THE SHRINE
CHURCH OF
SAINT STANISLAUS
BISHOP & MARTYR
Sanktuarium
św. Stanisława,
Biskupa i Męczennika
3649 EAST 65TH STREET
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44105
The historic church in the heart of Slavic Village
founded in 1873

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SHRINE SCHEDULE OF SERVICES
Weekend Masses
Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM
Sunday English Masses 8:30am, 11:30am
Niedziela po polsku 10:00am
Daily Mass: 7:00am MTWThF
8:30am MWFS
7 PM (English ) on Tuesday (Polish) Thursday

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND OHOIO
Most. Rev. Nelson J. Perez
Bishop of Cleveland

Rev. Fr. Eric S. Orzech, Pastor
Rev. Fr. Joseph Spolny, Parochial Vicar
Very Rev. Fr. Timothy Buyansky, OSB, Weekend Assistant

Mr. Dan Kane, Jr., Parish Business Manager
Mr. David Krakowski, Director of Liturgy and Music
Mr. Fred Mendat, Maintenance and Social Center Manager
Mrs. Jane Bielawski, Parish Receptionist

Mrs. Deborah Martin, Elementary School Principal
Mrs. Denise O’Reilly, Elementary School Secretary
Mr. Ron Zeszut, Pastoral Council Chairperson  
Mr. Hugh Mullen, Finance Council Chairperson  
Mrs. Sophie Wasielewski, Golden Agers President  
Mr. Frank Krajewski, Dads’ Club President  
Mr. Matt Zielinski, St. Vincent DePaul Society  
Ms. Jane Bobula, Good Shepherd Catechesis  
Mr. Rob Jagelewski, Parish History  
Mr. Bob Sledź, Alumni and Development  
Ms. Jane Bobula, Good Shepherd Catechesis  
Mr. Ma/425 Zielenski, St. Vincent DePaul Society  
Mr. Frank Krajewski, Dads’ Club President  
Mrs. Sophie Wasielewski, Golden Agers President  
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To contact Organizations: Send an e-mail to the parish, with the person you wish to contact named in the subject line.

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<td><strong>SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE</strong></td>
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<td>All arrangements must be made with one of the priests of the parish six months in advance. Weddings are normally scheduled on Saturdays at 11 AM or 2 PM.</td>
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<td><strong>CHURCH HOURS</strong></td>
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| **PRESENTATION OF THE LORD**  
February 2 lutego 2020 |
| **Sat** | 5:00 PM | + Jerome & Barbara Broski |
| **Sun** | 8:30 AM | + John (Jack) Grams |
|          | 10:00 AM | + Zylka Family |
|          | 11:30 AM | + George Leo Daher |
| **Mon** | Feb 3 | St. Blaise |
|         | 7:00 AM | + Sr. Magdalene Trojanowski |
|         | 8:30 AM | + Susan Szott Gauzhey |
| **Tues** | Feb 4 | Weekday |
|          | 7:00 AM | Priest’s Intention |
|          | 7:00 PM | + Benedict Wisniewski |
| **Wed** | Feb 5 | St. Agatha |
|         | 7:00 AM | Priest’s Intention |
|         | 8:30 AM | + Joseph J. Faron |
| **Thu** | Feb 6 | St. Paul Miki |
|          | 7:00 AM | + Helen Vasko |
|          | 7:00 PM | + Stanislaw Golab |
| **Fri** | Feb 7 | Weekday |
|          | 7:00 AM | + David Starynchak |
|          | 8:30 AM | + Charles & Irene Polomsky |
| **Sat** | Feb 9 | St. Jerome Emiliani |
|          | 8:30 AM | + Janusz Witkowski |

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
February 9 lutego 2020  
| **Sat** | 5:00 PM | + Stephen Sekula |
| **Sun** | 8:30 AM | + Szczepanski & Galicki Families |
|          | 10:00 AM | + Jaroslaw Karwoski |
|          | 11:30 AM | + Alex & Caroline Galicki & Elizabeth Wright |

February Bread and Wine Dedication  
Sladewski Family Intention
The Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord in the Temple

Forty days after Christmas, we celebrate the Lord who enters the Temple and comes to encounter his people. In the Christian East, this feast is called the “Feast of Encounter”: it is the encounter between God, who became a child to bring newness to our world, and an expectant humanity, represented by the elderly man and woman in the Temple.

In the Temple, there is also an encounter between two couples: the young Mary and Joseph, and the elderly Simeon and Anna. The old receive from the young, while the young draw upon the old. In the Temple, Mary and Joseph find the roots of their people. This is important, because God’s promise does not come to fulfilment merely in individuals, once for all, but within a community and throughout history. There too, Mary and Joseph find the roots of their faith, for faith is not something learned from a book, but the art of living with God, learned from the experience of those who have gone before us. The two young people, in meeting the two older people, thus find themselves. And the two older people, nearing the end of their days, receive Jesus, the meaning of their lives. This event fulfils the prophecy of Joel: “Your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions” (2:28). In this encounter, the young see their mission and the elderly realize their dreams. All because, at the center of the encounter, is Jesus.

How good it is for us to hold the Lord “in our arms” (Lk 2:28), like Simeon. Not only in our heads and in our hearts, but also “in our hands”, in all that we do: in prayer, at work, at the table, on the telephone, at school, with the poor, everywhere. Having the Lord “in our hands” is an antidote to insular mysticism and frenetic activism, since a genuine encounter with Jesus corrects both saccharine piety and frazzled hyperactivity. Savouring the encounter with Jesus is also the remedy for the paralysis of routine, for it opens us up to the daily “havoc” of grace. The secret to fanning the flame of our spiritual life is a willingness to allow ourselves to encounter Jesus and to be encountered by him; otherwise we fall into a stifling life, where disgruntlement, bitterness and inevitable disappointments get the better of us. To encounter one another in Jesus as brothers and sisters, young and old, and thus to abandon the barren rhetoric of “the good old days” – a nostalgia that kills the soul – and to silence those who think that “everything is falling apart”. If we encounter Jesus and our brothers and sisters in the everyday events of our life, our hearts will no longer be set on the past or the future, but will experience the “today of God” in peace with everyone.

Pope Francis
Two First Graders who received awards for academic excellence!

Mrs. Weaver (nee Sklodowski) receives an award for 25 years of service at our Elementary School. (pictured standing with her husband)

Nationally recognized TV personality Mrs. Deborah Ann Martin recently joined Sr. Allison for a live interview on Channel 3’s noon TV program. The segment focused on Catholic Schools’ Week and the work both St. Stanislaus Elementary School and Cleveland Central Catholic do in our neighborhood as their ministry.
SOCKS

As we are definitely experiencing the colder months of the year we will next begin our annual ‘socks’ drive to help provide new, clean, warm socks for many of the city’s homeless. This endeavor begins Feb. 2nd and carries through the cold season ending the March 29, 2020. When you bring your donations, please leave them in the short pews immediately adjacent to the baptistery of our church.

Please make sure those donations ONLY include NEW, WARM socks.

Again, your help to cloth the naked and feed the hungry will be remembered on his day of Judgement. God has given us so much...now we must share with our wealth. Please place the ‘Socks’ near the Divine Mercy Shrine (first 2 short pews). God bless you for helping the less fortunate.

Lenten Days of Recollection

Please mark your calendars now for our upcoming English Lenten retreat to be given at various times here at the Shrine Church of St. Stanislaus, March 8,9,10. The guest speaker will be Fr. Christopher Krymski, a member of the Servite Order.

Exact dates and times are being finalized, but will include ‘matinee’ talks (for those of you who prefer coming in daylight during lunchtime).

The following Wednesday will be the diocesan-wide day of recollection (March 11), but we will still have our parish evening penance service on the Wednesday preceding Holy Week, April 1, at 7PM.

Supporting our Advertisers
FYI, one of our advertisers, “Vic’s Floral” has moved to a new location:
6304 Fleet Avenue!

CHOPIN CONCERT

February 22 is the birthday of Chopin and March 1st is the date of his Baptism in 1810. To celebrate this we will have a concert honoring him the evening of February 29, at 7:30PM. More details forthcoming!

Requiescant in pace
In your prayers please remember Richard Bonkowski & Jadwiga Kaminska who entered into eternal life.
**Infants and Toddlers of Slavic Village**

February...open your hearts to the needs of our neighbors! Using one of the Walmart gift cards that was donated, we were able to provide 110 cans of tuna to the Ozanam Center. They are always in need of these basic commodities and are truly thankful for all your donations. Please continue to keep them in mind...it could mean a meal to a hungry child or family. Our baskets remain in the church vestibule for your convenience. If you wish to make a monetary donation you may place an envelope in the collection basket ... checks made out to St. Stanislaus with a notation for Infants and Toddlers. Thank you!

Marie Busch

**PRE-BAPTISM CLASS**

Those parents planning to have their children baptized here or at any of the neighboring parishes in the Southeast District are welcomed to attend the next Pre-Baptism Class at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, on February 2, 2020 at 1:30 PM. Questions? Call 216 341 2734.

**STEWARDSHIP/EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE**

Dear fellow parishioners, our next meeting is scheduled for Sunday, February 9, in the rectory meeting room immediately following the 11:30 AM Mass. In addition to our current members, interested parishioners are welcome to attend and we’re hoping that you will join us. If you’re not sure what we’re all about please attend to see if you would like to help out with this ministry. If you have any questions you can contact me,

Ronnie Zeszut at 216-225-7808, or e-mail, razeszut@att.net

**St. Stanislaus 150th Anniversary**

In 2023 we will be celebrating the 150th Anniversary of our beloved St. Stanislaus Parish. Planning is in the process and we are inviting parishioners to participate. Our next Planning Committee meeting is Sunday, February 16th in the parish rectory meeting room immediately following the 11:30 AM Mass. It’s going to be a grand 150 Anniversary celebration and we need your help. If you have any questions please contact me, Ronnie Zeszut, 216-225-7808 or e-mail, razeszut@att.net

**MASS INTENTIONS WEEKEND**

The weekend of February 29/March 1, our parish receptionist, Jane Bielawski, will be available in the church vestibule along with our parish Mass Intention Book to accept Mass Intentions for the remainder of 2020. Many Mass intentions, both Sunday and weekdays, are still available for those who would like a Mass offered for their personal intention.

Weekend 1 marca, będzie możliwość dokonania wpisu do książki z mszalnymi intencjami. W przedścianku kościoła zapisy będzie przyjmowała nasza parafialna recepcjonistka, Jane Bielawski. Nadal posiadamy wiele wolnych mszy intencyjnych do końca 2020, zarówno w dni powszednie jak i niedziele.

**TAX TIME!!**

Do you need a copy of your annual donation for your tax refund? Please contact Dan Kane at the office during weekday business hours to obtain your copy of that statement! He’s glad to help!
BASKET RAFFLES TO HELP FUND
OUR DIVINE MERCY SHRINE

The basic structure of the shrine has now been installed! Many additional decorative applications exist in the woodcarver’s atelier along with some pieces still to be carved. The paintings have been commissioned (The central panel featuring the Divine Mercy image, the right panel that of St. John Paul, the left panel of St. Faustina). Once they arrive the scaffolding will be put back into place and the altar will be completed. The time frame will be determined by the artist painting the triptych. We all look forward to its completion!!

Want to become a patron of one of the three paintings? Please contact the parish office for details. Your donation to this cause will be most appreciated.