

Greater East Buffalo Family of Parishes

August 24, 2025 Twenty-first 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. Stanislaus

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

8:45am (*Sunday*).....Corpus Christi

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday/Wednesday/Friday

8:00am...St. Stanislaus

8:30am...St. Katharine Drexel

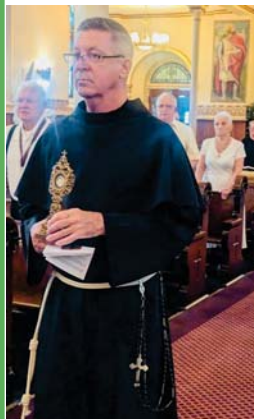
Tuesday/Thursday

8:00am...St. John Gualbert

Corpus Christi

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

8:45am... First Saturday



Earlier this month **St. Adalbert** hosted The Brass Machine Band for a Jazz Mass on Saturday, August 9th that brought in many new faces. On Sunday, August 10th, **St. Stanislaus** hosted a Remembrance Mass commemorating St. Maximilian Kolbe and the victims of WWII.

Office Hours:

Central Office

at St. Stanislaus

Monday-Friday

9:00am-3:00pm

123 Townsend St

(716) 854-5510

St. John Gualbert

Open for In-Person

Visits Thursdays Only

8:00am-11:30am

Corpus Christi

M, T, W, Th

9:30am-1:30pm

199 Clark Street

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Andrew N. Kowtalo.....Organist (Corpus Christi)
Timothy NeelOrganist (Drexel)

Weekly Collections:

St. John Gualbert	8/10	\$1358.00
St. Stanislaus	8/10	\$1460.00
St. Katharine Drexel	8/10	\$1470.00
Corpus Christi	8/10	\$1524.00
St. Adalbert	8/9	\$2589.00

welcome
TO THE FAMILY

To register at any of our parishes please visit:
www.eastbuffalocatholic.org/registration

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to

Marie Switalski

Who celebrated her 104th Birthday at a Mass
at St. John Gualbert!



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St. Stanislaus



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Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle C)

Jesus doesn't answer the question put to Him in this Sunday's Gospel. It profits us nothing to speculate on how many will be saved. What we need to know is what He tells us today - how to enter into salvation and how urgent it is to strive now, before the Master closes the door.

Jesus is "the narrow gate," the only way of salvation, the path by which all must travel to enter the kingdom of the Father (see John 14:6).

In Jesus, God has come - as He promises in this week's First Reading - to gather nations of every language, to reveal to them His glory.

Eating and drinking with them, teaching in their streets, Jesus in the Gospel is slowly making His way to Jerusalem. There, Isaiah's vision will be fulfilled: On the holy mountain He will be lifted up (see John 3:14), will draw to Himself brethren from among all the nations - to worship in the heavenly Jerusalem, to glorify Him for His kindness, as we sing in Sunday's Psalm.

In God's plan, the kingdom was proclaimed first to the Israelites and last to the Gentiles (see Romans 1:16; Acts 3:25-26), who in the Church have come from the earth's four corners to make up the new people of God (see Isaiah 43:5-6; Psalm 107:2-3).

Many however will lose their place at the heavenly table, Jesus warns. Refusing to accept His narrow way they will weaken, render themselves unknown to the Father (see Isaiah 63:15-16). We don't want to be numbered among those of drooping hands and weak knees (see Isaiah 35:3). So we must strive for that narrow gate, a way of hardship and suffering - the way of the beloved Son.

As this week's Epistle reminds us, by our trials we know we are truly God's sons and daughters. We are being disciplined by our afflictions, strengthened to walk that straight and narrow path - that we may enter the gate, take our place at the banquet of the righteous.

THE HOLY ROSARY IS PRAYED

at the

St. Stanislaus Worship Site

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

St. John Gualbert Worship Site

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 Parish

After daily Mass



Our Family of Parishes will be hosting ALPHA this year for 6 weeks.

ALPHA will **start Sept 23rd** at Pitass Center at 6PM.

There will be a ALPHA training for those who want to help run the program on Sept 9th @6PM at Drexel.

For more information, call Kelly Ann @716-830-4981

As summer winds down, take some time to reflect on the events of the last few months.



What has the Lord been trying to tell you?
What might he be asking of you as we enter into a new season?



St. John Gualbert



St. Stanislaus Marian Hall
389 Peckam St.

Sunday, October 12, 2025

Doors open at 12:30 pm

First Spin at 1:30 pm

Tickets \$12.00 each

\$15.00 at the door

Tables of 8 or more tickets \$10.00 each

Admission includes beer, wine, pop,
water

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Hey Bills Mafia!

St. John Gualbert Church would like to help you get ready for the start of the Buffalo Bills season.

We are going to raffle off a party pack which includes :
3 lb. Sahlen's hot dogs, 2 lbs frozen burgers, 3 lbs Italian sausage, 3 lbs frozen chicken wings, 1 box of pizza logs, 5 lbs frozen chicken fingers, 2 lbs Boneless New York strip steaks, 1 rack of Baby Back Ribs, 2 lbs frozen cooked cocktail shrimp and a 4.9 cubic foot chest freezer.

Tickets are 1 for \$5.00 or 3 for \$10.00 and will be available at all weekend masses. The drawing will be on September 1.

St. Stanislaus Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, September 14

11:30 AM—3:00 PM

Cost \$10.00

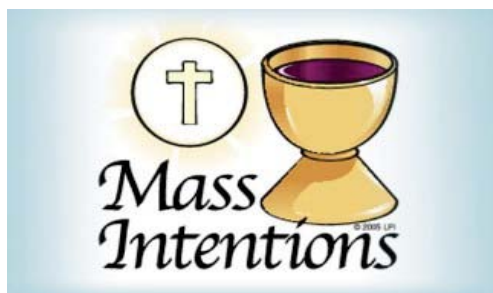
Dinner includes salad, spaghetti & meatballs, bread & butter, dessert

Tickets available in rectory office
Tickets also available after weekend
Masses



St. Stanislaus Church will be holding a gift card raffle during the month of November. We are asking for donations of gift cards for grocery stores such as Tops Markets, Wegmans, Walmart, Redlinski Meats, Sloan Market, Aldi, Market in the Square or monetary donations, with at least a \$25 value. We are asking at this time because once we have all the grocery gift cards and monetary donations, we would like to put together the calendar of what you could win, and we would like to have several months to sell them. Please drop off your donations at the rectory office or put them in an envelope and place them in the collection basket. Thank you for your support.



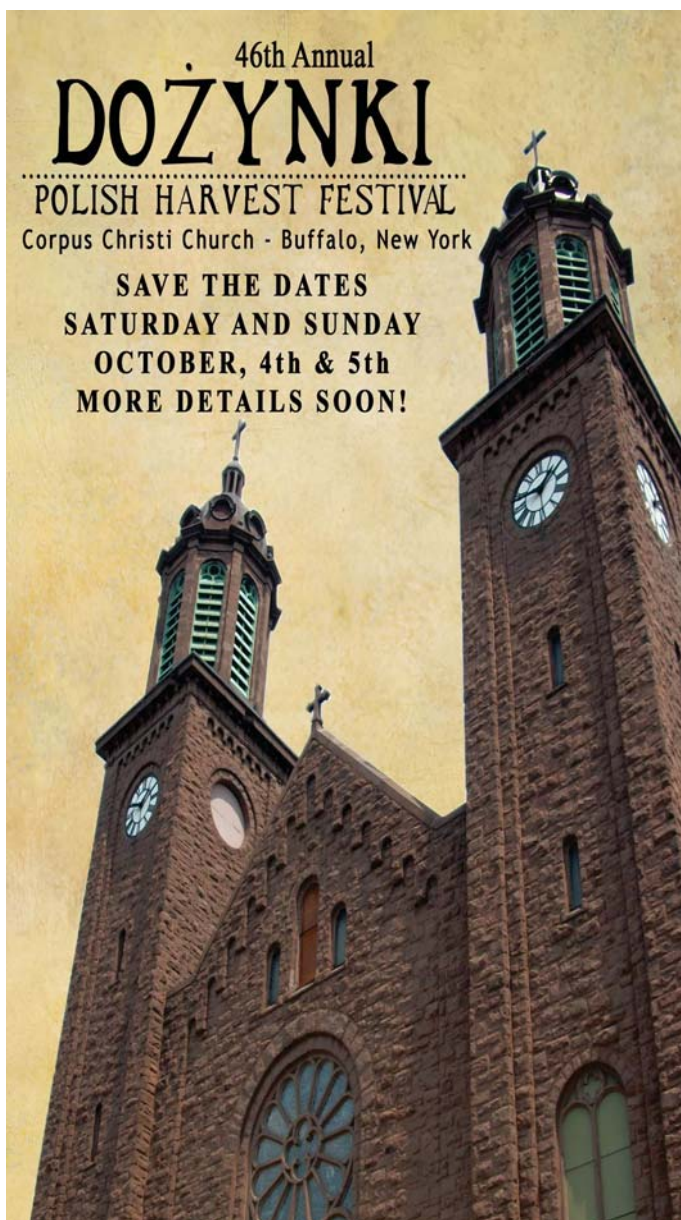


Mass intentions are a wonderful way to remember our beloved deceased and keep them in our prayers. Masses are available throughout the year. A \$15 donation is recommended for each Mass/Mass Card. Stop by the parish office to schedule or call to check on dates



SANCTUARY LIGHT

Parishioners may request that the Sanctuary Candle be lit for the deceased "in memory of" or for the living "for the intentions of." Donation is \$20.00. Please stop in at your parish office.



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Drexel

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Weekly Mass Intentions

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Date	Day	Time	Site	Mass Intention	Requested By	Presider
8/24	Sun	9:15 AM	Corpus	+Wincenty, Stanislaw, Jozed Baltaziuk +Maria, Malgorzata, Josef Sowa	Baltaziuk Family	Fr. Bryan Zielenieski
8/25	Mon	8:45 AM	Corpus	Pro Populo		Fr. Mark Kreis
8/26	Tue	8:45 AM	Corpus	+Jerzy Michaliszyn	Friends	Fr. Cole Webster
8/27	Wed	8:45 AM	Corpus	Katarzyna & John on Wedding Anniv	Parents	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/28	Thu	8:45 AM	Corpus	+John T. Szymborski	Deborah Witul	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/29	Fri	8:45 AM	Corpus	+Bartholomew Stelmach	Daniel Gardner	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/30	Sat	8:45 AM	Corpus	NO MASS		
8/31	Sun	9:15 AM	Corpus	+Casey Kwiatkowski	Grandchildren; Rob, Jen & Dave	Fr. Cole Webster
8/24	Sun	10:30 AM	Drexel	+Betty Kauschinger	Family	Fr. Bryan Zielenieski
8/25	Mon	8:30 AM	Drexel	All Souls Day Intentions		Fr. Cole Webster
8/27	Wed	8:30 AM	Drexel	Living & Deceased Fathers		Fr. Cole Webster
8/28	Fri	8:30 AM	Drexel	Living & Deceased Mothers		Fr. Cole Webster
8/31	Sun	10:30 AM	Drexel	+Jack DeJac	Marciniak Family	Fr. Cole Webster
8/23	Sat	4:00 PM	Gualbert	+Edward & Theresa Olszowka	Sharon & Jack Lotz	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/24	Sun	9:00 AM	Gualbert	+Daniel Mazur	Wife, Children & Grandchildren	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/24	Sun	11:45 AM	Gualbert	Living & Deceased Fathers	Fr. Bob	Fr. Cole Webster
8/26	Tue	8:00 AM	Gualbert	Living & Deceased Mothers		Fr. Mark Kreis
8/28	Thu	8:00 AM	Gualbert	+Adolph Peltz	Son, Tom	Fr. Cole Webster
8/30	Sat	4:00 PM	Gualbert	Living & Deceased Fathers		Fr. Mark Kreis
8/31	Sun	9:00 AM	Gualbert	Louis Goszewski (Birthday Blessings 102)	Jim & Christine Gajewski	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/31	Sun	11:45 AM	Gualbert	+Diane Pietrzak	Lucille & Stephen Marsh	Fr. Bryan Zielenieski
8/23	Sat	4:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Grandparents Jan & Agnieszka Zlotek	Tom Zlotek	Fr. Bob Stolinski
8/24	Sun	10:15 AM	Stanislaus	Birthday Blessings for Alice & Larry Lisiecki	Marysa #1 & Marysa #2	Fr. Cole Webster
8/24	Sun	12:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Leonard Szczesny	Msgr. Peter Adamski Polish Saturday School	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/24	Sun	5:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Cecelia Ciesielski	Estate	Fr. Bryan Zielenieski
8/25	Mon	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+Carl Milewski	Elizabeth Szymczak	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/27	Wed	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+John & Norrine Lewandowski	David & Deborah	Fr. Bryan Zielenieski
8/29	Fri	8:00 AM	Stanislaus	+Chester & Anna Chmiola	Estate	Fr. Bob Stolinski
8/30	Sat	4:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Grandparents Stanislaw & Kazimiera Wojtulski	Tom Zlotek	Fr. Cole Webster
8/31	Sun	10:15 AM	Stanislaus	Second Wedding Anniv Tarras & Victoria	Family	Fr. Bob Stolinski
8/31	Sun	12:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Stanley & Tola Markut	Maureen Oswald	Fr. Mark Kreis
8/31	Sun	5:00 PM	Stanislaus	+Edward & Victoria Szeluga	Estate	Fr. Bryan Zielenieski



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