

# *St. Stanislaus Catholic Church*

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## Mass Schedule

*Sunday 10 AM*

*Saturday 6 PM*

*Weekdays: Wed. & Fri. at Noon*

*Holy Days: See Bulletin*

*Annual Homecoming Bazaar*

*2nd Sunday in October*

*Other Parish Information See Bulletin*

# *Dear Padre*

JANUARY 28, 2018

***Every year, someone with a cold wants to shake my hand at the sign of peace, and sick people drink from the Communion cup. Can't parishes ban the cup and the sign of peace during flu season?***

Many people share your concern. As a priest, I am hugged by an entire congregation throughout flu season. If I'm sick, I warn people as they approach, but some people want a hug anyway. For many, community fellowship wins out over prudence.

Of course it would be best if those who are sick don't drink from the cup containing the precious Blood. But even if they do, receiving the precious Blood is more important to me than the slight risk of illness.

However, if it bothers you that much, there's nothing wrong with electing not to receive the precious Blood. And instead of shaking hands and hugging at the sign of peace, try nodding and waving. If people don't understand and push for more, simply say, "Don't want to pass on the flu." That should stop them.

In today's society, far too many things keep us physically apart. I refuse to casually surrender anything that brings us together in love and fellowship except in dire circumstances, and for me, a normal flu season doesn't qualify.

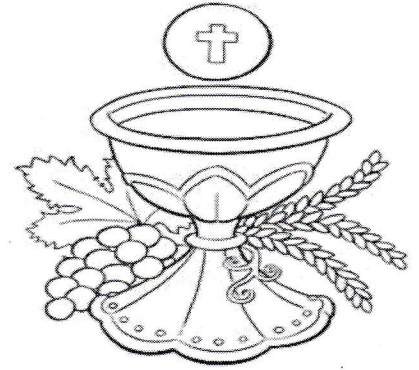
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**January 28, 2018**

***4th Sunday in Ordinary Time***

God's desire is to liberate his people so that they fulfill their holy destiny.



In the first reading, the Lord promises Israel that he will raise up a new prophet, one who will speak with his authority. Paul urges the Corinthians to remain free of worldly anxieties. In Mark's Gospel, it is the unclean spirit that recognizes Jesus' true identity and responds to his commands.

***Mass Intentions***

**Wednesday January 31st 12:00**

Deceased Members of the Portesi,  
Mountain & Pool Families

**Friday February 2nd 12:00**

Deceased Members of the  
Mike & Eleanore Walkoviak Family

**Saturday February 3rd 6:00**

Doris Warzon, Rudolph & Hermina Franta

**Sunday February 4th 10:00**

Special Mass Intention  
Susan Cook

**Father Eli**

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Enter Parish code:  
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**Liturgical Ministers**

**Saturday February 3rd 6:00pm**

<u>Lectors:</u>	Delores Posinski & Carolyn Kimich	<u>Rosary:</u>	Delores Posinski
<u>E.M.H.C</u>	Charles & Delores Posinski, Kellyann Kitkoski		
<u>Altar Servers:</u>	Andrew Borski, Jacob Borski, Christina Hluchan		
<u>Ushers:</u>	Stephen Pasket, Chet Sicinski, Michael Wisnoski, Danny Pasket		

**Sunday February 4th 10:00am**

<u>Lectors:</u>	Tommy & Barbara Szymczak	<u>Rosary:</u>	Linda LaSalle
<u>E.M.H.C</u>	Marion & Evelyn Szymczak, Joan Pushee, Tommy Szymczak		
	Kelly Bohnert & Robert Maggio (Choir)		
<u>Altar Servers:</u>	Tyler Abraham, Hannah Abraham, Haden Sechelski		
<u>Ushers</u>	Daniel Klawinski, Jerome Klawinski, Don Sowell, James Busa		



## *Our Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for January*

That Christians, and other religious minorities in Asian countries, may be able to practice their faith in full freedom.



St Stanislaus Kostka

Pray for us



## **Announcements**

### DSF Weekend February 3rd and 4th

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Please remember our neighbors in need with  
your food donation

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Liberation is at the heart of our Scriptures – a freedom that will liberate us from worldly anxieties and concerns, and from all that might hinder us in fulfilling our holy mission. Listening to and obeying God's Word prevents us from hardening our hearts and distancing ourselves from his presence in our lives.



# Welcome to St. Stanislaus Catholic Church

Please contact the parish office if you wish to register or know someone who would like to become a member of our parish. 936-873-2291

**Cemetery Guidelines :** If you have questions or concerns pertaining to the cemetery contact Charles Posinski at 936-873-2113. If work needs to be done on a headstone or grave you must first contact Charles Posinski.

**Altar Society :** St. Stanislaus Altar Society meets the first Thursday of every month. The next meeting will be Thursday February 1st at 6:00 All Catholic ladies are welcome to join us!

**12 Hour Adoration:** Our church is open every Monday 8 am to 8 pm September to May. Everyone is welcome to join in the worship with the scheduled persons.

**Divine Mercy:** Every Friday after the noon Mass . Everyone is welcome to join us.

**RCIA:** Anyone seeking the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) or adult confirmation Please call the church office at 936-873-2291

**Birthdays & Anniversaries :** On the 1<sup>st</sup> weekend of every month (Sunday Masses), Fr. Eli will bless anyone with a birthday or wedding anniversary during that month.

**Anointing of the Sick :** Every 3rd weekend of the month, anointing of the sick will be held in the church following the 10:00 am Sunday Mass. Anointing of the sick is for people who are seriously ill or preparing to undergo surgery. It is also for the elderly who are suffering from the infirmities of age.

**Knights of Columbus :** KC Council #4054 meets at the KC Hall every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7pm. Please join us. All Catholic men are welcome. Contact Anthony Olivieri at 936-522-8146 for more information.

**Baptism:** Classes are necessary for baptism. Please contact the parish office to make needed arrangements.

**Choir Practice:** Thursdays at 6:30 in the church. Everyone is welcome to join.

**Marriage:** There is a required preparation process that must be completed prior to one being married in the Catholic Church. Please call the office for more information.

**Reconciliation:** 30 Minutes before weekday Masses ( Please call ahead to let the Priest know)  
5:00pm on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays

## Readings

### Monday Jan. 29

2 Sm 15:13-  
14, 30; 16:5-13  
Mk 5:1-20

### Tuesday Jan. 30

2 Sm 18:9-10,  
14b, 24-25a,  
30-19:3  
Mk 5:21-43

### Wednesday Jan. 31

St. John Bosco,  
Priest  
2 Sm 24:2,  
9-17  
Mk 6:1-6

### Thursday Feb. 1

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12  
Mk 6:7-13

### Friday Feb. 2

Presentation  
of the Lord  
Mal 3:1-4  
Heb 2:14-18  
Lk 2:22-40 or  
2:22-32

### Saturday Feb. 3

Weekday  
1 Kgs 3:4-13  
Mk 6:30-34

### Sunday Feb. 4

Fifth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
Jb 7:1-4, 6-71  
Cor 9:16-19,  
22-23  
Mk 1:29-39



Our Church is open for daily prayer during office hours.

Office hours are Tuesday to Friday 8:00 to 4:00

For information on renting the parish hall,  
please call the office at 936-873-2291

## Please pray for our parish family who are ill and/or homebound.

Lois Barton, Bernice Briers, Betty Busa, Francelle Busa, Michael Busa, Pearl Busa, Margaret Creel, Gary Davila, Patricia Dobyanski, Kari Lynn Eisenman, John Faust, Margaret Fann, Preston Fann, Claudia Gurrola, Meb Hartman, Mark Heymen, Justin Homeyer, George Janacek, Rosalee (Pat) Janacek, Kaudia Johnson, Helen Kimich, Kacy Kitkoski, Kathy Lang, Florence Lara, Martin Lara, Katherine Lee, William Lett, Albert Mattern, Russell Mattern, Rosemary Molina, Helen Molitor, Thomas Noble, Joseph Obell, Matthew Oliver, Reagan Oliver, Edward Pasket, Mary Pasket, Barbara Perry, Mary Joel Phillips, Linda Russell, Mike Russell, Kenny Sechelski, Geneva Sicinski, Crista Chiles Skalsky, Alma Smith, Joey Stem, La Nell Szymczak, Tonya Taylor, Michael Yanchak.

Please let the  
office know of  
anyone who  
should be added  
or removed  
from these lists.

## Please pray for those in active military duty.

Austin Barnes, Andrew Burzynski  
Don Fontaine, Travis Hayes,  
Cody Klawinsky, Travis Klawinsky  
Matthew Macejewski, John McKnight,  
Phillip Walkoviak



## Upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections:

February 4, 2018  
DSF SUNDAY

February 14, 2018  
Ash Wednesday  
Social Ministries

## Collections

January 20th \$ 994.85

January 21st \$ 2,638.00



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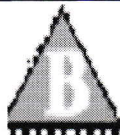
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