

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Stanislaus Kostka Parish is a community dedicated to proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ as taught by the Roman Catholic Church through Word, Sacraments and Service while preserving and sharing the cultural roots of the Parish.

Parafia Świętego Stanisława Kostki jest wspólnotą, której celem jest głoszenie Ewangelii Jezusa Chrystusa według nauki Kościoła Rzymskokatolickiego. Misją parafii jest głoszenie Słowa Bożego, sprawowanie Sakramentów oraz służenie innym w zachowaniu tradycji kulturowych.

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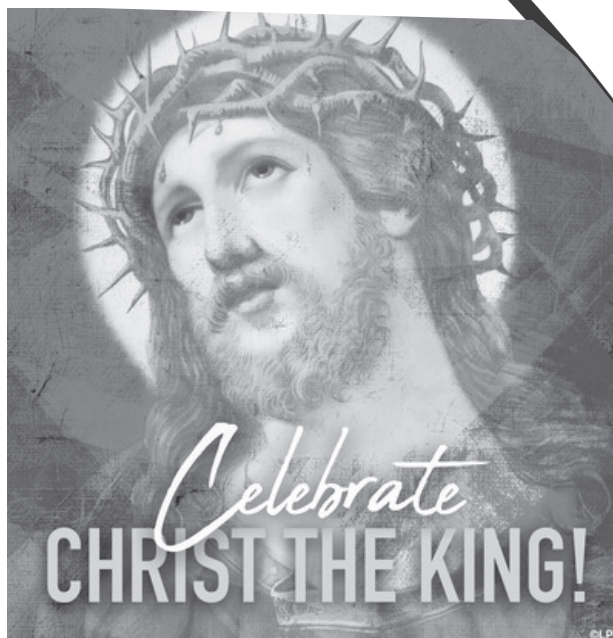
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MRS. DOROTHY STYK	Chairperson
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OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday
9:00 AM-2:30 PM.
Evenings by appointment



MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (English) 11:00 a.m. (Polish)

Weekdays: Monday 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

Thursday 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Confession at 5:00 p.m.

Holy Hour at 5:00 p.m.

and Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 6:30 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday: 3:00-3:40 p.m. or by appointment

Please remember the ST. STANISLAUS CHURCH OF ROCHESTER, NY (our legal title) considering bequests, endowments, memorials or other special contributions when making out your will. All donations are tax deductible.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Sundays at 12:15 p.m. or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Couples are asked to contact the office at least six months before marriage is to take place.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome! Please stop at the Rectory during business hours and introduce yourself. We would like to get to know you.

CARE OF THE SICK: Inform staff when relatives are confined to home so that we can arrange to have the Eucharist brought to them. Please notify us of family members living in nursing homes or institutions.

**SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 23****VIGIL: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

4:00 p.m. – Theresa Bundy (Paul Jasen)

SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 24**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

9:00 a.m. — Eloise Sadowski and her family on the occasion of her Baptism

11:00 a.m. — Polish Mass — Ewa Kręciszek (Rodzina Samiec)

MONDAY – NOVEMBER 25**Saint Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr**

8:00 a.m. — Joseph W. Denneen (John Philipponne)

TUESDAY – NOVEMBER 26

5:30 p.m. — Family Sowiński (Larry)

WEDNESDAY – NOVEMBER 27

8:00 a.m. — Gertrude Adamski (Marcia and David Swartz and Sue and Bill Woods)

THURSDAY – NOVEMBER 28**Thanksgiving Day**

9:30 a.m. — Saint Stanislaus parishioners

FRIDAY – NOVEMBER 29

8:00 a.m. — Helen Węgrzyn (Teresa Laskowski)

5:00 p.m. — Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament — Confession

6:00 p.m. — James M. White (Family)

6:30 p.m. — Chaplet of Divine Mercy

SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 30**Saint Andrew, Apostle**

8:00 a.m. — Chester and Mary Skurski (Mary Okoniewicz)

VIGIL: First Sunday of Advent

4:00 p.m. – Mary and Walter Sz wajkos (Gerry Wilson)

SUNDAY – DECEMBER 1**First Sunday of Advent**

9:00 a.m. — Leonard Synor (Paul Jasen)

11:00 a.m. — Polish Mass — Andrzej i Dorota Rzepa w 25 rocznicę ślubu; Robert i Marta Wyrozebski w 14 rocznicę ślubu



*A very warm welcome
is extended to all who have come
to St. Stanislaus Church
to worship this weekend.
We are grateful to our parishioners
and we welcome our guests
who visit us this weekend.*

THIS WEEK AT OUR PARISH

SATURDAY—NOVEMBER 23

- ◆ Ladies' Society Bake Sale and Faith Formation Garage Sale (Auditorium)

SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 24

- ◆ Coffee Hour after the Masses
- ◆ After the Masses: Ladies' Society Bake Sale and Faith Formation Garage Sale (Auditorium)

MONDAY — NOVEMBER 25

- ◆ 6:15 p.m.—7:30 p.m. — Religious Education Classes (Religious Education Center)
- ◆ 7:30 p. m. — North East Freedom AA Group meeting (Auditorium)

WEDNESDAY—NOVEMBER 27

- ◆ Parish office closes at Noon

THURSDAY—NOVEMBER 28

- ◆ Parish office closed in observance of Thanksgiving
- ◆ Noon—2:00 p.m.—Thanksgiving Dinner

FRIDAY—NOVEMBER 29

- ◆ Parish office closed

SATURDAY—NOVEMBER 30

- ◆ No parish activities

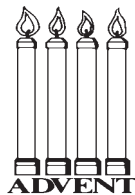
SUNDAY – DECEMBER 1

- ◆ Coffee Hour after the Masses

Calling all Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles....

We invite you and your grandchildren, nieces or nephews to join us for our **Family Advent Night on Monday December 2nd from 6:15 to 7:45 p.m.** in our parish auditorium. Please join us for an evening when we will learn about the Jesse Tree, make crafts, have dessert, and socialize as we prepare for the coming of Jesus. Children should be in grades K-7 and **MUST** register if not enrolled in our religious education program to ensure we have enough supplies.

For more information or to register, please contact Pam Moore at 467-3068 or at Pamela.Moore@dor.org. Thank you!

**Special Thanksgiving Mass**

We invite you to come to our parish celebration of Thanksgiving Day. We will gather around the Table of the Lord at **9:30 a.m.** We hope that you and your family will come to share in this Family Mass. We have prepared a liturgy of thanksgiving for all the blessings God has bestowed on our parish family.

**Live the Liturgy—Inspiration for the Week**

Today the Church calls us to celebrate the truth that Jesus Christ is King of the universe. As King, it is His mission to eliminate anything that is contrary to God's purpose and to establish a world based on justice and peace. Because God does not force His Will upon us, it is our duty as believers to share in and cooperate with this mission and do all in our power to hasten God's Kingdom.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

“The rulers sneered ... the soldiers jeered ... one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus.” Is this the King of the Jews, the King of the Universe? If it is so, perhaps His Kingdom is not at all what we would expect! In his letter to the laity, St. John Paul II spoke about how Christians share in the kingly mission of Christ. First, “they exercise their kingship as Christians, above all in the spiritual combat in which they seek to overcome in themselves the kingdom of sin.” In other words, before we give any thought to transforming society, we must first allow God to transform us. Through daily prayer, regular self-examination, and frequent confession, we can recognize our faults more readily and choose love instead!

Second, St. John Paul II writes that the laity “makes a gift of themselves so as to serve, in justice and in charity, Jesus who is Himself present in all His brothers and sisters, above all in the very least.” Christ’s Kingship, and our own participation in it, is requires us to look beyond the privileged of society. It goes beyond networking and struggles of power. It goes with Jesus to the Cross!

Still, the Kingship of Christ ought to effect society. “The lay faithful are called to restore to creation all its original value ... ordering creation to the authentic well-being of humanity.” Jesus does this in a radical way through His death and Resurrection. We, too, are invited to bring new life to the world around us. This means holding the world and everything in it as sacred. It means advocating for civil policies that respect life and paying special care to the vulnerable and marginalized in every stage of life. It means being disciples of Jesus, inviting people into authentic love so that one day we will together “be with Him in Paradise!”

A Gratitude Examen

Gratitude is one of the greatest spiritual practices. It opens our minds, calms our hearts, and rids bitterness of it’s power. The “examen” is a spiritual practice to reflect on how we have responded to God’s work in our lives. This Thanksgiving, consider your own reasons for thankfulness!

What Gifts have You given me?
How have I Received love from others?
How is grace at work in Aspects of my life story?
Do I Trust You to continue to bless me?
Where have I missed Your movements?
Have I used my Talents at the service of other?
Do I see a purpose for my life Underway?
How can I have the Discipline to thank You daily?
Help me give Everything back to You!

Bake Food Sale – November 23-24, 2019



Our pre-Thanksgiving Bake Food Sale will take place this weekend. It will be after the 4:00 pm Mass on Saturday and after the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Masses on Sunday. We want this fundraiser to be a great success. Please stop by after the Masses and purchase a delicious cakes/cookies for your Thanksgiving table.

Holy Name of Jesus Society meeting and Christmas Party: December 15. Mark your calendars!

Please Pray for . . .

Please pray for all those in hospitals, who are ill or recovering from surgery, and all those ailing at home, in hospice or in nursing homes.



Please keep in your prayers: Linda Adams, Kathleen A. Adams, Marylu Balacki, Mary Ann Ballou, Arlene Bialaszewski, Dolores Biddle, Ian Joseph Bruckhaus, Teodozja Brychcy, Eugene Cherkis, Joseph Camptone, Carol Capidone, Joseph Cappozzi, Patricia Cariola, Guy Cennane, Krystyna Ciejek, Norma Coleman, Carl Conde, Marcia Cote, Linda Cranston, Nolan Cybulski, Veronica Czerniak, Melanie Etter, Lee Daly-Homa, Ruth Faulkner, Casimera Francione, Eleanore Golomb, Marlene Gotham, David Gotham, Kathy Gustyn, Joan and Mary Kay Hausladen, Veronica Hajecki, Kim Harvey, Ruth Hoffman, Jan Hoholuk, Majken Hubbard, Richard Hurysz, Steve LeRoy, Kathy Przyklek-Jedrzejek, Wieslawa & Henryk Juśkiewicz, Ewa Kajosz, Connie Kawka, Dave Kolupski, Terri Lazeski, Tony Leib, Irene Lichwiarz, Tara Luchetti, Marcin Lukowiak, Beth Lynch, Mark Mahany, Theodore McCracken, Kathleen McHugh, Sharon McNulty, Jim Mills, Deacon Ray Mielcarek, Vicki Mielcarek, Justina Montanez, Baby Michael Moretter, Iwona Muszak, Emily Nakas, Steve Nowak, Susan Oberle, Thomas I. Orczyk, Brenda and David Ortiz, Rick Pacific, Cristine Paradowski, Gloria and Quinn Pomroy, Colleen Parsons, Mary Ann Pembroke, Jan Quist, Jon Remmel, Linda and Douglas Riker, Genevieve Rodgers, Zofia Robaczyński, Joe Rogers, Shirley Rojek, Chuck Rosiere, Trudy Rosolowski, Rick Rosser, Jim and Sonja Stenclik, Matrice Schafers, Tom Schramil, Marian and Irene Sobolewski, Joe Straszyński, Gary and Michele Stenclik, George Swartz, Frank Wardyński, Bernard and Trina Weeg, Catherine Wilk, Janet Zienkiewicz and Ann Zukosky.

To add a loved one’s name to this prayer list or to take someone off the prayer list, please call the parish office at 467-3068. If you would like Fr. Roman to visit or anoint a loved one who is in the hospital, nursing home etc. you should call or preferably text him at 585-705-7142. Leave the name of the person, name of hospital, nursing home, room number and if it is an emergency/eminent death. You may still call the rectory 467-3068 with this information.

Thanksgiving Dinner at St. Stanislaus!

St. Stanislaus Church is sponsoring a **FREE** traditional Thanksgiving Dinner on Thursday, November 28, 2019. Donations of turkeys (we need 5, 18-20 pound turkeys) will be gratefully accepted.



First we will gather around the Table of the Lord at 9:30 a.m. for a Family Thanksgiving Mass, during which we will give thanks for all the blessings God has bestowed upon our parish family. The traditional Thanksgiving dinner will be served from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. in the auditorium.

Please call 467-3068 and let us know how many people are coming so we can prepare.



Przyjdź Królestwo Twoje!

W dniu dzisiejszym cały Kościół oddaje cześć Chrystusowi, Królowi Wszechświata. W ostatnią Niedzielę Zwykłą roku liturgicznego nasze oczy kierujemy ku Chrystusowi, naszemu Królowi i Zmartwychwstałemu Panu. Ta niedziela kończy obchód całego roku liturgicznego wskazując na Tego, który jest celem, sensem i kresem naszej ziemskiej drogi.

Jezus Chrystus jest jednak Królem. Jakże inne jest jednak to Jego Królestwo. Jego Królestwo nie będzie królestwem ziemskim, z silnym, potężnym królem, z kompetentnymi ministrami i przywódcami. To Chrystusowe Królestwo będzie dostrzegalne jedynie oczami serca i wiary. To Królestwo nie będzie dla mocnych i wielkich tego świata, ale dla tych, którzy są jak dzieci, pełni prostoty, zaufania i otwartości. To Królestwo – mówił Jezus – jest pośród nas.

Gdy dzisiaj pytamy się: Gdzie jest, Panie, Twoje Królestwo, widzimy, że jest ono pośród nas. Trzeba je tylko chcieć zobaczyć! Po prostu trzeba uwierzyć, że ten właśnie Król, nie inny władca tego świata, nie żaden monarcha, prezydent, premier czy przewodniczący, ale właśnie On ma rację.

Sprzedaż Ciasta

Stowarzyszenie Pań św. Stanisława będzie sprzedawać ciasta **23-24 Listopada** po każdej Mszy św. **Coś Smacznego dla Każdego!** Zapraszamy parafian do audytorium na zakupy. Dobra okazja do przygotowania się na Święto Dziękczynienia!

Obiad w Święto Dziękczynienia

Parafia Św. Stanisława organizuje darmowy obiad w Święto Dziękczynienia dla parafian i rodzin w czwartek 28 Listopada od godziny 12:00 p.m. do 2:00 p.m. Prosimy rezerwować sobie miejsca jak najszybciej i zadzwonić do Biura Parafialnego.

Oddech Życia

Parafialny Projekt Różańcowy-Cel 2019: 100 000

Liczba modlitw różańcowych: **7,508**

Dołącz się do nas w modlitwie!

Wrzuć notatkę na koniec każdego miesiąca do koszyczka z numerem odmówionych różańców.

Módlcie się i zachęcajcie innych do modlitwy!

**The Annual Jesse Tree Project:
November 17 thru December 9th**

We have the names of **40 children- ages 5 months to 4 years old** who are chronically ill, developmentally or physically disabled and receive services from Catholic Charities. Please put a smile on their face and twinkle in their eyes this Christmas. Take a **heart** from the Jesse Tree. **To allow time for us to check that all the children have gifts and all are wrapped ALL GIFTS MUST be under the Jesse Tree or dropped off to the rectory by Sunday, Dec. 9th. Catholic Charities will be picking them up on Tuesday, Dec. 11th.**

**Margaret Home is Looking for Volunteers**

The Margaret Home is in critical need of volunteers! The home provides housing, supervision, and support for homeless pregnant moms 24 hours/7 days. Volunteers must be 18 years or older and pass a background screening. Activities include, holding or playing with children, meal prep, light housekeeping, sorting donations, answering the door, light office tasks.

Help is needed: Mon-Fri 3pm-9pm

Sat & Sun 8am-9pm

Overnight Sundays

Contact: TheMargaretHomeVolunteers@gmail.com

**Breath of Life**

Parish Rosary Project 2019 goal: 100,000

Number of rosaries prayed: **7,508**

Please join us in prayer!

**Drop a note at the end of each month
in the collection with the number of rosaries
you prayed!**

Please keep on praying and encourage others to pray also.

Vigil Lights and Flowers for the Altar

Honor a loved one (living or deceased), remember a special occasion, or send a thank you with flowers for the altar or vigil light. Please contact our parish office at 467-3068.

**Extraordinary Ministers - Lectors - Commentators — Altar Servers – Ushers
Schedule for the weekend of November 30-December 1, 2019**

Mass Time	Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion	Lector	Commentator	Altar Servers	Ushers
Saturday 4:00 p.m.	Gerry Wilson Lynda Duncan	Andrew Smagin	Andrew Smagin	Elizabeth Krupa-Taha	Gene Golomb, Bill Brand George Madden Tom Kuzmik
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Sister Francella Lee Homa Chuck/Jan Vorndran	Kate Robson	Kate Robson	Amanda/Philip Procaccini Alexandra/Victoria Hajec	Don Williams Stephen Zielinski, Eugene Chmiel Sr. Ken Gustyn
Sunday 11:00 a.m.	Cecylia Tryt Krystyna Lizak	Polska Szkoła	Anna Mroszczak	Rodzina Makula	John Knick, Mark Sewhuk Maciej Kostecki Bronislaw Suchodolski

Offering

Due to the Thanksgiving weekend the offering for last week will be included in next week's bulletin.

Oplatki/Christmas Wafers

Oplatki can be purchased in the rectory during business hours 9:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m., and after the Masses in the church.



Altar Flowers

The floral centerpiece for the Mass on Wednesday, November 27th at 8:00 p.m. was offered in loving memory of Gertrude Adamski by Marcia and Dave Swartz and Sue and Bill Woods.



We would like to warmly welcome into our Catholic community following child of God:

Eloise Hope Sadowski

Happy Thanksgiving!

On Thanksgiving Day may God keep you safe and bless you for your goodness and generosity to our parish. May God's spirit fill every heart with gratitude for all the blessings that you have received. Have a Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving !

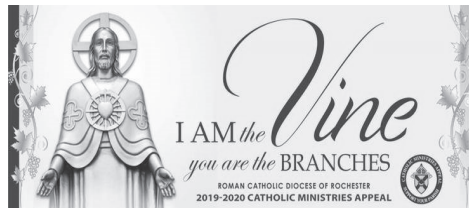
Fr. Roman and Staff

Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester Announcement

Victims of sexual abuse should always report to the civil authorities. To receive help and guidance from the Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester, contact our Victim Assistance Coordinator: Deborah Housel (585)328-3228 ext. 1555 or toll free 1-800-388-1711 ext. 1555 or by email: victimassistance@dor.org

Second Collection Next Weekend

Second Collection during next weekend Masses will be collection to support the Catholic University of America. Please be generous.



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