

March 22, 2020
Fourth Sunday of
Lent

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St. John Cantius

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 6:30 p.m.
 Tuesday, Thursday 8:30 a.m.
 Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m.
 Sunday 9:30 a.m. (Polish) & 11:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:15–3:45 p.m.

BAPTISMS: Please contact the parish office to schedule the Baptism of your child.

FUNERALS: Contact the parish office before making any newspaper publications about a Funeral Mass.

WEDDINGS: Weddings generally take place in the parish of the bride or groom. If you would like to be married at St. John Cantius contact the Pastor for information. No weddings may happen within 6 months before the requested date per Diocesan Policy.

REGISTRATION: We welcome new members. Registrations can be made by calling the parish office to set up an appointment or after any weekend mass with one of the priests (schedule permitting). Anyone over 18 years old should register as single adult.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**LITURGY SCHEDULE**
ROZKŁAD MSZY SW.**SUNDAY, MARCH 22**

- † Stanisława Janczura
† Janina & Marcin Jagiela

MONDAY, MARCH 23

- † Helen Sklad

TUESDAY, MARCH 24

- † Josephine Czerapowicz

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25

- † Deceased Friends of Durczak
Family

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

- Fr. Richard Evans and all priests

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

- † Fr. Lucjan Stokowski

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

- † Helen Sklad

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

- † Karolina & Stanislaw Karnasiewicz
† Sutowski & Wyderka Family

COLLECTION FOR THE WEEK

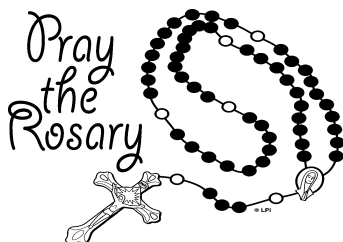
Saturday 4:00 p.m.	\$ 695.00
Sunday 9:30 a.m.	\$ 322.00
Sunday 11:30 a.m.	\$ 587.00
Mail	\$ 255.00
<u>Eoffering</u>	<u>\$ 605.00</u>
Total Collection	\$ 2,464.00

Pastors Thoughts,

I don't believe words could describe the loss that each of us feels during this time. When I received the Ohio Bishop's directives on not permitting any public Mass in our parishes I was stunned. As I read on further and read 'through Easter' it was even more incredulous. Easter season is the highlight of our entire Liturgical Year. It's the season where St. Paul says without his Resurrection our faith is in vein! During these challenges times we need to pray. I encourage you to pray daily, read the scriptures, pray the rosary and remember those who are in any way sick, suffering, or effected from this virus outbreak. I have made the bulletin assessable through our parish website so you can keep up with any new news. You simply press on the link and it will bring the Sunday bulletin right to your computer. We will continue to publish the bulletin every week as usual. If you wish, you may stop in the office to pick one up (9am - 3pm) or call and we can make arrangements to mail a copy to you. Second, I am installing a link directly to weekly Mass for Shut In's which is sponsored by the Cleveland Diocese. With this link, you can play the Mass at any time and any day or day of the week. Know that everyone is in my thoughts, prayers, and daily Mass intentions. Priests are permitted to say "Mass Without People" (Missa Sine Populo) which I continue to do daily not only for the daily Mass intention but for everybody in our parish. This would be an opportune time to consider signing up for Online Giving at our webpage. Online Giving ensures your weekly/monthly contributions continue to come in as we still must meet our utilities and other financial obligations. You may also mail your weekly contributions directly to the parish. Please feel to email me (froach@stjohncantiuschurch.org) or call me at anytime for anything as I am here to support each of you during this challenging time. May God Bless each of you and may He bless this great nation as we stand together in the name of Jesus as his disciples.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Note that the diocese is now livestreaming a mass daily at 9:30am on the diocesan website, and the weekend TV Mass will be available on the diocesan website starting at 4 p.m. on Saturday. It can also be seen on Fox 8 WJW at 6 a.m. on Sunday. Those with Cox Cable can view the Mass at 11:30 a.m. Sunday on channel 45.



IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember the sick and infirm of the parish in your prayers: Craig & Sam Bak, Barbara Bak, Barbara Byers, Ted Blanda, Fr. John Bryk, Walter & Carol Buczek, Edward Bugala, Paul Bugala, Delores Cass, Teresa Cieslik, Susan Daly, Jean Elko, Roseanne Ewazen, Ed Falkowski, Janice Franczek Ron Gracon, Ann Kilbane Friedl, Stella Fryger, Nicole Fuqua, Lloyd Gordon, Mieczyslaw Janczura, Anne Kalas, Diane Kearsey, Josephine Kohut, Fran Kopack, Henry & Rita Kozlowski, Ted Kusek, Theresa Lipka, Barbara Lishko, Larry & Pam Makowski, Greg Masevice, Toby Morgan, Valerie Sopczyk Nester, Edward Pieciak, Lottie Pilat, Frank Plewa, Mildred Polanski, Lou Potokar, Joyce Resek, David Ross Jr., Betty Ryba, Barbara Skalski, Jessie & Chris Stachurski, Albert & Irene Stepnowski, Alex Sutowski, Olga Sutowski, Marlene Sutowski, Joshua Szymczak, Roberta Virzi, Adele Walczak, Emilia Wojcik, Hettie Wojtonek, Edward Zubel, and anyone we may have omitted.

FAMILY PERSPECTIVES

In the gospel today, Jesus cures a man born blind, using mud and dirt as a sign of His healing. Even the most ordinary things in our family can be sources of healing and signs of God's presence if we open our eyes and use them for the sake of others.

JOKE

Over breakfast one morning, a woman said to her husband, "I bet you don't know what day this is." "Of course, I do," he indignantly answered, going out the door on his way to the office. At 10:00 A.M. the doorbell rang, and when the woman opened the door, she was handed a box containing a dozen long-stemmed roses. At 1:00 P.M. a foil-wrapped, two pound box of her favorite chocolates arrived. Later, a boutique delivered a designer dress. The woman couldn't wait for her husband to come home. "First, the flowers, then the candy, and then the dress!" she exclaimed. "I've never spent a more wonderful Groundhog Day in my whole life!" (Not knowing a spouses birthday could cost you dearly!)



„ZIARNO SŁOWA BOZEGO

Treścią dzisiejszej Ewangelii jest natychmiastowe uzdrowienie niewidomego od urodzenia żebraka, dochodzenie w sprawie tego cudownego uzdrowienia i nieuleczalne duchowe zaślepienie faryzeuszów, religijnych przywódców izraelskiego narodu. Być niewidomym od urodzenia, żyć w wiecznej nocy, nigdy nie widzieć słońca, piękna zorzy i zmierzchu, nigdy nie oglądać kochanego oblicza matki ani niewinnych oczu dziecka, nigdy nie widzieć tęczy na niebie, barwnych kwiatów i innych cudów przyrody – to wielkie nieszczęście i wielka strata. Niewidomy od urodzenia to obraz nas wszystkich. My wszyscy od urodzenia jesteśmy ślepi na Boga i na Boże sprawy. Często zło zaślepia nam oczy. Możemy jednak wyzdrowieć i przejrzeć. Jezus jest Światłem, Słońcem świata, które wiecznie świeci, płonie i grzeje. Grzech zaślepia człowieka i wielu woli stracić oczy niż porzucić grzeszne życie. Dostojewski napisał: „Świat kocha swoje błoto i nie chce się niepokoić”. Kto kocha błoto swoich grzechów, ten nie może kochać Chrystusa. Ucieka od Chrystusa, gdyż Ten Ukrzyżowany go niepokoi, bo przypomina mu, że powinien być dzieckiem Bożym, a nie synem ciemności. Prośmy Chrystusa, abyśmy przejrzeli, jeżeli jesteśmy niewidomi. Nie staniemy się niewidomi, jeżeli będziemy patrzeć chrześcijańskimi oczyma na swoją drogę i życie. Przez życie niech nas prowadzi Jezus i jego słowo, które jest światłem, oraz Jego miłość.

OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE

Drodzy Baracia i Siostry w Chrystusie,

Po rozważeniu, poważnego zagrożenia dla zdrowia związanego ze zgromadzeniami publicznymi oraz w celu ograniczenia rozprzestrzeniania się koronawirusa, biskupi Ohio postanowili, ze skutkiem natychmiastowym, tymczasowo zawiesić wszystkie publicznie odprawiane Mszy / liturgie, przynajmniej do czasu Wielkiego Tygodnia i Wielkanocy. Biskupi z Ohio zwalniają wiernych katolików, którzy przebywają w swoich diecezjach i wszystkich innych katolików przebywających obecnie w Ohio, z obowiązku uczestniczenia w niedzielnej mszy aż do Niedzieli Wielkanocnej.



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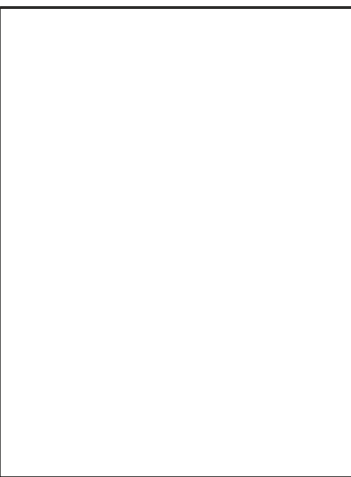
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