchased our delicious pierogi. Our profit is \$20456.00 Job well done!

To everyone who helped with the decorating of the church for Holy Week and Easter and to those who helped in the removal.

To everyone who helped in any other way to make Holy Week and Easter a truly wonderful spiritual experience.

ETERNAL REST

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

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Our total collected for CATHOLIC CHARITIES so far is \$4108.00. if you have not yet made your donation, you can place it in the collection basket, mail it to the rectory, or drop off your donation at the rectory office. The deadline for this year is June 30. Any Catholic Charities donation made after the deadline will be applied for next year. Thank you for your support!

BISHOP MALONE ANNOUNCES THE FORMATION OF A TASK FORCE- Bishop Malone and his Presbyteral Council are currently looking into ways to promote both the spiritual welfare of priests and the liturgical life of each parish. They are particularly concerned about the number and quality of Masses celebrated at each parish. With a declining number of priests, we should not expect priests to celebrate more liturgies on a weekend than are needed; and, fewer Masses with larger attendance would encourage more vibrant celebrations of the Eucharist. The Bishop is asking all parishes to engage in a collaborate effort to look at Mass schedules and Mass attendance. This will be coordinated at the Vicariate level with suggestions to be sent to a Diocesan Task Force that has been established by the Bishop. Engagement in this process at the parish level will be vital in creating a revised and coordinated Vicariate Mass schedule that will promote the physical and spiritual well-being of priests as well as provide quality liturgical celebrations in each parish.

**St. John Kanty Rosary Society
Mother's Day Raffle
Sunday, May 13, 2018 after 10:30 Mass**



Donation \$5.00 (book of 6 tickets)
1st prize \$100 cash
2nd prize \$50 cash & lottery tickets
And many more prizes

Tickets will be sold in the vestibule, before and after Masses. Proceeds to benefit heating expenses of St. John Kanty Parish. Winners need not be present to win!

St. John's Funeral Home, Inc.



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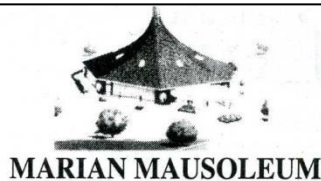


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Funeral Homes

Daniel Smolarek 2510 Union Road, Cheektowaga
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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	Phyllis Pepe By Family	Trzcinski & Spychaj Families By Deb & Don Bartus
Daskiewicz Family By Julie Jarnot	Charlotte Fyda Gloria & Ralph Snyder By Jennifer Snyder-Haas	Parents, Brothers, Sisters & In-laws By Esther Lukaszewska	Ronald, Christine, Randy & Andy Pawlak By Julie Pawlak	Bartus & Sobon Families By Deb & Don Bartus
Stanley Bystrak Jr. By Wife & Family	Maciorowski & Peplowski Families By Norman Maciorowski	Husband & Father Robert Felski, Sr. By Dolores & Family	Eugene & Florence Baranowski By Children	Irene Szalda By Dombek Family
Wagner, Brzycky & Siejak Families By Sally & Family	Bosiacki & Januchowski Families By Edward & Christine Bosiacki	Michael Streicher By Wife Cindy	Chmielewski & Konwinski Families By Barbara Chmielewski	Henry Kucinski By Marian Kucinski & Children
Frank & Gerry & Mary Niemczal By Debbie & Randy & Family	Januchowski/Smigielski Family By Jerry & Family	Domino & Michalek Families By Mary Domino	Geryak & Sestak Families By Family	Millie & Ray Cegielski By Marian & Michael Kucinski
Richard Slazak Mieczyslaw & Leocadia Pajakowski By Dolores	John 'Jan' Wrobel By Chet, Ella, Dave & Ryan	Makolinski Family By Daughter, Sue O'Neill	Jenny & Teddy Imbierowski By Ed, Diane, Elizabeth & Paul Czajka	Marie & Stanley Szeluga By Donna
Walter Koza By Koza Family	Dziatkowski & Marciniak Families By Gert Marciniak	Walek Family By Alice Walek	John Jarnot By Wife Julie	Richard Laskowski By Maryann & Jim Kajdasz
Vincent Hodur By Stella Hodur	Franciszek & Honorata Stanczewski & Frank & Mary & Jim & Rita By Family	Jennie Showalter By Daughter Janice	Helen & Walter Rembacz, Lucy Majchrzycki	Stanley & Mildred Glowny By Family
Michael & Mark Jakubiak By Aunt Sally	Sikorski & Jerszewski Families By Grace	Ulicki & Jaworski Families Parents of Harry & Pat Jaworski	Frank & Regina & Paul Ziembiec By Helen & Joe Ziembiec	Edward & Harriet Niedzielski By Sunday Family
Francis & Theresa Jablonski By Roy & Karen Baer	Stella Augustyniak By Julie Jarnot	Anthony Rogowski By Wife & Family	Frank & Regina & Paul Ziembiec By Helen & Joe Ziembiec	Edward & Harriet Niedzielski By Sunday Family
Dear Husband & Father Gene Siejak By Sally & Family	Kwandrans & Szyndel Families By Kwandrans Family	Natalie R. Palmowski By Nancy R. Floyd	Majchrowicz & Jagodzinski Families By Dorothy	Grzywa & Majcher Families By Wally & Terrie Domino
Adam Michalek By Family	Chester & Anne Seweryniak By Family	Guy Giancarlo By Wife Rita	Husband Edwin Marciniak By Gert	<u>VARIOUS INTENTIONS</u>
Sovinski & Tarabula Family By Family	Walenty-Anna Kochul Family Valerie Mincel & Family By Sigmund & Christine Mincel	Adrian & Marian Borowicz By Daughter Mary & Mike Muscato	Henry 'Skippy' & Alicia Spychaj By Children & Grandchildren	Living & Deceased Members of Rosary Soc.
Edward Hosinski By Wife Dolores & Family		Benedict S. Zarajczyk & Family By Family	Sr. Mary Hortense By Family	Living & Deceased Members of Holy Name Soc.