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Welcome

**We welcome and love one another as God loves us with
open doors, open minds, and open hearts.**

**Please join us for Mass on
Saturday at 5 PM and Sunday at 9 AM.**

Sunday, October 13, 2024

**Solemnity – Christian Family
Edward the Confessor, K**

8:30 AM Choir warm up

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Lector: Janice Jones

10:15 AM Adult Bible Study & SOCL

Monday, October 14, 2024

Callistus of Rome, Bp, M

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

11:30 AM Bingo

7:00 PM Rosary devotions

7:30 PM Harmonia Choir rehearsal

Tuesday, October 15, 2024

Teresa of Avila, V

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

Hedwig of Silesia, Q, W

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Thursday, October 17, 2024

John the Dwarf, Ab

8:00 AM +Carol Ann Villodas, by Linda Wilk

10:00 AM Seniors Gathering – Bingo Bash

11:30 AM Rosary devotions

Friday, October 18, 2024

Feast – Luke, Evangelist

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Saturday, October 19, 2024

Ptolemaeus & Lucius, M

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

4:30 PM Choir warm up

5:00 PM Holy Mass

Lector: Christine Rupert

Sunday, October 20, 2024

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Cycle B

John of Kanty, Poland, P

8:30 AM Choir warm up

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Lector: Tammy Lightcap

10:15 AM Adult Bible Study & SOCL

PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS

**OCTOBER: Sherry Mack, Arlene Madigan,
Mary Ellen Sanfilippo, David Bett**

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday: Gal 4:22-27, 31-5:1 Luke 11:29-32
Tuesday: Galatians 5:1-6 Luke 11:37-41
Wednesday: Galatians 5:18-25 Luke 11:42-26
Thursday: Ephesians 1:3-10 Luke 11:47-54
Friday: Feast – St. Luke, Evangelist
Sirach 45:2-5 2 Timothy 4:9-17
Luke 10:1-9
Saturday: Ephesians 1:25-33 Luke 12:8-12

HMRC BINGO

Every Monday at 11:30AM

Door opens at 10:00 AM

STW #54	\$ 0
BROWN #52	\$ 1,000
BONUS BALL	\$ 130
QUEEN OF HEARTS	\$ 4,791

This Week's Team:

Team 2

Office Closings – Website Update!

The office will be closed on intermittent Wednesday afternoons for the next few weeks. This is part of the ongoing website update project, and will also allow further work on updates to our records.

But now you can see some of the results of our work! Check out the new website, at the same address: holymotheroftherosary.org!

Coming Up: Towel Bingo!

It's coming, November 24! \$5 admission, games start at noon. More details to follow. Fun for the whole family!

Help and Prayers Wanted

As many of you may already know, Bob Giczkowski has been added to the Kidney Transplant List at ECMC, Our transplant coordinator, Melissa (716-898-5001) advised us to let as many people know as possible. As she told us, "you never know who may choose to be a donor."

If you or anyone you know would like to be evaluated as a donor, please contact her and give her Bob's name. In the meantime, please keep Bob in your prayers and pray a donor comes along.

Thank you,
Chris Giczkowski

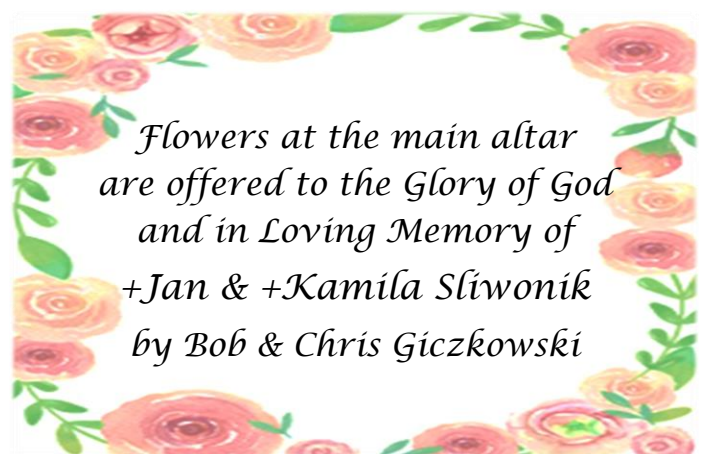
Cathedral Ushers Meeting

We will be having our Semi-Annual Meeting on Friday, October 25 with food at 6 PM and our meeting at 7 PM in the SOCL classroom. Please make every effort to attend. Thank you.

Prayer for the Sick

Heavenly Father of mercy and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. May they find consolation, lasting health, and deliverance in Your healing presence, and we thank You for all Your gifts. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We pray for Sue Bett, Cheryl Eckert, Bob Giczkowski, Paul Kosek, Gertrude Kubacki, Dave Lasek, Debbie McArthur, Fr. Joe Pasquella, Nick Piechowicz, Diane Scher, Yvonne Seekins, Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak, and Denise Swantek.



Pork Chop Dinner

Tickets are now available from the office! The dinner is Saturday, October 26, from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM, and for \$15 you'll get a breaded pork chop, mashed potatoes with gravy, sweet & sour cabbage, a roll, and dessert.

Pre-sale recommended!

Help Needed for Pork Chop Dinner

If you have an electric roaster you're willing to lend, please drop it off in the kitchen by Wednesday, October 23. If you can also help during the dinner, it would be greatly appreciated.

All Saints/All Souls Day

Nov 1, 9AM: All Saints Day Mass. Nov 2, 9AM: All Souls Day Mass, reading of the rote of the departed. All Souls cemetery service at 7 PM. Envelopes for remembrances of names are available in the vestibule. Please print names legibly and return in the collection basket or bring to the office.

Casino Trip

Trips to the casino are back! Reserve your seat now for the trip to Seneca Niagara Casino on Saturday, November 2. Cost is \$45 per person. Plan on arriving at the church by 10:30 AM for check-in. More details are on the flyer in the hall, or contact Don Barnes at 716-982-9681 or Bob Giczowski at 716-359-6645.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Seniors Gathering: October 24, 10:00 AM, Cider and Donuts

Ushers Meeting: October 25, 6:00 PM refreshments, 7:00 PM meeting

Pork Chop Dinner: October 26, 3:00-6:00 PM or till sold out

General Confession & Absolution: November 2 at 4:50 PM, November 3 at 8:50 AM

YMSR Meeting: November 16, 6:00 PM, food & refreshments provided

Rosary Devotions

Devotions to our Blessed Mother through the Rosary will be held on Monday evenings at 7:00 PM and Thursdays at 11:30 AM. Please plan on attending these services during the month of October in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary.



October is, traditionally, the month of the Rosary. This tradition goes all the way back to the sixteenth century, when St. Pius V called on all the Catholics of Europe to unite in prayer through the Rosary, as a way to support the Christian soldiers and sailors who were defending against a Turkish Muslim invasion at the Battle of Lepanto. Outnumbered and outgunned, the Christian forces were somehow able to win the victory on October 7, 1571.

As individuals, each one of us has to battle, every day, against the forces of self-centeredness, self-absorption, and self-righteousness. We too can find strength, encouragement, and victory through this ancient prayer. The Rosary, when prayed properly, is much more than just the empty recitation of Our Fathers and Hail Marys. It consists of the serene contemplation of all the most poignant moments from the life of our Lord.

100 Years Old!

It's a belated birthday announcement: long-standing parish member Doreen Piatek turned 100 years old this past June!

If you want to send her a card, send it to: C/O Garden Gate Health Care, 2365 Union Road #87D, Cheektowaga, NY 14227.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Holy Family Parish Spaghetti Dinner

Holy Family Parish in North Java is having their annual spaghetti dinner next Sunday, October 20. Dinners are \$13 for full size or \$8 for half size. The dinner starts at 11:30 and goes until sold out. All are welcome!

MASS SCHEDULE – DAILY 8 AM

WEEKEND: SATURDAY 5 PM & SUNDAY 9 AM

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