

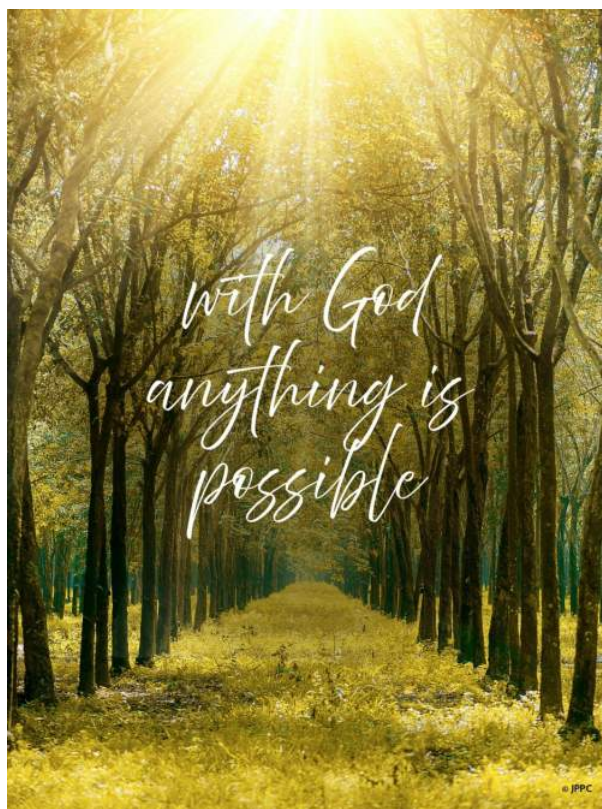
*Twenty-eighth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 13, 2024*

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



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*“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.
Last Sunday - Our Lady of Guadalupe - 2 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

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Fr. Brad Milunski, OFM Conv. - Pastor
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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Peace and all good things to you! When most people these days hear about the Ten Commandments, I am sure they go into rule-and-regulation mode—what they can or cannot do. We are a nation founded on the rule of law but have become a law-producing society, quick to bring opposing parties to court if the rules are not followed. When there is a societal crisis of some kind, organizations are quick to call for new regulations to solve the problem in question. There is nothing wrong with the rule of law. Societies have valued this since the dawn of civilization.

The problem comes, however, when we use rules to replace the need for human wisdom and personal conversion. The foolish or un-transformed person (or group) will always find a way around the rules, which necessitates their multiplication to cover every circumstance and situation. We see where that leads. True wisdom does not first ask whether a human act can be done but whether it ought to be done.

The rich man in today's gospel is clearly someone who obeys the rules and regulations, but Jesus challenges him to something deeper: discipleship and the wisdom of total reliance on God rather than his perishable possessions. The man goes away sad because he cannot accept this invitation to true wisdom. May you and I be followers not just of rules and regulations but of a person, Wisdom-made-flesh: Jesus Christ.

Blessings,

Fr. Brad

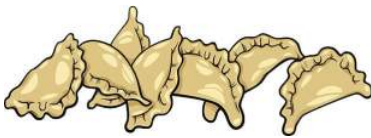
COLUMBUS DAY - There will be one Mass at 9:00 a.m. this **Monday, October 14**, in honor of Columbus Day. On that day there will be no adoration, confession, nor Morning Star. The Parish Office will also be closed.



PRO-LIFE VIGIL - St. Stanislaus Basilica will host a 1-hour prayer vigil on **Wednesday, October 16**, and **Wednesday, October 30**, from 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. outside the Planned Parenthood Clinic at 3550 Main Street, Springfield. Come and be a witness for the most vulnerable and join us as we participate in this 40 Days for Life International Campaign. Contact Terri O'Connell at (413) 532-5729 or Tim Biggins at (413) 342-0340 or email 40daysWM@gmail.com if you have any questions.

POLISH FLAG RAISING - The City of Chicopee has a Polish flag raising in front of City Hall at 10:00 a.m. on **Thursday, October 17**, to recognize Polish Heritage Month. We would appreciate your participation in this event to add meaning to the ceremony and help bring the community together.

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!



PIEROGI PINCHERS NEEDED - Join us on **Saturday, October 27**, at 9:00 a.m. in the school cafeteria to help pinch cabbage pierogi, and on **November 10** for cheese and potato pierogi as we prepare for the upcoming holiday season. No experience necessary - training will be provided!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, Fr. Lucjan Krolikowski Chapter, will be hosting a comedy show and roasted chicken & pasta dinner on **Saturday, November 23rd**. Come join in the fun as comedian Dave Kane brings you "Jokes My Irish Father Told Me", a laugh filled presentation of jokes, one liners and stories that celebrate the warmth and resilience of the Irish sense of Humor. Tickets are \$30 for adults and are available at the Parish Office.



REMEMBERING OUR DECEASED - On **Sunday, November 3rd**, a Mass will be celebrated in the Upper Basilica at 11:00 a.m., when the names of those who died in the last year will be read. Please plan to attend so that together we can remember our deceased loved ones. Photographs of our deceased loved ones are displayed as part of our Remembrance Service so please consider including a photo of your deceased loved one, especially those who have died within the past year. The photos can be brought to the Parish Office **before October 28** and the following information needs to be included - the name of the deceased and the date of death, including the name, address and phone number of the person to whom the photos are to be returned.

- SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES -**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13**

...Secular Franciscans - 1:00 p.m. - School Library

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14 (COLUMBUS DAY)

...Mass - 9:00 a.m. - Upper Basilica

...No School

...No Confessions, Adoration, Morning Star

...Parish Office Closed - In Case of an Emergency,
call the Friary at 594-6669**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15**

...No Lectio Divina

...Wreaths Across America Meeting - 3:00 p.m. - Parish Office

...Kindergarten Soccer - 5:20 p.m. - School

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

...School Mass - 8:45 a.m. - Upper Basilica

...Beacon of Faith Reception - 1:00 p.m. - School

...Beacon of Faith Reception - 6:00 p.m. - School

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

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

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

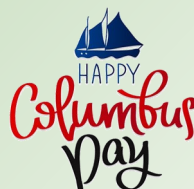
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19...That Man Is You - 7:00 a.m. Mass - Lower Basilica; followed by
gathering at the Parish Office

...Recitation of the Rosary - 12:00 p.m. - Front of Basilica

...**Parish Bazaar** - 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. - School**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20**

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

...Adult Confirmation Session #3 - 12:30 - 2:30 p.m. - School

***Weekly Stewardship Report***

In today's Gospel, Jesus asks the rich young man to give away all that he has in order to have treasure in heaven. But he is unable to free himself from his possessions, and so he goes sadly away. Does what I own keep me from following Jesus?

OCTOBER 5/6

Collection Basket: \$7,225

By Mail & Office: \$3,422

SECOND COLLECTION

This Week - Our School

Next Week - World Mission Sunday

Thank you for your continued generous support of St. Stanislaus Parish.

WE WELCOME Gerald Forcier who has joined our Parish Family and now has the title of "Parishioner." We are happy to have him in our midst as, together, we share our faith.



With gratitude we acknowledge the following donation...

BASILICA FUND

- ☞ In memory of +Wieslaw Kupiec \$150 from Stanley & Zofia Kosinski & family; \$150 from Billy & Hela Lukomski & family; \$200 from Gienio Prusik; \$200 from Theresa Janisiewicz; \$100 from Chester & Christine Kos; \$50 from Marysia & Danusia Liszka; \$100 from Jane Gwozdzik; \$50 from Marek & Aneta Gwozdzik; \$50 from John & Stasia Makselon; \$40 from Irene & Lester Dudek; \$40 from Ania Leary; \$30 from Genowefa Budzyn; \$50 from Jack & Irene Foley; \$50 from Gienia Orzol; \$50 from Wladek Orzol; \$50 from Stasia Kucinska; \$20 from Alina & Edward Runczyk; \$20 from Wanda Toczek; \$50 from Marszalek Family; \$50 from Evelina & Tom Marszalek; \$50 from Ania & Jurek Jandzis; \$50 from Polar Family; \$50 from Alfred & Helena Halama; \$50 from Mr. & Mrs. Zbigniew Libera; \$50 from Mr. & Mrs. Henry Kaczmarek; \$50 from Roman Kokoszyn; \$30 from Karl & Mary Ozga
- ☞ In honor of Theodore "Bunny" Ludwin \$125 from Connie & Sharo Ludwin

MINISTRY OF CARE

- ☞ In memory of +Edward Binczewski \$40 from wife, Helen



BEACON OF FAITH CAMPAIGN - Please Respond Today! We have already seen many households show their interest and support for the goals and plans of St. Stan's by indicating their intent to join us at a campaign reception! These receptions are your opportunity to learn firsthand about the exciting future for our community and ask specific questions, all while gathering with your fellow parishioners and sharing a light meal at the school / parish center. The event will last approximately 60 - 90 minutes. The next receptions will take place on **Wednesday, October 16**, at 1:00 p.m. and at 6:00 p.m. Please call the Parish Office at 594-6669 to indicate which event you are able to attend!

BIULETYN Parafialny

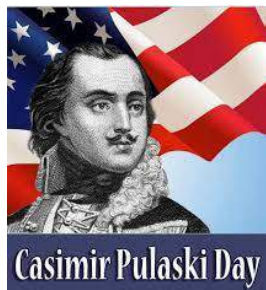
Już pobieżna obserwacja życia codziennego ukazuje ogromny kontrast pomiędzy szczytnymi hasłami a postępowaniem pełnym korupcji, zakłamania i fałszu. W świecie reklam i konsumpcjonizmu, w którym media każdego dnia przekonują nas, że musimy posiadać tysiące rzeczy, jeśli chcemy żyć wygodnie i szczęśliwie, rodzi się pytanie o naszą wolność oraz umiejętność panowania nad światem rzeczy. Jak odnaleźć się w gąszczu doraźnego odwoływania się do tych zasad, które sprzyjają realizacji chwilowych oczekiwań, a kwestionują istnienie stałych i niezmiennych zasad moralnych? Jak nie ulec kultowi własnego rozwoju w egoistycznym rozumieniu?



Jezus zwracając się do swoich uczniów, po rozmowie z bogatym młodzieńcem, powiedział: „Dzieci, jakże trudno wejść do królestwa Bożego tym, którzy w dostatkach pokładają ufność”. Nie słyszymy w Jego słowach potępienia bogactwa, ale ukazanie, jak ludzie winni używać bogactw tego świata, żeby nie stały się one dla nich przeszkodą w zbawieniu. Na tym właśnie polega mądrość, która jest najcenniejszym skarbem. Dlatego Jezus w „Kazaniu na Górze” naucza: „Błogosławieni ubodzy w duchu, albowiem do nich należy królestwo niebieskie”.

Rada ewangelicznego ubóstwa dotyczy wszystkich ochrzczeni. Mają oni naśladować Mistrza, czyli, odwzorowywać swoim życiem te rysy doskonałości moralnej, które posiada Jezus. Taka postawa ukazuje bowiem prawdziwość naszego chrześcijaństwa na drodze do dojrzałości i zjednoczenia z Bogiem. Rady ewangeliczne są zaproszeniem do rozwijania doskonałości miłości. Jak uczy Tomasz z Akwinu, o ile celem przykazań jest odrzucenie tego, co jest niezgodne z miłością, o tyle zadaniem rad jest oddalenie tego wszystkiego, co nie sprzeciwiając się bezpośrednio miłości, może stanowić przeszkodę w jej wzroście.

KAMPANIA „Światło wiary”! Wysłaliśmy zaproszenia na kilka przyjęć w szkole św. Stanisława, aby mieć pewność, że wszyscy, którzy należą do naszej Parafii mają szansę przyjść i porozmawiać z Ojcem Bradem, braćmi i naszym zespołem kampanii na temat tego projektu. Następne spotkanie w środę, 16 października o godz. 13:00 lub o 18:00. Jeśli Państwo jeszcze tego nie zrobili, prosimy zgłosić swój udział dzwoniąc do biura parafialnego. **Ta akcja przyniesie ogromne korzyści Bazylice św. Stanisława.** Dodatkowe informacje można również znaleźć i oglądać wideo na <https://beaconoffaithwmass.org>.



Komitet Dziedzictwa Polskiego w Northampton serdecznie zaprasza do świętowania polskiego dziedzictwa, 14 października 2024 r., rozpoczynając Mszą św. ku czci generała Kazimierza Pułaskiego, ojca kawalerii amerykańskiej, w kościele św. Walentego PNC, 127 King Street, Northampton. Po mszy o godzinie 11:30 rozpocznie się **PARADA Z OKAZJI DNIA PUŁASKIEGO** od King Street przez centrum Northampton do Pulaski Park, gdzie odbędzie się program upamiętniający generała Pułaskiego. Serdecznie zapraszamy wszystkich do udziału w marszu lub pomocy przy paradzie. Prosimy o kontakt z koordynatorami parady:

Mary Ellen English – 413-320-9969; e-mail: missmarymae@aol.com

Robert Gibowicz – 413-224-1309; e-mail: bobtesgibo@aol.com

W niedzielę, 3 listopada **Polska Liga Młodzieży w Stanie MA** zaprasza na coroczny **POKAZ MODY** w Sali Bankietowej Knights of Columbus, Memorial Dr. Chicopee. Prezentowana będzie moda od Zanna's w Amherst. Program rozpocznie się o 11:30, obiad serwowany jest o 12:30, a następnie pokaz mody. Dochód będzie przeznaczony na fundusz stypendialny dla młodzieży polskiego pochodzenia. Bilety kosztują 40 dolarów za osobę i obejmują trzy dania główne na lunch. Ostateczny termin zakupu biletów upływa w piątek 18 października. Bilety i informacje można uzyskać dzwoniąc do Diane Godek (413) 532-2766.

„Wszyscy byliśmy świadkami zniszczeń spowodowanych przez **HURAGAN HELENA**”. Dla wielu osób, na których życie to miał wpływ, przed nimi długa droga. W takich momentach jesteśmy wzywani musimy spojrzeć poza naszą społeczność, aby pomóc potrzebującym. Catholic Charities USA zajmuje się kierowaniem pomocy dla najbardziej dotkniętych obszarów. Jeśli chcesz pomóc, możesz to zrobić za pośrednictwem portalu darowizn pod adresem catholiccharitiesusa.org. lub link znajduje się również na stronie www.diospringfield.org.



Dziś, w niedzielę, 13 października zapraszamy na **NABOŻEŃSTWO DO MATKI BOŻEJ** Częstochowskiej z wystawieniem Najświętszego Sakramentu o godz. 15:00 w Bazylice górnej. Prośmy naszą Jasnogórską Panią o wstawiennictwo za naszymi rodzinami.



ŚWIĘTO KOLUMBA – jutro, 14 października obchodzimy amerykańskie święto “Columbus Day”. W tym dniu będziemy mieć tylko jedną Mszę św. o godz. 9:00 rano w Bazylice górnej. Nie będzie natomiast adoracji Najświętszego Sakramentu ani spowiedzi św. Biuro parafialne będzie nieczynne. W nagłych wypadkach prosimy dzwonić do Klasztoru

Znajdźmy czas na **MSZĘ ŚWIĘTĄ** w języku polskim, w środę, 16 października o godz. 19:00 w Bazylice dolnej. Na 30 minut przed Mszą św. odmówimy różaniec i okazja do spowiedzi świętej (Sakramentu Pojednania).

Czy pamiętasz że... 16 października obchodzimy **dzień Papieża Jana Pawła II**. W hołdzie największemu autorytetowi XX wieku, człowiekowi, który sięgając do źródeł chrześcijaństwa, uczył nas solidarności, odwagi i pokory, Sejm RP ustanowił dzień 16 października, dniem Papieża Jana Pawła II.

Dla uczczenia miesiąca **Polskiego Dziedzictwa**, pan John Vieau, burmistrz miasta Chicopee zaprasza na **PODNIESIENIE POLSKIEJ FLAGI** przed ratuszem miasta w czwartek, 17 października o godz. 10:00 AM. To dla nas wspaniała **okazja do promocji naszej polskiej obecności, kultury i tradycji.**

ZAREZERWUJ DATE – w poniedziałek, 21 października o godz. 18:30 będziemy gościć O. Józefa Witko, OFM z Polski na specjalnym spotkaniu – konferencji, adoracji Najświętszego Sakramentu i modlitwach o uzdrowienie. Prosimy o liczne przybycie.



Pozostał tylko 1 tydzień do BAZARU PARAFIALNEGO. Jest jeszcze czas by przynieść do biura parafialnego lub w dniu bazaru na polskie stoisko różne przedmioty z Polski, pamiątki, wyroby ręczne, kryształów, rzeczy jeszcze dobre. 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. Tak jak w ubiegłych latach, tak i w tym roku, liczymy na polskie Panie **i prosimy o upieczenie ciast**, które można przynieść w dniu rozpoczęcia bazaru. Jest to konkretna pomoc naszej parafii. Za wszelkie dobro i pomoc serdecznie dziękujemy. Bardzo, bardzo potrzebujemy osoby do **zorganizowania Polskiego stoiska.**

Jeśli dysponują Państwo paroma godzinami wolnego czasu w sobotę od godz. 8:00 rano to prosimy o zgłoszenie swojego udziału do biura parafialnego.

Zapraszamy do wzięcia udziału w BAZARZE PARAFIALNYM w sobotę, 19 października, od godziny 11:00 AM do 7:00 PM. W programie występ polki- orkiestry „Haritage Pops”, loterie, tradycyjna Polska kuchnia, wspaniałe wypieki, gry i zabawy dla dzieci, wyroby artystyczne i wiele, wiele więcej atrakcji. Polska Unia Kredytowa będzie zbierać produkty żywnościowe dla Lorraine Soup Kitchen a weterani dary na wińce grobów na naszym cmentarzu.

WYPOMINKI ZA ZMARŁYCH Przez cały miesiąc listopad będziemy się modlić za naszych zmarłych polecanych w tegorocznych **Wypominkach**. Serdecznie zapraszamy do udziału w Nabożeństwie Wypominkowym w każdą środę po Mszy świętej o godzinie 19:00. Wszyscy, którzy pragną dołączyć swoich zmarłych do naszych wspólnych modlitw bardzo prosimy o wypełnienie kartek z wypisanymi czytelnie imionami swoich bliskich zmarłych i przynieść je do O. Lucjana lub do biura parafialnego.

PAMIĘTAJMY O NASZYCH ZMARŁYCH - W niedzielę 3 listopada o godz. 11:00 AM w Bazylice górnej będzie odprawiona Msza św., podczas której zostaną odczytane nazwiska zmarłych od 1 listopada ubiegłego roku. W naszej Bazylice wystawiane zostaną ich zdjęcia. Zdjęcia można przynieść do biura parafialnego z podaniem następujących danych – imię i nazwisko zmarłego oraz datę zgonu, w tym imię i nazwisko, adres i numer telefonu osoby, do której zdjęcia mają być zwrócone.





WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

On **Saturday, October 19th** at the Parish Bazaar, The Wreaths Across America Team for St. Stanislaus Basilica will be launching its campaign for the sponsorship of wreaths for Veterans. Volunteers are urgently needed to staff the Wreaths Across America Table at the bazaar, working in teams of at least two people in two hour shifts. The team would like to ensure that there will be staff present the entire time period from 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. that the bazaar is operating.

The team is also looking for volunteers who are willing to participate in the sale of wreaths after all masses on the following weekend dates that wreaths will be sold in the back of the Basilica:

October 26/27 November 2/3 November 9/10 November 23/24

St Stanislaus Cemetery is the largest veterans' cemetery in Chicopee, being the final resting place for almost 2,800 Veterans who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedoms. The sponsorship of a wreath is a fitting way to honor the memory of those men and women who served our country in its greatest time of need. Please consider participating in this most worthwhile event. The support of our parish family in the past has enabled this program to grow each year. Your assistance will help it grow even further this year. For more information or if you are able to volunteer, please contact Rosemary Dachowski at 592-3071 or Al Picard at 593-5238. Thanks for your support.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION - "As we gather in communion this World Mission Sunday, I extend to you a heartfelt invitation from Pope Francis, inspired by the Gospel: "Go and invite everyone to the banquet (cf. Mt 22:9)." This charge and challenge to mission resonates deeply with our faith's core, urging us to share God's love with the world.



Over a century ago, our own Catholic Church in the United States was nurtured through the generosity of the worldwide Church that contributed to what is today this second collection. Now, we are asked to extend that same generosity to our brothers and sisters in over 1,150 mission territories across Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific Islands, and the Middle East. The collection on World Mission Sunday directly supports seminaries, future religious sisters, catechists, Catholic schools that provide essential education and healthcare centers that provide essential care with the love of Christ.

As members of the Catholic Church, which is universal by its nature, we are invited to participate actively in this mission. Our contributions and prayers on World Mission Sunday support the Church's vital work of evangelization, inviting all to experience the joy and hope found in Christ.

I urge you, dear friends, to respond generously to this request. Let us unite in prayer for the success of the Church's missionary activities and for the missionaries who dedicate their lives to spreading the Holy Gospel. Your generosity is a powerful witness to the love and compassion at the heart of our faith.

May this World Mission Sunday deepen our commitment to the Church's universal mission. Together, let us rejoice in the opportunity to share God's love with the world, inviting everyone to the banquet of the Lord.

With every good wish, I am Your friend in Christ, Most Reverend William D. Byrne, Bishop of Springfield"



FROM THE OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL - "We have all witnessed the devastation caused by Hurricane Helene. For so many whose lives were impacted, there is a long road ahead. It is at moments like this that we are called upon to look beyond our community to help those in need. Catholic Charities USA is engaged with directing help to the worst hit areas. If you would like to assist, you can do so through a donation portal at catholiccharitiesusa.org. We also have a link at www.diospringfield.org. Thank you in advance for your compassionate response." - Rev. Piotr Calik, VG

"REAL TO REEL" - This Fall the diocesan news magazine program "Real to Reel" will be seen on WWLP 22News at a special day and time - temporarily moving to Sunday mornings at 6:30 a.m. until December 1. Join us each week as we explore how the Catholic faith is lived out here in western Massachusetts. And you can always watch current and past episodes of "Real to Reel" and the "Chalice of Salvation" televised Mass on our diocesan YouTube channel www.youtube.com/@diocesesspringfieldma/featured.

BAZAAR AT ST. STANISLAUS

534 FRONT STREET, CHICOPEE, MA

Heritage Pops Band
12 - 3 p.m.

FREE ADMISSION & PARKING

DJ Rocco
4 - 6 p.m.

Polish & American

Kitchen

Holiday and Religious

Booths

Live Entertainment

Games and Prizes

for all ages

Raffles! Raffles! Raffles!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19TH

11AM - 7PM

www.ststansbasilica.org

Magician "Magic AP"
3 - 4:30 p.m.

Balloon Clown
1 - 3 p.m.

*PNCU will be collecting nonperishable food items for
Lorraine's Soup Kitchen

*Donations of toys for cats & dogs will be collected for
Dakin Animal Shelter at our Franciscan Pet Booth

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MINISTRY OF CARE

ANNUAL REPORT

(July 2023 – June 2024)

The **Annual Report** includes:

- The number of individuals who received the *Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick* in their homes and in the nursing homes, and hospitals.
- The number of individuals who received the *Anointing of the Sick* in the church on the 4th Sunday of the month.
- The number of visits the *Ministers of Care* made to our parishioners who were homebound and in the nursing homes to bring them the Holy Eucharist.
- The number of phone calls the *Ministers of Care* made to our parishioners who were homebound and in nursing homes.
- The number of monthly *Greeting Cards* that were mailed to those who were homebound and in the nursing homes.
- The number of visits the *Ministers of Care* made to our parishioners who were in the hospitals to bring them the Holy Eucharist.
- The number of car rides provided for our parishioners who did not have transportation to go to church, for medical appointments and for personal needs.

ANNUAL REPORT

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YEAR 2023	Anointing of the Sick	Anointing of the Sick in the church	Homebound Visits	Nursing home Visits	Homebound Phone Calls	Nursing home Phone Calls	Mailed Greeting Cards	Hospitals Visits	Rides
JULY	3	116	107	36	23	38	116	2	13
AUGUST	12	74	105	45	19	33	115	3	11
SEPTEMBER	1	91	100	92	31	41	115	0	8
OCTOBER	2	80	101	66	24	33	113	2	6
NOVEMBER	7	74	103	128	14	35	115	8	8
DECEMBER	7	95	116	56	15	34	118	3	10
YEAR 2024									
JANUARY	4	105	80	49	57	46	123	8	10
FEBRUARY	0	83	83	58	28	43	124	2	9
MARCH	3	66	121	84	38	45	121	3	11
APRIL	3	105	93	84	40	44	122	4	7
MAY	10	86	126	123	36	42	127	16	10
JUNE	4	80	108	115	45	34	125	1	9
TOTAL	56	1,055	1,243	936	370	468	1,434	52	112

Respectfully submitted,

Sr. Agnesa Negru, FMSA

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THE POLISH JUNIOR LEAGUE OF MASSACHUSETTS will be hosting their Annual Fashion Show on *Sunday, November 3* at the Castle of Knights Banquet Hall in Chicopee. Fashions from Zanna's of Amherst will be featured. Doors open at 11:30 a.m with a luncheon served at 12:30 p.m. followed by the Fashion Show. The profits are used to benefit our college Scholarship Fund. Tickets are \$40 per person and include a choice of three luncheon entrees. The deadline to

purchase tickets is Friday, October 18. For tickets and information call Diane Godek (413) 532-2766.



Saturday, October 12

4:00 p.m. +Elizabeth Krupczak (Krzeminski) from Godfather, Steve
ST.HYACINTH +Balbina Baniuch from Halina & Grzegorz Falandysz
ST.HYACINTH +Fr. Lucjan Krolkowski, OFM Conv., on 5th anniversary of his passing from Bogdan & Ewa Konarzewski

Sunday, October 13 - Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. +Jesse Toczec from Toczec Family
9:00 a.m. (Polish) +Jean (Gienia) Kokoszyn from husband, children, grandchildren, & great granddaughter
11:00 a.m. +Franciszka & Antoni Rakowski and Bernadeta Rakowski from family
ST.HYACINTH +Joan Bissonnette from Barbara Thomas
ST.HYACINTH - All needed graces & God's blessings for Julia on her 21st birthday from family
ST.HYACINTH +Kazia Mroczka one month after her passing from Dudziak Family

Monday, October 14 - St. Callistus I

9:00 a.m. +Stanislaw Nocon from brother & family
ST.HYACINTH - Birthday blessings & all needed graces for Agnes Ricardi from Mom
ST.HYACINTH +Margaret Veale birthday remembrance from daughter, Julie L'Heureux

Tuesday, October 15 - St. Teresa of Jesus

6:30 a.m. +Miriam Haier from daughter, Sister Cecelia
12:00 p.m. - Wisdom, Holiness, and Courage for all Priests from Agnes
ST.HYACINTH - Health & all needed graces for Zofia Grzejka & family from Ryszard L. & family
ST.HYACINTH +Elizabeth Smiarowska from family

Wednesday, October 16 - St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

6:30 a.m. +Witold Jasinski from Bernarda Gryz
8:45 a.m. (School) +Stanislaw & Tadeusz Gwozdz from granddaughter Monika
12:00 p.m. +Walter S. Skrobot, Sr. on anniversary of his passing from son, Walter, Jr.
7:00 p.m. (Polish) +Bernadeta Rakowski, Henryka & Henryk Sadowski from son & family
ST.HYACINTH +Jimmy Jedziniak from Chicopee Group
ST.HYACINTH - Wieslaw Kupiec from Frida & Leszek Sobieraj

Thursday, October 17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch

6:30 a.m. +Frank Oleskiewicz from wife Ruth & daughter Laurie
12:00 p.m. +Genowefa & Wladyslaw Nisiewicz from Ania & family
ST.HYACINTH +Helen Borucki from Helen Skotnicki

Friday, October 18 - St. Luke the Evangelist

6:30 a.m. - Parishioners of St. Stanislaus
12:00 p.m. +Elser S. Nuval anniversary of his passing from Sister Celia
ST.HYACINTH +Wieslaw Kupiec from Czarniecki Family
ST.HYACINTH - Health, blessings, speedy & complete recovery for Robb Strycharz from Al & Pat Bogia

Saturday, October 19 - Sts. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues and Companions

7:00 a.m. +Josephine M. & Edward M. Trela from family
4:00 p.m. +Wallace Czelusniak from wife & family
ST.HYACINTH +Joan Bissonnette two months after her passing from Sandra Peret
ST.HYACINTH - Birthday blessings for Susana Aguero from family

Sunday, October 20 - Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Parishioners of St. Stanislaus
9:00 a.m. (Polish) +Maria & Jozef Lach from family
11:00 a.m. +Jozefa & Frederyk Pasterczyk from Kostek Family
ST.HYACINTH +Walter Tupek from Halina & Grzegorz Falandysz
ST.HYACINTH +Stephanie Tupek from Halina & Grzegorz Falandysz



WE PRAYERFULLY REMEM-

BER all the faithful departed parishioners of St. Stanislaus Parish. In particular, our deepest sympathy and prayers go to the family and friends of **Michael Edward Dziok** who have gone recently to his eternal reward. May they, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

FLOWERS BEFORE IMAGE OF DIVINE MERCY

this week are in memory of +**Elizabeth Krupczak Krzeminski** from Dolores Krupczak.



FLOWERS BEFORE OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA

this week are for **health & all needed graces for Anthony Czarniecki** from Babcia & Dziadziu.

FLOWERS BEFORE STATUE OF JESUS this week are in memory of +**Genevieve Polak** from Mary & David Partyka.

SANCTUARY LAMP this week is burning for **birthday blessings & all needed graces for Anthony** from Babcia & Dziadziu.

CANDLE BEFORE THE BLESSED MOTHER this week is burning in loving memory of +**Elizabeth Krupczak Krzeminski** from Dolores Krupczak.

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POWERFUL PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host - by the Divine Power of God - cast into hell, satan and all the evil spirits, who roam throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

For a letter of approval to serve as a Godparent or Confirmation Sponsor, please call or visit the Parish Office. You must be a registered member of St. Stanislaus Parish (at least 3 months), having received Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation, be a practicing Catholic, and regularly supporting the parish with time, talent, and treasure.

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