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Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes

November 24, 2024 | Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

St. John Kanty

St. John Gualbert

Corpus Christi

St. Katharine Drexel

St. Adalbert

St. Stanislaus



Mass Schedule:

SATURDAY VIGIL:

4:00pm.....St. Stanislaus
4:00pm.....St. John Gualbert
5:30pm.....St. John Kanty

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



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

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

Bulletin Deadline:

Bulletin requests are due 10 days in advance. Please email them to bulletineastbuffalo@gmail.com

* All staff at St. Stanislaus Wednesdays
* For Sacramental Emergencies after office hours, please call Fr. Mark at 716-331-9041

Parish Family Staff:

Rev. Cole Webster.....Pastor
Rev. Mariusz Dymek, OSPPEPastor
 (Corpus Christi)
Rev. Mark Kreis, OSPPE, Ph.D......Parochial Vicar
Frank Guido.....Business Manager
Cathy Bergen.....Secretary (Corpus Christi)
Peggy Keyes.....Secretary
Barbara Myszkiewicz.....Secretary
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John Riccione.....Maintenance (Drexel)
Bogdan Szymczyk.....Maintenance (Stanislaus)
Bob Zielinski.....Maintenance (Kanty/Adalbert)
Eric Sabadasz.....Organist (Stanislaus)
Rasa StalygieneOrganist (Stanislaus)
Michael Zachowicz.....Organist (Kanty/Gualbert)
Andrew N. Kowtalo.....Organist (Corpus Christi)
Robert J. Winkler.....Organist (Drexel)

Request a Mass Intention

OUR MASS BOOK FOR 2025 IS OPEN

Mass intentions are now being scheduled for the 2025 year. The Mass stipend is \$15 per Mass, and is payable at the time the Mass is scheduled.

Weekly Collections:

St. John Kanty:	Nov 10	\$ 396.00
St. John Gualbert:	Nov 10	\$1560.00
St. Stanislaus:	Nov 10	\$2238.00
St. Katharine Drexel:	Nov 10	\$1410.00
Corpus Christi:	Nov 10	next week

From Fr. Cole Webster

WELCOME MASS MOBBER TO ST. JOHN KANTY!

I am so excited to have you join us in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God here in the Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes! **QUICK FACTS** about SJK:

- Founded 1892 (132 years ago); 3rd parish in Historic Polonia.
- Safety was a major factor in the parish's founding with parishioners having to cross busy railroad tracks (now a viaduct) over Broadway to St. Stanislaus or St. Adalbert.
- Survived two fires in 1948 & 1955.
- Listed as a City of Buffalo and National Landmark.
- Sanctuary windows and apse painting by Jozef Mazur.
- Merged with St. Adalbert in 2007.
- 89 Current Active Families.

Advent Penance Service

SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday, December 19 @ St. John Kanty

4:00 PM—Prayers, Readings, & Reflection in preparation for the sacrament

5:00—7:00 PM Confessions available

"If we confess our sins, God is faithful, and he will forgive our sins and cleanse us of all unrighteousness."

John 1:9

The Sanctuary Light is Lite for

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Thanksgiving Prayer

Lord, we thank you for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation. We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities. We thank you for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes. We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving on this day. We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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A MESSAGE FOR THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

Heather Lovelace, Director
Tom Rutter, Accompanist

Sunday, December 1, 2024 ~ 4PM
St. Katharine Drexel Church
135 N. Ogden Street Buffalo, New York 14206

*Hats, scarves, gloves & Non-Perishable food
will be collected to support the Lovejoy Food Pantry

Tickets:
Children 10 and under: Free
Students & Seniors \$10
Adults Presale: \$10 Door: \$12

Tickets available from chorus members
or Virginia Stolarski (716) 512-3221
Contact: festivalchoruscfa@gmail.com
facebook.com/wnyfestivalchorus
wnyfestivalchorus.org

The Festival Chorus 2024 season is
made possible in part by funding from Erie County.

THANKSGIVING DAY CELEBRATION

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2024

9:00 AM

St. Stanislaus Church
(Corner of Fillmore & Peckham)

**JOIN THE GREATER EAST BUFFALO
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*Bread provided by the St. Vincent De Paul Society
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For sharing at your Thanksgiving Meal*

"Giving thanks always for all things unto God." (Eph. 5:20)

YOUTH MINISTRY



Our next Family Faith
Formation Session will
take place on **Saturday,**
December 14th at
10:00 AM at

St. Katharine Drexel.



December 1st & 15th

At Saint Katharine Drexel

Young people will be blessed and dismissed during
the Liturgy of the Word to break open the
Scriptures bi-monthly at our 10:30am Mass.

BIBLE STUDY

You are invited to a biweekly get together to feast on the
WORD OF GOD at St Katharine Drexel Parish rectory.
After reading several passages at home in the Bible for two
weeks we will then chew on these words (answering a few
questions) and then discuss their meanings in our lives.
Instruction and discussion will occur between 3:30 and 4:30
on the following Tuesdays:

MENU

October 1	Church
October 15	Comfort
October 29	Hope
November 12	Memory/Remembrance
November 26	Praise/Thanksgiving
December 10	Joy

Please RSVP to Barb Delenkitis at 716 839 4084 if you plan
to attend. A Bible, pen, and folder for papers will be needed.



St. John Gualbert Parish

MONEY RAFFLE

GRAND PRIZE	\$500.00
2 ND PRIZE	\$300.00
3 RD PRIZE	\$200.00
4 TH PRIZE	\$100.00
5 TH & 6 TH PRIZES	\$ 50.00 EACH

Drawings will be held on December 30, 2024
Tickets \$10.00 each, based on the sale of 400 tickets

SPREAD THE WORD

We need your support by purchasing a ticket,
selling to friends and family

Tickets will be available in the vestibule of the church,
from our ushers and in St. John Gualbert
parish office.

Tickets will also be available in our family of parishes
offices.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES



Do you need help with gifts for your children and teens this Christmas? Catholic Charities can help! We are a participating non-profit with the WNY Holiday Partnership, which provides Christmas gifts for families in need. Catholic Charities, in collaboration with the Ladies of Charity, is able to provide toys, books, games or puzzles, and a new pair of gloves and winter hat. The program will begin after Thanksgiving. If you or someone you know could benefit from this program, call 716-218-1450, ext. 2003.



Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. John Gualbert will be distributing gift vouchers to the needy in the community on Sunday, December 8, following the 11:45 am Mass celebrated at St. John Gualbert .

Christmas Raffle

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**Live drawing to be held at Christmas Eve Mass -12/24 @4:00pm at St Adalbert Basilica.
Call Arlene for more information 716-997-9983**

THE HOLY ROSARY IS PRAYED AT

St. Stanislaus B&M Parish

every Sunday at 11:30 AM prior to the 12:00 PM celebration of the Eucharist

St. John Gualbert Parish

Recitation of the rosary every second SUNDAY of the month at 8:30 AM by members of the Holy Name & Each Sunday at 11:20 AM in preparation of the 11:45 AM Mass.

Corpus Christi & St. John Kanty
After daily Mass

CENTERING PRAYER

Join St. Katharine Drexel for prayer each

Friday from 10:00-10:30am. Rooted in the monastic tradition, centering prayer focuses on self-emptying and the presence and action of God within our lives.

Each gathering begins with a Psalm, a time for silent prayer, and an optional sharing of fruits gained from our time with the Lord.

Is there
more to
life than this

Alpha

ONLY 1 MORE SESSION LEFT!

It is not too late to check out one of our remaining sessions on **Nov. 26th at 6:00pm at St. Katharine Drexel.** We have already explored what our purpose is, who Jesus is and why he died, how we can have faith, the Bible, prayer, and how God guides us.

Alpha helps us to 'get back to the basics' in order to accompany others who may have little or no knowledge of God. Having a meal together, leaning more about our faith, and sharing our stories has been a life changing experience and has brought us much closer together as a Family of Parishes!

Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes

St. John Gualbert

St. John Kanty St. Adalbert

St. Katharine Drexel

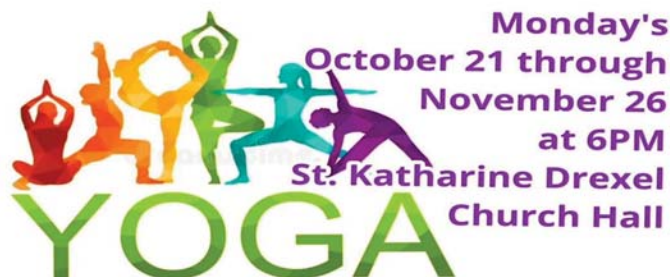
St. Stanislaus/Corpus Christi

Winter Weather Policy

We will follow the guidelines set by the City of Buffalo for winter weather, (driving ban etc.) If there is a **driving ban** in the City of Buffalo there will be no services and parish offices will be closed, including St. John Gualbert in Cheektowaga.

We will also follow the Buffalo Schools winter weather closures. If **Buffalo schools** are closed due to winter weather, there will be no services and parish offices will be closed, including St. John Gualbert in Cheektowaga.

Closings will be listed on Channel 4 -WIVB.com as "Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes." *Please be assured, the Mass intentions during driving bans and school closures will be fulfilled by our priests in their residence chapels.*



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Contact Kelly Ann (716) 830-4891

Weekly Mass Intentions

Date	Day	Time	Site	Mass Intention	Requested By
11/24	Sun	9:15 AM	Corpus	Jaroslav & Maria Krzyszton 25th Wedding Anniv.	
11/25	Mon	8:45 AM	Corpus	+John & Florence Oleszek Pro Populo	Donna Oleszek
11/26	Tue	8:45 AM	Corpus	+Kimberly Leone	Donna Oleszek
11/27	Wed	8:45 AM	Corpus	+Rita Sikorski	Leonard Sikorski
11/28	Thu	9:00 AM	Stanislaus	THANKSGIVING MASS 9AM AT ST. STAN'S	
11/29	Fri	8:45 AM	Corpus	Happy Birthday Fr. Mariusz	
12/1	Sun	9:15 AM	Corpus	John J. Kiwala & Wife Fr. Mariusz Dymek, OSPPE Happy Birthday & God's Blessings	Matt Klinczar
11/24	Sun	10:30 AM	Drexel	All Souls Day Intentions	
11/25	Mon	8:30 AM	Drexel	All Souls Day Intentions	
11/27	Wed	8:30 AM	Drexel	All Souls Day Intentions	
11/28	Thu	9:00 AM	Stanislaus	THANKSGIVING MASS 9AM AT ST. STAN'S	
11/29	Fri	8:30 PM	Drexel	All Souls Day Intentions	
12/1	Sun	10:30 AM	Drexel	All Souls Day Intentions	
11/23	Sat	4:00 PM	Gualbert	+Adam Pszczolkowski	Bob & Karen Pszczolkowski
11/24	Sun	9:00 AM	Gualbert	+Jan & Anna Wozniak	Jadwiga Balaban
11/24	Sun	11:45 AM	Gualbert	MM Francis McCafferty	Son,Thomas McCafferty
11/26	Tue	8:00 AM	Gualbert	+Simon & Antonina Sachenik	Family
11/28	Thu	9:00 AM	Stanislaus	THANKSGIVING MASS 9AM AT ST STAN'S	
11/30	Sat	4:00 PM	Gualbert	+Diane Pietrzak	Jim & Christine Gajewski
12/1	Sun	9:00 AM	Gualbert	+Mike Morrison	Jim & Bozena Serafin
12/1	Sun	11:45 AM	Gualbert	All Souls Intentions	Son,Thomas McCafferty
11/23	Sat	5:30 PM	Kanty	All Souls Intentions	
11/24	Sun	10:15 AM	Kanty	+Connie Zulawski	Angie Kubik
11/26	Tue	8:30 AM	Kanty	+Kenneth Karla	Szymowek Family
11/28	Thu	9:00 AM	Stanislaus	THANKSGIVING MASS 9AM AT ST STAN'S	
11/30	Sat	5:30 PM	Kanty	All Souls Intentions	
12/1	Sun	10:15 AM	Kanty	Living & Deceased Members of the Nowicki Fam	Loretta
11/23	Sat	4:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Marcia Little	Dave Lodyga Family
11/24	Sun	12:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Stanislaw Szeglowski	Family
11/24	Sun	5:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Anne L. Rogers	Teresa Lawrence
11/25	Mon	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+Norrine Lewandowski	Ted Lewandowski
11/27	Wed	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+Norrine Lewandowski (birthday)	Family
11/28	Thu	9:00 AM	Stanislaus	For Living & Deceased Members of St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. John Gualbert	
11/29	Fri	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	Pro Populo	
11/30	Sat	4:00 PM	Stanislaus	+John & Adeline Bucki	Carl & Deborah Bucki
12/1	Sun	12:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Frank Barnashuk	Family
12/1	Sun	5:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Jean Kolosko	Nancy Weigand

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