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

Picture taken of part of the Amazon Rain Forest

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND OHIO
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 Zielenski, 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. Małgorzata Zielenska, St. Vincent DePaul Society  
Mr. Frank Krajewski, Dads’ Club President  
Mrs. Sophie Wasielewski, Golden Agers President  

To contact Organizations: Send an e-mail to the parish, with the person you wish to contact named in the subject line.

### Regular Schedule

**DEVOTIONS**  
Saint Anthony Novena Tuesday after 7 PM Mass

**OFFICE HOURS**  
The parish office is open from Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**  
Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 PM or by appointment.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**  
Ordinarily on Sundays at 2:00 PM. Alternate times must be arranged with a parish priest. Pre-Baptism instructions are necessary in advance.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**  
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.

**CHURCH HOURS**  
Church is open daily 30 minutes before and after all Masses. For tours or private prayer call the rectory.

### Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**February 23 lutego 2020**

**SAT**  
5:00 PM Lector—Karen Neuman  
EM: Judy Krajewski

**Sun**  
8:30 AM Lector—Ron Zeszut  
EM: Paul Walasek  
10:00 AM Lector—Krzysztof Zalewski  
EM: Teresa Cyranek  
11:30 AM Lector—Alex Harnocz  
EM: Marie Ostrowski

Counters: Stan, Bob, Felicia, Frank

### Mass Intentions

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| **Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**February 16 lutego 2020** |            |                                                                          |
| Sat        | 5:00 PM    | + Mike DeConcilus                                                        |
| Sun        | 8:30 AM    | + Loretta Horvath                                                        |
|            | 10:00 AM   | + Czesław & Anna Wanieński & Halina Bochinski                            |
|            | 11:30 AM   | + Florence Smolen                                                        |
| Mon        | Feb 17     | Seven Holy founders of the Servite Order                                 |
|            | 7:00 AM    | Sp. Int. for the President                                               |
|            | 8:30 AM    | + John Ciborowski                                                        |
| Tues       | Feb 18     | Weekday                                                                  |
|            | 7:00 AM    | + Fr. Josiah Booth                                                       |
|            | 7:00 PM    | + Benedict Wiśniewski                                                    |
| Wed        | Feb 19     | Weekday                                                                  |
|            | 7:00 AM    | Sp. Int. SHJ Enthronement Families                                       |
|            | 8:30 AM    | + Marianna Litwinczuk                                                    |
| Thu        | Feb 20     | Weekday                                                                  |
|            | 7:00 AM    | + Flo Klima                                                              |
|            | 7:00 PM    | + Zdzisław Okrucinski & Władysawa Lubas                                  |
| Fri        | Feb 21     | St. Peter Damien                                                         |
|            | 7:00 AM    | + Fr. Clarence Korgie                                                    |
|            | 8:30 AM    | + Sr. Magdalen Trojanowski                                               |
| Sat        | Feb 22     | Chair of St. Peter                                                       |
|            | 8:30 AM    | + Tadeusz Sieroslawski                                                   |
|            | **2 PM Marriage of Nicholas Kocha & Rachel Bohannon**                   |  
|            |            | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time                                          |
|            |            | February 23 lutego 2020                                                  |
| Sat        | 5:00 PM    | + Donna Bartczak                                                         |
| Sun        | 8:30 AM    | + Mike & Nancy Sipko                                                     |
|            | 10:00 AM   | + Rodz. Mieczysław                                                        |
|            | 11:30 AM   | + Alex & Caroline Galicki & Elizabeth Wright                            |

**February Bread and Wine Dedication**

**Sladewski Family Intention**
2/9 PARISH SUPPORT

5:00(27)........ $ 686.00
8:30(39)............. 974.00
10:00(47).......... 685.00
11:30(37).......... 1438.00
Mailed in(21)...... 662.00

TOTAL..............$ 4445.00

Readings for the week of February 16, 2020

Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 [1b]/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37
Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76 [77a]/Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1b]/Mk 8:22-26
Thursday: Jas 2:1-9/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [7a]/Mk 8:27-33
Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 1b]/Mk 8:34—9:1
Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 16:13-19
Next Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 [8a]/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

O God of earth and altar,
bow down and hear our cry,
our earthly rulers falter,
our people drift and die;
the walls of gold entomb us,
the swords of scorn divide,
take not thy thunder from us,
but take away our pride.

From all that terror teaches,
from lies of tongue and pen,
from all the easy speeches
that comfort cruel men,
from sale and profanation
of honor, and the sword,
from sleep and from damnation,
deliver us, good Lord!

Tie in a living tether
the prince and priest and thrall,
bind all our lives together,
smite us and save us all;
in ire and exultation
aflame with faith, and free,
lift up a living nation,
a single sword to thee.

- G.K. Chesterton, 1906
Pope Francis’ Prayer to Mary

(Conclusion of his Apostolic Exhortation on the Amazon)

Mother of life,
in your maternal womb Jesus took flesh,
the Lord of all that exists.
Risen, he transfigured you by his light
and made you the Queen of all creation.
For that reason, we ask you, Mary, to reign
in the beating heart of Amazonia.

Show yourself the Mother of all creatures,
in the beauty of the flowers, the rivers,
the great river that courses through it
and all the life pulsing in its forests.
Tenderly care for this explosion of beauty.

Ask Jesus to pour out all his love
on the men and women who dwell there,
that they may know how to appreciate and care for it.

Bring your Son to birth in their hearts,
so that he can shine forth in the Amazon region,
in its peoples and in its cultures,
by the light of his word,
by his consoling love,
by his message of fraternity and justice.

And at every Eucharist,
may all this awe and wonder be lifted up
to the glory of the Father.

Mother, look upon the poor of the Amazon region,
for their home is being destroyed by petty interests.
How much pain and misery,
how much neglect and abuse there is
in this blessed land
overflowing with life!

Touch the hearts of the powerful,
for, even though we sense that the hour is late,
you call us to save
what is still alive.

Mother whose heart is pierced,
who yourself suffer in your mistreated sons and daughters,
and in the wounds inflicted on nature,
reign in the Amazon,
together with your Son.
Reign so that no one else can claim lordship
over the handiwork of God.

We trust in you, Mother of life.
Do not abandon us
in this dark hour.
Amen.

St. Mary Seminary Winter Festival 2020
Looking for something good to do on Friday, February 21 from 5 til 8 PM? Why not go to the Center for Pastoral Leadership, 28700 Euclid Avenue, Wickliffe 4402 and sample some tasty Eastern European foods, take some chances at the raffles and get to meet some of our Cleveland diocesan seminarians! Tickets are $10 for adults, children under 12, $5. For more information please call 440-943-7600.

LITTLE BLACK BOOKS
Nothing tells you Lent is near like pączki and the little black books! The former will be part of our gathering here next Sunday, but the books are already available at both entrances of the church. Please take one with you and allow the words inside to help you have a fruitful Lenten journey.

KONRAD KOWAL RECITAL
Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at 8PM

That’s the date and time of our parish violinist’s Senior Recital to be held at Mixom Hall at the Cleveland Institute of music. Konrad is from Chicago, but attends St. Stanislaus while in Cleveland for his studies. He normally plays at the 10AM Sunday Mass. If you like great violin playing, be sure to attend this event!
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 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.

SAVE THE DATE
May 8, 2020
Annual Four Eagles Banquet and award ceremony!
The event will be held, once again, at the Tremont Ballroom. Tickets will be, as in recent years, $100.00, 50% tax deductible. Guess who the recipient will be this year! Guess who the recipient will be this year! Guess who the recipient will be this year! There, I’ve said it again!

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. Music by Chopin performed by Konrad Binienda and friends!

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.

Zapraszamy na ‘pączki’!!
Niedziela,
23 lutego,
po Mszy św. z okazji zakończenia karnawału!

All are invited to join in “pączki Sunday”
Pre-Lenten festivities
Sunday, February 23,
after the Masses!
Come enjoy some pączki,
coffee, juice and, possibly, make some new friends!
**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 Holy Name Parish, Sunday, March 1st, at 1PM. Please call to register at 216-271-4242.

**INFANTS AND TODDLERS OF SLAVIC VILLAGE**

Share your bread with the hungry. If you bestow your bread on the hungry light shall rise for you in the darkness and the gloom shall become for you like midday! The word of the Lord! We have hungry neighbors right here in Slavic Village. Please keep them in your hearts and "share your bread." Again, thank you for your generosity...the car is loaded with your donations to drop off at the Ozanam Center! "Without you, many families would go hungry." (food for thought.) Keep them in mind when you sit down for your evening meal. Marie Busch

**TRANSFIGURATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Families of Eastern European heritage may be eligible for a "Transfiguration Scholarship" for their children attending a Catholic elementary, high school or college for the 2019-2020 academic year. Families must be parishioners at either St. Stanislaus or Immaculate Heart and must demonstrate a financial need. In addition, the student must be in good academic standing. Applications are available at the rectory office Deadline for application filing is April 15, 2019.

**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 150th 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 przedsięwzięciu 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.
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.