

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:
6200 Broadway, Alden, NY 14086
716- 681-3090

ADMINISTRATOR Rev. James Monaco.
RELIGIOUS EDUC. Barbara Myszkiewicz

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

TRUSTEES Michaelene Karpinski Evan Kolber

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Mass: 8:30 A.M.

St. Katharine Drexel Sunday Mass: 10:00 A.M.

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

Tuesday, Thursday
The Rosary is recited after daily Mass
First Friday: Rosary at 9 AM followed by Mass and Adoration

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

HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS: As announced

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday 8:00 A.M. – 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/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, MARCH 11-LENTEN WEEKDAY
NO MASS**

SUNDAY, MARCH 12 -THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
8:30 AM + Michael Striecher, (Cindy)

MONDAY, MARCH 13 -LENTEN WEEKDAY
8:30 AM Communion Service at
St. Katharine Drexel

**TUESDAY, MARCH 14 -LENTEN WEEKDAY
(IN CHURCH)**
8:30 AM +Larry Pietras, (MM Bukowski)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15- LENTEN WEEKDAY
8:30 AM Mass at St. Katharine Drexel

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16-LENTEN WEEKDAY
(IN CHURCH)**
8:30 AM +Joseph Licursi, (Caroline)

FRIDAY, MARCH 17 - LENTEN WEEKDAY
8:30 AM Mass at St. Katharine Drexel

**SATURDAY, MARCH 18-LENTEN WEEKDAY
NO MASS**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 19 -FOURTH SUNDAY OF
LENT**
8:30 AM + Rita Ginter Szymanski, (Family)

The Mass book for 2023 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.

The Season of Lent

“Lent is ordered to preparing for the celebration of Easter, since the Lenten liturgy prepares for celebration of the Paschal Mystery both catechumens, by the various stages of Christian Initiation, and the faithful, who recall their own Baptism and do penance.

The forty days of Lent run from Ash Wednesday up to but excluding the Mass of the Lord’s Supper exclusive. From the beginning of Lent until the Paschal Vigil, the Alleluia is not said.

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 birthdays 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 26, 2023 (First Sunday of Lent) and June 4, 2023 (Trinity Sunday)

March 12, 2023

Lectors Caroline Easton
Richard Janas
Minister Jennifer Snyder-Haas



Please pray for the healing touch of Jesus’ hand for those who are ill, especially: Jessica Frysz, 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, Alice Walek, Ronald Slazak, Paul Fox, Rogo Family, Dolores Ruda, 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 MARCH 5, 2023

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 \$994.00/Maint. \$10.00
Cath. Missions \$60.00**

Thank you for your continued support!

**CENTERING PRAYER
AT ST. KATHARINE DREXEL
FRIDAYS DURING LENT
10 AM - 10:30 AM**

**St Adalbert's 50/50 St Patrick's Day
Raffle**

Split The Pot

\$5 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$20

Live Facebook Drawing on St Patrick's
Day

For tickets call

St. John Kanty Parish Office

716-893-0412



Fish Fry



St. Katharine Drexel School Hall

Our famous Fish Fry or Shrimp Dinner will be held on Fridays during Lent from 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the school hall. Tickets are \$15 presale, \$20 at the door, and are available after all masses and at the rectory. There will also be a grilled cheese & fries meal for children for \$5, a combination fish and shrimp dinner for \$18, 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.

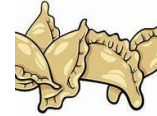
Dear Friends,

We would like to invite you to our St. Joseph's Table on Sunday, March 19th from 11 am to 1 pm at St. Katharine Drexel. Since our friendship with the saints always leads us to friendship with God, we hope this sharing of good food together helps us step into a new and ever deepening friendship with God and one another.

We look forward to learning about our neighboring faith communities and community members throughout Lovejoy, while sharing one of our faith's traditions. We are inviting members of our Catholic Church Family, all faith communities and community members of Lovejoy. We ask that you RSVP by calling or texting (716) 520-6000. You can also leave a message at the parish rectory at (716) 895-6813.

St. Patrick's Day—March 17

Bishop Fisher has granted a commutation of the discipline of abstaining from meat on March 17th. If you choose to eat meat on March 17th you are obliged to choose another day before March 24 to abstain from eating meat.



**PIEROGI/PLACEK SALE
EASTER CHOCOLATE SALE
BASKET RAFFLE**

**SUNDAYS THROUGH MARCH 26
AT ST. JOHN KANTY**

9:30 -12:30 PM

**APRIL 2 SALE WILL BE AT
ST. KATHARINE DREXEL PARISH HALL**



**PALM SUNDAY APRIL 2
MASS AT
ST. KATHARINE DREXEL 10 AM
FOLLOWED BY**



**BOY SCOUT TROOP 107
ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKE
BREAKFAST**

**Includes: Pancakes, Sausage, Coffee
ST KATHARINE DREXEL PARISH HALL
11 AM - 1 PM COST \$10**

**AND
PIEROGI/PLACEK SALE
EASTER CHOCOLATE
BASKET RAFFLE DRAWING**

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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

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

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

Michael Streicher
By Wife Cindy

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

Domino & Michalek Families
By Mary Domino

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

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

Sikorski & Jerszewski Families
By Grace

Walek Family By Alice
Walek

Helen & Walter Rembacz,
Lucy Majchrzycki

Barbara Miller
By Terejko & Thornton Family

Michael & Mark Jakubiak
By Aunt Sally

Kwandrans & Szyndel Families
By Kwandrans 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

Walenty-Anna Kochul Family
Valerie Mincel & Family
By Sigmund & Christine Mincel

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

Wieszczecinski & Wozniak Families
By Family

Anthony & Katherine
Rogowski
By Family

Husband Edwin Marciniak
By Gert

Peter & Regina Stelmach
By Family

Adam Michalek
By Family

Leonard Tortorice
By Nelson & Marlene Oldfield

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

Stanley & Jennie Szymanski
By Dina

Adrian & Marian Borowicz
By Daughter Mary & Mike
Muscato

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

Benedict S. & Barbara.
Zarajczyk
By Family

Mary & Stanley Maslanka
By Daughter, Millie

Ferdinand & Anne Nowicki-Peter
& Veronica Slazak By Loretta
Nowicki

Msgr. E. Sobierajski &
Edmund Wardynski, By Millie

Phyllis Pepe
By Family

Zbigniew Sr., Jozefa, Zbigniew Jr.,
Richard Solecki,
By Helene, Barbara & Mary

VARIOUS INTENTIONS
Living & Deceased Members of
Rosary Soc.

Guy & Rita Giancarlo
By Family

Living & Deceased Members of
Holy Name Soc.