



August 16 -
Sierpien - 2020

Twentieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

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CONFESSIONS

Before and after Mass
and by request.

BAPTISMS

Regularly after Sunday
Mass or by special
arrangement with the
Pastor. Pre-Baptismal
instructions required.

MARRIAGES

Diocesan policy requires
arrangements to be
made at least six months
in advance of an
intended date allowing
for appropriate Pre-
Marital instruction.

CHURCH OF *St. Casimir*
PARAFIA ŚW. KAZIMIERZA

8223 Sowinski Avenue • Cleveland, Ohio 44103

"The Polish Heart of Poznan"

Established in 1891

Present Church Dedicated 1918

Cleveland Solidarity Center 1985

City of Cleveland Historical Landmark 1985

Rev. Fr. Eric S. Orzech, M.Div., MA, Pastor
Mr. Konrad Binienda - Directors of Music - Mr. Jan Bis

MASS INTENTIONS

August 16th - + Stanislaw Golab
 August 23rd - + Jozefa & William Kopchian
 August 30th - + Natalie Baranyk
 Sept. 6th - + Angela Hocevar
 Sept. 13th - Special Intention: Bienia Family

SANCTUARY LIGHT INTENTIONS**Week of August 16th**

This week's Sanctuary Lamps are being lit (1) for the repose of the soul of STANISLAW KALUZNE and (2) for the good health and happiness of JOHN, KATY, and FIONE RAJIC now and in the future from Mom, Anita. *To reserve your intentions, please fill-out the envelopes at the church entrances and submit your request by dropping it into the collection basket located in the church. They can also be mailed-in as we will continue accepting intentions during this health crisis.*

St. Casimir's is on
FACEBOOK, INSTAGRAM,
& YouTube

You can keep sending information in to Julie at:
jcm688@yahoo.com
 and access our information in the following ways:

FACEBOOK: <https://www.facebook.com/CasimirCleveland/>

INSTAGRAM: [St_Casimir_Cleveland_OH](https://www.instagram.com/St_Casimir_Cleveland_OH)

YouTube: <http://bit.ly/stcasimircleveland>

BULLETIN ONLINE: *Go to the Alumni Website at www.stcasimir.com and click-on the Parish Bulletin tab to access the bi-lingual postings.*

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

August 16th - TWENTIETH SUNDAY, "A". Mass at 11:30AM with a special commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Warsaw. Pilgrim Virgin of Fatima statue present. St. Casimir Summer Garden Event afterward.

August 23rd - TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY, "A". Mass at 11:30AM with Pilgrim Virgin of Fatima statue present followed by the Summer Garden Event.

August 30th - TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY, "A". Mass at 11:30AM with Summer Garden Event afterward.

Readings for the Week of August 16, 2020

Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/
Mt 15:21-28
Monday: Ez 24:15-24/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]/
Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab [39c]/
Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 20:1-16
Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [Ez 36:25]/
Mt 22:1-14
Friday: Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [1]/Mt 22:34-40
Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/
Mt 23:1-12
Next Sunday: Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8 [8bc]/
Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

Church Business

Please direct all mail and inquiries to:

Saint Stanislaus Church
3649 East 65th Street
Cleveland, Ohio 44105
(216) 341-9091

Our schedule features one weekly, bi-lingual, English-Polish Mass on Sundays at 11:30 AM with Holy Day & Special Masses as announced. As a full parish, all of the spiritual needs of our parishioners and friends for Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, etc., can be arranged by contacting us at your convenience.

St. Casimir Summer Garden

Our Summer Garden Event has proved to be a popular edition to our Sunday post-Mass routine. Since its inception, we've worked-out a few kinks and have continued to try and improve our shared experience of it. Moving ahead, here are a couple updates for your consideration. **1).** As we have secured enough tables and chairs, it is no longer necessary to bring any of your own from home. **2).** As grilled fair and refreshments are being offered, should you wish to contribute items to share, please focus on things like varieties of salads, fruits, and desserts. You're welcome to bring items for your own use, too. **3).** We welcome any further suggestions which you might have as well as any assistance which you may be able to provide to keep things going and great. Be sure to bring a friend and remember -

ALL ARE WELCOME!

1891—Celebrating 129 Years—2020**ST. CASIMIR'S BROADCAST MASS**

<http://bit.ly/stcasimircleveland>

This above address is the one to access our Sunday Masses which are being broadcast on YouTube - but the last couple week's are not there - our volunteers haven't been available...

While their efforts have held-us-over previously, we are looking to get Wi-Fi access into the church which will allow us to "live-stream" the Mass. We also must invest in the necessary equipment (we've been borrowing theirs) as well as get some tech-savvy volunteers to form a filming & broadcast team so no one person is overburdened. By all account, this is not an overly complicated or strenuous task but it does need people to do it.

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This is where we need YOUR HELP! Does this sound like it's up your alley? Could you help-out once a month? Well then do let us know! This will be an important service to our parish as we move forward in the future.

To date, we have heard from TWO PEOPLE who are willing to help. We have many volunteers active in many areas, however, here is a possibility for someone who might not yet be involved as it does not require physical stamina or exertion.

We cannot expect one family to carry this responsibility alone as scheduling obviously won't allow them to be present each and every week. Please consider whether you or someone you know might be right for this type of important service.

Memorial Remembrances

One of the important matters which everyone must consider at some time or another is the final disposition of their earthly possessions. Usually, this includes remembering those things most dear to us during our lifetime. Our parish of St. Casimir is such an entity. We are grateful to those families who requested in obituaries that donations be made in memory of their loved ones to our Church. We encourage others to consider doing the same and also to remember us in your estate planning and will. Your love, help, and concern can ensure the long lasting, vibrant future for St. Casimir's.

SOME SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS...

CALLING ALL HANDS...in the midst of the warmer summer weather, we still have the needs of our parish buildings and now our grounds to address. Wednesdays remain the day where - keeping appropriate social distancing, of course - all are welcome to come between 10AM and 2PM to help-out. After all, too much stay-at-home and lack of activity and interaction is no good for you, too! ***See You There!!!***

Our Alumni & Parishioner Association...is selling \$5 tickets for their ***VIRTUAL 2020 RAFFLE*** to be held in place of their annual August picnic. 1st prize is \$1000; 2nd prize is \$500; 3rd prize is \$250. The drawing will be held on Sunday, August 30th during the Alumni meeting. Tickets may be purchased after Mass in the Church Vestibule and at the Summer Garden Event. Thanks you for your kind consideration, support, and participation!!!

A Special Thanks...to our cultural committee for their fine memorial remembrances of the Warsaw Uprising at the beginning of this month and today's observance of the 100th anniversary of the famed Battle of Warsaw in 1920. They are certainly one of the reasons St. Casimir's remains unique among our Polish parishes!

We Welcome Our Lady of Fatima...back to St. Casimir's! The Diocesan Pilgrim Virgin Statue - blessed in Rome by St. John Paul II himself - will be with us for the Feast of the Assumption, this Sunday, and next weekend, too. This is the perfect time to bring our cares - and those of our weary world - in prayer to our Blessed Mother asking Her intercession on our behalf. Be sure to let your family and friends know that, while it's always a good time to visit St. Casimir's, these days will be rich in grace and mercy.

A Second Collection...will be taken-up *next Sunday* in support of Catholic Education in the U.S.A.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS

Special envelopes are now available for "reservation intentions" for the two Sanctuary Lamps - the red ones which burn continuously on either side of the Tabernacle. Cost for each lamp is \$10 and the intentions will be printed in the Parish Bulletin, as well. Each week when the lamps will be lit a prayer will be offered for the intention requested. Submit your intention requests in the envelopes provided along with the regular offertory collection.