

St. John Kanty Parish Community

101 Swinburne Street, Buffalo, NY 14212

Oratory at St. Adalbert Basilica

212 Stanislaus Street, Buffalo, NY 14212

Sunday, February 19, 2012

PASTORAL TEAM:

Pastor Rev. Ronald Bagienski
Religious Educ. Barbara Myszkiwicz
Music Ministry Lawrence Maguda

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Mass: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses: 9:00 a.m. Polish, 10:30 a.m. English

RECTORY HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
4:00 - 7:00 p.m.

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NEW PARISHIONERS: Every family moving into the parish is asked to register at the rectory. ALSO if moving out of the parish, please notify the rectory.

MARRIAGE: Please consult with the parish priest at least six months to one year before setting a wedding date.

BAPTISM: Classes for parents and godparents held at the rectory on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00p.m. Baptism on the third Sunday of the month. Call the rectory

RECONCILIATION: (Confession)

Saturday from 3:00p.m. To 3:45p.m.
In both English and Polish. Other times by appointment.

ROSARY HOUR

Please listen to this program in Polish on Sat. at 8:00 p.m. On Radio Station CIAO (530 AM), on Sunday, at 1:30 p.m. On WHLD (1270). You may also listen on the Internet website www.RosaryHour.net on RealAudio.



Trustees Ann Golbert Jeffrey Pasternak

LECTORS

Saturday, February 18, 2012

4:00 p.m. Ruth Wyzykowski

Sunday, February 19, 2012

9:00 a.m. Boguslawa Leczynski

10:30 a.m. Jeffrey Pasternak

Saturday, February 25, 2012

4:00 p.m. Michael Gilhooly

Sunday, February 26, 2012

9:00 a.m. Boguslawa Leczynski

10:30 a.m. Paul Czajka

MINISTERS

Saturday, February 18, 2012

4:00 p.m. Chris Bosiacki, Janice Staufenberger

Sunday, February 19, 2012

9:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m. Jennifer Snyder-Haas, Jeffrey Pasternak

Saturday, February 25, 2012

4:00 p.m. Sister Johnice, Ruth Wyzykowski

Sunday, February 26, 2012

9:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m. Marcia & Tom Wypych

Members of St. Adalberts Oratory are encouraged to complete registration forms for St. John Kanty. Please call the rectory office at 893-0412 to pick up an application or one can be mailed. Your weekly offering will be credited to the St. Adalbert ledger page.

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Pastor's Corner

My Dear Parishioners,
It is with a mixture of joy and hope that I come to you as your new pastor. My joy is that I will come to know you better (since we have already worshipped together for over two years). My hope is that our merger may grow with sincerity and strength as we process together into the future. Let us pray and work with one another in the name of the Lord.

-Fr. Ron-

A Welcome Reception for Fr. Ron will take after the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, February 26th in the cafeteria. All are invited.

Thank You Fr. Thad for your leadership and guidance for the past few years. May God Bless You and Keep You In His Care!

Mass Intentions



**There are many opening for 2012.
Please call the rectory office to schedule a Mass.**

February 19, 2012-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

The friends in today's gospel climbed onto the roof, took it apart and lowered the "paralyzed man." If friends would do this; how much more should we expect of family? Everyone is "paralyzed" in some way. In families we are called to carry one another and to make up for each other's deficiencies.

The 2012 Catholic Charities Appeal

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent and commemorates the start of a period of preparation for Jesus' coming on Easter Sunday. As you start your own Lenten Journey this week, remember the selfless sacrifices of Jesus. With three dollars the cost of feeding a family of four one meal, what can you sacrifice to allow for just a donation of that amount-coffee and a bagel? Remember your neighbors in needs, and give as generously as you can to Catholic Charities' 2012 Appeal, benefiting tens of thousands in Western New York. **Protect. Strengthen. Empower. Please give to the 2012 Catholic Charities Appeal.** Find out more at www.ccwny.org or call (716)218-1400. Blessed John Paul II (Patron of this year's appeal) pray for us.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, A JOINT MEETING OF MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, FINANCE COUNCIL AND TRUSTEES WILL TAKE PLACE AT 7 P.M. IN THE CONVENT.

LENTEN REGULATIONS

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 February 26 (First Sunday in Lent) and June 3 (Trinity Sunday).

THE FOLLOWING SHOULD ALSO BE NOTED:

- **RECONCILIATION:** Catholics 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 such 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 Fridays 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).

Our Lenten remembering of Our Lord's "Stations of the Cross" will take place each Friday of Lent immediately following the morning Mass.

The traditional Polish Lenten Devotion of "Gorzkie Zale" (Bitter Lamentations) will be sung each Sunday of Lent immediately following the 9 a.m. Mass. During the devotion, Fr. Ron will offer the Sacrament of Confession/Reconciliation for those who wish to receive Lenten forgiveness.

PRAY FOR . .

...the healing touch of Jesus' hand for those who are ill, especially: Sophie Bogdan, Anna Leweck, Patricia Milas, Celia Kosinski, John Berra, Russell Serewicki, Henry Superczynski, Christine Ciszewski, Adeline Wujcikowski, Gary Sengbusch, Stanley & Pat Bystrak, Stanley Kilijanski, Gloria Szeplowski, Walter Domino, Stan Kowalski Jr. and all the sick of our parish. If you have a name to add or a deletion, please call the rectory office. **IF YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE WHO IS HOSPITALIZED, PLEASE NOTIFY THE RECTORY.**

**Pierogi Sale & Chinese Auction
during Lent beginning February 25/26
Saturdays from 3 to 5 pm
Sundays from 9 to Noon**

We are in need of prizes for the Chinese Auction. They may be dropped off after Mass on the weekends. Thank you!!!!

End of the Year Tax Statements

If you need a statement for tax purposes, please call the rectory office and leave your name and envelope number.

MARCH LOTTERY

\$5 buys you a chance to win a prize from \$50-\$325 each day during March. Over \$1500 in prizes were paid out in November.

If you are interested in being a broker see or call Jennifer (982-4153). You will get a free ticket for every 10 sold outside of the parish plus 10% of any prize won by one of your buyers.

Tickets are available after all Masses in the vestibule of the church and in the rectory during office hours.

I wish to purchase ____ ticket(s) for the month of March at \$5 each. Make check payable to St. John Kanty Church and use the form below: enclose it in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Your ticket(s) will be returned to you by mail.

St. John Kanty Church
101 Swinburne St.
Buffalo, NY 14212

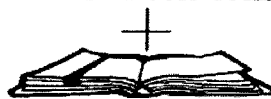
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Phone No. _____

Thank you for your support of St. John Kanty Church!

Mass Intentions



Saturday, February 18, 2012 Weekday
4:00 p.m. +Richard Zak, (Family)

Sunday, February 19, 2012 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. +Jozef & Katarzyna Wolanin, (Syn I rodzina)
10:30 a.m. + Stanley Sluberski & Stanley Sluberski Jr., (Sophie Osika)

Monday, February 20, 2012 Weekday
NO MASS

Tuesday, February 21, 2012 Weekday/St. Peter Damian, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
8:30 For the people of the parish

Wednesday, February 22, 2012 Ash Wednesday
9:00 a.m. For the people of the parish
5:30 p.m. Good Health for Lawrence Maguda, (Wife & Family)

Thursday, February 23, 2012 Lenten Weekday after Ash Wednesday
8:30 a.m. For the people of the parish

Friday, February 24, 2012 Weekday after Ash Wednesday
8:30 a.m. For the people of the parish

Saturday, February 25, 2012 Weekday after Ash Wednesday
4:00 p.m. For the people of the parish

Sunday, February 26, 2012 First Sunday of Lent
9:00 a.m. +Anastasia & Franciszek Kapka, (Corka I rodzina)
10:30 a.m. + Helen Kucinski, (Nicholas Trbovich)

If the Mass is for the intention of your loved one, please inform one of the ushers .

Thank you and God bless you for your contribution to God and your church! "
Whatever gift each of you may have received, use it in service to one another, like good stewards dispensing the grace of God in its varied forms."

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Daszkiewicz Family
By Julie Jarrot

John Wypych & Blazak Family
By Dennis, Marcia & Irene Wypych

Wagner, Brzykcy & Siejak Families
By Gene & Sally Siejak

Francis & Mary Niemczal
By Debbie & Gerry

Richard Slazak
By wife, Dolores

Walter Koza
By Koza Family

Vincent Hodur
By Stella Hodur

Glowny & Drajem Families
By Millie Glowny

Michael & Mark Jakubiak
By Uncle Gene & Aunt Sally

Francis & Theresa Jablonski
By Roy & Karen Baer

Casey J. Nowak
By Loving Family

Harry, Wanda & Leonard Sulski
By Family

Joseph Pasterniak
By Pasterniak Family

Adam Michalek
By Family

Andrew S. Sowninski & Tarabula Family
By Family

Walter & Sharon Kubik
By Kubik Family

Kalisz & Zulawski Families
By Connie Zulawski

Charlotte Fyda & Ralph Snyder
By Jennifer Snyder Haas

Maciorowski & Peplowski Families
By Norman W. Maciorowski

Bosiacki & Januchowski Families
By Edward & Christine Bosiacki

Norbert B. & Florence Orlowski
By Norbert & Barbara Orlowski

Anna & Walter Dzialkowski &
Sophie & Stanley Marciniak
By Gert Marciniak

Dearest husband and
father Alexander Przybyl
By MaryAnn and Family

Loving husband Frank Brysinski
By Mary

Franciszek & Honorata Stanczewski &
Alice Eme and Rita
By Mary

Sikorski & Jerszewski Families
By Grace & Chris

Helen Tortorice
By Leonard Tortorice

Stella Augustyniak
By Julie Jarrot

Norbert Jaskowiak
By Wife & Children

Kuc & Ginter & Kosinski Families
By Helen Ginter

Drozd, Jozwiak & Jankowski Families
By Phyllis Drozd

Kusak & Dziencol Families
By Irene Kusak

Stanley Kusak
By wife, Irene

Parents, Brothers, Sisters & In-Laws
By Esther Lukaszewski

Dear Husband and
Father, Robert Felski Sr.
By Dolores & Family

Michael Streicher
By wife, Cindy

Domino & Michalek Families
By Mary Domino

Chester Marciniak & Family
By Helen

Mieczyslaw & Leocadia Pajakowski
By daughter, Dolores

In memory of Walek Family
By Alice & Stephanie Walek

Jennie Showalter
By Daughter, Janice

Ulicki & Jaworski Families
Parents of Harry & Pat Jaworski

John Pilarski Family
By Henry Machajewski

Anthony Rogowski
By Wife & Family

Teofil & MaryAna Maruszewski Family
By Irene Maruszewski

Eugene & Florence Baranowski
By Children

Chmielewski & Konwinski Families
By Barbara Chmielewski

John & Dorothy Florczak
By Michael Florczak

Geryak - Sestak Families
By Family

Jenny & Teddy Imbierowski
By Ed, Diane, Elizabeth &
Paul Czajka

Guy P. Giancarlo
By Wife Rita

Helen & Walter Rembacz &
Lucy Majchrzycki
By Helen & Joe Ziembiec

Frank & Regina & Paul Ziembiec
By Helen & Joe Ziembiec

John Jarrot
By wife, Julie

Majchrowicz & Jagodzinski Families
By Dorothy

Beloved Husband Edwin Marciniak
By Wife Gert

Anne Ziolkowski
By Carole & Melissa

Henry "Skippy" Spychaj
By Wife, children & grandchildren

Trzcinski & Spychaj Families
By Deb & Don Bartus

Bartus & Sobon Families
By Don & Deb Bartus

Irene M. Szalda
By Dombek Family

Machajewski Family
By Henry Machajewski

Florence & Sylvester Samulski &
Bogdan Family
By Helen

Henry P. Kucinski
By Marian A. Kucinski & Children

Millie & Ray Cegielski
By Marian & Michael Kucinski

VARIOUS INTENTIONS

In Thanksgiving for Blessings
Received
By Wally & Terrie

Living & Deceased Members of
the
Rosary Society

Living & Deceased Members of
the
Holy Name Society

Living & Deceased Members of
the
SJK Choir