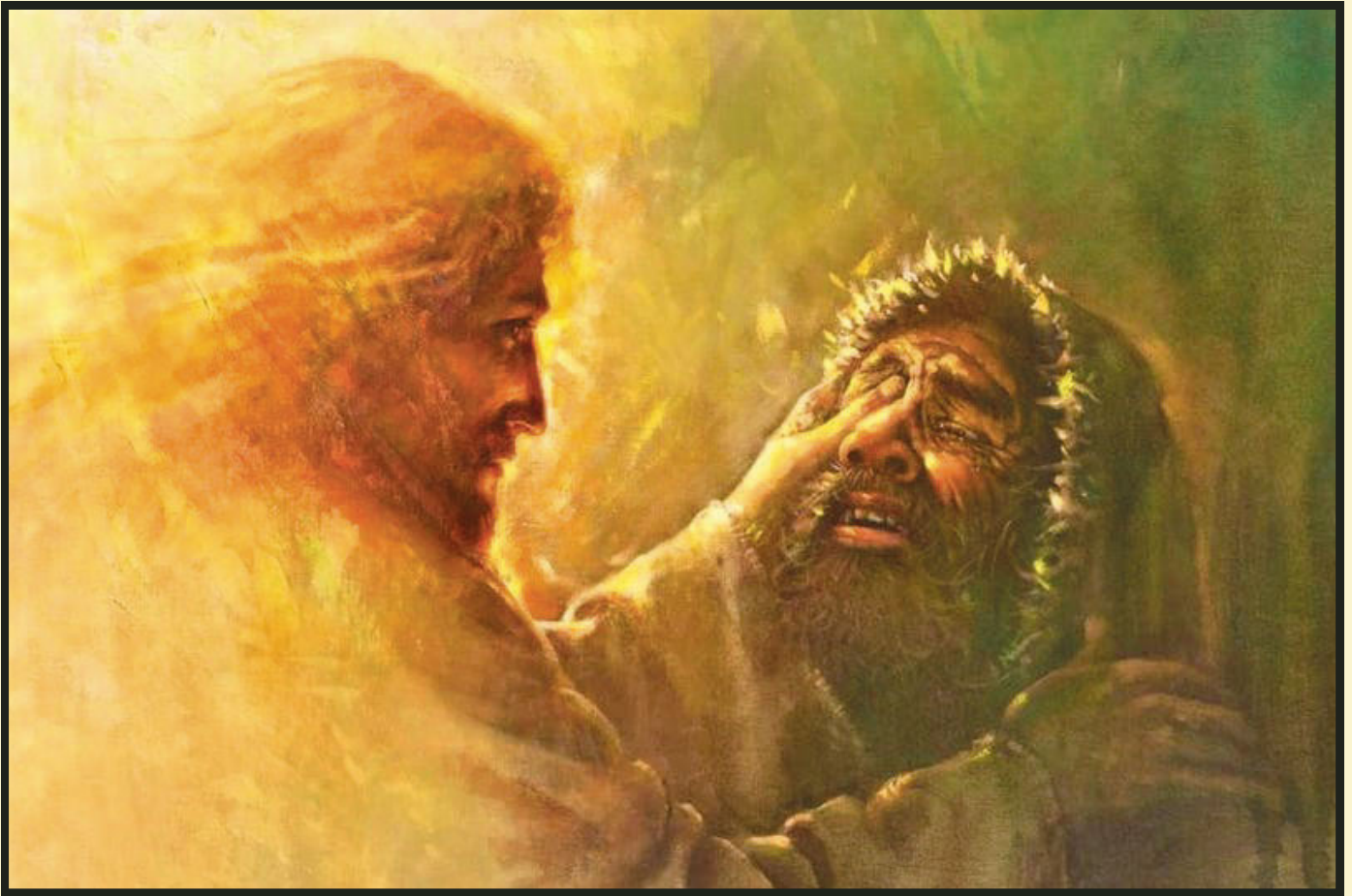


THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 27, 2024



Saint Stanislaus & Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Churches

516 East 13th Street

Erie, Pennsylvania 16503

814.452.6606 (Day); 814.452.4832 (Evening/Saturday)

www.statanserie.org or www.motherofsorrowserie.org

email: stater@outlook.com or gangemi@twc.com

Fr. Jason A. Glover, S.T.L., Pastor

Fr. Jerry Priscaro, Resident Priest (St. Ann's)

Ms. Debbie Oldenski, Secretary (Day)

Mrs. Helen Gangemi, Secretary (Evening)

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday & Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 9:00AM-12:00PM; 4:30PM-6:30PM

Wednesday: 9:00AM-3:00PM; 4:30PM-6:30PM

Thursday: 9:00AM-3:00PM

Friday: 9:00AM-12:00PM

Saturday: 9:00AM-3:00PM

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, October 27th: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Private (SA): Special Intentions of Stephen Waterford
11:00am (SC): William Kurtzhals by Bob and Karen Mazur

Monday, October 28th: Saints Simon and Jude

11:30am (SA): Confessions
12:05pm (SA): Marlene Anorascik by The Vento Family

Tuesday, October 29th: Weekday

11:30am (SA): Confessions
12:05pm (SA): The Deceased Members of the Ropelewski Family by Estate

Wednesday, October 30th: Weekday

11:30am (SA): Confessions
12:05pm (SA): Christine Brower Krokzyk, Birthday by Florence Brower

Thursday, October 31st: Weekday

11:30am (SA): Confessions
12:05pm (SA) Intentions of Frank Vento, Birthday November 1st
by wife Beverly and Family
5:15pm(SC): Vigil Mass – Charlotte Prez by Judy Stanek

First Friday, November 1st: All Saints Day (A Holy Day of Obligation)

11:30am (SA): Confessions
12:05pm (SA): Special Intentions of Nancy Shanta by The Vento Family

First Saturday, November 2nd: All Souls' Day

8:30am (SA): Confessions
9:00am (SA): Norbert Figurski by wife Marlene
Private: Holy Souls by Stephen Waterford

MASS INTENTIONS (Saint Stanislaus)

Mon., Oct. 28th - Private Intention
Tues., Oct. 29th - Hedy Garr (Family)
Wed., Oct. 30th - Dominick Farbo (Norb & Kate Pastewka)
Thur., Oct. 31st - Christine Sierota (Jim & Kathie Grochulski)
Fri., Nov. 1st - Ray Przybyszewski (Family)
Sat., Nov. 2nd, 4:00PM - Ron Kedzierski (Paul Gostomski)
Sun., Nov. 3rd, 9:00AM - For the People of Saint Stanislaus (*Pro Populo*)

Readings for the week of October 27, 2024

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-6/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52
Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-5/Lk 6:12-16
Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-5/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-14/Lk 13:22-30
Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10/Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12
Saturday: Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, 7, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30
Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28-34

October 27, 2024

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Near my house there is a school for the blind. Often, I see blind people learning how to navigate the world with only a walking stick, even on a busy street with roaring traffic. I'm amazed to see how adept and carefully they get around without sight. Nevertheless, often a sadness arises in me that he or she cannot see all the beautiful colors, images, and persons filling the world around them. Those days, I find myself deeply grateful for the basic privilege of sight.

That's part of why the mystery of Jesus as the sight-giver is so moving to me. This week, it's wonderful how Bartimaeus the blind man is no longer content with his limitation and bellows out his desire for Jesus' mercy. In beautiful simplicity, he cries out to the Lord, "Master, let me receive my sight." Jesus quietly heals his sight. And off he goes, fully taking in the world around him. Imagine the delightful new way in which he is able to respond to the world.

Like blind Bartimaeus and the courageous people in my neighborhood, we may be able to get around reasonably well in our daily lives. But we are blind to the gestures of heroic love of people close to us. We can't see the desperate need of the hungry, thirsty, imprisoned, exploited, endangered, and so on, in our midst. We can't see Jesus drawing near to us in so many ways, but he is. This Sunday let's cry out to him: Lord have mercy on me! I want to see! And little by little — or perhaps in a flash — we'll see once again, or perhaps for the first time.

— Father John Muir



SANCTUARY CANDLES

SAINT STANISLAUS: For all deceased members of Saint Stanislaus, Our Mother of Sorrows, and Saint Hedwig Parishes
HOLY FAMILY: 1) Ada M. O'Hara Prindle, Fr. O'Hara's sister; 2) For all Sick and Shut-ins
OUR MOTHER OF SORROWS: Robert Merski, Sr. and Mildred Merski by The Merski Family
ST. ANN'S: 1) For more vocations to religious life; 2) All Parishioners Living and Deceased
ST. CASIMIR'S: 1) Galla and Walach Families by Paul and Lisa Galla; 2) Habas, Kulig and Laszewski Families by Kulig Estate

**NEW OFFICE HOURS AT ST. STANISLAUS
EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2024**

Monday: Closed
Tuesday: 9:00AM-12:00PM (Debbie)
4:30PM-6:30PM (Helen)
Wednesday: 9:00AM-12:00PM (Debbie)
4:30PM-6:30PM (Helen)
Thursday: 9:00AM-3:00PM (Debbie)
Friday: 9:00AM-12:00PM (Debbie)
Saturday: 9:00AM-3:00PM (Helen)
Sunday: Closed

**RESET YOUR CLOCKS BEFORE GOING TO BED
SATURDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 2nd**

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME
FALLING BACK
NOVEMBER 3, 2024**

Dear Parishioners,

I recently met with my orthopedic surgeon at the University of Buffalo. X-Rays revealed that my hip joint is "nearly unrecognizable," according to my surgeon. The joint is so "obliterated" that a full hip replacement is the only remedy. Just how bad the joint is was a surprise to me. That I needed a replacement was not; I already knew that was going to be the case.

Surgery has been scheduled for November 22nd, the soonest date available. If all goes as anticipated, it will be a 2 hour out-patient surgery; I should be back in Erie that afternoon/evening. Recovery times vary, but I am expecting to be out of commission for at least two weeks.

A lot of question have yet to be answered. Obviously, I will have to find coverage for weekend Masses. Also, I will have to make arrangements for Thanksgiving Day Mass. I will keep everyone apprised of the situation.

Naturally, I have much trepidation and worries about the procedure, but I try to focus on the relief that will follow; it's been a long and painful three year ordeal. I continue to be thankful for your prayers, support, and patience. Pray, God, it will all be over soon!

-Fr. Jason



VIEWING PARTY

The viewings will take place from 5:30-7:30PM in St. Stan's Parish Hall on:

October 30th
November 6th

More dates will be added, if necessary.

ALL SAINTS DAY

All Saints Day is Friday, November 1st, and it is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated:

Saint Casimir's: Thursday, October 31st, at 5:15PM

Saint Stanislaus: Friday, November 1st, at 9:00AM

"TASTE OF POLAND/PARISH DAY" WINNERS

The following were the winners of Saint Stanislaus Grand Drawing held on Parish Day:

3rd Prize (\$250.00): Tony and Sue Mazzone

2nd Prize (\$500.00): Matt and Ellie Pol

Grand Prize (\$1,250.00): Melissa Sinko

Congratulations to our winners! Thank you all for your support!

PARISH DAY SUMMARY

The numbers are in! We are VERY PLEASED to provide the following summary. This summary does not include every source of income, but highlights the significant area:

Dinners	\$9,589
Bake Sale	\$2,838
Czarnina	\$999
Frozen Pierogi	\$1,785
Grand Raffle	\$4,099
Chinese Raffle.....	\$1,705
Large Basket Raffle	\$1,525

Grand Total/Net Income \$22,977

What an amazing, record breaking evening! Once again, many thanks to all who were involved - whether cooking, serving, selling, patronizing, donating goods and bake sale items, etc. It was truly a whole parish, community effort. Not only was it a highly successful evening, but a good time was had by all! Thank you!

BULLETIN ISSUES

Last weekend, St. Stan's received far fewer bulletins than usual. In fact, so few were shipped that we had to forego sending the bulletin by mail to our homebound. We apologize for this and for running out of bulletins for the weekend. Fr. Jason called the publisher Monday morning to resolve the matter.

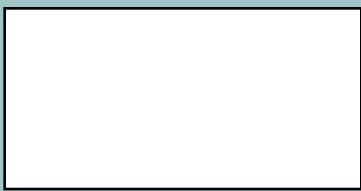
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration will be held at St. Stan's on Sunday, November 24th, following the 9:00AM Mass until 11:00AM. Please consider taking time to spend in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE

The St. Stanislaus Pro-Life Committee is hosting a Holy Hour for Life today, October 27th, beginning at 2:00PM. Fr. Jerry Priscaro will preside. Consider joining us to pray before the Blessed Sacrament for all issues impacting the dignity of life.

Schutte
WOODWORKING, LLC
CUSTOM CABINETRY • MILLWORK
CHURCH FURNISHINGS • WALL UNITS
Steven R. Rimpa, Owner
2831 Zimmerman Rd, Erie • 814-453-5110
www.schuttewoodworking.net



RUSSELL C. SCHMIDT & SON
FUNERAL HOME, INC.
Dennis D. Schmidt-President, Supervisor
Pre-Arrangements Available
5000 Wattsburg Road • Erie, PA 16504
(814) 824-5000
www.SchmidtFuneralHomeErie.com

LIBERTY ROOFING PROS
Your Local Roofing Pros!
libertyroofingpros.com • 724-605-4024



Urbaniak Bros.
Quality Meats
New Central Market - Ph. 454-4456
Fresh Meats, Delicatessen, Poultry, Seafood & Fresh Produce
New! Herb + Honey Bakery 310 E 24th St / German



GECAC community Action
AmeriCorps Seniors
Over 55?
Volunteer in the Classroom
Receive an hourly stipend without affecting your benefits
CALL NOW! 459-4581 ext 462

Erie Cemetery ASSOCIATION
Erie • Laurel Hill • Wintergreen Gorge
Celebrate Life Through Remembrance
Many Options for Traditional Burial and Cremation Services
All Faiths Welcome 814.459.2463



BRUGGER
FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORY, LLC
Affordable Funeral Services
Pre-Planning
On-Site Cremation Tribute Center
PARTNERS: GARETT J., AUSTIN J., CARL R., & LEO J. BRUGGER III
845 East 38th St. Erie • 864-4864
www.bruggerfuneralhomes.com

DOES YOUR NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION NEED A NEWSLETTER?
Engaging, ad-supported print and digital newsletters to reach your community.
Visit lpicommunities.com

OUR COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER
BETWEEN EDITIONS

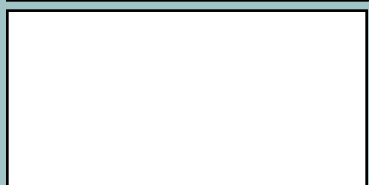
Scan to contact us!

LET'S GROW YOUR BUSINESS
Place Your Ad Here and Support Our Parish!

CONTACT ME Jay Schwartz

jschwartz@4LPi.com • (800) 477-4574 x6801

catholicmatch[®] Pennsylvania **CatholicMatch.com/PA**



WE APPRECIATE OUR ADVERTISERS!

Place Your Ad Here and Support our Parish!
Instantly create and purchase an ad with

AD CREATOR STUDIO

4lpi.com/adcreator

NEVER MISS OUR BULLETIN!

SUBSCRIBE

Have our bulletin emailed to you every week.

Visit www.parishesonline.com

ADT-Monitored Home Security
Get 24-Hour Protection From a Name You Can Trust
833-287-3502

- Burglary
- Fire Safety
- Flood Detection
- Carbon Monoxide

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS!