

## 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
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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.

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 7

8:00 a.m. — Janusz Wykrota (Mother)

### Vigil: 32 Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. — Wróblewski and Czerniak families (Family)

### SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 8

### 32 Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. — Matthew Roman (Family)

11.00 a.m. — Polish Mass — O Błogosławieństwo Boże dla  
Ojczyzny i rodaków z okazji rocznicy Odzyskania  
Niepodległości (PNA)

### MONDAY - NOVEMBER 9

### The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

8:00 a.m. — Birthday blessings for Barbara Wnuk (Family)

### TUESDAY – NOVEMBER 10

### St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

5:30 p.m. — Janet Zienkiewicz (Jim and Sonja Stenclik)

### WEDNESDAY – NOVEMBER 11—Veterans Day

### St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

8:00 a.m. — Giuse

### THURSDAY – NOVEMBER 12

### Saint Josephat, Bishop and Martyr

8:00 a.m. — Zygmunt Tomaszewicz (Family)

5:30 p.m. — Teofil Warzecha (Mr. and Mrs. Sobski and family)

### FRIDAY — NOVEMBER 13

### St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

8:00 a.m. — Blessings for Dorothy Hayes (Mary Jo Mauer)

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

6:00 p.m. — Theresa Kierecki (Andrew Smagin)

### SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 14

8:00 a.m. — Ryszard Kokoszka (Maria Małycha)

### 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

### **A Prayer for Veterans**

Heavenly Father, King and Lord,

You instill in all of Your creation an order and value.

You call Your children "very good."

We surrender to You the conflicts that tear Your family apart.

We pray for an end to blindness that places pride, greed, power, and selfishness  
above human dignity and brotherly love.

We pray in gratitude for all of those who have defended peace, virtue, and justice  
with honor.

We pray especially for those who have suffered in mind

and body from the ravages of war. Let Your Kingdom come!

May Your peace that surpasses all understanding reign in our hearts  
and in our world. Amen.



*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.*

### **Live the Liturgy**

### **Inspiration for the Week**

Are we ready and prepared for what life will ask of us? The answers to life's challenges, especially those that involve purpose, meaning, and happiness are not found in material things or by searching the Internet. Many things in life require a journey of the heart and the acquisition of wisdom. When one acquires wisdom, one acquires priceless wealth. Sadly, pursuing wisdom is not valued by our world these days. Examining our lives, pondering the bigger questions, reflecting on where we have been and where we are going, are invaluable exercises that not only bring us wisdom but open our eyes to God's presence. Those who seek wisdom shall not be disappointed and will always be ready for whatever comes their way.

For all of us there are things we put off until tomorrow. Sometimes, that tomorrow never comes. We act like we have all the time in the world. However, time on this earth is for certain one thing that does not exist in unlimited supply. Death is the primary way earthly time ends for us. Yet there will come a time when Jesus returns and if you and I are still living at that time, I hope He finds us ready.

Are you ready for such an event? Have you taken seriously your decision to be a disciple of Jesus Christ? Has that decision moved you to live a life of stewardship where all you have and are belongs to God? Or have you put all of that off to somewhere down the road? Chances are you will be reading next week's reflection and nothing too earth changing will have happened. But then, maybe, just maybe, this time is when we all lose that bet.



## XXXII Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year A

### Reading I WIS 6:12-16

Resplendent and unfading is wisdom,  
and she is readily perceived by those who love her,  
and found by those who seek her.  
She hastens to make herself known in anticipation  
of their desire;  
Whoever watches for her at dawn shall not be disappointed,  
for he shall find her sitting by his gate.  
For taking thought of wisdom is the perfection of prudence,  
and whoever for her sake keeps vigil  
shall quickly be free from care;  
because she makes her own rounds, seeking  
those worthy of her,  
and graciously appears to them in the ways,  
and meets them with all solicitude.

### Word of the Lord

### Responsorial Psalm PS 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

R. **My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.**  
O God, you are my God whom I seek;  
for you my flesh pines and my soul thirsts  
like the earth, parched, lifeless and without water.  
R. **My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.**  
Thus have I gazed toward you in the sanctuary  
to see your power and your glory,  
For your kindness is a greater good than life;  
my lips shall glorify you.  
R. **My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.**  
Thus will I bless you while I live;  
lifting up my hands, I will call upon your name.  
As with the riches of a banquet shall my soul be satisfied,  
and with exultant lips my mouth shall praise you.  
R. **My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.**  
I will remember you upon my couch,  
and through the night-watches I will meditate on you:  
You are my help,  
and in the shadow of your wings I shout for joy.  
R. **My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.**



### Reading II 1 THES 4:13-18

We do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters,  
about those who have fallen asleep, so that you may not  
grieve like the rest, who have no hope.  
For if we believe that Jesus died and rose,  
so too will God, through Jesus,  
bring with him those who have fallen asleep.  
Indeed, we tell you this, on the word of the Lord,  
that we who are alive,  
who are left until the coming of the Lord,  
will surely not precede those who have fallen asleep.  
For the Lord himself, with a word of command,  
with the voice of an archangel and with the trumpet of  
God, will come down from heaven,  
and the dead in Christ will rise first.  
Then we who are alive, who are left,  
will be caught up together with them in the clouds  
to meet the Lord in the air.  
Thus we shall always be with the Lord.  
Therefore, console one another with these words.

### The word of the Lord

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**  
Stay awake and be ready!  
For you do not know on what day your Lord will come.  
R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

### Gospel MT 25:1-13

Jesus told his disciples this parable:  
"The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins  
who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom.  
Five of them were foolish and five were wise.  
The foolish ones, when taking their lamps,  
brought no oil with them,  
but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps.  
Since the bridegroom was long delayed,  
they all became drowsy and fell asleep.  
At midnight, there was a cry,  
'Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!'  
Then all those virgins got up and trimmed their lamps.  
The foolish ones said to the wise,  
'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.'  
But the wise ones replied,  
'No, for there may not be enough for us and you.  
Go instead to the merchants and buy some for yourselves.'  
While they went off to buy it, the bridegroom came  
and those who were ready went into the wedding  
feast with him. Then the door was locked.  
Afterwards the other virgins came and said,  
'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!'  
But he said in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, I do not know  
you.' Therefore, stay awake,  
for you know neither the day nor the hour."

### The Gospel of the Lord



## XXXII Niedziela Zwykła - Rok A

### PIERWSZE CZYTANIE Mdr 6, 12-16

#### Czytanie z Księgi Mądrości

Mądrość jest wspaniała i nie więdnie, ci łatwo ją dostrzegą, którzy ją miłują, ci ją znajdą, którzy jej szukają, uprzedza bowiem tych, co jej pragną, wpierw dając się im poznać. Kto dla niej wstanie o świcie, ten się nie natrudzi, znajdzie ją bowiem siedzącą u drzwi swoich. O niej rozmyślać – to szczyt roztropności, a kto z jej powodu nie śpi, wnet się trosk pozbędzie, sama bowiem obchodzi i szuka tych, co są jej godni, objawia się im łaskawie na ścieżkach i wychodzi naprzeciw wszystkim ich zamysłom.

**Oto słowo Boże.**

### PSALM RESPONSORYJNY Ps 63 (62), 2. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8

#### Refren: Ciebie, mój Boże, pragnie moja dusza.

Boże, mój Boże, szukam Ciebie \*

i pragnie Ciebie moja dusza.

Ciało moje tęskni za Tobą, \*

jak zeschnięta ziemia łaknąca wody.

#### Refren.

Oto wpatruję się w Ciebie w świątyni, \*

by ujrzeć Twą potęgę i chwałę.

Tvoja łaska jest cenniejsza od życia, \*

więc słać Cię będą moje wargi.

#### Refren.

Będę Cię wielbił przez całe me życie \*

i wzniosę ręce w imię Twoje.

Moja dusza syci się obficie, \*

a usta Cię wielbią radosnymi wargami.

#### Refren.

Gdy myślę o Tobie na moim posłaniu \*

i o Tobie rozważam w czasie moich czuwań.

Bo stałeś się dla mnie pomocą \*

i w cieniu Twych skrzydeł wołam radośnie.

#### Refren.

### DRUGIE CZYTANIE 1 Tes 4, 13-18

#### Czytanie z Pierwszego Listu Świętego Pawła Apostoła o Tesaloniczan

Nie chcemy, bracia, byście trwali w niewiedzy co do tych, którzy umierają, abyście się nie smucili jak wszyscy ci, którzy nie mają nadziei. Jeśli bowiem wierzymy, że Jezus istotnie umarł i zmartwychwstał, to również tych, którzy umarli w Jezusie, Bóg wyprowadzi wraz z Nim. To bowiem głosimy wam jako słowo Pańskie, że my, żywi, pozostawieni na przyjście Pana, nie wyprzedzimy tych, którzy pomarli. Sam bowiem Pan zstąpi z nieba na hasło i na głos archanioła, i na dźwięk trąby Bożej, a zmarli w Chrystusie powstaną pierwsi. Potem my, żywi, tak pozostawieni, wraz z nimi będziemy porwani w powietrze, na obłoki naprzeciw Pana, i w ten sposób na zawsze będziemy z Panem. Przeto wzajemnie się pocieszajcie tymi słowami.

**Oto słowo Boże.**

#### Aklamacja: Alleluja, alleluja, alleluja.

Czuwajcie i bądźcie gotowi,

bo o godzinie, której się nie domyślacie, Syn Człowieczy przyjdzie.

#### Aklamacja: Alleluja, alleluja, alleluja.

### EWANGELIA Mt 25, 1-13

#### Słowa Ewangelii według Świętego Mateusza

Jezus opowiedział swoim uczniom tę przypowieść:

«Podobne będzie królestwo niebieskie do dziesięciu panien, które wzięły swoje lampy i wyszły na spotkanie pana młodego. Pięć z nich było nierozsądnych, a pięć roztropnych. Nierozsądne wzięły lampy, ale nie wzięły z sobą oliwy. Roztropne zaś razem z lampami zabrały również oliwę w swoich naczyniach. Gdy się pan młody opóźniał, senność ogarnęła wszystkie i posnęły. Lecz o północy rozległo się wołanie: „Oto pan młody idzie, wyjdźcie mu na spotkanie!” Wtedy powstały wszystkie owe panny i opatrzyły swe lampy. A nierozsądne rzekły do roztropnych: „Użycie nam swej oliwy, bo nasze lampy gasną”. Odpowiedziały roztropne: „Mogłoby i nam, i wam nie wystarczyć. Idźcie raczej do sprzedających i kupcie sobie”. Gdy one szły kupić, nadszedł pan młody. Te, które były gotowe, weszły z nim na ucztę weselną, i drzwi zamknięto. Nadchodzą w końcu i pozostałe panny, prosząc: „Panie, panie, otwórz nam!” Lecz on odpowiedział: „Zaprawdę, powiadam wam, nie znam was”. Czuwajcie więc, bo nie znacie dnia ani godziny».

**Oto słowo Pańskie.**

**Our Gifts to God****For the weekend of October 31-November 1, 2020****Offering: Attendance:**

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 720.00	71
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$ 1,120.00	103
	11:00 a.m.	\$ 1,097.00	157
Rectory		\$ 875.00	
All Saints		\$ 566.00	
Online Giving—October		\$ 5,703.00	

**St. Stanislaus Memorial Fund**

We would like to acknowledge and thank the following for their contributions to St. Stanislaus Memorial Fund in loving memory of Jerzy Mydlarz:

Magdalena Zeglin	\$200.00
Mr. and Mrs. Michał Lada	\$200.00
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Urbański	\$ 60.00
Mr. and Mrs. Andrzej Gierczak	\$ 40.00
Ben & Auburn Smolij	\$ 50.00
Jerzy Budz	\$500.00
Leszek and Halina Janik	\$100.00

**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!**

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David Peck	\$100.00
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