

# SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

## JUNE 22, 2025



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#### OFFICE HOURS

Sunday & Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Saturday: By Appointment

#### MASS TIMES

Saturday 4:00PM: St. Stanislaus

Sunday 9:00AM: St. Stanislaus

Sunday 11:00AM: St. Casimir

Monday-Friday 12:05PM: St. Ann's

First Saturday 9:00AM: St. Ann's

Weekday at St. Stanislaus: Call Parish Office

### **MASSES FOR THE WEEK (Our Mother of Sorrows)**

#### **Sunday, June 22nd: the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

Private: Special Intentions of Lucia Lee

10:30am (SC) Confessions

11:00am (SC) Bernice Zilonka by Family

#### **Monday, June 23rd: Weekday**

12:05pm (SA) John and Josephine Hartman by Granddaughters

#### **Tuesday, June 24th: The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist**

12:05pm (SA) Harold Wm. McIntyre by Dr. Hal Angeloff

#### **Wednesday, June 25th: Weekday**

12:05pm (SA) Habas, Kulig and Laszewski Families by Kulig Estate

#### **Thursday, June 26th: Weekday**

12:05pm (SA) Galla and Walach Families by Paul and Linda Galla

#### **Friday, June 27th: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

12:05pm (SA) Charlotte Prez by Ann and Theresa Juchno

#### **Saturday, June 28th: Weekday**

Private: Special Intentions of Lucia Lee

#### **Sunday, June 29th: Saints Peter and Paul**

Private: Special Intentions of Sister Irene by Lucia Lee

10:30am (SC) Confessions

11:00am (SC) Margaret Shanta by The Vento Family

**CONFESSIONS: Monday-Friday, 11:30-11:55AM (St. Ann's)**

### **MASS INTENTIONS (Saint Stanislaus)**

Mon., June 23rd - Private Intention

Tues., June 24th - Peter Joseph Dubowski (Denis & Nancy Nieder)

Wed., June 25th - Albert "Mickey" Mabie (Mark Mabie)

Thur., June 26th - Edward Bukowski (Virginia Belczyk)

Fri., June 27th - Roy Bernardini (James McGoey)

Sat., June 28th, 4:00PM - Leonard Popovich (Joyce Gunter)

Sun., June 29th, 9:00AM - For the People of Saint Stanislaus (*Pro Populo*)

### **Readings for the week of June 22, 2025**

Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1-4/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11-17

Monday: Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22/Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1-3, 13-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-4, 6-9/Mt 7:15-20

Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16/Ps 106:1-5/Mt 7:21-29

Friday: Ez 34:11-16/Ps 23:1-6/Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7

Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-50, 53-55/Mt 8:5-17

Next Sunday: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

### **SANCTUARY CANDLES**

**SAINT STANISLAUS:** For the People of Saint Stanislaus

**HOLY FAMILY:** 1) Habas, Kulig & Laszewski Families by Kulig Estate; 2) Galla and Walach Families by Paul and Lisa Galla

**OUR MOTHER OF SORROWS:** Robert Merski, Sr. and Mildred Merski by The Merski Family

**ST. ANN'S:** 1) For our Sick and Shutins; 2) All Souls in Purgatory

**ST. CASIMIR'S:** 1) Bernie Zilonka by Gloria Palmer and Family; 2) All Parishioners, Living and Deceased

**June 22, 2025**

### **The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

A Catholic friend of mine occasionally says, "The Eucharist is not a noun. It's a verb." In so saying, he is making the point that the Eucharist isn't simply Jesus' bodily presence given to us in holy Communion. It also manifests the dynamic pattern by which Christ actively loves and saves us. He teaches us to cooperate with that pattern. This Eucharist actually embodies four verbs: Jesus takes, blesses, breaks, and gives. Let's consider each one.

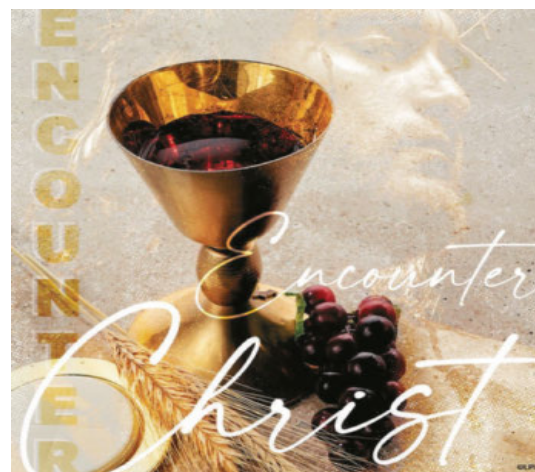
He takes: Do we acknowledge that we are totally in God's hands? Do we receive everything in our lives as a gift, and act responsibly with it?

He blesses: Do we actively reflect that Jesus makes us holy in our baptism? Do we embrace our bodies and souls as temples of God, worthy of love, peace, and joy?

He breaks: Do we run from failure and disappointment, from getting old or being ignored? Are we too worried about getting hurt or sick? Do we embrace our sufferings with confidence?

He gives: Are we willing to make our lives a gift for others? Are we confident that we will always have enough love to give to others, that God will always provide enough for us? Do we rejoice in giving away what we have to others, expecting nothing in return? This is the dynamic life the Eucharist empowers us to live.

— Father John Muir





### **VERY SPECIAL CONGRATULATIONS**

A word of CONGRATULATION are in order for Hannah Boccio, who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, June 21st, at St. Ann's Church. We are very proud that you chose to take this step in your journey of faith!

### **KNIGHTS OF COLOMBUS BABY BOTTLES**

For those who chose to participate in the Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle fundraiser, please bring you bottles back the next time you attend Mass. Thanks for supporting this fundraiser on behalf of the Pro-Life cause!

### **SAVE THE DATE**

St. Stan's will host our annual Parish Picnic on Sunday, August 3rd, in the rectory courtyard. This picnic is intended for *all* of our parishioners from St. Hedwig's and Our Mother of Sorrows, as well as St. Stan's. In the past, this picnic has been a wildly successful event, bringing together all of our communities for an afternoon/evening of fellowship. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend. More details to follow.

### **UPDATE: STATUS OF HOLY FAMILY PROPERTIES**

This past week, Fr. Jason had a conversation with the attorney helping us navigate the sale of the Holy Family properties. The buyer was responsible for having the lots subdivided. Unfortunately, the buyer had the property wrongly subdivided. The property needs to be resurveyed and re-subdivided. Fortunately, the buyer still has every intention to purchase the property. At this point, the ball is completely in the buyer's court; there is nothing Our Mother of Sorrows or Fr. Jason can do to speed along the process. We will continue to provide updates as more information becomes available.

### **MASS COVERAGE**

Fr. Jason was honored to be asked to baptize the first-born son of a dear friend of his. Father will have to travel out-of-town to celebrate the baptism. Consequently, next weekend, we will have some guest presiders at our Masses. We will welcome Msgr. Magraw back to celebrate the 4:00PM Mass on June 28th. Fr. David Renne will celebrate the 9AM Mass on June 29th. Fr. Prescero will cover Fr. Jason's Mass at 11:00AM. Thank you, in advance, for your understanding and flexibility. Pray for Father's safe travels.

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This year, Corpus Christi falls on Sunday, June 22nd. St. Stanislaus will hold it's traditional (though modified) Corpus Christi procession following the 9:00AM Mass. The processions will exit the 13th Street door, proceed west to 12th Street, head to the north side of the school, and into the rectory courtyard. A light reception in the courtyard will follow. Alternative plans for inclement weather will be announced.

### **THANK YOU**

A very special word of thanks to all of our St. Stanislaus parishioners volunteered their time for our first "Day of Service." Together, we did a lot of weeding and mulching, cleaning of the Nazareth Center and church, planted bulbs and raked up leaves. Due to the number of parishioners who showed up, we had everything done by noon! Again, many, many thanks! The grounds look great!

### **ST. STAN'S PARISH-WIDE GARAGE SALE**

St. Stanislaus will host a parish-wide garage sale on Friday, June 20th, and Saturday, June 21st. The sale will take place in the Parish Hall parking lot, the garages, and the Parish Hall. "One man's trash is another man's treasure." Come out and see the unique items for sale. We will also be serving hot dogs and beverages, so feel free to come by or a bite to eat!

### **WOMEN'S SOCIETY PICNIC**

A "Members Only" Summer Picnic will be held on July 16th at 5:30PM at the Colony Inn on West 8th Street. If you signed up at the last Women's Society meeting, there is no need to call for a reservation. All other members are asked to RSVP by July 13th by calling Sharon at 814-790-1226. We look forward to sharing our fellowship!

### **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

St. Stanislaus will host Eucharistic Adoration on Sunday, July 20th, following the 9:00AM Mass until 11:00AM. Please consider giving the Lord some of your time in prayer.

### **ST. STANISLAUS: ROOFING UPDATE**

The external damage to our roof caused by the significant Thanksgiving snowstorm have been repaired. With much thanks to the Mount Carmel community, we have borrowed scaffolding to effect the internal repairs to the plaster and paint on the interior of the ceiling. Once completed, we will begin moving forward with our carpeting project.



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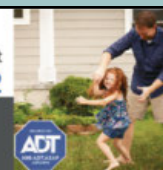


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