

ST. STANISLAUS STAFF

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 Rev. George Kusy, Associate Pastor
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PARISH STAFF

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The artist's sketch on the right depicts the original building with the spires. Corner Stone laid in 1886, and church dedicated in 1891.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Masses: 7:00 AM & 8:30 AM (no 7:00 on Sat.)
 Daily Morning Prayer: 8:00 AM (exc. Sunday)
Sunday Vigil: Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday English Masses: 8:30 AM & 11:30 AM
Sunday Polish Mass: 10:00 AM
 Holy Day English: 8:30 AM & 7:00 PM
 Holy Day Polish: 5:30 PM
 National Holidays: 9:00 AM

OFFICE HOURS

The parish office is open from Monday through Friday, 7:30 AM to 5:00 PM.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 PM or upon arrangement with any of the priests.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Ordinarily on Sundays at 1:00 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.

GODPARENT AND SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

Those who wish to be sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation must be registered and practicing members of the Catholic Church. If you attend St. Stanislaus but you are not registered, please contact the parish office so that you can be listed as a parishioner here.

FUNERALS

Arrangements are usually made in coordination with the funeral home of your choice.

INQUIRY CLASSES

(R.C.I.A.): Contact any member of the Pastoral Team.

CHURCH HOURS

The church is open 1/2 hour before and after services. For tours or private prayer please call the rectory.

MASS INTENTIONS

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 19, Czerwca, 2005

3:00 PM Baptism of Amanda Dorota Twarowski

Sat 5:00 PM +Joseph Malinak
Sun 8:30 AM +Deceased Dad's Club Members
10:00 AM +Jadwiga Prusinski
11:30 AM James & Mary Sprungle

Mon Jun 20 Weekday
7:00 AM +Casimir Kin and Florence Ivanski
8:30 AM +John Lipinski

Tue Jun 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious
7:00 AM +John and Sally Kowalski
8:30 AM +Louis Divoky

Wed Jun 22 Weekday (Ss. Thomas Moore, John Fisher Paulinus of Nola, martyrs)
7:00 AM +Louis Divoky
8:30 AM +Blanche Krupa

Thu Jun 23 Weekday
7:00 AM +Lottie Beshinski
8:30 AM +Janina & Piotr Malkiewicz

Fri Jun 24 Nativity of St John the Baptist
7:00 AM +Wanda Stachowicz
8:30 AM Sp. Int. Margaret Gutt

Sat Jun 25 Weekday
8:30 AM +Janina Plutecka

2:00 PM Wedding of James Warren and Jessica Wargo

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 26, Czerwca, 2005

Sat 5:00 PM +Paul Malak
Sun 8:30 AM +Jessie Krysinski/Patalon
10:00 AM Sp. Int. Dennis and Maria Pruc

Congratulations Dennis and Maria on your 60th Anniversary
11:30 AM Sp. Int. Louis & Kathleen Pirman
Congratulations Louis and Kathleen on your 25th Anniversary
Baptism of Xavier Fernandez

MUSIC – TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

ENGLISH MASS

Processional: We Gather Together #292
 Offertory: Where Charity and Love Prevail #306
 Communion: Jesus, Bread of Life #197
 Recessional: Now Thank we All Our God #291

POLSKA MSZA ĆWIĘTA

Procesja: Kto się w opiekę #291
 Ofiarowanie: Cóż Ci Jezu damy #179
 Na Komunię: Pan Jezus już się zbliża #163
 Zakończenie: Kochajmy Pana #182

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Praise the Lord, for he has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked

- Sun 8:30 AM Dad's Club Mass and Fathers Day Breakfast**, breakfast in the social center after Mass.
1:00 PM Golden Agers Spring Social in the social center.
Mon 5:00PM Lil Bros meet in the rectory.
7:00 PM Warszawa Music Festival Presents THE BIRDS (Ptraki) Polka Band and Dancing in Dan Kane Park, E. 65th St.
Wed 7:00 PM English Choir Rehearsal
Thu 3:00 PM Church Cleanup Crew works until 5:15.
Sat 4:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4:45.

WELCOME

St. Stanislaus is reaching out in service to our diverse neighborhood peoples. Please be generous in your support of the many good works of our Parish. St. Stanislaus depends upon the regular support of its membership and the generosity of those who visit here. Please look upon your financial gift or sacrifice as a way of giving praise to God along with the many from earlier generations who have worshiped and prayed here for 130 years.



Gary Brown and Kristin Basel (II)
Thomas Svoboda and Danielle Holdyk (I)

AMEN!

When Pope John Paul II “returned to the home of his father” on April 2 of this past year Catholics all round the world mourned the loss of a figure who, to many of us, took on the role of a true friend, a spiritual force, even a loving ‘grandpa’. We at St. Stanislaus particularly felt the loss as we had such a close association with the Holy Father through his visit, his gift of the relic of our patron saint, and the presentation of gifts to him over the years including the CDs produced at our Shrine. This Wednesday the combined choirs of St. Stanislaus produced yet one more musical recording in his memory, entitled “AMEN,” named so after his final word before his “returning to his Father.”

The recording (which will be available in October at our annual festival) contains the music which was performed at the 30 Day Memorial Mass on May 2, 2005. That occasion was one which combined both the sentiment of mourning with that of true thanksgiving. Polonia from throughout the Cleveland Diocese filled our Shrine that special evening to mourn the loss of their countryman and to thank God for allowing him to serve as our spiritual leader for such a long time. The various selections were chosen with great care and reflected a spectrum of aesthetic, cultural and spiritual values dear to John Paul II and to Poles all around the world.

During the summer months I will be composing the text for the recording jacket, a task whose goal will be to not only provide insight into the music and words chosen for this historic event but to allow the listener to join in prayer from beginning to end with every note, every word uttered by those praying with their gift of song and word. Each time you listen to this tape or CD you will be able to join in prayer to God for the soul of Pope John Paul II and, someday, for his intercession to our common Father.

The combined English and Polish choirs have spent many long hours to produce this prayer of beauty. May those that listen to the fruit of their labors join in their prayer and their praise of God in their own hearts.

David Krakowski

SCHEDULE FOR MINISTERS

Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time, June 26, Czerwca 2005

- Sat 5:00 PM** Lector — Rob Jagelewski
 Euch. Min — William Russin, Mike Potter, Linda and Carmen Vincenzo
Sun 8:30 AM Lector — Jim Sadowski
 Euch. Min. — Adeline Nadolny, Chris Luboski, Nicole & Mark Kobylinski.
10:00 AM Lector — Ursula Skotnmicka
 Euch. Min. — R. Drewnowski, Marcelina Sladewski, Tom Monzell, Michael Buczek
11:30 AM Lector — Richard Konisiewicz
 Euch. Min. — Emily Galish, Frank Greczanik, William Bobowicz, Diane Bulanda

PARISH SUPPORT

Last Sunday's Collection

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| 5:00 PM..... | \$1,199.00 |
| 8:30 AM | \$1,153.05 |
| 10:00 AM..... | \$704.50 |
| 11:30 AM..... | \$1,394.18 |
| Mailed in..... | \$1,020.00 |
| Total (365 envelopes) | \$5,470.13 |
| Children's Collection (2) | \$3.00 |
| Silent Carnival (153) | \$765.00 |
| Missions | \$2,081.50 |



DAD

It threw me off, fourteen years ago, when I got my first Fathers Day card. It was my first one after being ordained a priest, and I was just getting used to being called "Father," let alone getting a card with the word on it. Barely accustomed to thinking of myself as a priest already, suddenly this regular idea of fatherhood was applied to me

as well.

This past Easter break, I had a chance to accompany two of our Lil Bros on a college visitation as one of them was looking at schools. As our college hopeful was registering for the campus tour at the desk, the secretary told him, "You and your dad and brother can either wait or be back in fifteen minutes." I know I'm not his dad (the real dad couldn't get away for the trip), but it sure felt strangely wonderful being called that. "Well," one of the guys said, "we do call you 'Father' a lot!" Maybe the secretary just thought the kids were being very formal...

One of the blessings of priesthood is the opportunity to explore an unique and marvelous sense of fatherhood. I am the father of none, and also the father of many. I wonder at the joy and simplicity of

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childhood, and I also like being able to send kids back to their parents when they get "that way!" I feel very protective of the kids at our school, for example, and when I drive through the neighborhood I am on the watch to make sure none of them is in trouble or running with the wrong crowd. I share in the pride of our school parents when their kids excel at something, and I hurt with them when their kids disappoint them.

I also feel very paternal toward the parish as a whole, and toward the neighborhood we live in. In whatever ways a father might feel protective toward his family, I feel that way toward our community. Having chosen a life without marriage and children, I have been blessed with the hundredfold promised in the Gospel. My life is filled with many wonderful people to love, and my heart is filled with the loving affection of countless others in turn.

Perhaps part of this large sense of fatherhood is also owed to my own father, whom I love deeply. His own sense of duty toward his family, his ready gift of playfulness, his generous spirit, and his gentle strength are images of fatherhood that I hope I am able to convey in my own life calling. I can think of no greater honor to give him than to be at least a small measure of the man he is.

As my Dad grows older, a bit slower, and more deliberate (sorry, Dad, to write this in public, but it's OK), he also grows more peaceful and solicitous to my Mom, whose heart he stole more than fifty years ago. They are a blessing to me — and through me, to others. May God bless all those men who have been fathers to us, in whatever ways they have shown that, whether they are still with us in this life or with the Lord in the next. And may they always know of our love for them, wherever they are.

Fr. Michael

„NIE BÓJCIE SIE”

Jezus, rozsyłając swoich uczniów do pracy misyjnej, dał im władzę nad duchami nieczystymi, ale szanując wolną wolę człowieka, nie wyeliminował w apostołach ludzkiego leku. Chrystus uczył swoich uczniów prawd wiary, ukazywał im wielką wartość ludzkiego życia, ale przede wszystkim uczył ich zaufania do Siebie, a przez to wytrwania w dobrym. W dzisiejszym fragmencie Ewangelii, jak echo, 3 razy zwraca się do apostołów: **Nie bójcie się!** To zawołanie bardzo przypomina wielokrotne wezwanie, którym posługiwał się Jan Paweł II od pierwszego wystąpienia: Nie lekajcie się!

Mistrz wiedział, że wysyłając uczniów z tym co słyszeli i widzieli będąc z Nim, narazi ich na nieprzychylną przyjąć przez ludzi. Przewidział, że spotka ich z tego powodu nienawiść, cierpienie i przesławanie. Oni sami będą żyli w pokusie zaparcia się Mistrza, zastraszenia, zmiany posłannictwa.

Czy dzisiaj sytuacja uległa zmianie? Nie za bardzo. Czy dzisiaj przesłanie ewangeliczne, które zawiera się chociażby w wezwaniu by nie krążyć, nie oszukiwać, nie żyć rozpustnie, nie być nieprzyjaciółmi itd., jest w pełni zachowywane? Poprzez to sam Bóg jest odrzucany, wybiórczo traktowane są Jego przykazania i okazjonalnie przyjmowane sakramenty. Co więcej, my sami przez lek, by nie być wysmianymi, uznani za dewotów, by nie wyróżniać się od innych w imię tzw. tolerancji, kapitulujemy, dajemy się zastraszyć. Jakże często wielu z nas, czasami z błahych powodów, zapiera się Pana, zarówno słowem jak i postępowaniem. Nie wolno nam zapomnieć, że jeśli gdziekolwiek i przed kimkolwiek wstydzimy się swoich chrześcijańskich przekonań, to nie tylko zaparlismy się Chrystusa, ale straciliśmy szacunek do samych siebie. W żadnym wypadku, a tym bardziej jako ludzie wierzący, nie możemy mieć dwóch twarzy, dwóch serc, podwójnego życia. W niejednej głowie rodzi się pewnie pytanie: Czy moja jednostkowa wiara ma jeszcze sens?

A jednak; to właśnie do nas - ludzi naszych czasów - pogubionych w wierze i zniechęconych, Chrystus dziś woła: **Nie bójcie się!**

Gdyby cała sprawa naszej wiary i rozszerzania jej polegała tylko i wyłącznie na naszej sile, to rzeczywiście moglibyśmy się niepokoić. Pozostaje nam jednak mocne oparcie na nauce i żywej, konkretnej obecności Jezusa. W dzisiejszym fragmencie Ewangelii Jezus nawołuje, na różny sposób, byśmy zaufali do końca Jemu. Trzeba nam nieustannie śmiać się dobro, którego doświadczaliśmy w czystym Bożym Źródle i nieustannie ufając, że tak jak w nas ono dokonało wiele dobra, tak to samo dobro rozszerzy swoje przestrzenie i rozleje się, jak fala, na innych. Trzeba nam mieć nadzieję, nawet jeśli wydaje nam się, że tyle sytuacji jest nam przeciwnych; a może właśnie dlatego!

Powinniśmy być ludźmi wielkiej cierpliwości, gdyż w nas i wokół nas „dotknięcie Boga” musi czasami obumrzeć, nabrac mocy; musi czasami przejść przez ciemne strony ludzkiego życia. Bóg sam zadba o rozwój rozsiądanego dobra. Nie pozwoli, by się zmarnował Jego dar. Nam pozostaje wierność i ufność, że to nastąpi. Musimy pogodzić się, że to nie zawsze odbędzie się według naszego projektu, na naszych oczach. Jednego możemy być pewni: On nigdy nie zostawi nas samymi. *ks. Jerzy*



NEW MANNA CARDS ADDED

Have you noticed that several new additions have been made to your Manna order form? A fun place to eat is *Buca Di Beppo*—new on the Manna program. Need some party food and supplies? Check out *GFS*. Take care of your personal toiletry and drug needs with a new *Walgreen* card. So many great choices; so easy to do. Fill out your order form today and be ready to shop

**POLISH FESTIVAL
COOKING SCHEDULE
WE NEED HELP**

As we enter into the summer months, our cooking team starts heating up the stoves to start the cooking for the Polish Festival. We will be preparing the pierogi, **June 23rd and 24th**. Cooking begins at 10:00 AM and continues till 4:00 PM. If you can't make the cooking times, we always appreciate people coming in around 4:00 PM to help us clean up from the day.

This is a great opportunity to learn the secret recipe for making the pierogi we serve at the Festival.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Joe Calamante at 216/271-0832 with any questions.

**St. Stanislaus
Polish Festival
Oct. 7,8,9 Mark
your calendar!**

The Parish of St. Stanislaus takes pride in its Polish Heritage and its cultural and religious roots. In that regard we would like to thank The John Paul II Cultural Center and Fr. Jerzy for the photo exhibit of Pope John Paul II assembled by Agata and Konrad Foremski. It has been on display at St. Stanislaus Church the last two weeks.



Thank you Fr. Wilhelm Malasi for your visit to our Parish and for allowing us to help in furthering the work of the Church in the Diocese of Moshi in Tanzania. We also thank our Parishioners for their generosity in raising \$2,081.50 for your cause. May God bless you and the work you do for the poor in your country.

**REGISTRATION FOR ST.
STANISLAUS SCHOOL**

St. Stanislaus Elementary School is now accepting registrations for the 2005-2006 school year for those students that will be coming back to our school for the next term and new students grades K-6. We have an excellent school providing an opportunity for Christian formation and basic education. **You must register to guarantee a place for your child.**

WIN! WIN! WIN!

Congratulations to **Estelle Mazurkiewicz** of E. 57th St., the fifth winner in the parish 2005 Silent Carnival. You can be a winner too! The Grand Prize winner will be selected on Monday after Fathers Day, to make sure we have collected all those that have mailed their entries.

**LAST CHANCE FOR
RECTORY GARDEN
PEACE BRICKS**

We are about to install the bricks that have been ordered this past winter. You **MUST HAVE YOUR ORDER IN BY FRIDAY June 24** to be included in this installation. **THE INSCRIPTION CAN BE ANYTHING YOU WANT** that will fit on 3 lines with a maximum of 15 characters per line. You may order them for a donation of \$100.00 each by contacting the rectory office. You can also print order forms from our Web site www.ststanislaus.org or call the rectory at 216-341-9091 during business hours Monday thru Friday. Please don't delay if you want a brick installed this summer.

DONATE HISTORICAL ITEMS.

The **St. Stanislaus Historical Committee** is inviting Parishioners to consider donating any historical items concerning our Parish. This may include old programs from events, old church bulletins, or pictures. If you do not want to donate such items, we can scan them into a computer and return them to you. The Committee will store such items in the rectory. If you have anything that you think has any historical value concerning St. Stans, drop the item off at the rectory or call Rob Jaglewski at 216-883-4271.

CALLING ALL ABLE PARISHIONERS!

As we gear up for the Polish Festival we are looking for any parishioners who can give of their time during the week in the morning. Supplies need to be picked up from the market and various vendors. If you can give an hour or two of your time in the morning, usually around 8:00 AM till about 12:00 PM please give Joe Calamante a call at 216/271-0832. We will get you on a list and give you a call when we need some moving or transferring of supplies for the Polish Festival. An hour of your time can help make this festival another successful year!



Last Monday THE WARSZAWA MUSIC FESTIVAL presented **OMO ILU**, a drum and dance troupe consisting of about a dozen students ranging in age from twelve years and up. They perform African Drumming, dance and storytelling, as well as gospel, hip hop and other music and dance styles of the African diaspora. Sister Yvette Eley is a Broadway School of Music Instructor and Director of **OMO ILU**. Each Monday evening at 7:00 PM from June through September, outdoor concerts in a wide range of musical styles are presented in Dan Kane Park at E. 65th St. and Broadway Ave. This Monday June 20th, the Festival will present **THE BIRDS (PTAKI) A Polish American Polka Band**—a dancing floor will be available.

REVERSE RAFFLE BOOSTS SCHOLARSHIP FUND. We appreciate the hard work and thank John Heyink, Frank Greczanik, Kevin and Denise Siemborski and all those who volunteered and participated to put together this first annual fund raiser for the Fr. William Gulas Scholarship Fund. The Raffle netted \$4,652.58 to help defray the cost of a Catholic Education at our School for deserving students. Four lucky winners split the top prize of \$2,000.00. All those that didn't win were consoled by a delicious meal and a good time. Fr. William was deeply committed to our parish school, and this scholarship honors him twice by remembering him and helping others.



Agnes Fronchowiak, President of the St. Stanislaus Golden Agers is honored by the City of Cleveland and is presented an Appreciation Award by Councilman Tony Bracatteli and Mayor Jane Campbell. Thank You Agnes for your good work.

THE LIL BROS THANK THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE

K of C RAFFLE and helped them raise \$570.00 to help defray the cost of their trip to Germany this summer for World Youth Day and to see Pope Benedict XVI.

The Raffle Winners were drawn on Friday May 27 at 9:00 PM at the Columbus Hilton Easton Center in Columbus, Ohio. The Winners list is available for viewing on our bulletin board in the vestibule of the Church.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

The following parishioners are serving our country and ask for your prayers. **Paul Trickett** in Baghdad, and **Kevin Preseren** is serving with the Navy.

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY FOOD BANK TO OPEN

Later this summer, a food bank and help center for parishioners of Slavic Village churches will open at Holy Name Church. This center will be staffed by members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, as well as volunteers. Those interested in helping out at the center, or joining the St. Vincent de Paul Society, should please call our Matt Zielinski at 216-589-9776. All food donations and clothing should be taken to Holy Name Church at Broadway Ave.

PHONE BOOK RECYCLING. The Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District will conduct its Annual Phone Book Recycling Campaign from June 1- August 15, 2005. Recycle your old phone books at one of twelve designated Cleveland Metroparks locations. The nearest locations to our church are the Garfield Park Reservation and the Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation in Cuyahoga Heights. Phone books can be dropped off seven days a week during regular park hours and must be removed from their plastic bags. Collected phone books will be recycled by a Cleveland paper mill into a low-grade paper including paper tubes and gypsum board (dry wall). For more information call 216-443-3749 or log on at www.cuyahogawd.org.

ST. HEDWIG REUNION. As part of their ongoing 100 year celebrations, St. Hedwig Parish will host a school homecoming event for all students, CCD students, teachers, and their families that ever attended St. Hedwig School. This event takes place on August 20, 2005 beginning with a Reunion Mass at St. Hedwig Church (12903 Madison Avenue in Lakewood) followed by a Homecoming Extravaganza. For reservations and additional information please call no later than July 30, 2005. Contact Laura at 216-252-5721 evenings or Jane at 440-930-7875 day or evenings.

GOOD YARN NEEDED. The St. Vincent dePaul Society of St. Columbkille Parish Warm-up America Group needs orlon or acrylic yarn for crocheting or knitting afghans for the needy. Please place the yarn in a bag labeled "Warm-up America" and take it to the rectory. Any questions call Donna Ciborowski at 216-398-9653.