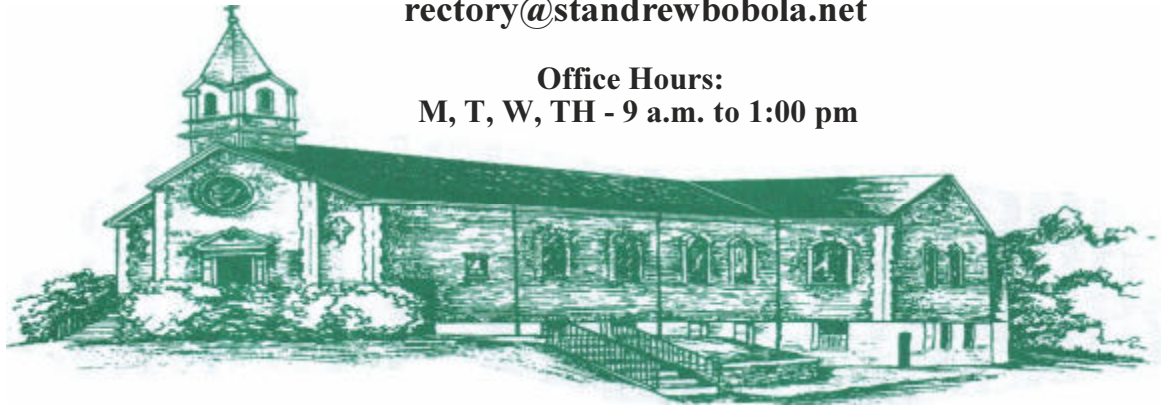


Saint Andrew Bobola Church

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Office Hours:
M, T, W, TH - 9 a.m. to 1:00 pm

Pastor:

Rev. Krzysztof Korcz

Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm (English)

Sunday: 8:00am (English)
9:00am (Polish)

10:30 am - English

Weekday Mass

Eucharistic Adoration a half hour before 8am Masses

We pray Rosary every day before weekly Mass

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday : 8:00am,

Wednesday 6:00pm - Polish

(with devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help)

Friday - 6pm (with Chaplet of the Divine Mercy)

Holy Days - 6:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday: 3:00 pm

Sacrament of Baptism

Sunday at 12:00pm by Appointment

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements must be made at least 12 months prior to wedding. Please contact us to arrange.

Visitation of The Sick

Please notify the rectory if you know of someone who is unable to get to church and wishes to receive the sacraments.

FISH DINNERS DURING LENT

Every Friday during Lent from February 19, 2021 through March 26, St. Andrew Bobola Church, 54 West Main St., Dudley will be offering: Take Out Lenten dinners with your choice of baked or fried fish

from 11 am to 1 pm and again from 4 pm to 6 pm.

Cost is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children.

Fried dinners include French Fries, Cole Slaw and Tartar Sauce.

Baked Dinners include baked potato, coleslaw and Tartar Sauce.

Please note! Take out only!

PLEASE CALL AHEAD (508-943-5633) to order!!

RYBA W CZASIE WIELKIEGO POSTU W NASZEJ PARAFII

Please note! Take out only!

W każdy piątek Wielkiego Postu zapraszamy do kupienia ryby pieczonej lub smażonej w godz. 11 do 13 oraz 16:00 do 19:00. Cena \$12 dorośli, \$6- dzieci.

Zamowienia przez telefon 508 943 5633 lub na miejscu



MASS INTENTIONS AND DEVOTIONS
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Saturday, February 13

4:00PM—r.s. Emily Misiaszek int. family

Sunday, February 14

8:00AM—r.s. Dorothy Paprocki int sister Irena and family

9:00AM - I -sp. Stanislaw, Edward Mekal int rodziny
 II sp. Kazimierz Mosio int. ks. Krzysztof

10:30 - r.s. Louis Carpick int wife

Monday, February 15

8:00 AM - a special intention int Nancy Vajcovec

Tuesday - February 16

8:00 AM—Nellie Damion int.family

Wednesday, February 17 Nowenna do MB Niesustajacej Pomocy

6:00 PM - sp. Edward Poniewierski

Thursday, February 18

8:00 AM - a special intention

Friday, February 19

6:00 PM - for all priests

Saturday, February 20

4:00 PM - r.s. Josephine Kacymarek int Alice Moninski

Sunday, February 21

8:00AM—r.s. Jerzy Karłowicz int family

9:00 AM I - sp. Henryka, Franciszka Jankowskich int Anieli
 II - sp. Kazimierz Mosio int. parafian

10:30AM - for Parishioners

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS:

Weekly \$1,590.00, Fuel \$276.00

Candles—\$198.00

**On Ash Wednesday Feb 17 will be an annual
 collection for the retirement needs of our priests**

Online Giving - \$140.00

THANK YOU

ONGOING POLISH FOOD SALE:

**In an effort to continue to support our parish during
 these challenging times,
 we will be holding an ongoing Polish food sale.**

PIEROGI MADE HERE—\$18 per dozen

Items for sale include:

Savory Pierogi (kapusta, Kapusta w/mushroom,
 cheese, or potato) for \$7/dozen

Fruit pierogi (blueberry or strawberry) for \$7/dozen.

Kielbasa (Smoked, Grilled, double smoked) - \$12,

Gołąbki - \$3 each

Kapusta/Bigos for \$10/ quart container

Babka: cheese, cheese—cherry—\$10

Strudel: Apple, Prune, cheese-cherry - \$10

Pappi seed - \$10

Orders can be placed by calling the rectory

TEL; 508-943-5633.

Partners in Charity Appeal 2021

The Annual Diocese of Worcester Partners in Charity Appeal is now being conducted for this year 2021. **Partners In-Pew weekend for the 2021 Partners in Charity Appeal will be held at St. Andrew Bobola Parish on Saturday and Sunday, February 27th and 28th.** A pink envelope for Partners in Charity can be found with your weekly collection envelopes. The Diocese of Worcester has also mailed out envelopes for this appeal. In his letter to the Galatians, St. Paul urges us to remain steadfast in helping others: "Let us not grow tired of doing good, for in due time, we shall reap our harvest, if we do not give up." This appeal supports 27 agencies and ministries that continue to be signs of hope to many people in need, especially during this pandemic. Consider that people are finding hope when they turn to the Church and our charitable programs in this challenging time of crisis. The goal for Saint Andrew Bobola Parish is **\$21,900. We collected \$13,132.00.** Thank you for prayerfully considering how you can respond to this year's Partner's in Charity Appeal. Thank you for your generosity.

PARTNERS IN CHARITY 2021

Rozpoczynamy w naszej parafii zbiórkę funduszy na diecezjalny program "Partners in Charity" na rok 2021. **Specjalna kolekta będzie 27-28 luty.** Nasza parafia jest proszona o zebranie **\$21,900.00** na potrzeby diecezji. **Dotychczas zebrano \$13,132.00.** Diecezjalny fundusz Partners in Charity przeznaczają zebrane fundusze na cele charytatywne, wspiera emerytowanych kapłanów i siostry zakonne a także seminarzystów. Diecezja Worcester prowadzi wiele programów duszpasterskich i edukacyjnych pomagających wiernym naszej diecezji.

Serdecznie Bóg zapłać za chojne ofiary na ten fundusz.

COLLECTION FOR PRIESTS' RETIREMENT

This year on Ash Wednesday, Feb 17 the parishes of our diocese will begin an annual collection to support the retirement needs of our diocesan priests.

Please remember to support your parish.

In the absence of collection baskets being passed around at every Mass, we seek your generosity by mailing checks to the parish, or online giving through We-Share every week. You can also drop off envelopes in the mail slot at the front door of the Rectory. Please continue your giving in this challenging time, even if you are not able to do so in person. Thank you for your generosity

The Winners of week one:

Feb 1 \$20 - Lisa Tuttle

Feb 2 \$20 - Martin Huq

Feb 3 \$20 - Theresa Jezierski

Feb 4 \$20 - Donna Fortin

Feb 5 \$50 - Alisa Racine

Feb 6 \$25 - Francis Kasheta

Feb 7 \$100 - Renata Kalicka

Legacy of Hope Campaign, Diocese of Worcester:

Our Partner's in Charity Appeal will continue through March 15th. Thank you to all that have already contributed for your generosity. We hope to reach or even exceed our goal as we did last year.

Following this appeal, St. Andrew Bobola Parish will hold the Legacy of Hope Capital Campaign, which is being conducted by every parish in the Diocese of Worcester.

At St. Andrew Bobola, Legacy of Hope will run from March 20th through June 30th.

Legacy of Hope is intended to address Individual Parish Needs, Priest Retirement and Custodial Care, Catholic Education, Parish-Based Charitable Outreach, Parish-Based Evangelization and Structural Repairs for the Cathedral of St. Paul.

The target goal for St. Andrew Bobola Parish, to be collected over a 4 year period, is \$157,381. 40% of every dollar raised up to the goal will come back to our parish with 60% going to the Diocese of Worcester.

Parishes will receive 60% of the funds raised over our assigned goal. Pledges can be filled on a monthly, quarterly, semi-annual or annual basis. As a parish, we need to decide what our 40% share, or \$62,952, will be used for.

While members of the Parish Counsel and Finance Committee have discussed possible projects or needs in the parish, we want to hear from you for your ideas.

We ask that over the next two weeks, you write your ideas or suggestions on a piece of paper labeled Legacy of Hope and place this in the Weekly Collection Basket. Ideas can be signed or anonymous. Here are some ideas that have been discussed. You can let us know if you like these, or if you would like to see something else.

Possible parish needs to be funded by Legacy of Hope:

* Electronic message board to replace the sign in front of the rectory. This would be a double sided, waterproof, color digital video screen that would be used to announce parish events like bake sales, yard sales, Mass times, special celebrations or other events. The cost for a good quality version would be approximately \$30,000.

* Replace or tune the organ. The organ system is dated and the sound quality and functionality is lacking. A used organ from another church could cost \$10,000. Having the organ professionally tuned and restored would be less expensive.

* Refurbish the church hall. We make use of our church hall for Lent Fish Dinners and other social gatherings and events, especially given that we have a newly renovated kitchen and repeated food sales as well as CCD class and other uses for this large space. The hall can be improved with a drop ceiling, updated walls, floor, paint, audio/video capabilities, etc... The cost can vary widely, depending on what work we would have done. Such a project could help to make our parish more attractive to the general public for various dinners, dances, social and religious gatherings and events like wedding or funeral receptions. While this activity has been scaled back due to the pandemic, we seek to plan for the future.

* Replace the church/rectory roof. While we have had spot roof repairs, this is not a long-term solution. The church has experienced water leaks and the roof will need to be replaced in the next few years.

* HVAC maintenance. Every year, especially in the summer, we experience problems with the air conditioning/heating system that require costly maintenance or updates. We can expect that a few thousand dollars may be needed over the next couple of years to address our dated heating and air conditioning system.

* Elevator maintenance. Similar to keeping our HVAC system properly running, we have costs associated with doing the same for the elevator. Again, this can cost a few thousand dollars.

* General maintenance fund. A certain amount of money, or percentage, raised by the parish during this capital campaign can be set aside as part of a general fund. Our weekly collections should be used to cover our month-to-month operating costs, but unexpected costs to make repairs in the church or rectory can arise. For instance, an electrician may be needed if we have another power surge from an electrical storm.

* A new sound system in the church. The audio system in the church can be improved.

Some parishes in the diocese have plans for new flooring, parking lot lines/sealing, etc..

What does St. Andrew Bobola Parish need?

How would you like the parish to use the funds collected from Legacy of Hope (our 40%, up to \$62,952 if we hit our target)? We want to hear from you for your ideas. Please drop your suggestion(s) in the collection basket over the next two weeks. You can also speak with members of the Parish Counsel, Finance Committee and our Pastor. All ideas will be considered and then decided upon before the Legacy of Hope Capital Campaign begins in our parish. Once a case or need for the parish funds are established, all money raised will be used only for that purpose or those particular items.

David Bugajski will serve as General Chairperson for the Legacy of Hope Capital Campaign.

Reception Coordinator will be Paula Niksa.

Communications Coordinators will be Dan Durning and Dan Bugajski.

Leaders on the Parish Counsel and Finance Committee have agreed to support this effort.

Additional volunteers are welcome and needed, including Parish Outreach Coordinators and Campaign Secretary.

Cathy Damien will provide secretarial help. We need help with the launch, roll-out, implementation of this campaign.

God bless our parish and everyone's generous support, including the sharing of your time, talent and treasure.

Please contact David Bugajski at 508-461-7361 if you are interested in assisting or if with any questions or concerns.

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