

ST. STANISLAUS B&M

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"Mother Church of Polonia"
Founded 1873

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Office Hours

Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. only.
(Please consult the bulletin for any changes during summer months or holidays)

Sunday Masses

Saturday Evening - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning - 8:30 a.m. (English), 12:00 noon (Polish Radio Mass - WLOF-FM 101.7)
Holy Days - 12:00 Noon and 6:30 p.m.

Daily Masses

Church: 8:00 a.m. (except Saturday)
Christmas: (Eve) 12:00 Midnight, 8:30 a.m. (English), 12:00 noon (Polish Radio Mass - WLOF-FM 101.7)
Easter: Vigil 8:00 p.m., (Easter Sunday) 8:00 a.m. Resurrection, Procession & Mass, 12:00 noon (Polish Radio Mass - WLOF-FM 101.7)

Please consult the bulletin for any changes in Mass times.

Confessions

Saturday - 3:00-3:45 p.m.

**THIS WEEK AT
ST. STANISLAUS R.C. CHURCH**

Friday, March 6 Stations of the Cross
6:30 pm at Stanislaus Church (English)
at Corpus Christi Church (Polish)

MASS SCHEDULE

IF YOU ARE THE DONOR OF THE MASS INTENTION AND WISH TO BRING UP THE GIFTS, PLEASE INFORM ONE OF THE USHERS BEFORE MASS.

Saturday, February 29, Vigil of Sunday
4:00 pm +Sean Feely - Theresa & Norrine

Sunday, March 1, FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
8:30 am +Helen Resiak - Stasia Szegda
12:00 Noon +Antonina Markut - Canadian Polish Congress, Niagara District

Monday, March 2, Lenten Weekday
8:00 am Propria (Fr. Jan)

Tuesday, March 3, Lenten Weekday
8:00 am +David Burgstahler - Izabella & family

Wednesday, March 4, Lenten Weekday
8:00 am +Lorraine Lukaszewska - Estate of Lorraine Lukaszewska

Thursday, March 5, Lenten Weekday
8:00 am +Helen Resiak - Victoria Adamowicz

Friday, March 6, Lenten Weekday
8:00 am +Josef & Pearl Nowotka - Family
6:30 pm Stations of the Cross (in English)

Saturday, March 7, Vigil of Sunday
4:00 pm +Anne Hewitt & Sister Patricia Tomczak - James Hewitt

Sunday, March 8, SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
8:30 am +Dorothy Szyjka - Family
12:00 Noon +Mieczysław Drozd - Sister and family

Welcome! We extend our hearts to you here, celebrating with us at St. Stanislaus, whether longtime parishioner or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God you are with us! If you are not registered, please fill out the form below and bring or mail to the parish office or place in the collection basket. We will make arrangements for your registration. New phone numbers and address change information are also appreciated.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

New Parishioners New Phone New Address Moving, please remove from mailing list

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Madeline Schram, Adeline Szymura, Genevieve Borowski, James Salasny, Jan Pawlikowski, Bogdan Magier, Ania Navas, Andrew Witkowski, Jozef Poslinski, Ludwika Kozlowska, Leona Wozniak, Marian Kluk, William Peters, Eugene Witkowski, Anne Preston, Daniel James, Sr. Josanne, Norrine Lewandowski, Alice Zasada, John Buziak, Janette Blake, Irene Cieslak, Eric Glinski, Connie Jakowiak, Anthony Lipinski, William Peters, Gerard Gajewski, Edward Berneski, Fr. Jerzy Maj, Fr. Rafal Glinkowski.

If you're ill and cannot come to church or know of someone, and would like to have a priest visit, receive sacrament of reconciliation, or is in need of last rites, please call our rectory office at 854-5510 during our business hours, or call Fr. Michal Czwzewski at 896-1050 after hours.



OUR LUCKY LOTTERY WILL CONTINUE IN FEBRUARY & MARCH. If you are not on our mailing list and would like to participate in our February/March lottery, you may purchase tickets by calling the parish office during our normal business hours. Returns may be made in the weekly collection basket or by mailing them in the envelope provided. Tickets make a great gift for birthdays, anniversaries or any occasion. The winning numbers are:

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| 02/16 - # 068 | 02/17 - # 069 | 02/18 - # 523 |
| 02/19 - # 150 | 02/20 - # 022 | 02/21 - # 351 |
| 02/22 - # 425 | 02/23 - # 672 | 02/24 - # 081 |
| 02/25 - # 179 | 02/26 - # 072 | |

The Lottery proceeds benefit the parish and assist with addressing parish expenses. Thank you for your support and good luck.

LENTEN REGULATIONS

February 26, 2020 was Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of the Lenten Season.

ABSTINENCE: All Catholics who have reached their 14th birthday are bound to abstain totally from meat on the following days: Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.

FASTING: All Catholics between their 18th and 59th birthdays are also bound to observe the Law of Fast on the following days: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. This practice involves limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may be taken on two other occasions in the course of the day.

EASTER DUTY: After they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, all the faithful are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled during the Easter season, unless for a good reason it is fulfilled at another time during the year. This obligation may be fulfilled between March 1st (First Sunday of Lent) and June 7th (Trinity Sunday).

The following should also be noted:

RECONCILIATION: Catholic are bound by an obligation faithfully to confess serious sins at least once a year (Canon 989).

OTHER FRIDAYS OF THE YEAR: Catholics should be reminded that all other Fridays of the year remain as days of penance, in prayerful remembrance of the Passion of Jesus Christ.

OBLIGATION: The obligation which we have as members of the Church to do penance is a serious one. Furthermore, the obligation to observe, as a whole or "substantially", the penitential days specified by the Church is a serious one.

While no one should hold himself or herself lightly excused, one should not become unduly scrupulous, failure to observe individual days of penance is less serious than the failure to observe any penitential days at all or a substantial number of days.

AN INVITATION: In the name of peace, and in union with the Bishops of our country, the faithful of this Diocese are invited to add voluntary fasting to the practice of penance during the Friday of the year. Together with works of charity and service toward our neighbors, this practice would become a sign of our commitment to conversion, reconciliation and peace. (The Challenge of Peace, Art. 298).



PARISH COLLECTION

Sunday, February 23

4:00 pm Mass	(32 attending)	\$ 283.00
8:30 am Mass	(23 attending)	475.00
12:00 Noon Mass	(34 attending)	293.00
Mail		190.00
Votives		82.00
TOTAL		\$ 1,323.00

Thank you for your continued generosity and support to St. Stanislaus Parish.

WELCOME VISITORS: We warmly welcome those who are visiting us. If you are a member of the family that the Mass intention is for, please let the usher know if you would like to bring the Eucharistic gifts forward. If you are a regular visitor here and would like to become a member of our parish community, please call the rectory or fill in the coupon on the front of this bulletin and we will be happy to assist you.



The Gen. Pulaski Assoc. Inc is proud to celebrate the 275th anniversary of the birth of Casimir Pulaski with an awards banquet recognizing **Unsung Men Heroes' of Polonia and our Polish War Veterans.** Among of the honored Unsung Men Heroes' will be our Parish Trustee – **Mr. David Lodvga**, parishioners – **Mr. Zdzislaw Szramel & Mr. Roman Szegłowski**. The Polish War Veterans that will be recognized will be **Jozefa Solecki, Casey Kawalek, Stanislaw Markut, and the late Janusz Nieduzak**.

The event will take place on **Friday, March 6, 2020** in the Millennium Hotel, 2040 Walden Ave., Cheektowaga. Cash bar Cocktail hour and Hor d'oeuvres will begin at 6:30pm and dinner will begin at 7:30pm. The event will conclude with a basket raffle and a drawing for a \$1,000 cash prize. Tickets for this event are \$40/person if purchased before Feb 28th, and \$45/person after Feb 28th. For more information, questions or to RSVP please call Alice Rodzoch at 716-361-1370. Checks can be made payable to The General Pulaski Association, Inc. and sent to The General Pulaski Association, c/o Alice Rodzoch, 19 Eastwood Pkwy. Depew, NY 14043



PIEROGI FOR PROFIT SALE: Once again the Parish volunteers will be making pierogi for our sale. The price for a dozen is still only \$12.00. We will have available: Cheese, Potato with cream cheese, and Sauerkraut.

Pick up of orders will be Wednesday, March 11, 2020, from 12Noon to 2pm or by calling Theresa. To volunteer, place an order or for any question please call Theresa at 893-3627.



Sanctuary Light: The Sanctuary Light is a reminder of the Eucharistic presence of Christ in the tabernacles of the Catholic Churches of the world. The Light is available for "A Special Intention" or "in Memory of Your Deceased Loved One." With a donation of \$20.00 (for both), the light will burn for the week for your prayer intention and will be published in the bulletin. Please call the parish secretary at 854-5510 to schedule your intention.

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS LIT

In Loving Memory of

+ ADOLFINA, MICHAŁ & ANNA

GRZEGORCZYN

**Requested by:
RODZINA**