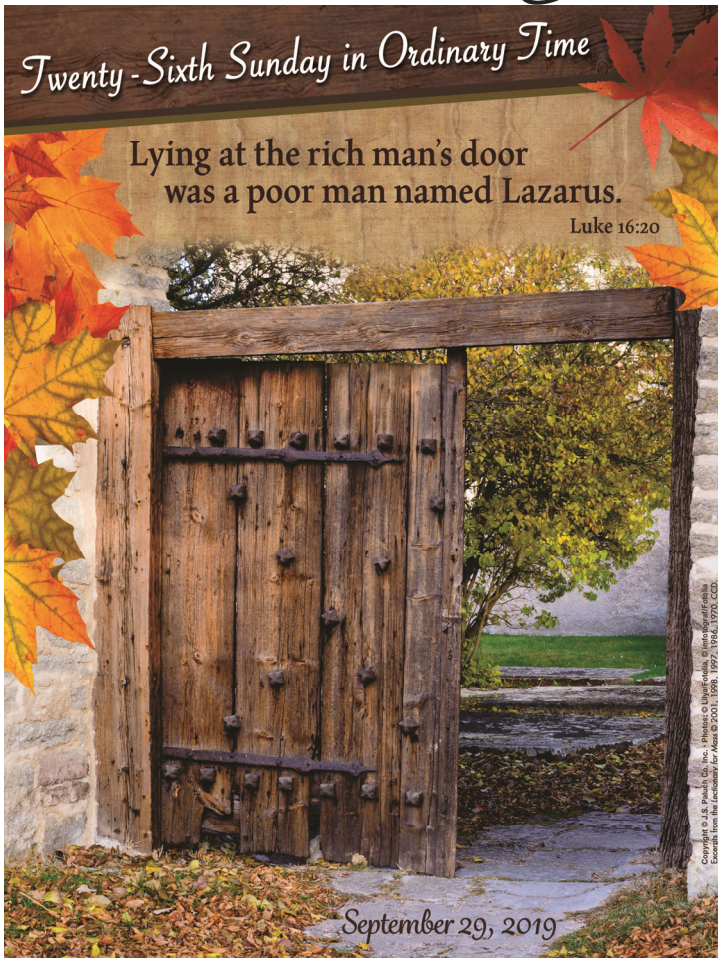


Our Mother of Sorrows Parish

Saint Casimir Church, Saint Ann Church and Holy Family Church



OUR MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH BUSINESS OFFICE is located at 913 Fulton Street, Erie, PA 16503.

Office Hours

Monday & Friday: 10:00AM to Noon

Tuesday: 10:00AM to Noon

Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday & Sunday: Closed

Friday: 10:30AM to Noon

These days and times may vary.

THE RITE OF PENANCE: Sat. 3:30 p.m. and Sun. 9:00 a.m. (St. Casimir). First Friday 7:30 a.m. (St. Casimir). First Saturday 8:30 a.m. (St. Ann). Communal Celebrations during Advent & Lent. Anytime by request.

VOTIVE CANDLES are **\$3.50 each to light**. Please place money in donation box next to the candles.

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Saint Casimir Church

629 Hess Ave. * Erie, PA 16503

Saint Ann Church

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Holy Family Church

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PASTOR: Father James T. O'Hara

DEACON ASSISTANT: Deacon Jerome T. Sobrowski

ASSISTING: Msgr. Gerald Koos (Retired); Msgr. Robert Smith (Retired); Father Jerry Priscaro (St. Ann), Father Joseph Gregorek (Retired).

TAKE ME TO WORSHIP!



Wedding Bann

Saturday, October 5th

1:00 PM at St. Casimir's Church

Brigid Clint and John Patterson

Friday, October 4th Saint Francis of Assisi



FIRST SATURDAY: Join us on Saturday, October 5th for 9AM Mass and Adoration at St. Ann's Church. The morning will begin with the Rosary at 8:15AM and 8:30AM Confessions. All are welcome.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, September 28th: Vigil Mass

3:30 pm (SC) Confessions
 4:00 pm (SC) Michael Kuhar by Judy Czarkowski
 All Parishioners Living and Deceased

Sunday, September 29th: Twenty-Sixth Ordinary Sunday

8:00 am (SC) Wanda Habas by husband Joseph
 9:30 am (SC) Latin Mass— Amy Farnem, Birthday by
 Victor and Ruth Kowalski
 11:00 am (SC) Fr. Donald Berdis by The Berdis Family
 All Parishioners Living and Deceased

Monday, September 30th: St. Jerome

7:00 am (HF) Private Intention
 8:00 am (SC) John M. Ropelewski, Anniversary by
 Sisters and Brother
 12:05 pm (SA) Gil & Irene Niebauer by Diane Niebauer

Tuesday, October 1st: St. Therese of the Child Jesus

7:00 am (HF) Private Intention
 8:00 am (SC) Stephen Marshall, Anniversary by
 Loretta Baran
 12:05 pm (SA) Joseph Krikoska by Don & Judy Halcom

Wednesday, October 2nd: Holy Guardian Angels

7:00 am (HF) Private Intention
 8:00 am (SC) Living & Deceased Members of the
 Saint Casimir School Class of 1951 by Connie Minichelli
 12:05 pm (SA) Pat Hart by John McCormick, Jr.

Thursday, October 3rd: Weekday

7:00 am (HF) Private Intention
 8:00 am (SC) Walter Burenko, Anniversary by Jim &
 Darlene Davis
 12:05 pm (SA) Special Intentions of Margaret Sansotta
 by The Vento Family

Friday, October 4th: St. Francis of Assisi

7:00 am (HF) Private Intention
 8:00 am (SC) Irene Lojewski by Estate
 12:05 pm (SA) Johanna Berdis by son Larry Berdis

Saturday, October 5th: Vigil Mass

8:30 am (SA) Confessions
 9:00 am (SA) Intentions of Our Blessed Mother
 1:00 pm (SC) Wedding of Brigid Clint & John Patterson
 3:30 pm (SC) Confessions
 4:00 pm (SC) Steve Zielonka, Anniversary by Norrie & Mike
 Dunsmore
 All Parishioners Living and Deceased

Sunday, October 6th: Respect Life Sunday

8:00 am (SC) Living & Deceased of the Rosary Society
 9:30 am (SC) Latin Mass— Special Intentions of
 Marlene Andrascik by The Vento Family
 11:00 am (SC) All Parishioners Living and Deceased

THE SANCTUARY LIGHTS

Holy Family

1) Members of St. Casimir School Class of 1951 by
 Connie Minichelli
 2) Living & Deceased Members of the Horvath Family
 Our Mother of Sorrows: Robert Merski, Sr. and Mildred
 Merski by The Merski Family

St. Ann's

1) Wanda Habas by husband Joseph Habas
 2) In Thanksgiving to Good St. Ann by Novena Group

St. Casimir's

1) St. Joseph Altar: Special Intentions
 2) St. Joseph Altar: Special Intentions

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Lucille Murawski,
 Service Men and Women, Parishioners,
 Friends & Benefactors
*Our deepest sympathy to the families
 and friends of the deceased.
 May they rest in peace.*

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday (9/29) 9AM Confessions (SC). 9:30 AM
 Latin Mass (SC). Rectory office is closed.

Monday (9/30) Rectory office is open 10AM to Noon.

Tuesday (10/1) Rectory office open 10AM to Noon.

Wednesday (10/2) The Holy Guardian Angels.
 Rectory office is closed.

Thursday (10/3) Rectory Office is closed.

First Friday (10/4) St. Francis of Assisi. Rectory
 office is open 10AM to Noon.

First Saturday (10/5) Rectory office is closed. 4PM
 Vigil Mass. (SC).

Sunday (10/6) Respect Life Sunday. 9AM
 Confessions (SC). 9:30 AM Latin Mass (SC).
 Rectory office is closed.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Saturday, Sept. 28th (Vigil Mass) 4:00 PM

Lector: Loretta Baran
 Altar Server: Brian Martin and Kyle Jackson
 Eucharistic Ministers: Loretta Baran & Brian Martin

Sunday, Sept. 29th

8:00 AM

Lector: Eileen Ropelewski
 Altar Server: Eileen Ropelewski
 Eucharistic Ministers: Mike Kuzma & Sharon Swigonski

11:00 AM

Lector: Cameron Schroeder
 Altar Server: Karen Mazur
 Eucharistic Ministers: Karen Mazur & Amy Schroeder

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Welcome Everyone as we celebrate the Mass for the 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, 16th Sunday after Pentecost in the Latin Rite. Peace and Joy and many blessings be with all of you! † The 2020 Mass Book is now open for your intentions for next year on a first come, first served basis. Please call-in with your intentions and requested dates on Tuesdays or Fridays from 10AM to 12Noon or write out your requests and drop your list in the collection basket. We will do our best to fulfill your request on the exact date requested or as close as possible. Many ask for special dates for anniversaries, birthdays, graduations, special feast days, certain saint's days, special intentions, thanksgiving, etc. We will try our best to fulfill your requests. †**Fr. Phil Pinczewski** and the good people of Blessed Sacrament Parish, 26th & Greengarden, invite all of you to their Fall Festival today, Sunday, September 29th from Noon until 5PM. They will offer all the usual fun festival food, drinks, and activities. A bake sale, theme baskets and a \$5,000 grand prize drawing at 5PM. †We thank all who were able to give to the Catholic Education collection recently. If you were not prepared you may still add to that collection this weekend or whenever you wish. Half of this collection remains with us for Religious Education efforts in our own parish. Thank you for whatever you do to spread the Word of the Lord. †**Fr. Mike Polinek**, the Diocesan Director of vocations announces a Seminary Visit Day on Sunday, September 29th from Noon to 3:30PM for all young men in high school who may have thought about the Priesthood. The young men and their parents are invited to attend Mass, have brunch, tour the seminary and attend a conference. If you are interested please RSVP to Father **Mike** at 824-1200 and let him know how many will be attending. **Father Mike** will be happy to talk to you about any questions or concerns. Let's all continue our prayers for more vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Pray for **Father Mike Polinek!** †This month we distributed 62 food baskets through our food pantry! The number increases each week. Thank you for your help by using the Poor Box or the blue envelope in your monthly packets. The families are grateful for your generosity. †**St. Stanislaus Church** has their annual Parish Day and "Polish Platter Dinner" on Sunday, October 6th in the parish hall on 13th St. Don't miss it! †Congratulations and Best Wishes to Sister Mary Grace Cermack OSF who recently celebrated her 70th Anniversary as a Sister of Saint Francis and her 90th birthday! God bless you Sister Grace. She is a native daughter of Holy Family Church! †Enjoy this weekend. Keep Cool! Thanks to all! Keep the Faith!

Diocesan required announcement for September...**Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments**

Diocesan Child Protection Policies: The Diocese of Erie, along with all dioceses of the United States, has policies and procedures in place to address the national problem of child abuse and to aid in creating safe environments. The diocese is committed to on-going screening and training of paid or volunteer persons who have regular contact with our children and youth under the age of 18. It is also committed to the yearly safe environment training of our children, youth and parents regarding touching-safety and safe environments. To see what the Diocese of Erie is doing to help create safe environments, check out <https://www.eriecd.org/childprotection/>

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sunday, September 15, 2019

4PM Mass \$914.00
8AM Mass \$744.00
Latin Mass \$1,611.10
11AM Mass \$1,214.62
Candles \$96.50
TOTAL \$4,580.22

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2019

Thank you! We had a change in our numbers!!! Every donation helps us reach our goal! Big or little it all counts! Help us grow our numbers. If you have not done so please make your commitment today! The CSA envelopes are in your monthly packet or envelopes are available in the back of the Churches for those who wish to place their contribution in the Sunday collection. Thanks again!

CSA 2019 as of September 17, 2019

Pledged: \$18,638.00 Paid: \$17,218.00

Thank you to all of our parishioners, our friends, our benefactors, and our family for the deep devotion to Our Mother of Sorrows Parish for your continued love, support and generosity.

Thanks for keeping our home fires burning!

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL.

INFORMATION UPDATE or NEW PARISHIONER-REQUEST FORM

You may also use this form to update your telephone numbers, address, name, etc.

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone (Home and Cell) _____

- New Registration Want Envelopes
 Change of Name
 Change of Address Change in Phone Numbers

Please drop this information into the Collection Basket, or send into the rectory office. Thank you.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS

Bishop Emeritus Donald Trautman, Father Jim O'Hara, Msgr. Gerald Koos, Fr. Joseph Gregorek, Fr. John Santor, Msgr. Robert Smith, Deacon Dennis Kudlak, Ted Mazur, Pat & Gene Maciak, John Maciak, Anne Goodrich, Monica Sorensen, Tom Duska, Sr., Kay Majersky, Maryann Marchant, Karen Antonio, Theresa Juchno, Theresa Zaborowski, Victoria Vargo, Lynn Clint, Sr. Rose Kuzma, Audrey Draszkievicz, Theresa Reisenweber, Janice Schroeder, Walter Burenko, Jr., Frances Kierzek, Margaret Kuzma, Jim Berdis, Jr. Susan Spadaccio, John Rzomp, Eileen Ropelewski, Andrew G., Catherine Jankowski, Margaret Cermak, Robert and Karen Mazur, Thomas Kaiser, Raymond Wasielewski, Mike Lucas, Bertha Wernicki, Jennifer Galla, Diane Pavlik, Linda Krause, Douglas B. (father) and Douglas B. (son), Elizabeth Sliska, Gregory Wright, Tom Duska, II, Frances Birchard, Mary Ann Palkovic, Thomas Sisca, Fritz Gingenbach, Marlene Lucas, Mary Lou Wieczorek, Robert Jaskiewicz, Anne Marie Ropelewski, Lucille Rovnak, Simon de la Guerra, Carol Krysiak, Kathy Newhouse, Alice Bock, Lorena Derks, Dawn Statton, Cindy Stasiewski, Dr. Richard Cerami, Peyton Madura, Judy Marini, Austin M., Rose Gray, Lottie Carter, Agnes Priscaro, Jean Benedict, Jerry Jeroski, Linda Kuzma, Geraldine Tomczak, Mary Wierzbicki, Mary Lepkowski, Michelle Spath, Michael Wieczorek, Dolores Campbell, Paul Martin, Sr., Dolores Osiecki, Betty Miller, William Brennan, Sr. Rose Rovnak, OSF, Sr. Margaret Rovnak, OSF, Dorothy Wright, Jerry Hoydic, Grace Guelcher, Ann Winschel, Marianne Nicholl, Marie Jurino, Joe Habas, Dolores Causgrove, Patricia Mazzaresse, Michael Ryan, Anne Marie Wykoff, Joanne Nelson, Evelyn Buczynski, Jim Heubel, Al Ropelewski, Eugeniusz Szczepura, Bob Benim, Fr. John Murray C.Ss.R., The Wienczkowski Family, Eileen Fulton, Jane Singleton, Eloise Conley, Lorraine Oster, Al Klugiewicz, The Clara Jong Family, Thomas Lucas, Rose Kowalski, Rosemarie Dzialo, Mark McMahon, Lillian Kolbas, Joyce Mueck, Carol Reynolds-Wolfe, John Wolfe, Leokadia Bajek, Walter Zaborowski, Louise Grolemond, Margaret Barabas, Dannielle Bizzarro, Ed Hart, Hank and Dorothy Oldach, Sister Grace Cermak, and all others in need of our prayers. Pray for all of them!

Please call in with names that should be added or removed from this list. Remember you are our only source of information, hospital, nursing homes, etc. do not provide us with any information. Thank you.

PRAY FOR OUR MEMBERS IN THE MILITARY

Rev. Joseph Campbell (South Korea), Austin Agnello (in Sicily), Sterling and Connor Vahey, Nicole and Jamie Keller (in Iraq), David Hawkins, Nick Torres (in Afghanistan), Bryan Spadaccio, Jennifer Smolinsky, Gregory Merski, Thomas Kaiser, Daniel Kidd (in Hawaii), and David Kraut
Please call-in with names to be added or removed from this list or change in location. Thank you for your service to our country.