

First Sunday of Lent

March 9, 2025

BASILICA of ST. STANISLAUS, B.M.



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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.
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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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Peace and all good things! A blessed and happy Lent to you! As Catholics we are not accustomed to thinking of “happy” and “Lent” in the same sentence and often characterize the season negatively with talk of what we will give up or what we will not be doing--so we can overeat and really enjoy ourselves once Easter comes. However, the Church’s tradition has always had a much more positive outlook. The Collect (Opening Prayer) of today’s Mass puts it quite beautifully. Our goal is to “grow in understanding of the riches hidden in Christ and by worthy conduct pursue their effects.” Simply put, we are called to come to know Jesus Christ more deeply and put him at the center of all we do.

This intentional process of allowing Christ to be the center of our lives is sometimes painful because it means stepping down from my throne and letting Christ sit there instead. It means saying no to my ego and to any appetites that have run amuck--always realizing that my ego and appetites are good things in themselves. What is often called the tripod of Lent--prayer, fasting, and almsgiving--is named as such because all three legs of the tripod must be equal if we are not to fall over. To allow Christ to be Lord of my life means entering God’s presence in prayer, saying no to disordered or disproportionate desires, and opening our eyes to our brothers and sisters in need. Lent is more about what we decide to do rather than not do. When the road gets difficult, remember that the whole church is walking these 40 days with you. Happy Lent!

Blessings,

Fr. Brad



LENTEN SMALL COMMUNITIES - St Stanislaus Parish needs hosts for Small Community meetings in Lent 2025 in homes. We will meet 3 times (weeks of March 17, 25, 31). The Parish will provide suggested questions. We need communities that will meet in English, Polish and Spanish. You can invite your family, friends, neighbors. So far, 4 host houses have signed up. If you would like to volunteer to be a host, please let Deacon David Southworth or the Parish office know.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY AND ROSARY SOCIETY MEETING - A meeting of the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Rosary Society will be held at the school on **Tuesday, March 11** at 6:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria. We will be reviewing and planning new and exciting events for the Jubilee Year!

ST. JOSEPH JUBILEE MASS FOR MEN AT CATHEDRAL - Bishop Byrne is inviting all the men of the diocese to join him for a special Jubilee celebration of the **Solemnity of St. Joseph on Wednesday, March 19, at the Cathedral of St. Michael in Springfield for 7pm Mass** followed by a talk given by Mike Cutone, a former Green Beret and retired Mass. State Trooper. Since the Cathedral is a pilgrimage site, there is an indulgence attached to attending this Mass as long as the prescriptions for obtaining the indulgence are fulfilled.

WREATH REMOVAL AT ST. STANISLAUS CEMETERY - The Wreaths Across America Team will be removing wreaths from St. Stanislaus Cemetery on **Saturday, March 29**, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. With over 350 wreaths to be collected, we need your help! Volunteers will meet at the cemetery entrance for a brief demonstration on wreath removal. Please bring a broomstick, hockey stick, old shovel handle, or similar tool to assist in gathering and carrying multiple wreaths at a time. Your help is greatly appreciated! For more information, please contact Al Picard at (413) 262-1672.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR! – Join us on **Sunday, March 30**, at 12:30 p.m. as we come together with the Knights of Columbus from our parish and St. Elizabeth Church in Ludlow to pray the Rosary. We look forward to sharing this time of faith and fellowship with you.



BAPTISM - We are pleased to welcome **Henryk Witold Kurc, Lincoln Robert Dombek, Emilia Rae Dombek and Richard Michael Dombek III** who were baptized as a member of the Christian Community and extend our congratulations to their parents and godparents. We pray that they continue, by words and example, to bring up their children to know, love, and serve God.

- SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES -**SATURDAY, MARCH 8**

...Daylight Saving Time Starts - Spring Forward 1 Hour

SUNDAY, MARCH 9

...Gorzkie Zale (Polish) - 3:00 p.m. - Upper Basilica

...Confirmation Class - 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. - School

MONDAY, MARCH 10

...Basketball Practice - 5:00 p.m. - School Gym

...Morning Star Family Prayer Group - 6:00 p.m. - Lower Basilica

...Life in the Spirit Team Meeting - 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. - School Cafeteria

...Parent Session for First Communion Students - 6:30 p.m. -
School Library

TUESDAY, MARCH 11

...Lectio Divina - after 12:00 p.m. Mass - Lower Basilica

...Basketball Practice - 5:00 p.m. - School

...RCIA Inquiry Sessions - 6:00 p.m. - School

...St. Vincent de Paul Society & Rosary Society Meeting - 6:00 p.m. -
School Cafeteria

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12

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

...Stations of the Cross (Polish) - 7:00 p.m. - Upper Basilica

FRIDAY, MARCH 14

...Teacher In-service Day - No School

...Stations of the Cross (English) - 7:00 p.m. - Upper Basilica

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

SATURDAY, MARCH 15

...That Man is You - 7:00 a.m. Mass - Lower Basilica; followed
by Meeting - Parish Office

...Religious Education Classes (K-8) - 9:00 a.m. - School

...Confirmation Family Mass - 4:00 p.m. - Upper Basilica

SUNDAY, MARCH 16

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

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

...Secular Franciscans Meeting - 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. - School Library

...Gorzkie Zale (Polish) - 3:00 p.m. - Upper Basilica

***Weekly Stewardship Report***

Today's first reading describes the offering of first fruits the people of Israel were to present to the Lord in thanksgiving for their deliverance from Egypt and the gift of the promised land. Is my offering at today's Mass an appropriate response to the many blessings the Lord has given me?

MARCH 1/2

Collection Basket: \$9,487

By Mail & Office: \$3,631

Maintenance Fund: \$1,994

Latin Mass: \$1,451

SECOND COLLECTION

This Week - Catholic Relief Services

Next Week - Our School

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

Do You Know....

Fr. Brad Milunski's Birthday is
March 16. Sto Lat!



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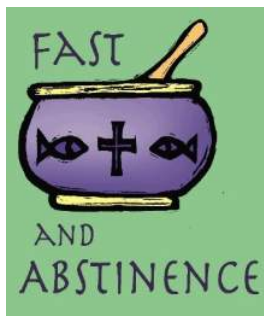
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**LENTEN REGULATIONS**

- ◆ The other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat.
- ◆ The obligation to abstain from meat begins at 14 years of age and does not cease.
- ◆ The obligation to fast begins at 18 years of age and ends at 59 years of age.

Please note: Although the faithful may excuse themselves from fast and abstinence, for a just cause, there is an obligation to substitute another penance in its place. No Catholic should lightly excuse himself/herself from these Lenten obligations.

Celem życia chrześcijańskiego jest świętość, czyli zjednoczenie z Trójjedynym Bogiem w miłości. Przeszkodą w zdobywaniu świętości jest grzech, który ma swoje źródło w uleganiu różnorodnym pokusom podsuwanym przez diabła. Najbardziej jest w nas atakowany głód chwały, czułości, miłości oraz komfortu, wygody i zabezpieczenia.

Dzięki temu, że diabeł kusił Jezusa, wiemy, co oferuje nam i co w nas samych jest najbardziej „wygłodniałe”. Jeżeli wraz z Jezusem zostaliśmy ochrzczeni w Duchu Świętym, to Duch poprowadzi nas na spotkanie z pokusami, których nigdy nie zabraknie w naszym życiu. Kuszenie Jezusa jest wewnętrzną walką i zejściem na poziom ludzkich zagrożeń, by podźwignąć człowieka. Jednocześnie ostrzega przed najbardziej podstawowymi próbami. Po pierwsze, będziemy kuszeni, aby mierzyć nasze życie raczej miarą ludzkiego dostatku, aniżeli słowa Bożego. Po drugie, będziemy kuszeni, by nawet duchowe dary obrócić na własną chwałę, a nie na chwałę Boga i braci. Po trzecie, będziemy kuszeni, by osiągać dobre cele postępując „na skróty”. Jeśli mamy uniknąć nieszczęść, będących konsekwencją ulegania pokusom, musimy wraz z Jezusem schronić się na pustyni słowa Bożego.



Pokusa namawia nas, pociąga i kierunkuje na zło. Zwykle jednak zło uobecnione w pokusie nie jest na początku wyraźne. Najczęściej kuszone uświadamia je sobie tylko mgliście, zawsze bowiem pojawia się ono w przebraniu jakiegoś dobra. Pokusa rzadko więc uderza w rzecz zakazaną bezpośrednio. Najczęściej staje na drodze jako łatwy sposób zaspokojenia autentycznej potrzeby, która nieoczekiwanie łączy się z rzeczą zakazaną. Tak było w pierwszym kuszeniu, którego opis mamy w Księdze Rodzaju. Kuszona przez węża Ewa widzi, że zakazany owoc „jest rozkoszą dla oczu” (Rdz 3,6).

Kuszenie może mieć znaczenie zarówno pozytywne, jak i negatywne. Jezusa prowadzi na pustynię Duch, który kształtuje w Nim postawę posłuszeństwa wobec woli Ojca. Ale za Duchem idzie diabeł, krzewiciel nieposłuszeństwa i adwokat oparcia się na własnej woli, oderwanej od woli Bożej. Wprawdzie Duch i diabeł mają udział w jednym dziele, to jednak chodzi im o różne sprawy. Duch chce potwierdzić Boże synostwo Jezusa, natomiast diabeł chce Go odwieść od pełnienia woli Ojca.

MODLITWA ŚW. STANISŁAWA PACZYŃSKIEGO

O Chrześcijaninie!

Ty, który codziennie obmywasz twarz,
codziennie oczyszczasz odzienie,
codziennie zamiatasz dom;
dlaczego nie czynisz codziennie tego samego
ze Świątynią Boga, którą ty jesteś?
Zwróć więc uwagę na myśli całego dnia;
rozważ, co powiedziałeś, a jeszcze pilniej, co zrobiłeś.
Czy nie pominąłeś jakiegoś dobra, albo dopuściłeś się zła?
Owszem, badaj samą intencję,
jaką się kierowałeś w swoich uczynkach,
a oprócz tego zwróć na to uwagę,
czy jakiegoś dobra nie można było wykonać lepiej.

PAMIATKA ĆWICZEŃ DUCHOWNYCH
prowadzonych przez OO. Franciszkanów
w Kościele Św. Stanisława, B. M.
w Chicopee, Mass.
od dnia 21-go do 29-go MARCA, 1925 r.

„Kto wytrwa w dobrem aż do końca,
ten zbawiony będzie.” Mat. 10. 22.

ŚRODKI DO WYTRWANIA W DOBREM:

1. Rano i wieczór módl się pobożnie, klęcząc.
2. Słuchaj Mszy Św. w każdą Niedz. i święta.
3. Spowiadaj się odtąd co miesiąc, a przynajmniej co kwartał. Po Kom. św. kwadrans czasu poświęć na dziękczynienie.
4. Bądź parafianinem czynnym; zapisz się do towarzystw istniejących przy kościele; uważaj sobie za obowiązek pod grzechem przyczyniać się do utrzymania kościoła i szkoły.
5. Unikaj złych okazji, a w pokusach szukaj ratunku w Najśw. SERCU JEZUSA I MATKI BOŻEJ.
6. Miej szczerą nabożeństwo do Matki Najśw. i za Jej przyczyną proś o łaskę wytrwania i o śmierć szczęśliwą.

„Bądź wiernym aż do śmierci,
a dam ci koronę żywota.” Obj. 2, 10

OO. FRANCISZKANIE.

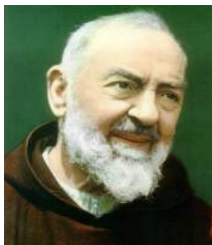
O. WAWRZYNIEC M. CYMAN, O. M. C.
Proboszcz.

Zapraszamy dziś, w niedzielę 9 marca na Nabożeństwo **GORZKIE ŻALE** z kazaniem pasyjnym o godz 15:00 Bazylice górnej. W całym okresie Wielkiego Postu Nabożeństwa te będą odbywać się w każdą niedzielę. Wszystkich parafian i przyjaciół naszej Bazyliki zachęcamy do uczestnictwa w nabożeństwach wielkopostnych.



SPOTKANIE TOWARZYSTWA ŚW. WINCENTEGO A PAULO I TOWARZYSTWA RÓŻAŃCOWEGO - odbędzie się w szkole we wtorek, 11 marca o godzinie 18:00 . Będziemy omawiać i planować nowe, ciekawe i bardzo ważne wydarzenia na Rok Jubileuszowy 2025!

W środę, 12 marca zapraszamy na Nabożeństwo **DROGI KRZYŻOWEJ** o godz. 19:00 w Bazylice górnej.



RELIKWIE ŚW. PADRE PIO - z Pietrelciny odwiedzą kościół Matki Bożej Najświętszego Sakramentu przy 127 Holyoke Road w Westfield w dniach 12 i 13 marca. W środę, 12 marca Adoracja Relikwii odbędzie się w godzinach 15.00-18.00. O 18:30 odbędzie się specjalna prezentacja oraz pytania i odpowiedzi z Julią Calandrą-Lineberg. W czwartek, 13 marca, adoracja będzie miała miejsce w godzinach 9.00-17.00. O godzinie 17:30 zostanie odprawiona Msza św. ku czci św. Pio, którą celebrować będzie biskup William Byrne. Wszyscy są zaproszeni! Aby uzyskać dodatkowe informacje, zadzwoń do Biura Parafialnego OLBS pod numer (413) 562-3450.

Biskup Byrne zaprasza mężczyzn w każdym wieku na obchody jubileuszowe w Katedrze św. Michała, które odbędą się w środę, **19 MARCA, W UROCZYSTOŚĆ ŚW. JÓZEFA** rozpoczynając Mszą Świętą o godz. 19:00. Po Mszy św. Michael Cutone, były żołnierz Zielonych Beretów i emerytowany żołnierz stanu Massachusetts, opowie o swoim osobistym nawróceniu, a także o wskazówkach, jak żyć wiarą katolicką jako mąż, ojciec, współpracownik.

REKOLEKCJE WIELKOPOSTNE – w naszej Bazylice w j. polskim odbędą się w dniach 23 – 26 marca. Nauki rekolekcyjne wygłosi O. Bronisław Staworowski, gwardian klasztoru św. Franciszka z Asyżu w Zielonej Górze. Prosimy o zarezerwowanie daty na ten szczególny czas łaski dla naszej wspólnoty parafialnej.



UWAGA UCZNIOWIE SZKÓŁ ŚREDNICH – St. Thomas Aquinas College oferuje program Summer Great Books w swoim kampusie w Nowej Anglii pod adresem 231 Main St. Northfield, MA 01360. Studenci z całego kraju i zagranicy będą mogli cieszyć się ożywioną dyskusją, zapoznając się z najlepszymi dziełami ostatnich 2500 lat z pierwszej ręki. Będą omawiane teksty wybrane spośród mistrzów zachodniej tradycji intelektualnej, m.in. Platona, Euklidesa, Sofoklesa, Pascala i św. Tomasza z Akwinu. Letni Program Liceum to czas na zawieranie nowych przyjaźni, czerpanie radości z dawania i brania racjonalnych argumentów oraz dążenie do prawdy, która cywilizuje, uszlachetnia i wyzwala. Odbędą się wycieczki terenowe, spływy kajakowe po rzece Connecticut i wiele innych zajęć sportowych. Aby uzyskać dodatkowe informacje, odwiedź ich stronę internetową thomasaquinas.edu lub zadzwoń pod numer (413) 846-1200.

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40 DNI DLA ŻYCIA - od 5 marca do 13 kwietnia zapraszamy do przyłączenia się do chrześcijan (i innych ludzi dobrej woli) w ramach 40 Dni dla Życia – 40 dni modlitwy i postu o położenie kresu aborcji. Zachęcamy także do stania i spokojnej modlitwy podczas 40-dniowego czuwania na publicznym pasie drogowym przed Planned Parenthood przy 3550 Main Street w Springfield, a także do pomocy w rozpowszechnianiu informacji o tej ważnej akcji społecznej. Jeśli chcesz uzyskać więcej informacji, zwłaszcza jeśli chcesz zgłosić się na ochotnika do pomocy, skontaktuj się z Timem

Bigginsem (413) 285-2257 lub pod adresem 40daysWM@gmail.com.

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JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR



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What is a Life in the Spirit Seminar?

The Life in the Spirit Seminar is an invitation to make or renew a deep personal commitment to Jesus Christ in openness to the Holy Spirit and His gifts. It serves as an introduction to a life in the power of the Holy Spirit by renewing and igniting the power of the Holy Spirit that we received at baptism and confirmation. It promotes an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ our Lord to experience a personal Pentecost in our lives. Come and experience a personal Pentecost.

"God's Love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit." (Romans 5:5)

The Jubilee Year of Hope Life in the Spirit Seminar will be held:

Date: Mondays, April 21 thru June 9, 2025 (no seminar on Memorial day)

Time: 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Place: St. Stanislaus School, 534 Front St., Chicopee, MA

For more information call: 413-452-0511 or email: disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org

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To Register please send this registration form with check for \$20.00 made out to and sent to : Disciples of Mary, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke, MA 01040

NAME: _____

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Life in the Spirit Seminar

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In memory of + Michael Dziok

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In memory of + Frank L. Kozikowski

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\$ 1,000.00 Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Kufta for Laptops/Ipads
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ATTENTION MARRIED COUPLES - St. Elizabeth Parish in Ludlow has planned a "Celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage Liturgy," followed by a Dinner/Dance for **Saturday, March 29**. The regularly scheduled 4:00 PM Saturday evening Mass at the parish will include prayers for marriage and a blessing for married couples. Mass will be followed by a social and buffet dinner/dance at the Parish SJB Pastoral Center. This event is planned in honor of husbands and wives who share in the Holy Sacrament of Matrimony. The buffet dinner/dance is *by reservation only - by no later than March 22nd*. The cost is \$45.00 per couple with "group reservations" available for a table maximum of 10 people. Information Flyer with Reservation Form is available in the church and at the rectory on Hubbard Street, Ludlow, as well as on their website: stelizabethludlow.org/marriage-ministry.

MOTHER'S DAY DINNER - Come for an unforgettable evening at the 2025 MCFL Annual Mother's Day Fundraising Dinner, held at the beautiful Log Cabin on **Thursday, May 8**, at 6:00 p.m. Enjoy a delicious meal while supporting the cause of Life in MA, and be inspired by the incredible keynote speaker, Bishop W.C. Martin, Pastor, Bennett Chapel Missionary Baptist Church. Early registration special for tickets purchased by March 16. Visit www.masscitizensforlife.org/mothers-day-tickets.

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If you are 70 ½ years of age or older and have a Traditional IRA, you are eligible to make a Qualified Charitable Distribution. Currently in 2025, up to \$108,000 in IRA funds can be counted as Qualified Charitable Distributions annually. For married couples, each spouse can make Qualified Charitable Distributions up to the \$108,000 limit for a potential total of \$216,000.

Please consider making a big impact on the future of the Basilica of Saint Stanislaus by the use of the Qualified Charitable Distribution option from your IRA!

Please consult your tax advisor for further information.



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SPRINGFIELD

SKATE NIGHT

THUNDERBIRDS
vs. *Wild*
WILD

 **MAR 29**
@7:05PM

ST. STANISLAUS NIGHT AT THE SPRINGFIELD THUNDERBIRDS

COMPLIMENTARY TICKET FOR ALL STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED THE STICK TO READING PROGRAM. EXCLUSIVE \$17 TICKET RATE FOR ALL STAFF, FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

\$3 FOOD VOUCHER FOR A HOT DOG AND SODA AVAILABLE FOR ADD ON.

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Saturday, March 8

4:00 p.m. +Patrick Welch from family
ST.HYACINTH - Blessings & graces for Bernat & Liszka
Families from cousins

Sunday, March 9 - First Sunday of Lent

7:00 a.m. +George Dziurzynski from Dziurzynski Family
9:00 a.m. (Polish) +Slawomir Mijal on anniversary of his
passing from Mom with family
11:00 a.m. +Victoria & Albert Swiech from family
ST.HYACINTH +Zygmund Kmiecik from Jozef & Zofia
Gasior and family

Monday, March 10 - Lenten Weekday

6:30 a.m. +Joseph Plumari from Marysia & Dolek Rajpold
12:00 p.m. +Jan Niziankiewicz and Mary & Walter Topor
from Trznadel Family
ST.HYACINTH +Wieslaw Kupiec from Marysia & Dolek
Rajpold

Tuesday, March 11 - Lenten Weekday

6:30 a.m. - Parishioners of St. Stanislaus
12:00 p.m. +Zenobia Nocon from son & family
ST.HYACINTH +Joseph Plumari from Wladzia Les

Wednesday, March 12 - Lenten Weekday

6:30 a.m. +Joseph Sliski from wife & family
8:45 a.m. (School) +Emilia & Boleslaw Piekos from
Andrew, Emilia, Alina & Nik
12:00 p.m. +In loving memory of Ewa Radawiec from
husband, Edward
ST.HYACINTH +Anna Potecka from son

Thursday, March 13 - Lenten Weekday

6:30 a.m. +Frances & Mathew Filip from Korenkiewicz
Family
12:00 p.m. +Jane & Casimir Kruzel from Dziurzynski Family
ST.HYACINTH - Healing for Oma from son

Friday, March 14 - Lenten Weekday

6:30 a.m. +Roman Boryczka from Kazimierz Boryczka
12:00 p.m. - Birthday blessings & graces for Fr. Brad
Milunski, OFM Conv., from friend
ST.HYACINTH +Marian Bryda and his deceased parents
from Danuta Bryda

Saturday, March 15 - Lenten Weekday

7:00 a.m. +Roman Boryczka from Anna Gwozdz
4:00 p.m. +Gloria Nuval from daughter, Celia Couture
ST.HYACINTH +Maria Wolanska from Wanda Wolanska &
family

Sunday, March 16 - Second Sunday of Lent

7:00 a.m. +Maria & Jozef Soljan from Wos family
9:00 a.m. (Polish) +Jozef & Maria Lach from family
11:00 a.m. - Blessings for and in thanksgiving on 10th
wedding anniversary for Felicia & Omaine
Dennis from family
ST.HYACINTH +Antonina & Jan Sokolowski from Adam &
Wieslawa Cwieka



WE PRAYERFULLY RE-
MEMBER all the faithful de-
parted parishioners of St.
Stanislaus Parish. In particu-
lar, our deepest sympathy and
prayers go to the family and friends of **Josephine
Hillios and Patricia Schoolcraft** who have gone re-
cently to their eternal reward. May they, through the
mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE

this week is burning in loving
memory of +**John Stevens** from
wife, Stephanie.



Saint Mary's High
School will present their
production of **SHREK
THE MUSICAL** on
March 13-15. Perform-
ances will be at 7:00
p.m. in the gymnasium

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March 15 at 1:00. Shrek tells the story of an ogre's
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ness and/or current events. Our next two scheduled
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April 23 starting at 5:15 pm at Sacred Heart Parish,
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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.

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