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**THE SHRINE  
CHURCH OF  
SAINT STANISLAUS  
BISHOP & MARTYR**

*Sanktuarium*

*św. Stanisława,*

*Biskupa i Męczennika*

3649 EAST 65TH STREET  
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44105

The historic church in the heart of Slavic Village  
founded in 1873

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Shrine Church of Saint Stanislaus  
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**SHRINE SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM

Sunday English Masses 8:30am, 11:30am

*Niedziela po polsku 10:00am*

Daily Masses

7:00am (except Saturday) and 8:30am

National Holidays 9:00am



Icon of Saint Stanislaus and Blessed John Paul II

**CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND OHIO**

Most. Rev. Richard G. Lennon, Bishop

Rev. Eric Orzech, Pastor

Rev. Andrew Panek, Associate Pastor

Rev. Pascal Petcavage, OSB, Visiting Priest

Mr. Dan Kane, Jr., Parish Business Manager

Mr. David Krakowski, Director of Liturgy and Music

Mr. Fred Mendat, Maintenance and Social Center Manager

Ms. Patricia Murray & Ms. Patricia Otloski, Mrs. Jane Bielawski,  
Parish Receptionists

Mrs. Deborah Martin, Elementary School Principal

Mrs. Denise O'Reilly, Elementary School Secretary

Mrs. Aries Jones-Irizarry, Elementary School Receptionist

Mr. Ron Zeszut, Pastoral Council Chairperson  
 Ms. Celeste Suchocki, Finance Council Chairperson  
 Mrs. Sophie Wasielewski, Golden Agers President  
 Mr. Frank Krajewski, Dads' Club President  
 Mr. Matt Zielenski, St. Vincent DePaul Society  
 Ms. Jane Bobula, Good Shepherd Catechesis  
 Mr. Rob Jagelewski, Parish History  
 Mr. Frank Greczanik, Gift Card Coordinator  
 Mrs. Sharon Kozak, Alumni and Development  
 Mrs. Denise Siemborski, Fr. William Scholarship  
 Parish Office et alia, Polish Festival  
 Mrs. Sharon Kozak, Four Eagle Award  
 Mr. Frank Scalish, Building and Grounds  
 Sister Mary Alice Jarosz, SSJ-TOSF, Stewardship  
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To contact Organizations: Send an e-mail to the parish, with the person you wish to contact named in the subject line.

REGULAR SCHEDULE

DEVOTIONS

Saint Anthony Novena Tuesdays after 8:30 AM Mass

OFFICE HOURS

The parish office is open from Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 PM or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Ordinarily on Sundays at 2:00 PM. Alternate times must be arranged with a parish priest. Pre-Baptism instructions are necessary in advance.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

All arrangements must be made with one of the priests of the parish six months in advance.

CHURCH HOURS

Church is open daily 30 minutes before and after all Masses. For tours or private prayer call the rectory.



THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 27 stycznia 2013

Sat 5:00 PM Sp. Int. St. Stanislaus Alumni  
 Sun 8:30 AM + John Mino  
 10:00 AM + Anna Domagała  
 11:30 AM + Edward Zeszut

Mon Jan. 28 St. Thomas Aquinas  
 7:00 AM + Chester Kenzie, Jerry Lacki,  
 & Bob Chester  
 8:30 AM + Dr. Nicholas Misischia

Tue Jan. 29 Weekday  
 7:00 AM + Głowacki Family  
 8:30 AM + John Mino

Wed Jan. 30 Weekday  
 7:00 AM + John Mino  
 8:30 AM + Ron Wiśniewski

Thu Jan. 31 St. John Bosco  
 7:00 AM + John Lipinski  
 8:30 AM + Joseph Agozzino

Fri Feb. 1 Weekday  
 7:00 AM + John Mino  
 8:30 AM + Mildred Lotarski

Sat Feb. 2 Presentation of the Lord  
 8:30 AM + Cecilia Błaszczak

1:00 PM Baptism of Lukas Artur Nowak

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 3 LUTEGO 2013

SAT 5:00 PM Lector— Tom Krol  
 EMs— Connie Aliff & Mike Potter  
 Chris Wiśniewski & Rick Krakowski  
 Sun 8:30 AM Lector— Jim Sadowski  
 Ems— Sharon Kozak & Dave Perchinske  
 Mark & Nicole Kobylinski  
 10:00 AM Lector — Teresa Cyranek  
 EMs — M. Sladewska & W. Sztalkoper  
 T. Cyranek & Aleksandra Jankowska  
 11:30 AM Lector—Jessica Alvarado  
 EMs—Frank Greczanik & Stan Koch  
 Marie Ostrowski & Candace Pritchard  
**Collection Team;** Rob, Larry, Joe, Carmine, Sharon

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 3 lutego 2013

Sat 5:00 PM + Edward Cwiklinski  
 Sun 8:30 AM Sp. Int. Parishioners  
 10:00 AM + Jakub & Maria Olejarczyk  
 11:30 AM + John Lipinski

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

SUN GOOD SHEPHERD CLASS TODAY IN SC @ 11 AM  
 WED AA MEETING @ 8PM IN SC  
 SAT/SUN BLESSING OF THROATS AFTER SUNDAY MASSES  
 SUN GOOD SHEPHERD CLASS TODAY IN SC @ 11 AM



*We pray for the soul of  
Theodore Kiel;  
May eternal light shine upon him.*

**PARISH SUPPORT LAST WEEKEND**

5:00 PM .....	\$ 883.00
8:30 AM.....	1,372.00
10:00 AM .....	948.00
11:30 AM .....	1,358.00
Mailed in .....	1,049.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,610.00</b>

**Bread and Wine Offering for January:**  
**“In Loving memory of our parents,  
 William and Grace Thran, Michael and Elsie Sipko”**

**DIOCESAN WIDE DAY OF CONFESSION**

Want to start off Lent with a clean slate? On **Wednesday, Feb. 20th**, from 5pm—8pm, each parish in our diocese will be opened to hear private confessions. We will still have our Communal Penance Service during Wednesday evening of Holy Week.



**WHAT SOME GOOD BOOKS SAY.....**

It should come as no surprise to anyone who watches TV or reads the paper or surfs the net that we are in the midst of flu season. Although many of us probably have received our flu shots, it is better to err on the side of caution than take a chance when dealing with exposure to viral and bacterial bugs within reach of each of us. Many people have expressed concern about a few ritual practices in which we engage at our Masses, most notably, drinking from a shared cup during reception of the Blood of Christ, shaking hands during the exchanging of the sign of peace. Well, we could simply suggest to use common sense in both instances. For example, you know from your catechism that whether you receive both the bread and/or the wine, you are still receiving the total Body and Blood of Christ! To quote the **Catechism of the Catholic Church**:

**1390. Since Christ is sacramentally present under each of the species, communion under the species of bread alone makes it possible to receive all the fruits of the Eucharistic grace. For pastoral reasons this manner of receiving communion has been legitimately established as the most common form in the Latin rite. But the “sign of communion is more complete when given under both kinds, since in that form the Eucharistic meal appears more clearly.” (This last quote is taken from the ‘General Instruction of the Roman Missal.)** You decide!

Regarding the ‘sign of peace’ the **‘General Instruction’** simply states the exchange of the sign of peace **“is carried out with proper reverence, though it should not be unnecessarily prolonged, nor should it be accorded undue importance.”** Many of us have witnessed this ritual taken to extremes with people moving all through the church, waving, flashing peace signs, hugging and kissing like it’s their last date...way overboard. All that is required, even suggested, is to turn to the persons nearest you and simply say “peace be with you”..or even a simple dignified nod will suffice. You don’t HAVE TO shake hands and kiss and cuddle and overdo it.

I wonder how many parishioners even own the most recent **Catechism of the Catholic Church** ? It is not easy reading and really is most suitable for people who do wish to take their faith quite seriously. Blessed John Paul II made the publication of this book a priority during his reign as pope. The Latin text was originally put together under the guidance of Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger, now Pope Benedict XVI. As I said, not easy reading, but necessary reading for any adult who needs to keep his or her faith alive. During this “Year of Faith” it might not be a bad idea to pick up one of those catechisms. If enough people are interested we could possibly place an order through the rectory. I cannot promise this to be the type of book which one might leisurely read while tanning on the beach. You will find it serious, concise, inspirational and truly Catholic.

While on the subject of books, it would not be a bad idea to check your library for a good translation of the Scriptures. Many families ‘own’ bibles, but I don’t know how many of them are opened, read, reflected upon, and studied. Again, this is a tool which has the ability to strengthen your faith. On the other hand, if simply picked up and haphazardly quoted as so often is the case, it can be detrimental to one’s faith. The Bible is a piece of literature, and, as with any such written work, must be approached carefully understanding the intentions of the Divine Author as well as the realities of the human authors who wrote down the inspired words. Please be careful to get a good, authorized translation! Many bibles are on the market, but only certain ones are recommended for Catholic reading.

Both books are challenging, not for the faint hearted. They are not weapons of mass destruction but they are both even more powerful weapons which can change the world and can change one’s life. They are powerful because of the Truth which is written on the pages which provide the formula for Life. Don’t be afraid to learn and more fully understand your heritage of faith! None of us is too old to learn new things. None of us is too lost to not begin to know God in a new, fresh way. Give Him a chance to breathe into you and work wonders through you.

*David Krakowski*

**ATTENTION!!!!**

The Installation Mass for our new Pastor, Fr. Eric Orzech, will take place on Sunday, February 10th, 2013, at a special 10:30 AM Mass. Please note this and plan on attending. Following the Mass by Bishop Lennon there will be a reception for our new Pastor in the Social Center. There will be NO 11:30 AM Mass that day.



**UWAGA!!!**

Instalacja naszego nowego proboszcza, ks. Eryka Orzecha, odbędzie się w czasie Mszy św. o godz. (WYJĄTKOWO) 10:30, w niedzielę 10 lutego 2013 r. Prosimy o wpisanie tej daty do kalendarza i o uczestnictwo w Mszy św., której przewodniczyć będzie ks. bp. Richard Lennon. Po Mszy św. będzie miało miejsce przyjęcie z okazji oficjalnego wprowadzenia ks. Eryka w urząd proboszcza. W tym dniu NIE BĘDZIE Mszy św. o godz. 11:30.

**Slavic Village Infants/Toddlers**

The new year 2013 still carries with it the old problem: HUNGRY CHILDREN IN NEED OF YOUR HELP! Please be mindful of our Lord's teaching "Love your neighbor as yourself." Please put needed food items in the baskets found in the vestibule. Enter the drawing for a \$25 gift card with each donation. The next drawing will be on February 3rd—plenty of time to shop around and pick up baby food, cereal, baby food items! A great way to start the new year knowing you have fed a hungry child.....maybe even saved a life! God bless you!!!!



**PASTRY?? FINGERFOODS????**

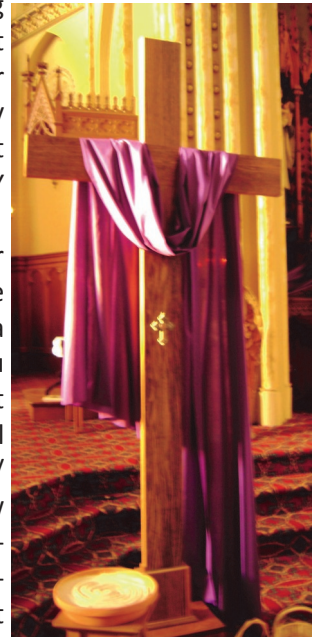
Yes! The Hospitality Committee needs your help to fill our tables with goodies for the upcoming reception following Fr. Eric's installation as pastor on February 10th! Food items could be delivered as early as Saturday morning after 10AM to the Social Center or on Sunday morning after 9:30 AM. Please help us make this a very special occasion loaded with all kinds of good food to welcome Fr. Eric as our newly installed pastor!!

**LENTEN PROJECT?**

Are you thinking about doing something special during Lent this year? Would you consider offering your time and energy to a specific cleaning project inside our beautiful but VERY dusty church?

Perhaps adopt one of our filthy candle stands? Or maybe give the sanctuary furniture a good vacuum/polish? Or, if you are really energetic, how about cleaning/dusting the bases of all the pillars? How about dusting/cleaning the window sills? How about cleaning the confessionals? How about giving the sacristy a once over? How about polishing some brass? How about sweeping some stairs? The possibilities are endless in that place! Please give it some thought. Just look around you and it will be obvious what needs some attention.

Please think about it and let us know. Keeping God's home clean and in order is a constant challenge.....we need your help and your hands!



**PALMS for ASHES**

As Lent is approaching we remind you to bring your old palms to the church and leave them in the red basket in front of the Passion Altar. These will be burnt to be used as our ashes for Ash Wednesday.



**DON'T FORGET YOUR GIFT CARDS**



### BLESSING OF CANDLES and THROATS

Next weekend we will celebrate the feast of the Presentation, the day when we bless candles to be used for various Catholic rituals. Many of you may have one of these special candles already in your home. Typically these are lit during storms, during a visit by a priest to administer to the sick, and, especially, when someone is dying. Candles will be available for a donation if you don't have your own. This rite will take place at all Masses next weekend.

At the end of each Sunday (and Vigil) Mass the priest will give a communal blessing to all present for the feast of St. Blase (the blessing of the throats). Those wishing to remain after Mass for individual blessing are asked to approach the sanctuary following the dismissal.

The photograph to the left is one of Our Lady of the Storm...patron of this holiday. She is typically pictured chasing away wolves (symbols of Satan) with the blessed candle. Below, in Polish, is the history of this holiday.

### SWIETO MATKI BOSKIEJ GROMNICZNEJ (część I)

Już wkrótce—drugiego lutego, dokładnie 40 dni po Bożym Narodzeniu, katolicy obchodzą Święto Oczyszczenia Najświętszej Marii Panny w Świątyni Jerozolimskiej, powszechnie znane jako Święto Matki Boskiej Gromnicznej. Razem ze świętem MBG skończy się w kościele okres śpiewania kolęd, nastąpi zmiana wystroju—znikną choinki i szopki oraz

wszelkie atrybuty związane ze świętem Narodzenia.

Święto Matki Boskiej Gromnicznej to jedno z najstarszych świąt w kościele. Już w IV w. obchodzono je uroczysto w Rzymie, znane są podania z końca VII wieku, kiedy papież Sergiusz I wprowadził tradycję, aby ludzie i kapłani w czasie procesji niesli w rękach zapalone świece.

Opis uroczystości zawarty jest w Ewangelii według św. Łukasza. Zgodnie z obowiązującym wówczas prawem, każdy pierworodny chłopiec musiał być ofiarowany w świątyni Bogu. Akt ten stanowił symboliczny gest poświęcenia Najwyższemu tego, co dla rodziców stanowiło największą wartość. Moment ten kończył także tzw. "wywód" czyli obrzęd, który stanowił koniec odosobnienia kobiety po porodzie.

Obecnie nabożeństwo ma szczególnie uroczysty charakter w Polsce, Hiszpani i krajach, które niegdyś należały do Hiszpani: chodzi o Amerykę Południową i Środkową oraz Filipiny.

W tym dniu kapłani święcą w kościołach duże, woskowe świece zwane gromnicami. Obecnie można je kupić w trakcie nabożeństwa w samym kościele. Dawniej bardziej powszechne było przynoszenie własnej świecy, która otrzymywano od rodziców już na Chrzcie Świętym i która towarzyszyła każdemu chrześcianowi w trakcie największych wydarzeń religijno—społecznych. Istotną rolę gromnica powinna odgrywać od pierwszych do ostatnich dni każdego wierzącego—wręcza się ją konającemu na łożu śmierci, by chronić go przed złymi duchami, szczególnie wówczas czyhającymi na jego duszę.

Gromnica tak jak w ogóle samo światło symbolizuje w liturgii Chrystusa, który jest światłością prawdziwą i jedyną. On oświeca ludzki umysł w dniu narodzin i pomaga każdemu wierzącemu godnie i w spokoju odejść z tego świata. W modlitwach podczas uroczystości kapłan prosi Boga, żeby poprzez swoją naukę, mądrość i wielką łaskę oświecał ludzkie umysły, a w ich sercach rozpałał nie gasnący płomień miłości.

Każda gromnica mimo mroźnej w tym czasie aury powinna być ozdobiona czymś zielonym—najlepiej asparagusem, paprocią lub po prostu świerkiem. Kiedyś konieczna była także czerwona wstążka, symbolizująca królewska szatę Chrystusa. Dzisiaj jej kolor nie ma już tak istotnego znaczenia—wstążki mogą być żółte czy niebieskie.

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.....sobota, 2go lutego, 2013  
\$40 osoby.... 1900—??????

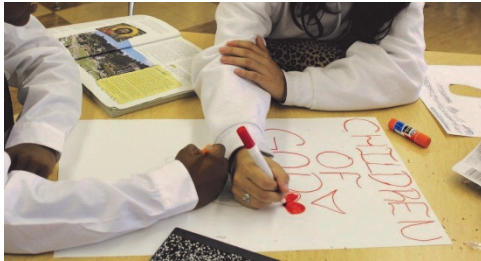
„ANSWER THE CALL”  
Catholic Men's Fellowship Conference, Saturday,  
February 23, 2013. Villa St. Angela-St. Joseph High  
School. For information or registration call 877-208-  
5585 or visit [www.cmfneo.com](http://www.cmfneo.com)

# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

*Catholic Schools Raise the Standards*

January 28 ~ February 1

Saint Stanislaus School embraces the belief that knowing Christ develops students of Spirit, Knowledge, and Community. Ours is an environment of diversity, self-discipline, and joy where we celebrate the many abilities, races, creeds, and talents of our students. Our students are challenged every day to know Christ and to do their personal best. Join us as we celebrate the way Saint Stanislaus School develops children who are true servants of God.



*Saturday, January 26*

**Alumni Day**  
Saint Stanislaus Alumni Event, that includes 5:00 pm Mass, followed by the Annual Chili Cook-off in the Social Center.

*Monday, January 28*

**Religion Day**  
All School Mass 8:30 a.m. Join us as we celebrate the liturgy with our parish community and friends. Students participate in grade level faith sharing throughout the day.

*Tuesday, January 29*

**Community Day**  
Our children spread out into the school and church to provide service to each other and our community. Class postercontest of CSW theme.

*Wednesday, January 30*

**School Family and Academics Day!**  
Building the Great Wall of Kindness and Academic Challenge.

*Thursday, January 31*

**Student/Parent Day!**  
Students may wear gym uniforms. Pep rally in the afternoon. Open House/Conferences from 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm.

*Friday, February 1*

**Teacher Day!**  
Teacher swap. Float parade at 1:00. Send a note into your child's teacher to say thank you for a job well done.

## TRANSFIGURATION SCHOLARSHIP

Any students interested in pursuing the aforementioned scholarship should contact Dan Kane at the rectory for details. The applicant must be of Eastern European heritage, a parishioner of St Stanislaus or Immaculate Heart, demonstrate financial need and be in good academic standing!

**Poświęcenie gromnic ....** w sobotę-2 lutego o godz. 8:30am i 5 pm w czasie Mszy sw. oraz w niedzielę 8:30, 10 i 11:30am. Będzie również błogosławieństwo ogólne gromdeł z racji św. Błażeja. Jeżeli ktoś by sobie życzył indywidualne błogosławieństwo gromdeł, będzie możliwość po Mszy św.

## "LIVING WITH BENEDICT"

### Vocation Discernment

The Benedictine monks of St. Andrew Abbey in Cleveland invite single men between the ages of 18-45 who are interested in experiencing monastic life to join them for a "Living with Benedict" vocation discernment weekend. There is no cost. Contact Fr. Finbar @ 216-721-5300, X 273 or at [finbar@cbhs.net](mailto:finbar@cbhs.net).

February 8-10, 2013, theme:

"A monk's life as a continuous Lent"

**Przyłącz się do Stewardship Committee** – Jak ogłoszaliśmy tydzień temu, parafialny Stewardship Committee pragnie poszerzyć liczbę swoich członków i zasilić grupę nowymi pomysłami dotyczącymi przyszłości. Jeśli czujesz się powołany do tej posługi, zapraszamy – przyjdź na spotkanie komitetu: **poniedziałek, 11 lutego 2013 r. o godz. 7:00 wieczorem na plebanii.**

**Join the Stewardship Committee** – As was announced in last week's bulletin, the parish Stewardship Committee is looking to expand its membership and infuse the group with exciting new ideas for its future. If you feel you have the time and the gift of being called to this ministry, please come to the next meeting of the committee to test out that call. Grateful giving back and sharing one's gifts – what a stewardship way of life consists of. Come to the meeting on **Monday, February 11, 2013 at 7 p.m. in the rectory conference room.**