

*Twenty-fifth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
September 21, 2025*

**BASILICA of
ST. STANISLAUS, B.M.**



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**You cannot serve
both God and mammon.**

LUKE 16:13



A Pilgrimage Site for the Jubilee Year of Hope 2025

*“Let the Church always be a place of **MERCY** and **HOPE**,
where **EVERYONE IS WELCOMED, LOVED** and **FORGIVEN**.” (Pope Francis)*

Served by the Conventual Franciscan Friars and the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of Assisi

Weekend Masses

Saturday Evening: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning: 7:00, 9:00 (Polish) & 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses (English)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday: 6:30 & Noon

Wednesday: 6:30, 8:45 a.m. (School Mass), Noon

Saturday: 7:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses (Polish)

Wednesday & First Friday: 7:00 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m. - 12 noon

First Friday: after 6:30 a.m. Mass - 7:00 p.m.

First Saturday: 7:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Recitation of the Rosary

Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m., 8:15 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

National & Legal Holidays

Mass at 9:00 a.m. only. No other services.

Monthly Devotions

First Sunday - Divine Mercy - after 11:00 a.m. Mass

Second Sunday - Our Lady of Czestochowa - 3 p.m.

Every Monday - Morning Star Family Rosary - 6 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday through Friday: After the 6:30 a.m. Mass;
10:45 - 11:45 a.m.

Saturday: After the 7 a.m. Mass; 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.;
3:00 - 3:55 p.m.

Other times for Confession by Appointment

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Fourth Sunday: After Saturday Vigil & all Sunday Masses

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Brad Milunski, OFM Conv. - Pastor

Fr. John Koziol, OFM Conv. - Parochial Vicar

Fr. Lucjan Szymanski, OFM Conv. - Parochial Vicar

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Peace and all good things to you! Any disciple of Jesus Christ, any baptized Christian, struggles from time to time with someone or something which tries to rival the primacy of God in our lives: money, pleasure, property, unhealthy or sinful relationships, food, etc. We can all add to the list. Although any one of these things risks becoming an idol, the scriptures this Sunday focus on money and possessions--and the power they exert over our lives.

The prophet Amos does not mince words in condemning those who run roughshod over the poor to enrich themselves. Jesus too speaks at various points in the gospels about the danger of riches, but this Sunday, his parable takes an interesting turn. The Lord praises the dishonest steward not because he is dishonest but because he uses his cleverness to provide for himself after he is fired from his job. Underlying the parable, of course, is the warning from Jesus that riches can entangle us in a web of relationships from which there is no easy escape, either on this earth or in the world to come. But there is also another message.

Jesus would have us be astute and crafty—in a positive sense—in how we spread the gospel and daily witness to our Christian life. If only we put into our common vocation to be evangelizers the same zeal and drive that we put into business dealings, Jesus says, then the world might be a better, safer, and holier place. May the Lord give us such a grace.

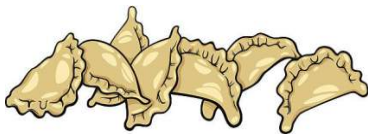
Blessings,

Fr. Brad

CHURCH RELICS - Discover the significance of relics in the history of the Church. Join us on ***Sunday, September 21***, at 2:00 p.m. in the Lower Basilica for a special DVD presentation with Fr. Carlos Martins, an internationally recognized speaker known for his expertise on saints and their relics. Following the presentation, you will have the opportunity to view the many relics on display at St. Stanislaus Basilica.



PARISH ART EXHIBIT - The Parish Art Exhibit will open on ***Thursday, September 25***, in the Lower Basilica from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m., with light refreshments and the opportunity to meet the artists. The exhibit will also be open on ***Friday from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., Saturday from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., Sunday after all Masses with coffee until 3:00 p.m., and Monday from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.*** Everyone is warmly invited to attend and enjoy this special display of artwork created by our parishioners.



PIEROGI PINCHERS NEEDED - Join us on ***Sunday, September 28***, at 9:00 a.m. in the school cafeteria to help pinch cabbage pierogi as we prepare for the upcoming Bazaar. No experience necessary - training will be provided!

PARISH HIKE IN HONOR OF ST. FRANCIS - Everyone is invited to join our CCD and Confirmation students for our parish Mount Tom Prayer Service and Hike in honor of St. Francis on ***Saturday, September 27***, from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Join us by Lake Bray to enjoy the beauty of God's creation and time together as a parish family!

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK - We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick next weekend, ***September 27/28*** after each weekend Mass (including the Saturday Vigil Mass) after the closing hymn of the Mass. The presider will remain in the sanctuary and will invite those who are in need of the sacrament to come forward for the laying on of hands and the anointing with holy oil. We encourage you and/or your loved ones who are ill to take advantage of this opportunity each month to celebrate this wonderful sacrament of God's love and healing.

CONSTRUCTION WORK - ***Until approximately October 17th***, there will be building materials and a dumpster in the church parking lot as work is being done on the lower roof of the Basilica. In order to prevent injuries, parking may be limited, and students' afterschool play on the lawn behind the friary will be suspended. We ask that you use extreme caution if parking near that area. The normal daily Basilica schedule will not be changed unless previously announced. Stay tuned for updates.

- SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES -**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**

...HASA Bake Sale - after 4:00 p.m. Mass

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

...HASA Bake Sale - After all Weekend Masses

...Take & Eat Meal Ministry - 9:00 a.m. - School

...Religious Education Family Mass - 11:00 a.m. - Upper Basilica

...Church Relics Presentation - 2:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

...Biblical Walk with Mary - 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. - School

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

...Lectio Divina - after 12:00 Noon Mass - Lower Basilica

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

...School Board Meeting - 6:30 p.m. - School

...Polish Prayer Group Mass - 7:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

...Parish Art Exhibit Opening - 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

...Bingo - held at 6:00 p.m. - School (Doors open at 4:00 p.m.)

...Parish Art Exhibit - 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

...That Man is You! - 7:30 a.m. - Parish Office

...No morning CCD Classes

...Parish Hike & Prayer Service - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. - Lake Bray, Mount Tom

...Anointing of the Sick - after 4:00 p.m. Mass

...Parish Art Exhibit - 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

...Anointing of the Sick - after all Masses - Upper Basilica

...Parish Art Exhibit - 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

...Pierogi Making - 9:00 a.m. - School



CATHOLIC BOOK SALE - There will be a sale of Catholic books, for children as well as adults, in the entrance of the upper church before and after all Masses on the weekend of *September 27 & 28*. Please take advantage of this opportunity to grow in the knowledge and understanding of our Faith.

**TRANSITUS OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI**

- The Franciscan Friars, Franciscan Missionary Sisters of Assisi, and Secular Franciscans invite you to join us for the celebration of the Transitus of Saint Francis of Assisi. Please join us for the commemoration of our founder's passing on *Friday*,

October 3 at 8:00 p.m. in the Upper Basilica. Refreshments to follow after the celebration

IN HONOR OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER please join us as we gather to pray the Rosary every Saturday in October at 12:00 Noon in front of the Basilica. We hope to see you there! Simply bring your prayer intentions!

BAPTISM - We are pleased to welcome **Vincent Andrew Smigiel** who was baptized as a member of the Christian Community and extend our congratulations to his parents and godparents. We pray that they continue, by words and example, to bring up their child to know, love, and serve God.

Weekly Stewardship Report

The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell?

SEPTEMBER 13/14

Collection Basket: \$6,908

Maintenance Fund: \$1,851

By Mail & Office: \$2,232

SECOND COLLECTION

This Week - Our School

Next Week - Franciscan Mission & Utility Fund



III. Thomas Niemiec & Amy Sliwa

*We give thanks to God and extend
our CONGRATULATIONS
AND BEST WISHES TO*

*Thomas Lemay, Jr. &
Diane Marie Modzelewski*

*who were recently united
in Holy Matrimony.*



With gratitude we acknowledge the following donation...

MINISTRY OF CARE

~ \$50 from Germaine Korzen-
iowski

THANK YOU from Lorraine's Soup Kitchen for the 304 pounds of greatly appreciated nonperishable food that was donated during the month of September.

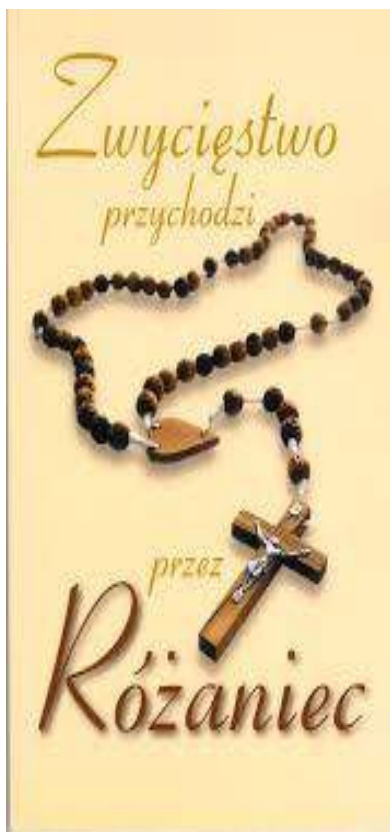
BIULETYN Parafialny

Jezus Chrystus wskazuje uczniom w Ewangelii: „Nie możecie służyć Bogu i Mamonie!”. Wydaje się, że ta przestroga odnosi się najpierw do pierwotnego znaczenia tego słowa, które oznaczało zabezpieczenie, oparcie, pewność. Z czasem słowo „mamona” zaczęło bożka pieniędzy i bogactwa. Słowo Boże daje nam jednak także i inną przestrożę. Chodzi o to, że nad pieniądzem trzeba panować. W innym wypadku on zapanuje nad człowiekiem. I wtedy stanie się ów człowiek konsumentem rozrywek, przyjemności zmysłowych, hazardu, a nawet sławy czy kariery. A bożek będzie domagał się wciąż nowych ofiar, wynikających z coraz większego nienasycenia.



W zachowaniu ludzkim możemy dostrzec dziwną zależność: człowiek podejmuje logiczne, refleksyjne, a i uczciwe działanie dopiero wtedy, gdy zostaje postawiony w jednoznacznych sytuacjach z których wynika, że wcześniej zachowywał się nieuczciwie. Podobnie jak w przypowieści o nieuczciwym zarządcy, który ma świadomość, że jego zwolnienie jest nieuniknione. Dopiero wtedy tak naprawdę otwiera oczy i dostrzega dramat swojego położenia. W świetle pytania właściciela widzi nieuczciwość w swoim zachowaniu. Dotychczas korzystał bowiem ze swojego stanowiska, aby trwonić dla własnych celów majątek swojego pana. Teraz wie, że stracił zaufanie i posiadane stanowisko.

Jezus chwali jednak nieuczciwego zarządcę. Ale wcale nie za to, że przywłaszcza sobie bezprawnie dobra innych i pozyskuje sobie przyjaciół kosztem właściciela. Nie chwali jednak sama postawa zarządcy, ale tylko jego przezorność; pomysłowość, z jaką rozwiązał trudną sytuację i nie poddał się zwątpieniu. Zarządca wybiera sposób wyjścia z trudnej sytuacji. Dotąd prawie nie zauważał istnienia innych, myślał tylko o sobie i o swoich interesach. Teraz odkrywa wartość przyjaźni. Ocalenie siebie dokonuje się przez otwarcie na innych. I właśnie ta jego zapobiegliwość, otwartość na drugiego człowieka, zostaje pochwalona, a nie sposoby, których używa, aby zapewnić sobie przyszłość.



Czy wiesz że.....TOWARZYSTWO RÓŻAŃCA ŚW. zostało założone w 1900 roku przez polskie kobiety, członkinie naszej Parafii. Zaczęły one organizować piętnastoosobowe grupy, nazwane później „żywymi różami”. Zobowiązały się codziennie odmawiać jeden dziesiątek Różańca. Celem **Stowarzyszenia** było i nadal jest według Założycielek wspieranie modlitwą, ofiarą duchową i materialną działań Kościoła i naszej Parafii. **Stowarzyszenie Różańca św.** przynosi wiele korzyści duchowych tym wszystkim, którzy do niego należą. Członkowie tej wspólnoty biorą udział w sposób szczególny w modlitwach i dobrych uczynkach tej duchowej rodziny. Korzystają ze Mszy Świętych i Nabożeństw odprawianych w ich intencji, za żywych i umarłych. Przyjęcie do Różańca dokonuje się przez wpisanie do rejestru członków i zobowiązaniu się do codziennego odmawiania jednej dziesiątki Różańca świętego.

TOWARZYSTWO RÓŻAŃCA ŚW. Bazyliki św. Stanisława obchodzi 125 lat — i zaprasza do wzięcia udziału w tej uroczystości na specjalnej mszy św. o godz 11:00 w niedzielę, 5 października, po której nastąpi uroczysty obiad w Zamku Rycerzy Kolumba w Chicopee. Wszyscy są mile widziani — chcielibyśmy was tam zobaczyć! **Bilety w cenie \$40 od osoby są już dostępne w biurze parafialnym i dziś po wszystkich Mszach św.** Prosimy również o rozważenie złożenia ofiary na cześć lub ku pamięci byłego lub obecnego członka Różańca św. korzystając z formularza na stronie 7 biuletynu. Sugerowana ofiara wynosi \$25.00 od osoby. Wypełnione formularze można zwrócić do na tacę, lub do biura parafialnego.

Stowarzyszenie Dom i Szkoła „**HASA**” zaprasza na sprzedaż wypieków, ciasteczek, ciast, chlebów i loterię fantową dziś po wszystkich Mszach Św. do dolnego Kościoła. Prosimy o wsparcie tej organizacji która pomaga studentom naszej szkoły parafialnej.

RELIKWIE KOŚCIOŁA – Odkryj znaczenie relikwii w historii Kościoła. Przyjdź dziś, w niedzielę 21 września na godzinę 14:00 do Bazyliki na specjalną prezentację DVD z ks. Carlosem Martinsem, uznanym na całym świecie mówcą, znanym ze swojej wiedzy na temat świętych i ich relikwii. Po prezentacji w Bazylice dolnej będzie okazja zobaczyć liczne wystawione relikwie.



Znajdźmy czas na **MSZE ŚWIĘTE** w języku polskim, w środę, 24 września o godz. 19:00 w Bazylice dolnej. Na 30 minut przed Mszą św. odmówimy różaniec i okazja do spowiedzi świętej.

PRACE BUDOWLANE – Od 15 września do 17 października, na parkingu przy kościele będą znajdować się materiały budowlane i kontener na śmieci, ponieważ trwają prace na dolnym dachu Bazyliki. Aby zapobiec obrażeniom, liczba miejsc parkingowych może być ograniczona, a pozalekcyjne zabawy uczniów na trawniku za klasztorem zostaną zawieszone. Prosimy o zachowanie szczególnej ostrożności w przypadku parkowania w pobliżu tego obszaru. Normalny, codzienny harmonogram Bazyliki nie ulegnie zmianie.



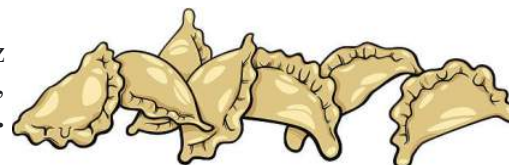
Pozostało tylko 4 tygodnie do naszego **BAZARU PARAFIALNEGO**. To dla nas wspaniała okazja do promocji naszej polskiej obecności, kultury i tradycji. **Prosimy Was** o przynoszenie do biura parafialnego na polskie stoisko różnych przedmiotów z Polski, pamiątek, wyrobów ręcznych, kryształów, rzeczy jeszcze dobrych. Szczególnie zachęcamy do robienia koszyków, które będą przeznaczone na losowanie. Można też zaprosić do zrobienia koszyka różne organizacje, które mogą umieścić na nich swoją reklamę. **DOROSLI**

WOŁONTARIUSZE SĄ POTRZEBNI DO POMOCY PRZY STOISKACH, GRACH I DO POMOCY W KUCHNI:

- Piątek 17 października od 21:30 do północy (przygotowanie)
- Sobota 18 października od 10:00 rano do 19:00

Jeśli możesz pomóc, zadzwoń do biura parafialnego (413) 594-6669 lub wyślij e-mail contact@ststansbasilica.org. Za wszelkie dobro i pomoc serdecznie dziękujemy.

POTRZEBNA POMOC PRZY ROBIENIU PIEROGÓW - Dołącz do nas w niedzielę, 28 września o godzinie 9:00 w kafeterii szkolnej, aby pomóc przy robieniu pierogów z kapustą na **bazar parafialny**. **Doświadczenie nie wymagane - zapewniamy przeszkolenie!**



Od 24 września do 2 listopada zapraszamy do udziału w akcji **40 DNI DLA ŻYCIA**, w której chrześcijanie modlą się i poszczą w intencji zakończenia aborcji. Aby uzyskać więcej informacji, a zwłaszcza zgłosić się jako wolontariusz, prosimy o kontakt z Timem Biggins pod numerem telefonu (413) 285-2257 lub adresem e-mail 40daysWM@gmail.com.



Zbliża się miesiąc październik – szczególnie poświęcony Maryi i **MODLITWIE RÓŻAŃCOWEJ**. Do odmawiania różańca nawoływała sama Maryja podczas wielu objawień. Zapraszamy do wspólnego odmawiania Różańca w każdą sobotę października o godzinie 12:00 w południe przed Bazyliką. Mamy nadzieję, że się tam spotkamy! Wystarczy przynieść swoje intencje modlitewne!

Polska Liga Juniorów **POLISH JUNIOR LEAGUE** zaprasza na doroczny pokaz mody, który wesprze Fundusz Stypendialny. Dołącz do nich w niedzielę 26 października w Zamku Rycerskim Knights of Columbus w Chicopee na Memorial Dr. na popołudnie pełne zabawy z kreacjami przygotowanymi przez Zannę (Amherst, MA). Program rozpocznie się o 11:30, a lunch będzie serwowany o 12:30. Bilety kosztują 42 dolary od osoby i należy je kupić do piątku, 10 października.





DONATIONS TO ST. STANISLAUS SCHOOL

Education Fund

In memory of + Dennis (Max) Skawinski

\$ 100.00 Big Y Foods, Inc.
\$ 100.00 Jane Lea Sherman

In memory of + Theresa M. Buczek

\$ 100.00 Eileen Dziok
\$ 15.00 Janet Platosz
\$ 35.00 Bill and Rita Bonfitto

In memory of + Jeffrey Dawson

\$ 50.00 Anonymous
\$ 50.00 Cindy & Roger Conklin

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\$ 500.00 Anonymous
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\$ 100.00 American Online Giving Foundation
\$ 100.00 Peter B. Hitchcock

Father Marion Tolczyk Scholarship Fund Donation

In memory of + Josephine Hillios

\$ 50.00 Janice A. Sheaff

Donations to the St. Stanislaus School Building Fund

In memory of + Marian Pniak

\$ 1,000.00 Mary Elizabeth Pniak-Costello &
Thomas Costello



Donations toward "Wish List" Items

\$ 50.00 Ray & Eileen Walczak

Donations to the St. Stanislaus School Endowment Fund

In memory of + Leslee F. Ciszewski

\$ 50.00 Sarah & Lawrence Maziarz, Jr.

In memory of + Karl Z. Ozga

\$ 50.00 Paul J. Grennon
\$ 50.00 Marcin Kalisz
\$ 40.00 Mr. & Mrs. Zbigniew Libera
\$ 50.00 Stanley & Maria Starsiak
\$ 20.00 Walter Orzol
\$ 20.00 Gienia Niziol
\$ 300.00 Louis & Darlene Swiszc
\$ 40.00 Teresa & Stanley Lucek
\$ 100.00 John & Joanne Libera
\$ 40.00 Maxie Rasztaewicki
\$ 40.00 Christina Kupiec
\$ 50.00 Sophie Zielinski
\$ 25.00 John Przybylowicz
\$ 25.00 Diane Murphy
\$ 50.00 Urszula & Stanley Przybylowicz
\$ 40.00 Joseph & Regina Klundt
\$ 50.00 Dennis J. Bajek
\$ 50.00 Allan & Jean Sobon
\$ 25.00 Bob & Maureen Desormier



“Hope in the Lord! Hold firm, take heart and hope in the Lord!” (Ps 27:14). “Together in Hope” is the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal and we are seeking your support to fund ministries and service agencies that we as Catholics depend on and our neighbors in need seek in times of trouble. Thank you to those who have made a gift or a pledge. ***So far, 204 families from our parish have donated \$23,841.*** If you have not made a donation, please use the envelopes available in your church go on line to <http://diospringfield.org/aca/> and click on the secure link. Or please call: 413-452-0670. Thank you.



MEN'S PARISH RETREAT – Faith is a journey! Last year, just months before his passing, Pope Francis called for a jubilee year, and he announced the theme would be Pilgrims of Hope. As “pilgrims of hope,” we must be willing to take risks, to make the effort to understand God’s call, and to grow in our faith. The pilgrim doesn’t travel aimlessly but allows God to be the North Star, leading us to discover that God is at the heart of our journey. We invite you to join us the weekend of **November 7 - 9** at Holy Family for our annual men’s retreat. Together, as part of God’s beloved creation, we can pursue that blessed goal – life with God as beloved companions and pilgrims of hope. Holy Family has offered us a retreat scholarship for anyone who needs it. For more information visit holyfamilyretreat.org



BASILICA OF ST. STANISLAUS ROSARY SOCIETY

125th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, October 5



All are welcome to attend the **125th Anniversary Celebration of the Rosary Society** at the Basilica of St. Stanislaus, Chicopee, on Sunday, October 5. The recitation of the Rosary will begin at 10:30 a.m., followed by Mass at 11:00 a.m. on this joyous day.

A dinner will follow at the Castle of Knights Meeting and Banquet House, 1599 Memorial Drive, Chicopee, with cocktail hour starting at 12:30 p.m. and dinner served at 1:30 p.m. Our guest speaker, **Sr. Andrea Ciszewski, FSSJ**, will share her reflections and an inspiring message during this special Jubilee Year. Entertainment will be provided by Joey Dziok. Tickets for the dinner can be purchased for \$40 per person at the Basilica of St. Stanislaus Parish Office, 40 Cyman Drive, Chicopee, MA. **Tickets will also be sold after all Masses this weekend.** If you would like to make a donation in honor or memory of past or current members, forms are available at the Parish Office. We look forward to celebrating with you! For questions, please call (413) 594-6669 or email BasilicaofSSRS@gmail.com.

125th Anniversary Rosary Society Celebration

Honor & Memorial Donation Request Slip

Please consider making a donation in honor or in memory of a past or current member by using the form below. Kindly use one request slip per person and check the appropriate box. A suggested donation of \$25 per request is appreciated. Completed slips may be returned through the collection basket, the Parish Office, or by mail. Please print clearly. The deadline to submit donation requests is **September 28**.

- ☐ In Honor of _____
- ☐ In Memory of _____
- ☐ Donation to the Rosary Society

Donor Name: _____



2025 PARISH BAZAAR - OCTOBER 18, 2025

LET'S MAKE IT A SUCCESS!

Games, Toys & Puzzles

Donations of new children's games, toys, stuffed animals and puzzles are needed for our booths, particularly the Lollipop Booth run by the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Theme Baskets

The Theme Basket Booth, sponsored by the Rosary Society, is in need of additional baskets. Sports, spa day, cleaning, pets, chocolate, kids, pool, hiking, Bingo, date night... so many possibilities and so much fun!

New Bottles of Liquor are needed for the Baskets of Cheer Booth.

Items from Poland are needed for our Polish Booth ... hand-carved items, crystal, amber, linen, clothing, décor...

Sponsor one of our Youth Booths - \$85 cotton candy machine rental; \$80 snow cone machine rental

Bazaar Raffle Tickets - Watch for tickets in the mail next month!

New Items for Tag Sale / Costume Jewelry / Holiday Booths can be dropped off at the Parish Office.

Baked Goods - Please bring your homemade goodies to the Bazaar after 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.

LEGO Donations

Do you have **new LEGO sets** looking for a good home? They're always a popular prize at our Bazaar, and we would love your help! Donate LEGO sets for our raffles by dropping them off at the Parish Office.



2025 DIOCESAN MEN'S CONFERENCE -

Bishop William Byrne invites all men from across Western Massachusetts and beyond to attend the 2025 Diocesan Men's Conference on **Saturday, October 4** from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Bellamy Middle School in Chicopee, MA. This special Jubilee Year event will feature talks by Sr. Dede Byrne, POSC, Dr. Peter Kreeft, Artie Boyle, and Fr. Justin Bolger, O.P., with music by The Hillbilly Thomists. This inspiring day will include lunch, Adoration, Confession, and a closing Eucharistic Procession and Mass with Bishop William Byrne. Learn more and register at westernmasscatholic.org/mensconference.

2025 DIOCESAN WOMEN'S CONFERENCE -

Bishop William Byrne invites all women from across Western Massachusetts and beyond to attend the 2025 Diocesan Women's Conference on **Saturday, November 15** from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm at Bellamy Middle School in Chicopee, MA. This special Jubilee Year event will feature talks by Mary Lenaburg, Sr. Maris Stella, S.V., Fr. James Brent, O.P., and Melissa Overmyer, with music by Psalm 33. This inspiring day will include lunch, Adoration, Confession, and a closing Eucharistic Procession and Mass with Bishop William Byrne. Learn more and register at westernmasscatholic.org/womensconference.

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Saturday, September 20

4:00 p.m. +Ann Marie Laskowski from Rodney, Wiesia, Cathy & Babcia Zosia
ST.HYACINTH +Fr. Michael Kolodziej, OFM Conv., on anniversary of his passing from Tesia

Sunday, September 21 - Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Birthday blessings & all needed graces for J.J. Wozniak from Babci & Dziadziu
9:00 a.m. (Polish) +Maria & Czeslaw Ankiewicz from daughters
11:00 a.m. +Thaddeus & Barbara Presnal from family
ST.HYACINTH +Stephanie (Chmiel) Bak from children & grandchildren

Monday, September 22

6:30 a.m. +Deceased Brothers, Sisters & Benefactors of the Order
12:00 p.m. - Health & birthday blessings for Justyna Arcoleo from family
ST.HYACINTH - Intentions submitted to the Parish Prayer Line from members of the Prayer Line

Tuesday, September 23 - St. Pius of Pietrelcina

6:30 a.m. +Kamil Ziolkowski from family
12:00 p.m. +Halina Wlodarczyk from friend Maria
ST.HYACINTH +Jozef Gwozdzik from wife & children

Wednesday, September 24

6:30 a.m. +Miroslawa Plonczynska from Kazia Dudek
8:45 a.m. (School) +Thaddeus & Jean Wegrzyn from family
12:00 p.m. +Robert Jean St.Marie on first year anniversary of his passing from family
7:00 p.m. (Polish) +Jozef Gwozdzik from wife & children
ST.HYACINTH +Edward Binczewski from wife & family

Thursday, September 25

6:30 a.m. - Parishioners of St. Stanislaus
12:00 p.m. +Maria Kazimierczak on anniversary of her passing from A.T. Lekarczyk

Friday, September 26 - Sts. Cosmas & Damian

6:30 a.m. +Joseph Swiader from wife Gladys
12:00 p.m. +Mateusz Koziol from parents & family
ST.HYACINTH - Blessings for members of the First Friday Adoration Group from Parishioner

Saturday, September 27 - St. Vincent de Paul

7:00 a.m. - Grace & wellness blessings for Stanley Prorok from Laura Rivers
4:00 p.m. +Wieslaw Wrona on third anniversary of his passing from wife & family
ST.HYACINTH +Holy Souls in Purgatory from Jean Raczkowski

Sunday, September 28 - Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. +Piotr Ankiewicz from wife, children & family
9:00 a.m. (Polish) +Teofil & Rozalia Dabrowski and Dabrowski & Romanowski Families from Henry & family
11:00 a.m. +Gene & Dolores Stec from family
ST.HYACINTH +Edwin Padykula from Michael Padykula

CORRECTION - Mass celebrated at St. Hyacinth's on September 12 was in memory of +Irene M. Pudlo from her daughter, Susan J. Zachowski.



WE PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER all the faithful departed parishioners of St. Stanislaus Parish. In particular, our deepest sympathy and prayers go to the family and friends of **Anna Tomchik and Therese Adamski** who have gone recently to their eternal reward. May they, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

SANCTUARY LAMP this week is burning in memory of **+Stephanie Bak on 10th anniversary of her passing** from her children & grandchildren.



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devil. May God rebuke him, we
humbly pray; and do Thou,
O Prince of the Heavenly Host -
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