

July 17 -Lipiec - 2022

Sixteenth 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 Pastor. Pre-Baptismal instructions required.

## **MARRIAGES**

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

# PARAFIA SW. 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. Yuhang Wang - Directors of Music - Mr. Jan Bis

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

July 17th - + Ben & Helen Ruminski

July 24th - + Rosalia, Szczepan, & Jan Zakrzewski

July 31st - + Jozef & Irene Lcznar

August 7th - + Dr. Michal Klymiuk-Wieczerski August 14th - + Konrad & Blandyna Chromik

# SANCTUARY LIGHT INTENTIONS Week of July 17th

This Sunday, the red Sanctuary Lamps are being lit for (1) the repose of the soul of FR. LUCJAN STOKOWSKI, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Andrzej Sobolewski; and (2) for all of the DECEASED PRIESTS & SISTERS WHO SERVED AT ST. CASIMIR CHURCH, from our Parish Family. 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.

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

You can keep sending information in to Julia at and access our information in the following ways:

## Enthusiamlab@gmail.com

FACEBOOK: https://www.facebook.com/

CasimirCleveland/

**INSTAGRAM:** 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.

## <u>UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS</u>

<u>July 24th</u> - 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. Mass at 11:30AM.

<u>July 31st</u> - 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. Mass at 11:30AM.

<u>August 7th</u> - 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. Mass at 11:30AM

<u>August 14th</u> - 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. Mass at 11:30AM

<u>August 15th</u> - FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION. Mass at 7PM followed by the traditional blessing of flowers & herbs.

#### Readings for the Week of July 17, 2022

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/Col 1:24-28/

Lk 10:38-42

Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/

Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8//

Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 and 17/

Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11/

Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/

Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:24-30

## **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.

# GOSPEL REFLECTIONS

Details can often get the best of us. While attending to details is important to success, our obsession with them can be problematic. Whether wanting to make a good impression, fear of failure, insecurity, or emotional immaturity, throwing ourselves into the "details" of hospitality can distract us from being present to those we want to serve. Conversely, focusing exclusively on being present without any attention to detail also sets our attempts at hospitality up for disaster! We need a balance of both. But creating a truly welcoming space in our homes and within ourselves requires still more.

We have to be empty of ourselves. Becoming a welcoming, hospitable person is not possible in someone focused on their own needs and desires. If the one we serve is the one who looks back at us in the mirror, then there is no space for anyone else. While Martha and Mary had different ideas of what it means to serve, they both had the inner space and freedom to do so. They were detached from themselves. Detachment becomes the challenge to hospitality and creating a God-centered, open-hearted space in our lives. When we impulsively act out of our personal agendas, violence, abuse, pride, greed, lust, power, control, passion, and self-aggrandizement encroach upon the space needed to be present to another human being. Not only can others not find a home in us, but even God cannot find a home in us! Let us strive for the balance of Martha and Mary!

# **1891—Celebrating 131 Years—2022**

#### MASS IS ONLINE AT -

#### http://bit.ly/stcasimircleveland

This above address is the one to access our Sunday Masses which are being broadcast on YouTube.

We are happy to say that the Mass will also be able to be accessed by anyone who visits our St. Casimir Facebook page.

SPECIAL THANKS to our volunteers who have answered the call to provide this important service to those unable to be with us.

#### LITANY OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD

Lord, have mercy Christ, have mercy Lord, have mercy Lord, have mercy Christ, have mercy Lord, have mercy

be our salvation

God our Father in heaven have mercy on us God the Son, Redeemer of the world have mercy on us have mercy on us God the Holy Spirit Holy Trinity, one God have mercy on us Blood of Christ, only Son of the Father Blood of Christ, incarnate Word be our salvation

Blood of Christ, of the new and eternal covenant be our sa Blood of Christ, that spilled to the ground be our salvation Blood of Christ, that flowed at the scourging be our sa Blood of Christ, dripping from the thorns be our salvation Blood of Christ, shed on the cross be our salvation

Blood of Christ, the price of our redemption be our sa Blood of Christ, our only claim to pardon be our salvation Blood of Christ, our blessing cup be our salvation be our salvation Blood of Christ, in which we are washed be our salvation Blood of Christ, torrent of mercy be our salvation

Blood of Christ, that overcomes evil be our salvation Blood of Christ, strength of the martyrs be our salvation Blood of Christ, endurance of the saints be our salvation Blood of Christ, that makes the barren fruitful be our salvation

Blood of Christ, protection of the threatened Blood of Christ, comfort of the weary be our salvation Blood of Christ, solace of the mourner be our salvation Blood of Christ, hope of the repentant be our salvation Blood of Christ, consolation of the dying be our salvation

Blood of Christ, our peace and refreshment
Blood of Christ, our pledge of life
Blood of Christ, by which we pass to glorybe our salvation
Blood of Christ, most worthy of honor
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Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world
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> Let us pray. O God, who by the Precious Blood of your Only Begotten Son have redeemed the whole world. preserve in us the work of your mercy so that, ever honoring the mystery of our salvation, we may merit to obtain its fruits. Through Christ our Lord. R/. Amen.

# 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 ... as SUMMER is upon us, our Parish grounds need a little TLC to maintain & keep beautiful. Wednesdays remain the day where all are welcome to come between 10AM and 2PM to help-out. Come experience the joy and camaraderie of our volunteers and do something good for our Parish at the same time! See You There and thanks ahead of time for helping!!!

The "Wall of Love" ... at our neighbor, Willson Elementary School, is always in need of additional donations to assist families in need. Items such as toiletries, food & snacks, plastic baggies, socks, hats, gloves, scarves - ANYTHING USEFUL - can be dropped off in the blue container in the church vestibule. We'll see that items get taken to the school and put to very good use!

A Special Second Collection... will be taken-up TO-DAY for the annual Peter's Pence. This world-wide appeal goes directly to support the charitable work at the Holy Father's personal discretion and allows him to respond to the many requests for aid and assistance which come to him directly from across the globe. Please be as generous as you are able.

Something on the Lighter Side... Early one morning, a husband and wife were playfully arguing over who should get out of the warm bed to make the coffee. Finally, the wife folded her arms and said decidedly, "You have to make the coffee. It's in the Bible!"

The husband was shocked. "Is not! Show me!" Pulling out her Bible, the wife opened it the New Testament and declared, "It says right here — HEBREWS!"



#### 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.