

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:30 a.m. (said in English) 11:00 a.m. (said in Polish)

Weekday Masses

Masses are in Chapel Monday & Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. Wed. Thur. Fri. Sat. 11:30 a.m. Thursday Mass is said in Polish

Confession

(Sacrament of penance and reconciliation)
In the Church
Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m.
Or by appointment

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Sunday before Mass in English After the Mass in Polish

Sacrament of Anointing

In case of emergency, please call the office.

Exposition of the Holy Eucharist

Wednesday to Friday
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Mass
First Thursday of the Month
In the Church from 7p.m. – 10 p.m.

Perpetual Novena to Our Lady of Czestochowa

Every Saturday after 11:30 a.m. Mass

Parish Office Hours

Monday–Friday: 9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. (Closed for lunch 12:30-1:00)

Letters of Recommendation

Only registered and participating parishioners will be issued a Letter of Recommendation. Letters cannot be issued to non-parishioners

Welcome

We extend to our visitors a very special welcome. We trust that the liturgy will be a blessing to you and you will visit us again. If you think you may be interested in joining Corpus Christi Parish, please contact our office. We will be glad to assist in making arrangements for your registration. Call 716-896-1050

If you are the Donor of the Mass intention and would like to bring up the gifts, please inform one of the Ushers before Mass.

Sunday Vigil

5:00 + Rita Dudczak requested by Jason Fik & Julie Mc Coy

Sunday, January 28th, The Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:30 Parishioners of Corpus Christi

11:00 Best Wishes and God's Blessings on John Paul Halicki requested by Family

Monday, January 29th,

10:00 Deceased of the Gerken, Glichowski, Mazurkiewicz, and Sobus Families

Tuesday, January 30th,

10:00 + Lucjan Mrzyglod requested by Family

Wednesday, January 31st, Saint John Bosco, Priest

11:30 + Jeannette Marek anniversary of her passing

First Thursday, February 1st,

11:30 + Franciszek Czarnecki requested by Barbara

7 p.m – 10 p.m Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrement

First Friday, February 2nd, Feast of The

Presentation of the Lord

11:30 + Gisela Ederer requested by Robert Fronckowiak

First Saturday, February 3rd, Saint Blaise,

Bishop and Martyr, and Saint Ansgar, Bishop

11:30 Edward Hungar requested by Martin and Lucia Ederer

Sunday Vigil

5:00 + Walter Kusek requested by Family

Sunday, February 4th, The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 + Anthony Krygier requested by Family and Friends

11:00 + Wanda Dyjewska requested by Rodzina Dąbrowskich



Sanctuary Lamp in the Church

The Lamp in Church is burning Brightly for + John B. Pitak Requested by his wife Florence

Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel

Intentions of our Parishioners



Prayer Request

Prayers are requested for the following: Ronald Orcutt, Joan Janiszewski, Frank Page, Arthur M. Holakowski, John Drabek, Irene Golembiewski, Christine Gryko, Zbyszek Nowak, Alfred Wieczorek, Joe Janora, Carol Machynski, Ted Pilarski, Alina Lomacka, John Raczka, and baby Mac Martin.

Attendance and Collections

January 21, 2017 Attendance 136 Collection \$ 1,549.50 Fuel Offering \$ 3392.00

FYI

This week we received the utility bills for all five of our buildings. Thanks to you we have the financial ability to keep ahead of our bills. The National Fuel bill was \$2520.66 and National Grid ran\$ 499.93.

Now we would like to express our sincere Thanks and Gratitude to one gentle lady. She has only been a "parishioner" for a short time, but she has been a loyal and trusted supporter of our Parish for many years. Her very generous donation is very much appreciated. Another large donation came to us from people committed to see our Church stay warm. We **Thank** them also. They are what sets our Parish apart. The love and dedication of our Donors cannot be duplicated. Thanks to everyone who donates to our Fuel Fund.

Thank You Sincere and Heartfelt Thanks go out to everyone who assisted with the OPŁATEK on Sunday. We would like to acknowledge the efforts of the people who cleaned, those that cooked, those that brought something to share, and those who sang, played music and cleaned up after the festivities, Thanks one and all the profits are being put into the fuel fund.

Pilgrimage to Poland August 13 - 21, 2018 Warsaw · Niepokalanow · Czestochowa · Auschwitz · Krakow · Wadowice · Wieliczka · Zakopane\$3,794 from Buffalo, NY More info. www.pilgrimages.com/frmichal



2018 Pastoral Visit There is a long time tradition of having the Pastor of your Church visit your home and bring a special blessing to you and those in your household and to bless you house. We still do this in 2018. If you are interested in having Father Michał visit your home, please call the rectory to make arrangements and schedule an appointment.

Reflection In today's gospel, Mark teaches us about openness and trust in the Word of God. We hear about Jesus teaching in the synagogue, speaking not as the scribes of the day might, but as one with authority. When a man possessed by a spirit convulsed in front of him, Jesus commanded the demon to leave. Clearly His words had the power to invoke change. The people were amazed, saying "With authority he commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." It was the words that Jesus spoke that were like nothing else the people had ever heard before. His fame began to spread quickly from that point. The Word of God has the power to change our lives. God wants to free us from the negative influences in our lives that sap our time, energies and thoughts. He wants to empower us to do what is good and constructive. We only need to be open and trust in Jesus and his teachings.

Catholic Charities Every year, Catholic Charities dedicates its time and resources to help those in need. But 2016 was truly a noteworthy year. As one multifaceted organization, they were able to help thousands of our community's most at risk members, from youth to seniors. They specialize in programs that impacted Catholic and non-Catholics of all ages-one of the things that makes Catholic Charities so unique. "I have never been so excited to learn in my life," said Victoria, a student in Catholic Charities' Tomorrow's Youth Today program. Tomorrow's Youth Today is just one of many services offered through Catholic Charities. In the program, students line Victoria are able to upgrade reading and math skill levels, prepare for the high school

equivalency exam, gain job readiness skills and find paid work experiences and other employment preparation. Your donation to the Catholic Charities' 2018 Appeal helps to continue to educate, mentor, and set up young people for success.

A Gathering Place Are you an older adult who is looking for a social program? Or do you have a loved one who could benefit from one? Try Catholic Charities'. A Gathering Place, a program designed for adults age 60 and older who may need assistance with activities of daily living, in addition to physical and cognitive activities and socialization. This program is held in a supervised and safe environment at 128 Wilson Street, Buffalo. Services include individualized program options, nutritious meals and snacks throughout the day and shower services. For information, call 716-896-6388.

Vocations We have great news! Jesus has come to liberate us from everything that brings despair. How is Jesus asking you to spread this good news? If God is calling you to a Church vocation call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535.

Come out and warm up to the Polkas, Polish food and of course the Paczki! The 21th Annual Paczki Day will take place on Sunday, Feb.11, 2018 at the Holy Mother of the Rosary Cathedral 6298 Broadway in Lancaster from 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Special Delivery will be playing all your favorite polkas from 2-6 PM. The Polish Heritage Dancers will take the stage at 3 PM. Our Polish kitchen will be open for all your favorite Polish foods. This event is a perfect opportunity to bring children and grandchildren for a fun afternoon. Plenty of free parking and buses are welcome. Tickets are \$8.00 in advance, \$10.00 at the door. Children under 12 can get in for only \$2.00. Tickets are limited so get them early before they sell out! For tickets, table reservations, or more information, call (716) 983-5084 or (716) 681-0813. Tickets are also available at the Am-Pol Eagle Newspaper, the voice of Polonia, 3620 Harlem Rd. Cheektowaga, NY 835-9454.

Special Guest

On February 4th at both the 9:30 and 11:00 Mass Father Justus Ndyamukame, Director of the Pontifical Mission Society in Buffalo, will be here to explain where the Society's Mission and the procedure they uses to disperse funds donated. If you have questions, please write them down, give it to an Usher and we will make sure they are given to Father so they could be answered while Father is here.

YOU'RE INVITED TO A MASS OF THANKSGIVING

In gratitude for the abundant blessings and success of the Upon This Rock campaign, please join Bishop Richard Malone at one of the following community Masses of thanksgiving.

Tuesday, January 30 – Infant of Prague Parish, Cheektowaga – Mass at 5:30 p.m

Friday, February 9 – St. Joseph Parish, Fredonia – Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Monday, February 12 – All Saints Parish, Lockport – Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 13 – Ascension Parish, Batavia – Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Please select the Mass that is most convenient for you by visiting UponThisRockWNY.org/RSVP or call 716.847.8740

Invitation

Folk ensemble "Ludowa Nuta" invites you to our annual dance "The Groundhog Ball"on February 3, 2018 at 6:30 pm at The White Eagle Banquet Center (1015 Barton St. E. Hamilton, ON) A \$30Cad/\$24US ticket includes a warm meal, coffee and pastry and live entertainment by

Ed Guca & the Polish Canadians. For tickets please call: (905) 304-1945