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Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes

July 21, 2024 | Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Kanty

St. John Gualbert

Corpus Christi

St. Katherine Drexel

St. Adalbert

St. Stanislaus



Mass Schedule:

SATURDAY VIGIL:

4:00pm......St. Stanislaus **4:00pm**.....St. John Gualbert

SUNDAY:

9:00am.....St. John Gualbert (Polish) 9:15am.....Corpus Christi **10:15am**.....St. John Kanty 10:30am.....St. Katharine Drexel 11:45am.....St. John Gualbert **12:00pm**.....St. Stanislaus (Polish) **5:00pm**.....St. Stanislaus

CONFESSIONS: *Every Saturday*

3:15pm.....St. Stanislaus 3:30pm.....St. John Gualbert

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday/Wednesday/Friday

8:00am...St. Stanislaus

8:30am...St. Katharine Drexel

Tuesday/Thursday

8:00am...St. John Gualbert

8:30am...St. John Kanty/St. Adalbert

Corpus Christi

8:45am...M, T, W, Th, F 8:45am... First Saturday

Bulletin Deadline:

Bulletin requests are due 10 days in advance. Please email them to

bulletineastbuffalo@gmail.com



JOIN THE GREATER EAST BUFFALO FAMILY OF PARISHES ST. ADALBERT, CORPUS CHRISTI, ST. JOHN KANTY*,

ST. KATHARINE DREXEL, AND ST. STANISLAUS

Fast Side Garden Walk Saturday & Sunday, July 20 & 21, 2024, 10am-4pm

ENJOY THE BEAUTIFUL GARDENS, GROTTOS,

*St. John Kanty is not part of the official East Side Garden Walk but you are invited to visit their grounds and tour the Church on Sunday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. When visiting St. Adalbert be sure to stop by the Mother Teresa Home Ministry Gardens at 208 Stanislaus Street.



Office Hours:

St. John Gualbert / St. Katharine Drexel

M, T, Th, F 12:00pm-3:00pm 83 Gualbert Ave (716) 892-5746

St. John Kanty/ St. Adalbert

M, T, Th, F 8:00am-11:00am 101 Swinburne (716) 893-0412

* All staff at St. Stanislaus Wednesdays

* For Sacramental Emergencies after office hours, please call Fr. Mark at 716-331-9041

St. Stanislaus

M, W*, Th 9:00am-2:00pm 123 Townsend St (716) 854-5510

Corpus Christi

M, T, W, Th 9:30am-1:30pm 199 Clark Street (716) 896-1050

Parish Family Staff:

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Michael ZachowiczOrganist (Kant	y/Gualbert)
Andrew N. KowtaloOrganist (Cor	pus Christi)
Robert WinklerOrganist (St. Kathari	ine Drexel)

Weekly Collections:				
St. John Kanty:	July 7	\$ 889.00		
St. John Gualbert:	July 7	\$1315.00		
St. Stanislaus:	July 7	\$1508.00		
St. Katharine Drexel:	July 7	\$1549.00		
Corpus Christi:	July 7	\$2791.00		

Parish Registration



If you would like to join one of our parishes, please visit our family website:

www.eastbuffalocatholic.org and click on the Registration tab!

Vehicle Blessings

St. Stanislaus:

- * Saturday, July 20—After 4:00pm Mass
- * Sunday, July 21—After 12:00pm & 5:00pm Masses

St. John Gualbert:

- * Saturday, July 27—After 4:00pm Mass
- * Sunday, July 28—After 9:00am & 11:45am Masses

Corpus Christi:

*Sunday, July 28—After 9:15am Mass

The story of St. Christopher is a captivating part of Christian gospel. According to legend, Christopher's given name was Reprobus and that he once served the king of Canaan, who he believed to be "the greatest king there was". One day he saw that the king feared the devil. Upon learning this, he decided to depart from the king's service and seek out the devil. He came across one of whom declared himself as the devil and Reprobus decided to serve him. However, when he saw his new master avoid a wayside cross, he learned that the devil feared Christ. He left the devil's service and set out on a journey to find Christ.

He encountered a hermit who instructed him on the Christian faith and suggested that he might use his strength to help travelers cross a dangerous river.

One day a child arrived to be carried across the river. Reprobus took the child upon his shoulders, but as he crossed the river, the child grew heavier until Reprobus feared he would fall and that they would both drown. When he asked the child why he was so heavy, the child revealed that he was Jesus Christ and answered that he was heavy with the weight of the world's sins. Christ then baptized Reprobus in the river and gave him his Christian name which - Christopher - means "Christbearer."

During the 1960s, the Catholic Church reviewed and revised the Calendar of Saints, and eliminated the feast days of several saints including the celebration of St. Christopher which was on July 25th. Although Christopher does remain a saint, his day of celebration, July 25, is no longer listed on the Catholic calendar. Despite this confusion, devotion to St. Christopher continues. Travelers wear St. Christopher medals, place medallions on their dashboards, or clip them to sun visors to keep him close and to protect them.



MASS & NOVENNA PRAYERS TO ST. ANNE
MOTHER OF MARY
THURSDAY, JULY 25

8:30 AM

St. John Kanty Church

How to be an evangelizer in your own home

From the Outreach/Inreach Pillar

- Pray grace before and after meals.
- Proudly display symbols of your faith.
- Learn about the saints on their feast days.
- Establish rituals based on the Church year,
 e.g.All Saints Day display pictures of deceased loved ones; Lent display a cross in your window.
- Celebrate baptismal anniversaries.
- Discuss the morality of a TV show.
- Begin and end the day with prayer.
- Have holy water available to bless members of the family.
- Do a service project together as a family.
- Have quality time together without cell phones.
- Discuss etiquette when posting messages on social media.
- Welcome all guests as Christ.

Catechesis on the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Part 1 of 2

Anointing of the Sick is "one of the seven sacraments, also known as the 'sacrament of the dying,' administered by a priest to a baptized person who begins to be in danger of death because of illness or old age, through prayer and the anointing of the body with the oil of the sick. The proper effects of the sacrament include a special grace of healing and comfort to the Christian who is suffering the infirmities of serious illness or old age, and the forgiving of the person's sins" Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Often this Sacrament is misunderstood. It is to be used when:

- A baptized person begins to be in danger of death due to illness.
- A baptized person begins to be in danger of death due to old age.

A person who is to receive a surgical procedure such as colonoscopy, dental surgery, cosmetic surgery, or other medical tests does not fit the criteria of danger of death for the Anointing of the Sick. Many believe anesthesia from surgery is enough to receive Anointing of the Sick, but if there is no medical condition at the time of Anointing that brings someone to the point of danger of death, then the Sacrament of Anointing will not have its desired effect. In the case of someone who is to receive a medical procedure for a non-life threatening situation the appropriate Sacraments are Confession and Holy Communion.

For someone who has cancer, has had a heart attack, a stroke, or another condition that is currently causing them to be in danger of death please contact a priest as soon as possible for the Anointing of the Sick. It is customary that the priest administers the Sacrament of Anointing to a Catholic who is in a nursing home during his regular visits if they are in danger of death from a medical condition or come to be in danger of death from old age.

StMaryGuthrie.com

Cheektowaga Polish American Arts Festival-July 26-28 at Cheektowaga Town Park on Harlem Road. The family-friendly celebration will feature an expanded food court, food trucks, vendors and cooking and craft demonstrations. The festival is free to the public.



There are many Mass dates still available in 2024. Intentions may be for the living, deceased (noted by a Cross in the bulletin), or a special intention.

The suggested donation is \$15 for a Mass.

Family Picnic ~ Save the Date!

GREATER EAST BUFFALO FAMILY OF PARISHES

(St. Stanislaus, Corpus Christi, St. Adalbert, St. John Kanty, St. Katharine Drexel, and St. John Gualbert)

FAMILY PICNIC

at the CHEEKTOWAGA POLISH AMERICAN ARTS FESTIVAL SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2024 From 12:00 Noon to 3:00 pm

in

Cheektowaga Town Park (Harlem Road)

SHELTER NUMBER 7

HOT DOGS, POLISH SAUSAGE, ROLLS, CONDIMENTS, SODA, WATER AND ASSORTED CHIPS ARE PROVIDED ALONG WITH PLATES, UTENSILS, AND CUPS

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Seating in the shelter is limited—
if you like, bring your own chair and/or table

Come Rain or Shine. This event is FREE! We hope you can join us for this family celebration.



VOCATION VIEW

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Jesus' heart was moved to pity because the crowd was lost "like sheep without a shepherd." Would you be the shepherd Jesus sends to lead his flock? Start the conversation with Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 to or visit buffalovocations.org.

Respect Life

Pro-Life Resources now available on the Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes website!

Visit https://eastbuffalocatholic.org/ pro-life-resources

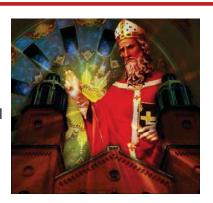


Saturday Vigil Masses return to St. John Kanty

August 3, 2024 at 5:30pm.

SAVE THE DATE

On Saturday, August 10th, the St. John Kanty Vigil
Mass will take place at St. Adalbert in
collaboration with the Mother Theresa Home





A special mass will take place at St Adalbert Basilica in collaboration with The Mother Teresa Home on August 10th @ 5:30pm. In recognition of Cheryl Claire and her ministry, the parishioners of St. Adalbert / St. John Kanty have organized a *collection for the St Gianna Outreach Centers* of all baby items: *baby clothing, bottles, receiving blankets, diapers, bibs, gift cards and other basic infant and toddler care items.* Donations may be placed in bins in your church July 27/28, August 3/4, August 10/11 and will also be accepted on August 10th. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Arlene at 716-997-9983

CATHOLIC ACADEMY CORNER



- Catholic Academy of West Buffalo graduation took place at Blessed Sacrament Church on June 26th.

 Twenty-one students graduated and 81% will be attending private high schools. The class of 2024 earned over \$325,000 in academic scholarships, a school record! Congratulations to all!
- Our wonderful STEAM Summer camp is in session July 8 26th. The camp is free for any student at CAWB.
- Our enrollment is strong and several classes are near capacity. There is limited spaces in grades Pre-K
 -7. Please call 885-6111 for registration information or to schedule a tour
- Our popular part time Pre-K 3 year old program has openings. It runs on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8am 11am and is \$50 a week. Please call 885-6111 for further information. Summer office hours are Monday Thursday, 9:00am 1:00pm

hen he disembarked and saw
the vast crowd, his heart was moved
with pity for them, for they were like
sheep without a shepherd; and he
began to teach them many things.

Mark 6:34 (NAB)

SANCTUARY LIGHT INTENTIONS





Eugenia Mavromatis By Family St. Stanislaus Robert McDivitt By Rosalie & Sammi St. Katharine Drexel

Weekly Mass Intentions

Date	Day	Time	Site	Mass Intention	Requested By
7/21	Sun	9:15 AM	Corpus	+Raymond Siudak	Family & Friends
7/22	Mon	8:45 AM	Corpus	+Edward Bylina Father's Day Intentions #3	Donna Oleszek
7/23	Tue	8:45 AM	Corpus	Living & Deceased Parishioners & Benefactors of Corpus Christi Church	
7/24	Wed	8:45 AM	Corpus	Blessings & Good Health upon Martin & Lucy Ederer	Friend
7/25	Thu	8:45 AM	Corpus	+John & Florence Oleszek	Donna Oleszek
7/26	Fri	8:45 AM	Corpus	+Edward Bylina	Donna Oleszek
7/28	Sun	9:15 AM	Corpus	+John Gorczyca Anniv. Of Death	Paul Gorczyca
7/21	Sun	10:30 AM	Drexel	+Florence & John Tyre	Pat Dommer
7/22	Mon	8:30 AM	Drexel	+Robert McDivitt	Rosalie & "Sammi"
7/24	Wed	8:30 AM	Drexel	Mothers Day Intentions	
7/26	Fri	8:30 AM	Drexel	Fathers Day Intentions	
7/28	Sun	10:30 AM	Drexel	+Deceased of the Fydrych Families	Family
7/20	Sat	4:00 PM	Gualbert	+Deceased of the Zygaj & Zielinski Families	Fabian Zygaj
7/21	Sun	9:00 AM	Gualbert	+Daniel Mazur	Wife, Children & Grandchildren
7/21	Sun	11:45 AM	Gualbert	+Evangelist Pieroni	Family
7/23	Tue	8:00 AM	Gualbert	+William Baginski	Family
7/25	Thu	8:00 AM	Gualbert	+Rev. Michael Burzynski	Family
7/27	Sat	4:00 PM	Gualbert	+Jean Smith	Killian Family
7/28	Sun	9:00 AM	Gualbert	+Deceased of the Mazur & Krantz Families	Family
7/28	Sun	11:45 AM	Gualbert	+Leonard Tortorice	Friend
7/21	Sun	10:15 AM	Kanty	+Dolores Slazak	Barb & Cindy
7/23	Tue	8:30 AM	Kanty	Living & Deceased of the Durka & Harlukiewicz Families	Walter Durka
7/25	Thu	8:30 AM	Kanty	+Florence Baranowski	Barbara & Cynthia
7/28	Sun	10:15 AM	Kanty	+Rita Santos, Marilou Bocalan, Basilia Bocalan	Family
7/20	Sat	4:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Jim Hewitt	Friend, Mary Cisar
7/21	Sun	12:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Przemyslow Szeglowski	Family
7/21	Sun	5:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Rev. Msgr. S. Paul Ayoub	Lawrence Family
7/22	Mon	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	For Children Everywhere	Anonymous
7/24	Wed	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+Vicky Cook	Family
7/26	Fri	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+Edward & Dolores Grzechowiak	Kevin M. Whelan
7/27	Sat	4:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Irene A. & Leonard S. Sikora	Estate
7/28	Sun	12:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Rev. Msgr. Daniel Myszka	Family
7/28	Sun	5:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Harry L. Metcalf	Teresa Lawrence

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