



THE CHURCH OF ST. STANISLAUS

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AMSTERDAM, NEW YORK

**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**
October 15, 2023

Pastoral Team

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days: As Announced

Daily Mass: Check bulletin for schedule

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of St. Stanislaus Parish is to perpetuate the message of Jesus Christ, which is to worship God and to bring the Good News of God's unconditional love to his people. We, therefore, commit our time, talents, and treasures to the love and service of all people by proclaiming and witnessing to the word of God through prayer and sacraments, evangelization, education, social action and outreach.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact the pastor for preparation and arrangements. Baptisms should be scheduled for the third weekend of the month on Saturdays at 1 p.m. or on any Sunday of the month at the 9:00 a.m. liturgy.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the pastor at least 6-12 months prior to the proposed marriage date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available on the first Saturday of the month between 3:00 and 3:30 p.m. at St. Stanislaus Church.

Pastoral Visitations

Please notify the parish office if a family member has been admitted to a healthcare facility or hospital.

Faith Formation and RCIA

A Faith Formation program for school-age children is held primarily during school year. Sacramental preparation and Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is available year-round as requested and appropriate for the background and age of a candidate.

Please call the parish office to schedule and plan a program.





Dear St. Stan's Family,
 On behalf of all the volunteers at Comfort Zone Ministry, I want to thank you for your generous donation of school supplies. We were able to make 140 bags for elementary school-age children and 45 bags for middle school and high school students. The families were so appreciative to receive the school supplies.

Thank you and God bless you all.
 Sincerely,
 Maria Cinquanti

**KICK OFF WITH THE PRINCIPAL
 Kayla Bills**

**Sunday, October 15th, 2-4 p.m.
 St. Mary's Institute**

Join us for Football,
 Food & Fun!



LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

Sponsored by Charismatic Renewal of Albany Diocese
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 163 Columbia Tpke, Clinton Heights, NY

- October 27, 6:30 p.m.
- October 28, 8:30 a.m.
- November 3, 6:30 p.m.
- November 4, 8:30 a.m.

To register: www.albanyCCR.org



If you are not a member of St. Stanislaus Church but would like to join our parish, we ask that you complete this form and drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office at 46 Cornell St. Amsterdam, NY.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

You are welcome to call the Parish Office if you have any questions. The number is 518.842.2771.

OCTOBER—MONTH OF HOLY ROSARY



During October, the month of the Holy Rosary, please remember to join in the recitation of the Rosary in church before our weekend masses throughout the year. The rosary is prayed at 3:30 p.m. before the 4:00 p.m. Mass and at 8:30 a.m. before the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

CHICKEN PARM DINNER

Tuesday, October 24, 4:00-7:00 p.m.
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LITURGY OF THE DAY



Today we hear Jesus tell the story of a king who invites everyone he can find to a feast for his son. Today and every Sunday, everyone is invited here to a feast where we receive God's Son. Many Sundays we take this invitation for granted or see it only as an obligation. Let this be an opportunity to be reminded that the Eucharist is a feast, that God's Son offers himself to us each time, and that this is just a foretaste of the heavenly banquet to come.

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CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

As we prepare our homes for the coming cold weather and winter snows, please remember to take some time to check the graves of your loved ones at our cemeteries. If there are summer/fall flowers and decorations remaining, please remove them so that they are not lost or ruined in the bad weather.

If you plan to place a wreath or decoration on a grave during the Christmas season, please remember that glass and plastic containers, solar or battery powered candles/lights, shepherd poles and ceramics are not allowed. Thank you for your cooperation.





Budgeted Expenses for the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 are \$327,101. The average weekly collection needed to meet our expenses (including income from all other sources is \$6,290). THANK YOU.

Collection Weekend of Oct. 7-8 \$5,323.00

Weekly:	\$4,173.00	Monthly:	\$803.00
Votive:	\$105.00	Capital Impv:	\$37.00
Fuel:	\$25.00	All Saints:	\$15.00
All Souls:	\$165.00		

Cemetery Collection:	St. Stanislaus:	\$150.00
	St. John's:	\$20.00

Diocesan Collections:

Please remember to mark your church donation envelopes with the amount enclosed. It makes the job of the counters easier each week, and helps to more accurately record your contribution information. Thank you.



† Altar Wine for the month October has been donated in loving memory of

The Schoharie Limo Victims (5th Ann.)
at the request of their Family and Friends.

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BOTTLE AND CAN DRIVE To Benefit St. Stanislaus Church

Please save your returnable bottles and cans and bring them to the Country Feed Store on 5040 Route 30 in Amsterdam.

During the month of October, your returns can be brought to the store during the following hours:

Monday through Friday	8 am to 6 pm
Saturday,	8 am to 4 pm
Sunday,	8 am to 2 pm

Indicate to the attendant that your bottles and cans are for St. Stanislaus Church.

Then, during the month of November, the outside bin will be labeled for St. Stanislaus, and ALL bottles and cans dropped in the bin will be credited to our church.



SATURDAY, October 14, 4:00 p.m.- St. Stanislaus
Albert & Violet Wilk, req. Niemczyk Family
Louis Salvione, req. Dawn & John Salvione
Stanley Mroczek (30th Ann.) req. Family
Clement Ciulik, req. Sister, Carol & Family

SUNDAY, October 15, 9:00 a.m.- St. Stanislaus
Eugene R. Piurek, req. Wife, Dorothy & Family
Deceased Members of the Patrick English Family,
req. Family

Violet Wilk (31st Ann.), req. Granddaughter, Patty
Jean Petrenicola, req. Rossi-Meyer Cousins
Wayne A. Andrzejewski, req. Cousins, Christine,
Edward & Patricia Andrzejewski
Janusz Noga, req. Wife & Family

TUES., Oct. 17, 8:00 a.m.- St. Mary's Hospital Chapel

THURS., Oct. 19, 8:00 a.m.- St. Mary's Hospital Chapel

FRI., Oct. 20, 8:00 a.m.— St. Mary's Hospital Chapel
Beverly Newell, req. Family

SATURDAY, October 21, 4:00 p.m.- St. Stanislaus
Edmund J. Krzysko, req. Son, Edmund
Sean & Timothy Oakes, Sr., req. Connie & John
Mary & Steve Skowronek, req. Louise Skowronek
Ignacy & Alexandra Swiderski, req. Family

SUNDAY, October 22, 9:00 a.m.- St. Stanislaus
Rosa Guida & Rosa DiLorenzo, req. Family
Sophie M. (Ann.) & Stanislaus J. Andrzejewski,
req. Son, Edward & Daughter, Christine
Stella Kryzak, req. Marcia & Joe Kryzak
Harry & Regina Bylebyl, req. Harry & Grace
John Markowicz, req. Claudette Farchione & Family
Intentions of Charles Haberek on his 80th Birthday,
req. Friend, Evelyn

**The Sanctuary Lamp will be burning
this week to the glory of Almighty God and**

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Sophie M. (Ann.) & Stanislaus J. Andrzejewski
req. Son, Edward & Daughter, Christine



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