

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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PARISH COUNCIL:

MRS. DOROTHY STYK	Chairperson
MRS. KRYSZYNA LIZAK	Vice-Chairperson

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.

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.



Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 14

Vigil: 33 Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. — Stefania Skuza (Maryla and Jacek Szymański)

SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 15

33 Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. — Gisele Collins and family on the occasion of her First Holy Communion

11.00 a.m. — Polish Mass — Za parafian
Święto św. Stanisława Kostki i 130 lat Parafii

MONDAY - NOVEMBER 16

St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

8:00 a.m. — Paweł Zygałdo (Family)

TUESDAY – NOVEMBER 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

5:30 p.m. — Stanisława and Michał Witczak (Rymar)

WEDNESDAY – NOVEMBER 18

8:00 a.m. — Stefan Beres (Joseph Siekierski)

THURSDAY – NOVEMBER 19

The Dedication of the Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles

St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

8:00 a.m. — Birthday blessings for Fr. Felicjan Sierotowicz

5:30 p.m. — Janusz Stankiewicz (Malgorzata Ząbek)

FRIDAY — NOVEMBER 20

8:00 a.m. — Ewa Kręciszek (Daughter)

5:00 p.m. — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

6:00 p.m. — Teofil Warzecha (Christa Smith)

SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 21

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 a.m. — Janusz Wykrota (Mother)

Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

4:00 p.m. — Deceased members of Pollock and Stenclik families
(Jim and Sonja Stenclik)

SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 22

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

9:00 a.m. — Blessings for Krystian Ryszard Braun on the occasion of his Baptism

11.00 a.m. — Polish Mass — Ewa Kręciszek
(Magdalena Wnuk z rodziną)

Support the CMA

This year's Catholic Ministries Appeal Campaign has started. If you have not given to the CMA in the past, we hope you will prayerfully consider contributing this year. If you have given in the past, we look forward to your support again. By supporting CMA you support many programs throughout the diocese like food and clothing for families in need, seminarians and spreading the message of the Gospel. We need everyone's help in attaining the goal for this Parish which is to raise \$47,315.

ANYTHING
IS POSSIBLE
WITH GOD.

Welcome!

*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.*

Feast of Saint Stanislaus Kostka

St. Stanislaus Kostka was proclaimed by Pope John XXIII a patron saint of Poland. Traditionally he is also a patron saint of youth. Polish immigrants venerate St. Stanislaus as their special intercessor, since he spent the last four years of his short life outside of his native country. Numerous churches in the world, especially in the United States, have been named after him - among them our parish church.

Prayer for the Graces of Saint Stanislaus Kostka

**O God, Who among the many wonders of
Your wisdom endow some, even in tender
years, with the grace of ripest holiness:
grant under us, we beseech You, after the
pattern of Saint Stanislaus Kostka
to be instant in good works, and thus to
make speed to enter into everlasting rest.
Amen**

Breath of Life Ministry ~ Heartfelt Thanks

Thank you to all who attended the Respect for Life Month Events. Each Tuesday, many came to learn more about the importance of saving lives through our actions and laws. We have a long road ahead to end abortion, euthanasia and assisted suicide but we NEVER give up hope! We fervently believe that God wins in the end and that our country will one day be TOTALLY committed and supportive of a Culture of Life.

Thank you do all those who generously donated baby items!!! We were able to send bags and bags of clothing, formula and diapers to Focus Pregnancy Center, Women's Care Center and the Margaret Home. Here's just one of the Thank You notes:

Dear St. Stanislaus Parishioners,

We at the Focus Pregnancy Help Center wish to extend our sincere thanks for remembering us with blankets, snowsuits, bottles and diapers- all items which are always in great demand! Our moms are so appreciative! We hope all is well with everyone during this most critical time. Rest assured you are being remembered in our prayers.

Mary, Martha and Neyoka

XXXIII Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year A

Reading 1 PRV 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

When one finds a worthy wife,
her value is far beyond pearls.
Her husband, entrusting his heart to her,
has an unfailing prize.
She brings him good, and not evil, all the days of her life.
She obtains wool and flax and works with loving hands.
She puts her hands to the distaff,
and her fingers ply the spindle.
She reaches out her hands to the poor,
and extends her arms to the needy.
Charm is deceptive and beauty fleeting;
the woman who fears the LORD is to be praised.
Give her a reward for her labors,
and let her works praise her at the city gates.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.
Blessed are you who fear the LORD, who walk in his ways!
For you shall eat the fruit of your handiwork;
blessed shall you be, and favored.
R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.
Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine
in the recesses of your home;
Your children like olive plants around your table.
R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.
Behold, thus is the man blessed who fears the LORD.
The LORD bless you from Zion:
may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem
all the days of your life.
R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

Reading 2 1 THES 5:1-6

Concerning times and seasons, brothers and sisters,
you have no need for anything to be written to you.
For you yourselves know very well that the day of the
Lord will come like a thief at night. When people are
saying, "Peace and security," then sudden disaster comes
upon them,
like labor pains upon a pregnant woman, and they will
not escape. But you, brothers and sisters, are not in
darkness, for that day to overtake you like a thief. For
all of you are children of the light
and children of the day. We are not of the night or of
darkness.
Therefore, let us not sleep as the rest do, but let us stay
alert and sober.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.
Remain in me as I remain in you, says the Lord.
Whoever remains in me bears much fruit.
R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel MT 25:14-30

Jesus told his disciples this parable:
"A man going on a journey
called in his servants and entrusted his possessions
to them.
To one he gave five talents; to another, two; to a third,
one-- to each according to his ability.
Then he went away.
Immediately the one who received five talents went and
traded with them, and made another five.
Likewise, the one who received two made another two.
But the man who received one went off and dug a hole
in the ground and buried his master's money.
"After a long time the master of those servants came back
and settled accounts with them.
The one who had received five talents came forward
bringing the additional five.
He said, 'Master, you gave me five talents.
See, I have made five more.'
His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful
servant.
Since you were faithful in small matters,
I will give you great responsibilities.
Come, share your master's joy.'
Then the one who had received two talents also came
forward
and said, 'Master, you gave me two talents.
See, I have made two more.'
His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful
servant.
Since you were faithful in small matters,
I will give you great responsibilities.
Come, share your master's joy.'
Then the one who had received the one talent came forward
and said, 'Master, I knew you were a demanding person,
harvesting where you did not plant
and gathering where you did not scatter;
so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the
ground.
Here it is back.' His master said to him in reply, '
You wicked, lazy servant! So you knew that I harvest where
I did not plant and gather where I did not scatter?
Should you not then have put my money in the bank
so that I could have got it back with interest on my return?
Now then!
Take the talent from him and give it to the one with ten.
For to everyone who has, more will be given and he will
grow rich;
but from the one who has not, even what he has will be
taken away.
And throw this useless servant into the darkness outside,
where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.'"
The Gospel of the Lord

XXXIII Niedziela Zwykła - Rok A

PIERWSZE CZYTANIE Prz 31, 10-13. 19-20. 30-31

Czytanie z Księgi Przysłów

Niewiastę dzielną kto znajdzie? Jej wartość przewyższa perły. Serce małżonka jej ufa, na zyskach mu nie zbywa; nie czyni mu źle, ale dobrze przez wszystkie dni jego życia. O wełnę i len się stara, pracuje starannie rękami. Swe ręce wyciąga po kądziel, jej palce chwytają wrzeciono. Otwiera dłoń ubogiemu, do nędzarza wyciąga swe ręce. Kłamiwy wdzięk i marne jest piękno: chwalić należy niewiastę, co boi się Pana. Uznajcie owoce jej rąk, niech w bramie sławią jej czyny.

Oto słowo Boże.

PSALM RESPONSORYJNY Ps 128 (127), 1b-2. 3. 4-5 (R.: 1b)

Refren: Szczęśliwy człowiek, który służy Panu.

Szczęśliwy człowiek, który służy Panu *

i chodzi Jego drogami.

Będiesz spożywał owoc pracy rąk swoich, *

szczęście osiągniesz i dobrze ci będzie. **Refren.**

Małżonka twoja jak płodny szereg winny *

w zaciszu twego domu.

Synowie twoi jak oliwne gałązki *

dokoła twego stołu. **Refren.**

Tak będzie błogosławiony człowiek, *
który służy Panu.

Niech cię z Syjonu Pan błogosławi †

i obyś oglądał pomyślność Jeruzalem *
przez wszystkie dni twego życia. **Refren.**

DRUGIE CZYTANIE 1 Tes 5, 1-6

Czytanie z Pierwszego Listu Świętego Pawła Apostoła do Tesaloniczan

Nie potrzeba wam, bracia, pisać o czasach i chwilach, sami bowiem dokładnie wiecie, że dzień Pański przyjdzie tak jak złodziej w nocy. Kiedy bowiem będą mówić: «Pokój i bezpieczeństwo» – tak niespodzianie przyjdzie na nich zagłada, jak bóle na brzemienną, i nie umkną. Ale wy, bracia, nie jesteście w ciemnościach, aby ów dzień miał was zaskoczyć jak złodziej. Wszyscy wy bowiem jesteście synami światłości i synami dnia. Nie jesteśmy synami nocy ani ciemności. Nie śpijmy przeto jak inni, ale czuwajmy i bądźmy trzeźwi.

Oto słowo Boże.

Aklamacja: Alleluja, alleluja, alleluja.

Trwajcie we Mnie, a Ja w was trwać będę.

Kto trwa we Mnie, przynosi owoc obfity.

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EWANGELIA Mt 25, 14-30

Słowa Ewangelii według Świętego Mateusza

Jezus opowiedział swoim uczniom następującą przypowieść:

«Podobnie jest z królestwem niebieskim jak z pewnym człowiekiem, który mając się udać w podróż, przywołał swoje sługi i przekazał im swój majątek. Jednemu dał pięć talentów, drugiemu dwa, trzeciemu jeden, każdemu według jego zdolności, i odjechał. Zaraz ten, który otrzymał pięć talentów, poszedł, puścił je w obieg i zyskał drugie pięć. Tak samo i ten, który dwa otrzymał; on również zyskał drugie dwa. Ten zaś, który otrzymał jeden, poszedł i, rozkopawszy ziemię, ukrył pieniądze swego pana. Po dłuższym czasie powrócił pan owych sług i zaczął rozliczać się z nimi. Wówczas przyszedł ten, który otrzymał pięć talentów. Przyniósł drugie pięć i rzekł: „Panie, przekazałeś mi pięć talentów, oto drugie pięć talentów zyskałem”. Rzekł mu pan: „Dobrze, sługo dobry i wierny! Byłeś wierny w rzeczach niewielu, nad wieloma cię postawię: wejdź do radości twego pana!” Przyszedł również i ten, który otrzymał dwa talenty, mówiąc: „Panie, przekazałeś mi dwa talenty, oto drugie dwa talenty zyskałem”. Rzekł mu pan: „Dobrze, sługo dobry i wierny! Byłeś wierny w rzeczach niewielu, nad wieloma cię postawię: wejdź do radości twego pana!” Przyszedł i ten, który otrzymał jeden talent, i rzekł: „Panie, wiedziałem, że jesteś człowiekiem twardym: zniesz tam, gdzie nie posiałeś, i zbierasz tam, gdzie nie rozsypałeś. Bojąc się więc, poszedłem i ukryłem twój talent w ziemi. Oto masz swoją własność!” Odrzekł mu pan jego: „Sługo zły i gnuśny! Wiedziałeś, że żnę tam, gdzie nie posiałem, i zbieram tam, gdzie nie rozsypałem. Powinieneś więc być oddać moje pieniądze bankierom, a ja po powrocie byłbym z zyskiem odebrał swoją własność. Dlatego odbierzcie mu ten talent, a dajcie temu, który ma dziesięć talentów. Każdemu bowiem, kto ma, będzie dodane, tak że nadmiar mieć będzie. Temu zaś, kto nie ma, zabiorą nawet to, co ma. A sługę nieużytecznego wyrzucicie na zewnątrz – w ciemności! Tam będzie płacz i zgrzytanie zębów”».

Oto słowo Pańskie.

Repair of the Top South Wall

You may have noticed scaffolding outside of the church on the southernmost wall along St. Stanislaus Street. An inspection of the brickwork of the pinnacle at the highpoint of the wall above the roof showed that it was in poor condition having open mortar joints and that it was leaning. In the attic on the interior of the wall, there was also signs of leaks at this location. Because of the deteriorated condition of the brick pinnacle above the roof, it was determined that it needed to be rebuilt. To eliminate leaks we also needed to install some new flashing between the pinnacle and the roof along with removal and replacing of some of the nearby slate roofing, as well as placement of a water shield in this area.

The cost of the work is estimated to be approximately \$30,000. The organization “Friends of St. Stanislaus” has very generously committed \$10,000 to this project. We thank them and all of the members for their continued support of the church.

Offering for this week will be in next week's bulletin.

Fill a Table for Thanksgiving!

Help provide a Thanksgiving dinner for families who depend on the Sr. Regis Food Cupboard. Close to 400 families in the highest poverty-stricken area of the city receive their basic food needs at the Food Cupboard. We want to fill 50 bags to help 50 families fill their Thanksgiving tables. If you can't fill a bag, please donate at least 1 or 2 items from the list below so as a parish family we fill a bag. **Shopping list: chicken gravy, chicken stuffing, canned fruit (fruit cocktail, applesauce), cranberry sauce, rice, rolls, margarine, pies/cakes/cookies.** **Donations due by: November 22.**

*****If you are unable to shop, please consider donating a \$10 gift card to Wegmans, Top or Walmart and we will do the shopping for you!**

Wspieraj CMA

Tegoroczna Kampania CMA się rozpoczęła. Jeśli w przeszłości nie popierałeś finansowo CMA, mamy nadzieję, że z modlitwą rozważysz swój wkład w tym roku. Jeśli udzielałeś w przeszłości, czekamy ponownie na twoje wsparcie. Wspierając CMA, wspieramy wiele programów w całej diecezji, takich jak żywność i odzież dla potrzebujących rodzin, seminarzystów i szerzenie przesłania Ewangelii. Potrzebujemy pomocy wszystkich w osiągnięciu celu dla tej parafii, jakim jest zebranie \$47,315.