



**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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**St. Adalbert's Cemeteries:**  
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**ADMINISTRATOR** Rev. James Monaco.  
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**RELIGIOUS EDUC.** Barbara Myszkiewicz

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

**TRUSTEES** Michaelene Karpinski Evan Kolber

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:**

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

**Sunday Mass:** 11:30 A.M. (Confessions 11:00 A.M.)  
**St. Katharine Drexel Sunday Mass:** 10:00 A.M.

**WEEKDAY MASSES: 8:30 A.M. in Church**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

**St. Katharine Drexel:** Wednesday & Friday 8:30 A.M.

The Rosary is recited after daily Mass

First Friday: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Chaplet

**HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS:** As announced

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

**Phone:** 716-893-0412

**Fax:** 716-893-9864

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

**On Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/stjohnkanty](http://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 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](http://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, MAY 21- EASTER WEEKDAY

4:00 PM Living & Deceased Mothers

### SUNDAY, MAY 22-SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:30 a.m. +Richard Solecki, (Barbara, Helene,  
Mary & Dina

### MONDAY, MAY 23 -EASTER WEEKDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM In Thanksgiving 52<sup>nd</sup> Year of  
Ordination, (Fr. Bob)

### TUESDAY, MAY 24-EASTER WEEKDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM Living & Deceased Mothers

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 25- EASTER WEEKDAY NO MASS

### THURSDAY, MAY 26 - ASCENSION THURSDAY (IN CHURCH)

8:30 AM Living & Deceased Mothers

### FRIDAY, MAY 27 - EASTER WEEKDAY

8:30 AM NO MASS

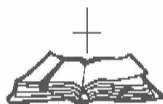
### SATURDAY, MAY 28- EASTER WEEKDAY

4:00 PM For the Faithful of St. John Kanty,  
St. Adalbert, St. Katharine Drexel

### SUNDAY, MAY 29-SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:30 a.m. +Irene Morgan, (Family)

Mass Intentions



#### The Mass book for 2022 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.

#### ASCENSION THURSDAY

Wednesday-May 25

4:00 PM Mass at St. Katharine Drexel

Thursday-May 26

8:30 AM Mass at St. John Kanty

**Please note:** Our last 4 pm Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, May 28. Any intentions that have been scheduled for the 4 pm Mass will be moved to the 11:30 Mass



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

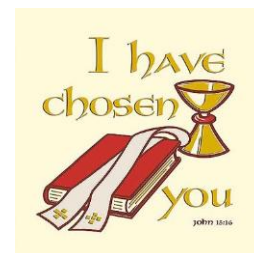
#### OFFERTORY: WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022

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 \$990.00/Monthly \$126.00  
Fuel \$100.00

**Thank you for your continued support!**

**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., Elizabeth Quizon, Dolores Quizon, Emily Ventura, Norm Macierowski, Julie Ulicki, Melanie Plata, Kimberly Paul, Jeffrey Nietopski, Barbara Koza, Joanne Marcucci, Sharon Jakubowski, Ben Lisiecki, Edward Szadkowski, Stanley Kowalski, Edward Blenski, Alice Walek, and all the sick of our parish. **If you have a name to add or a deletion, please call the parish office.**



Fr. Bob may God continue to bless you and keep you in His care as you celebrate your 52<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of Ordination

**Our Listening Sessions for Phase 1 of our Diocesan Synod will conclude at the end of May,** but there are still plenty of valuable opportunities for you be heard. Here are some of the Sessions remaining:

• May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 at St. Vincent de Paul open to everyone

- May 24<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 at the Catholic Center downtown open to everyone
- Mat 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 at Holy Cross for the Hispanic community
- May 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 at Our Lady of Hope for the African community
- May 31<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 at St. Leo the Great for those affected by divorce
- June 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 at Our Lady of Hope for the Asian community
- June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 at St. Joseph University for the LGBTQ community

Please check the Diocesan website for more details at [www.buffalodiocese.org](http://www.buffalodiocese.org). And remember that Phase 2 will include all Parish Families of the Diocese.

**BACKGROUND ON THE GOSPEL READING**

This portion of John's Gospel comes near the end of the first of four chapters that make up Jesus' long farewell discourse at the Last Supper. This section of chapter 14 actually sums up the themes of the opening of the discourse: the Christian's life is not shaped by Jesus' absence but by God's abiding presence; God's presence overcomes anxiety about God's absence; and the present holds in it the seeds of a fresh future shaped by love, not fear.

These verses also contain a glimpse of some of the other themes of the farewell discourse: Jesus' relationship with the Father and the disciples' relationship to Jesus connect the disciples to the Father as well. Jesus promises to send an Advocate or intercessor who will remind the disciples of everything that Jesus taught them and bring them peace.

Jesus is preparing his disciples in advance for his absence so that they will continue to believe in him and not feel all alone after his return to the Father. After the initial excitement of his Easter appearances, Jesus will remain with his followers in a very different way throughout the centuries.

As our celebration of the Easter season is coming to an end, the liturgy reminds us that Jesus remains with us through the Holy Spirit, who

teaches us everything we need to know, reminds us of all that Jesus taught, and brings us peace.

**Celebrating Memorial Day at a Catholic Cemetery** is truly a mixture of flags and wreaths and tributes and taps. Join us at one of two locations for Memorial Day Mass as we honor those who have served our country in the military. On Saturday May 28 at 10 am Bishop Michael Fisher will celebrate Mass at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Kenmore and Fr. William Quinlivan will celebrate Mass at Holy Cross Cemetery in Lackawanna. Military are always welcome to represent their branch of the military. Masses will be held outdoors. Tent with limited seating available; you are welcome to bring your own lawn chair. Refreshments will be served after Mass. For more information on any of our services, please call 716-873-6500.



**SAVE THE DATE  
BW CHICKEN DINNER  
BASKET RAFFLE  
SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2022  
12:30 – 3pm**

Dinner includes: ½ chicken, potato salad, chef salad,  
Roll & butter and dessert  
**Cost: \$14.00**  
Dinner tickets will be available before and after weekend Masses and in the Parish

Donations are needed for our Theme Baskets  
Basket raffle: items should have a value of at least \$20. Your donation can be in the form of a basket, scratch-off lottery tickets or gift cards.

**Donations will be accepted in the parish office Monday through Friday 9:00-11:00 or before and after weekend Mass.**

**POLKA MASS AT ST. ADALBERT  
HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED TO  
JUNE 25, 2022 at 4PM**

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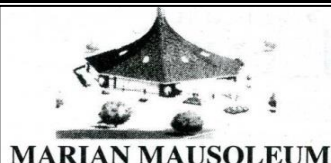
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Edward & Wanda Bryk By Family	Kalisz & Zulawski Families By Connie Zulawski	Drozd, Jozwiak & Jankowski Families By Phyllis Drozd	Edward Sunday By Wife, Marcia	John & Julie Jamot By Family
Daskiewicz & Jarnot Families By Family	Charlotte Fyda Gloria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