

ST. STANISLAUS STAFF

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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

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DIRECTORY

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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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME July 3 Lipca, 2005

Sat 5:00 PM +Stanley & Mary Hujarski
Sun 8:30 AM +Al Schultz
10:00 AM +Leo Stankiewicz
11:30 AM Sp. Int. Joanne & Ron Grams
Congratulations Ron and Joanne on your 40th Anniversary
1:00 PM Baptisms of Arden and Soren Watson
2:00 PM Wedding of Gary Brown and Kristin Basel

Mon Jul 4 Weekday (St. Elizabeth of Portugal)
 INDEPENDENCE DAY
9:00 AM +Frank Budzinski
Tue Jul 5 Weekday, (St. Anthony Zaccaria)
7:00 AM +Frank Kotek
8:30 AM +Veronica Gnatowski
Wed Jul 6 Weekday (St. Maria Goretti, virgin)
7:00 AM +Anne Kuczynski
8:30 AM +Agnes Almasy
Thu Jul 7 Weekday
7:00 AM +John Risko
8:30 AM +John Risko
Fri Jul 8 Weekday
7:00 AM +Tillie Pugel & Frank Lemosek
8:30 AM +Wanda Galicki
Sat Jul 9 Weekday (St. Augustine Zhao Rong & comp)
8:30 AM +Stefan Szewczyk

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME July 10 Lipca, 2005

Sat 5:00 PM +John Depta
Sun 8:30 AM +Lottie Beshinski
10:00 AM +Cêczywa & Jozef Cwiek
11:30 AM +Celia Kopec
1:00 PM Baptisms of Mackenzie Rae Krous

MUSIC – FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

ENGLISH MASS

Processional: For the Beauty of the Earth #287
 Offertory: Be Not Afraid #245
 Communion: Make of Our Hands a Throne #264
 Recessional: Let There Be Peace On Earth #248

POLSKA MSZA ĆWIĘTA

Procesja: Kto się w opiekę #291
 Ofiarowanie: Wszystko Tobie #173
 Na Komunię: Pan Jezus już się zbliża #163
 Zakończenie: Pod Tw¹ obronę #299

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

The warrior's bow shall be banished, and he shall proclaim peace to the nations.

Mon HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY

Thu 3:00 PM Church Cleanup Crew works until 5:15.

Sat 4:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4:45.

COMING SOON!!!
St. Stanislaus Polish Festival
Oct. 7, 8, 9



Thomas Svoboda and Danielle Holdyk (III)
Scott Britton and Anna Jagelewski (I)
John Meisterics and Mary Podlecki (I)

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.

EMPIRE

This past Tuesday evening we were 'treated' to an evening of television which featured the 'mighty' trying to justify their killing of people for a 'greater good.' In this 'civilized' culture, killing those who oppose the official doctrine of golden freedom were sought out and eliminated. Their leaders were sought out and apprehended lest they incite the opposition. The leaders of the 'empire' thought themselves 'justified' to pursue and solve the problem of opposition as they were convinced that the damage inflicted by these enemies would be lasting, grave and certain. The path of diplomacy was not expected to succeed, a waste of time for an empire who answered to no other power than its gods and its politicians. The 'empire' was sure to succeed in every battle, so assured of its superior technology, discipline and sacred ideals, all supported by their power....and their gods. The 'empire' had nothing to worry about as the peace which it would bestow on civilized world would never produce evils and disorders graver than the evil to be eliminated.

Which television show do you think I'm speaking about? The one that aired Tuesday at 8 PM or the one that aired at 9 PM.? Well, that's for you to decide. However, the justifications that I listed are those which are listed in the Catechism of the Catholic Church concerning the doctrine for a 'just war.'

Both shows had an awful lot of talk about freedom and law and order and gods and God. Both shows presented the protagonists as the appropriate winners, the antagonists as misfortunate losers. Both shows concerned a ruling class which justified their actions based on noble ideas...to them. And, as we've learned time and time again, in a war of ideas it is people who die.

In his encyclical *Gaudium et Spes*, Pope Paul VI added Christ to the picture when he stated the following: *Insofar as men are sinners, the threat of war hangs over them and will so continue until Christ comes again; but insofar as they can vanquish sin by coming together in charity, violence itself will be vanquished and these words will be fulfilled: "they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning books; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.(Isa 2:4)"*

Nothing so noble or true as those words was uttered on Tuesday evening, whether by a man with an accent of 'affected English' or Texas.
David Krakowski

SCHEDULE FOR MINISTERS

Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time, July 10, Lipca 2005

Sat 5:00 PM Lector—Gabriella Trybus
 Euch. Min — Rebecca O'Reilly, Chris Wisniewski, Stan Witczak, Connie Aliff

Sun 8:30 AM Lector — Nancy Mack
 Euch. Min. — Marcia & Don Stech, Debbie Ziss, Loretta Horvath

10:00 AM Lector — Teresa Cyranek
 Euch. Min. — Alexandra & Longin Jankowski, R. Drewnowski, Marcellina Sladewski

11:30 AM Lector — Bill Bobowicz
 Euch. Min. — Lawrence Wilks & Diane Bulanda, Hollie Revay, Art Sprungle

PARISH SUPPORT

Last Sunday's Collection

5:00 PM.....	\$765.00
8:30 AM	\$1,185.00
10:00 AM.....	\$961.00
11:30 AM.....	\$1,193.80
Mailed in.....	\$983.00
Total (384 envelopes)	\$5,087.80
Children's Collection (4)	\$4.00
Peters Pence (64)	\$670.00

THANK YOU VERY MUCH



CHURCH AND STATE

This weekend, Americans across the country will celebrate our independence with noise and picnics, carnivals and festivals, family reunions, travel, and general merriment. Although many people will enjoy some quiet time, the air of festivity will still surround them. And maybe — just maybe — a few more folks might start

the day with Mass, thanking the Author of Freedom for the gift of freedom.

I remember a boss I had years ago, before I joined the Franciscans, while I worked as a salesman for a small company. He was a devoted Catholic and often invoked his faith at work. We had many engaging discussions, and the occasions when we disagreed usually found me keeping my mouth shut (imagine!), since I knew who signed the paycheck. But one thing he said just floored me, and I still recall the powerlessness at not being able to respond. We were talking about Jesus' call to care for the poor, and he said in a very strong voice, "I am not my brother's keeper! I look out for Number One, and that's it!"

I wonder what Gospel he had been reading. It wasn't the same as mine.

These days we hear a lot about the proper public place for religious expression. Most recently, there have been two Supreme Court decisions about the placement of the Ten Commandments. Let me go out on a limb here and suggest that, if we were more concerned about inscribing the Ten Commandments in our hearts, and less worried about whether they hung on our courtroom walls, we would all be better off.

That little encounter years ago with my boss, who shares my religious denomination and whose coercive power is less than that of the government, made clear to me how people with power can use their religious views in ways that

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intimidate and alienate others. I deeply disagreed with his reading of the scriptures and our tradition, but I was certainly in no position as a new employee seriously to question his views. Instead, I had to endure his speechifying until he was ready to let me leave the room.

As for the so-called Christianity of our Founding Fathers, did you know that seven of nine of them denied the divinity of Jesus? And that they fostered at least nine illegitimate children? Over 300 public school districts in the U.S. have adopted courses in which the Bible is the primary textbook. Who do you suppose is teaching these courses, and what are they saying about the Bible? I don't want the state doing this. This is the job of the churches and families. And if we can't do it, then we shouldn't pawn it off onto the government.

As we celebrate our freedom as a nation, let's also renew our commitment to our religious faith — and to the responsibility that places upon us.

Fr. Michael

PROSTOTA MODLITWY

Wysławiam Cię, Ojczy, Panie nieba i ziemi, że zakryles te rzeczy przed mądrymi i roztrąpnymi, a objawiles je prostaczkom (Mt 11,25) - w tych słowach modlitwy i wyznania Chrystusa uderza przedziwna naturalność i prostota mówienia do Boga i o Bogu. Postawa ta znajduje swoje potwierdzenie również w trudnej modlitwie Ogrójca i Golgoty: „

Ojczy, jeśli to możliwe, niech odejdziesz ode Mnie ten kielich! Wszakże nie jak Ja chce, ale jak Ty” (Mt 26,39); „*Ojczy, w Twoje ręce powierzam ducha mego*” (Lk 23,46). Mówienie Jezusa skierowane ku Bogu - zdaniem jednego z teologów - otworzyło swobodną przestrzeń nowemu rodzajowi modlitwy. Wielu z nas, może nawet nie zawsze świadomie, korzysta z tego rodzaju modlitwy: to wołanie wypływające prosto z serca i skierowane bezpośrednio do Ojca w niebie. To chyba najbardziej szczery i najprostsz rodzaj modlitwy, to niemal modlitwa pierwszego odruchu, naturalnej reakcji.

Chrystus, w swoich „rozmowach z Ojcem” wypowiadał słowa bardzo proste, zwyczajne, a jednak ludzie, którzy Go słuchali, mówili ze zdumieniem: „Nigdy człowiek nie przemawiał tak, jak ten człowiek przemawia” (J 7,46)... „Co to za nowa nauka z moca?” (Lk 4,32). Nauka Jezusa poruszała słuchaczy, budziła refleksje, choć nie brakowało i takich, którzy wzięli w Niego i pytali: „Skąd u Niego ta mądrość i skądże On ma to wszystko!” (Mk 6,2). Chrystus zawsze wywoływał i wywołuje reakcje u ludzi, różne reakcje. Ale jedno jest pewne: poprzez swoją naukę bardzo zbliża nas do Ojca, skraca drogę kontaktu z Nim i pokazuje Stwórcę jako istotę serdeczną i bliską.

Nasz kontakt z Bogiem jest zawsze możliwy; przeszkody mogą zaistnieć tylko z naszej strony, zaś otwartość i postawa prawdy - to konieczność. Naszym zadaniem jest odkrywać prawdę, która objawia nam Chrystus. Pięknie przypomniał nam o tym - w czasie trzeciej pielgrzymki do Polski - Jan Paweł II: „Chrystus » zadał« Kościołowi swoją prawdę, aby ją odkrył i przekazał każdemu człowiekowi... prawda jest zadaniem i zobowiązaniem...”.

Dzieje zbawienia pouczają nas jednak o sprzeczności wobec prawdy ze strony samego człowieka. Może on bowiem wybrać „życie według ciała”, które prowadzi ku śmierci. Człowiek może posunąć się aż tak daleko, że nie tylko nie przyjmie głoszonej mu prawdy, ale radykalnie zaprzeczy obecności Boga, jako Źródła wszelkiej prawdy.

Niemal odruchowo narzuca się przy tych rozważaniach postać kapłana bardzo serdecznego, który wprawdzie był z nami tylko kilka miesięcy po tragicznej śmierci o. Williama Gulasza, ale który swoją serdecznością i prostotą kontaktów pozostał w sercu i pamięci wielu z nas. Mam na myśli o. **Jana Licznera**, który odszedł do Pana w niedzielę, 19 czerwca. Z grupą naszych parafian uczestniczyliśmy w jego pogrzebie w macierzystej siedzibie prowincji franciszkańskiej w Burlington, WI. Wszyscy podkreślali jego serdeczną otwartość i prostotę kontaktów z bliźnimi. A mnie osobiście nasuwa się nieodparta myśl, że dzisiejsza Ewangelia traktuje wprost o nim i jakby skierowana jest do niego. To był kapłan cichy i pokornego serca. Warto spróbować go nasładować.

ks. Jerzy





4TH OF JULY

HAVE FUN — BE SAFE

SUMMER MANNA

Summer brings with it so many around-the-house projects. Be sure to stock up on your **Lowes** and **Sears** Manna cards. Since you'll be tired after all the chores, **Wendy's** and **Burger King** can be useful for the quick sandwich. Don't be caught short--plan ahead to have a good stock of all the Manna cards you need. Don't leave home without your Manna cards!!

2006 MASS BOOK IS OPEN

Those who wish to reserve Masses for wedding anniversaries and anniversaries of deaths in 2006 can do so in person on Thursdays and Fridays, from 9:30 AM until 4:30 PM. Because of the time necessary to produce our weekly bulletin which must be completed by Wednesday every week, we ask that you come to the office with your Mass intentions on Thursday and Fridays only. You may also mail your Mass intentions or drop them into the collection basket along with the customary stipend and your requested dates. *Please do not phone as we cannot accept phone reservations.* We will make every effort to reserve the dates you choose, but if your requested date is not available, we will accommodate your request with the closest date possible. The amount of Masses may be limited per person, so that others may also have an opportunity to reserve dates.

ST. STANISLAUS POLISH FESTIVAL NEWS!!!!

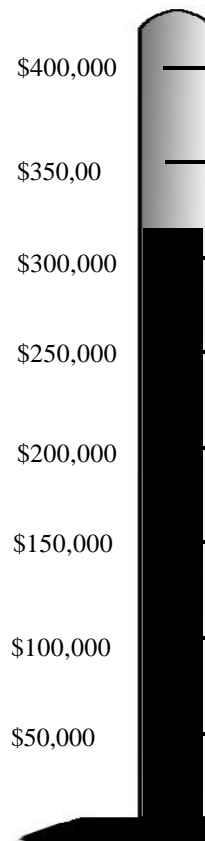
Cooking Continues!

Our cooking crew is really heated up now! They made over 5,000 potato, cheese and kraut pierogis. They are ready to keep cooking and looking for the crew to grow. So here is the cooking schedule for the month of July. If you can donate any time on these dates or a day in between we really do appreciate it.

Kielbasa and Kraut Cooking Dates:
July 12th and 13th
Stuffed Cabbage Cooking Dates:
July 28th and July 29th

The stoves start cooking at 10:00am and usually finish around 2 or 3pm. So we could always use a cleanup crew after the cooking is completed. If you have any questions or would like get your name on a call list please contact Joe Calamante at 216/271-0832.

Your help will make this year's festival successful!



PARISH HOUSE UPDATE

A heartfelt "thank you" to all who have donated to the Rectory Restoration Fund. Your support on this project is greatly appreciated as we prepare our rectory for its next century of service.

Although the rectory offices and priests' residence have been completed, there is still substantial work to be done.

TOTAL AMOUNT PLEDGED TO-DATE

\$315,376.10

TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED

\$306,016.10

During the Summer season, demonstrate your hope in the future by making your pledge or donation. In order to pay the last of the bills, we have borrowed against a future inheritance. This will need to be repaid..

BEATYFIKACJA JANA PAWLA II

Pewnie wszyscy wiemy, iż oficjalnie ogłoszone zostało rozpoczęcie procesu beatyfikacyjnego naszego papieża Jana Pawła II. Dla bliżej zainteresowanych informacjami podajemy stronę internetową zawierającą najświeższe wiadomości o wydarzeniach z tym związanych: <http://www.vicariatusurbis.org/Beatificazione/>



Everyone had a great time last Monday at **THE WARSZAWA MUSIC FESTIVAL**, listening to **THE MIDNIGHT BLUEZ**, a young Rock/Blues crossover band fresh from the Agora and Peabody's Down Under. The organizers of the festival provided American Flags for everyone that attended. Everyone also gets a coupon for a free drink at McDonalds at every concert. The concerts will resume on Monday July 11 featuring **THE CLEVELAND LETTER CARRIERS BAND**. It will be an evening of rousing marching and popular music for brass and wind instruments. Bring a lawn chair and join the fun!



WARSZAWA MUSIC FESTIVAL - DANE KANE PARK Przez okres wakacyjny czyli w miesiacach lipcu i sierpniu - kazdego poniedzialku o godz. 7:00 wieczorem w parku za naszym kosciolem odbywaja sie koncerty muzyczne. Spotkania te zostaly nazwane Warszawa Music Festival, a ich miejscem jest Dane Kane Park usytuowany u zbiegu ulic E. 65 i Kenyon. W kazdy poniedzialek wystepuje inna grupa muzyczna, prezentujac charakterystyczny dla siebie rodzaj muzyki.

ST. BARBARA PICNIC. As part of its 100th Jubilee Year, St. Barbara's Parish (1505 Denison Avenue) will hold their Parish picnic on the Parish grounds on July 10, 2005 from 12:30 PM- 6 PM. Ethnic foods, beverages, games, a raffle, and music will be available. Former parishioners and St. Barbara School graduates are welcome.

ST. PROCOP RUMMAGE SALE. St. Procop Parish (3181 West 41) will have an Annual Rummage Sale on July 16, 2005 from 9 AM- 4 PM. Refreshments will be available for sale. The Rummage Sale is being sponsored by the St. Procop Ladies Guild.

FREE LEGAL CLINIC. The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland in collaboration with the Cleveland Bar Association has initiated Brief Advice & Referral Clinics on the second Saturday of the month on Cleveland's near West side. The next Clinic will be held on July 9, 2005 at the Spanish American Committee at 4407 Lorain Avenue from 10 AM- noon. We can assist with problems such as landlord/ tenant, consumer, family, and more. It is for Civil (not Criminal) matters only. There is **NO CHARGE**. For further information call Ann McGowan Porath at 216-861-5332 or Sheila Siegel at 216-861-5292.

ST. STANS HISTORICAL FACT
 Serving in the office of Principal at St. Stanislaus Elementary School in the 1960's were Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth. These Principals were Sister Fabiola Czajkowski (1960- 1962), Sister Eugene Klaniecki (1963-1966), and Sister Emerita Krupa (1966- 1975). St. Stans High School Principals at this time were Sister Angela Iwanicki (1960- 1963), Sister Ambrose Herubin (1963- 1964), and Sister Dolores Cygnarowicz (1964- 1969).

LIL BROS PILGRIMAGE
 TO WORLD YOUTH DAY

Next month, six members of the Lil Bros Club will be joined by Fr. Michael and three other Franciscan Friars as they make a pilgrimage of faith to the World Youth Day held in **Cologne, Germany**. Our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, will host millions of young people from all over the world. Our little group will start in Rome, travel through Assisi, Austria, and along the Rhine River until we arrive in the "Rome of the North."

Our young people have been working hard to raise funds to prepare for this trip of a lifetime. Many parishioners have responded to their various sales, and some have even made separate donations. At all the Masses next weekend, July 9-10, there will be a **second collection** as a final push to help make this a truly memorable and life-changing event.

Also, part of the tradition of pilgrimage is to carry with us the prayers of the community that sends us. All are encouraged to write **prayer petitions** and place them in envelopes, which we will carry with us and remember at Mass celebrated in all the holy places we visit. You can give these to one of the priests, Lil Bros, or in the collection basket.

