



THE CHURCH OF ST. STANISLAUS

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AMSTERDAM, NEW YORK

**Twenty-Fourth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
September 17, 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.



LAZARUS MINISTRY

For those new to the parish or may have forgotten, St. Stanislaus has a **Lazarus Ministry** and, for many years, its members have been offering those who mourn their gift of PRESENCE and TIME at all funeral liturgies. Its members provide support through their prayers at the liturgy, and with the priest represent the whole parish at the death of one of our own. We thank our current members for their continuing service and dedication and know that they will be very happy to welcome new members to this group.

If you are interested in this spiritual work of mercy or have any questions about scheduling, etc., please contact the Parish Office at 518.842.2771. Thank you.



Singers of all ages from the parishes of St. Mary's, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, St. Stanislaus and St. Stephen's are invited to participate in "Silent, Holy Night." This is a program of music and readings for the Christmas season under the direction of Rachelle Cotugno. Rehearsals will begin on Sunday, September 17 following the 10:30 a.m. Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, 39 St. John St.



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.



The Music Ministry at St. Stanislaus will be starting up in September, and all aspiring singers are invited—no prior experience needed!

We do ask that singers be high school aged and up. Our choir sings together in the loft each Sunday for the 9 a.m. mass. Additionally, we assemble for occasional evening rehearsals to learn new music and prepare for special liturgies.

Please drop a note with your name and contact information in the collection baskets or call the Parish Office at 518.842.2771 if you would like more information.

**LADIES' OF CHARITY
Chicken Parm Dinner**

The Ladies of Charity are holding a Chicken Parm Dinner on Tuesday, October 10 from 4-8 p.m. at Creekside Tavern, 2 Hewitt St. in Amsterdam.

The cost is \$18 and this is an eat-in or take-out dinner.

Tickets are available in the vestibule of the church before and after all masses.

Thank you for your support.



**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 months of September and October, your returns can be brought to the store during the following hours:

Sunday,	8 am to 2 pm
Monday,	8 am to 6 pm
Tuesday,	Closed
Wednesday,	Closed
Thursday,	8 am to 6 pm
Friday,	8 am to 6 pm
Saturday,	8 am to 4 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.





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 Sept. 2-3 \$6,674.00

Weekly:	\$5,483.00	Monthly:	\$217.00
Votive:	\$70.00	Capital Impv:	\$135.00
Liab. Ins.:	\$742.00	Assumption:	\$27.00

Cemetery Collection:	St. Stanislaus:	
	St. John's:	\$10.00

Diocesan Collections:	Home Missions:	\$76.00
	Catholic University:	\$25.00

Collection Weekend of Sept. 9-10 \$6,360.00

Weekly:	\$4,953.00	Monthly:	\$1,176.00
Votive:	\$66.00	Capital Impv:	\$40.00
Liab. Ins.:	\$125.00		

Cemetery Collection:	St. Stanislaus:	
	St. John's:	

Diocesan Collections:	Home Missions:	\$15.00
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SATURDAY, September 16, 4:00 p.m.- St. Stanislaus
Adelene Konik, req. Connie & John
Mr. Walter Niski, req. Babe & Betty
Emiliano Ilagan, req. Carol Whelly
Eugene & Isabelle Swiderski, req. Nephew Edward & Family
Dorothy Lasky (Month's Mind), req. Lasky Family

SUNDAY, September 17, 9:00 a.m.- St. Stanislaus
Ann Knapik, req. Marcia & Joe Kryzak
John & Violet Malicki, req. Daughter, Son & Families
Rosalie Lansing, req. Rossi-Meyer Family

TUES., Sept. 19, 8:00 a.m.- St. Mary's Hospital Chapel

THURS., Sept. 21, 8:00 a.m.- St. Mary's Hospital Chapel

FRI., Sept. 22, 8:00 a.m.— St. Mary's Hospital Chapel

SATURDAY, September 23, 4:00 p.m.- St. Stanislaus
John & Lottie Galinski, req. Ron Galinski & Family
Anthony & Josephine Galinski, req. Virginia Milonovich & Family
Eleanor Niemczyk, req. Children, Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren
Antoinette Villa (Ann.), req. Family
Barbara Uhlinger, req. Bob & Cheri Niemczyk
Emiliano Ilagan, req. Dominick & Sue Megna
Dorothy Lasky, req. Dorothy Kwiatkowski & Family
Louis Zajackowski, req. Daughter Helen & Family

SUNDAY, September 24, 9:00 a.m.- St. Stanislaus
Edward & Victoria Michalski & Son, req. Family
Stasia & Leo Dopp, req. Family
Michela Leks, req. Vinnie, Rob & Luca
Tekla & Andrzej Lis, req. Janina
Dolores Pereicich, req. Joe & Pat Bezak
Andrea Levine, req. Marcia & Joe Kryzak



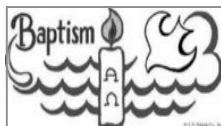
† Altar Wine for the month September has been donated in loving memory of
Anthony & Josephine Galinski
 at the request of Virginia Milonovich & Family.

† Altar hosts for the month of September have been donated in loving memory of
Eugene R. Piurek
 at the request of his wife, Dorothy & Family.

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

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

John & Sophie Szkaradek
 req. Family



The members of St. Stanislaus Church welcome into the family of God

Jackson Bonneau

who was baptized last week. We pray for Jackson and his parents, Joseph and Emily, his godparents and his grandparents as they guide him to build his relationship with God and learn about his faith.

LADIES' ROSARY SOCIETY

In honor of Our Lady of Sorrows, the Ladies' Rosary Society will sponsor an hour of prayer to Our Lady on **Tuesday, September 26 between 6 and 7 p.m.** The hour will include a brief audio presentation about the Seven Sorrows of Our Lady, recitation of the rosary, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. All are invited to join us.

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