



Saint Hyacinth

Roman Catholic Parish
Parafia Świętego Jacka

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SAINT HYACINTH PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of Saint Hyacinth Parish, while preserving and promoting our Polish heritage, welcome and serve all community members through prayer, example and good works. We seek to be a guiding light to all God's people through our spiritual and social activities.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY - The Feast of the Divine Mercy or Divine Mercy Sunday falls on the Second Sunday of Easter. It is dedicated to the devotion to the Divine Mercy promoted by Saint Faustina (Faustyna Kowalska). Saint Faustina included the message Jesus gave her in her diary: "On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The 33rd revelation enumerates two conditions to obtain this mercy: The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. But Jesus desired that the greatest possible number of faithful benefit from this grace. Consequently He did not require that Communion as well as Confession be made on that same Sunday, since in the case of a large crowd it would be impossible, for example, in parishes with only one priest. It is permitted then to infer that He allows confession to be made several days before the Feast of Mercy; He insists, however, that one receive Holy Communion on the day of the Feast itself. On that day all the divine floodgates through which grace flows are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity."

The devotion was celebrated unofficially in many places for some years. On April 30, 2000 (Divine Mercy Sunday of that year), Pope John Paul II canonized Saint Faustina and designated the Sunday after Easter as Divine Mercy Sunday in the General Roman Calendar. Our Lord made a great promise to all those souls who would go to Confession and then receive Him in Holy Communion on this day. You are encouraged to take advantage of this incredible promise. The Image of The Divine Mercy, and the Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist will be on display and venerated in our church today. Please take the time to visit with this Image of The Divine Mercy and venerate Jesus.

Saint Hyacinth Will Honor and Pray for Our Mother's

On Mother's Day and With Novena Masses Beginning on Mother's Day

Please enroll my mother in the spiritual benefits of the Novena of Masses

Name of mother _____ Living Deceased

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Offering: _____ Env. #: _____ Name: _____



Please use the Mother's Day envelope from your weekly offerings or this form. Enrollment can be made by mail to the Rectory, 3151 Farnsworth, Detroit MI 48211 or place them in weekly collection basket. Please respond by May 3, 2010.

**Saturday, April 10, 2010****4:00 PM**

- † Josephine Zontek (44th Anniv.)
Req. by the Zontek family
- † Stanley Jozefczyk
Req. by Art & Lottie Jozefczyk
- † Miriah Nicole Laramie
Req. by Fred & Mary Schultz
- † Wanda Winiarski (21st Anniv.)
Req. by her daughter Joanne & Ron
- Good health for Clara & Chester Tomaszyci
Req. by Dolly Koper

Sun., April 11, 2010-Divine Mercy Sunday-40 Hours**9:00 AM**

- † Joseph Szczepaniak
Req. by his daughter Rita
- † Gogolowski & Olechowski families
Req. by Sabina Jagodzinski
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- † Dominiak family
Req. by Sabina Jagodzinski

11:00 AM

- † Rozalia & Antoni Michalak
Req. by Maria & Chester
- † Pamela Goebel
Req. by her mother, sister & brothers
- † Frank Nolan
Req. by Edward Ochylski
- † Veronica Minkiewicz
Req. by daughter Trudy
- † For All Living & Deceased Parishioners,
Benefactors & Friends of St. Hyacinth

**Pope Benedict's Monthly Prayer Intentions
For April 2010**

General: That every tendency to fundamentalism and extremism may be countered by constant respect, by tolerance and by dialogue among all believers.

Missionary: That Christians persecuted for the sake of the Gospel may persevere, sustained by the Holy Spirit, in faithfully witnessing to the love of God for the entire human race.

Monday, April 12, 2010**9:00 AM**

- Birthday Blessings for Sophie Koper
Sto Lat, her daughter Dolly Koper

Tuesday, April 13, 2010**9:00 AM**

- † Richard Chonko (8th Anniv.)
Req. by A. Moliassa & family

Wednesday, April 14, 2010**9:00 AM**

- † Rita Gnaster
Req. by her children
- For a successful surgery for Sophie Koper
Req. by her daughter Darlene Koper

Thursday – April 15, 2010- Dantis**Friday, April 16, 2010****9:00 AM**

- † Mary Ancerewicz
Req. by her family & friends

Saturday, April 17, 2010**4:00 PM**

- † Frank & Mary Sienkiewicz
Req. by their children Joan, Robert & Ronny
- † Bart Comstock
Req. by the Dewitt family
- † Virginia Labrosse
Req. by Ron & Joan Kaczorowski

Sunday, April 18, 2010 – 3rd Sunday of Easter**9:00 AM**

- † Everett L. Stoneberg
Req. by the Stoneberg family
- † M/M Paul Pacana
Req. by the Smolinski family
- † John Przeslica
Req. by his wife Helen & family
- † Jozef Tokarski
- For all living & deceased members of the St. Hyacinth Men's Choir

11:00 AM

- † Rosemarie (16th Anniv.) & Stanislaw Gajda
Req. by Maria Chudzian
- † Aniela Jezewski
Req. by his niece Marsha Maksymiw
- † Witold Lukasiewicz (12th Anniv.)
Req. by his daughter Krystyna Kobersy
- † Konstancia & Franciszek Tarosz
Req. by his great niece Krystyna Kobersy
- † For All Living & Deceased Parishioners,
Benefactors & Friends of St. Hyacinth

Please keep our sick and caregivers in your prayers:

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| Father Francis Skalski | Willie Howard |
| Ann Bush | Frank Score |
| Joe Pelak | Father David Przedwiecki |
| Frank Szymanski | Marion Bobryk |
| Virginia Barnowski | Genevieve Stoneberg |
| Christine Storms | Tish Germain |
| Danny Mason | Sophie Koper |
| Arthur Wiczko | Joseph Konfara |
| Mrs. Bogunia | Adela Krajenka |
| Nancy Milewski | Kathleen Novak |
| Lorraine Koss | Jennifer Formella |
| Ester Wichlacz | Lillian Demska-Tylenda |
| Carol Miloser | Barbara Sokol |
| Mary Skalski | John Majewski |
| Elizabeth Posluszny | Ray Skalski |
| Cheryl Taranowski | Christine Wandas |
| Richard Ludwig | Dianne Zamojski |
| Lottie Machowski | Phyllis Kubicki |
| Dorothy Rzeppa | Larry Milobowski |
| Irene Stadnik | Allen Shooks |
| Ingrid Pilarowski | Jane Paterka |
| Rita Szczepaniak | Stella Shooks |
| Veronica Kuskowski | Raymond Noble |
| Charlotte Check | Matthew Moshe |
| Daniel and Susan Pietrous | Adnan Alshab |
| Tom Przybylinski | Jonathan Smith #79 |
| Michael Fennelly | Paul Zamierowski |
| Mary Antoncew | Joan Bratto |
| Frank Jarzombek | Maxine Taylor |
| Kenny Tyminski | Lucia Matelonek |
| Ellen and Sharon Cassonte | Anne Wisniewski |
| Andrew Czajka | Gloria Arendoski |
| Dana Lynn Kaszubowski | Beverly Billotti |
| Austin Lowry | Laura Stannis |
| Ed Schapko | Stephen Hart |
| Bernadine Miesik | Billy Skinner |
| Sharon McEvoy | Marsha Podlasek |
| Elvera Koper | Irene Gardula |
| Doris Bishop | Janice Nelson |
| Phyllis Vymazal | Clara & Chester Tomaszycki |
| Heather Delisle | Brenden Thomas Huizdos |
| Bill and Betty Peters | Czesława Kupraszewicz |
| Cass Maj | Gertrude Minkiewicz |

If you know someone who is sick and wish to have them added to the sick list, please call the Rectory 313-922-1507. Help us keep the listing updated by notifying us when a requested prayer intention may be removed.



After Easter Dinner Sunday April 18th

Immediately following the 11:00 AM Mass

Menu will include: Chicken, Beef with Gravy
Kielbasa, Kapusta, Mashed Potatoes, Salad,
Rolls and Beverages

Adults: \$15.00 Children: \$7.00

The 11:00 AM Mass on April 18th will be
a Polka Mass with the Misty Blues

Parish Food Pantry - The parish food pantry is running low on supplies. Please consider helping the needy of our parish by contributing to the food pantry. Non-perishable items can be brought to Mass or dropped off at the rectory.



Saint Hyacinth on the Web - Now there are two ways to keep up with Saint Hyacinth Parish on the web. Saint Hyacinth now has a Facebook Fan Page in addition to our web page (www.sainthyacinth.com). The address for the Facebook page is:

<http://tinyurl.com/sainthyacinthfacebook>

Saint Hyacinth's Detroit Tiger Outing - Please join parishioners and friends as the Detroit Tigers play the Oakland Athletics on Saturday, May 29th. Tickets are \$35.00 per person and include a pregame all you can eat buffet (hamburgers, hot dogs, coleslaw, potato salad baked beans, chips, pop and bottled water). The buffet opens at 5:30 PM. Game time is 7:05 PM. The Tigers are sure to be an exciting team and tickets for this outing will go fast. Take advantage of this opportunity and order your tickets early by mailing a check or money order to:

Tom Baranski
P.O. Box 180957
Utica, MI 48318

Ticket orders must be received by April 29th.
For additional information please call (586) 739-7771.

Parish Calendar

Monday, April 12 - 6:00 PM - All School All Year Reunion Planning Meeting (See back for details)

Saturday, April 17 - 3:30 PM - Pope John Paul II Rosary Society - Parish Rosary for World Peace

Sunday, April 18 - 10:30 AM - Pope John Paul II Rosary Society - Parish Rosary for World Peace

Friday, May 7 - Jackowo Social Club Meeting and Luncheon. 12:00 Noon. Bingo and pinochle following the meeting. Donation of \$6.00, everyone is welcome. Contact Hedy (586) 783-9773 or Joan (313) 527-6141.

Friday, May 7 - First Friday Mass at 11:00 AM. Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow Mass.

All Year - All School Reunion Planning Meeting Monday, April 12



The second planning meeting will be held at 6:00 PM on Monday, April 12, 2010. The meeting will be in the Parish Rectory and will last approximately one and a half hours. Organizing such an event will take plenty of effort. The year 2010 will mark the 20th anniversary of the closing of Saint Hyacinth Grade School. Because of this importance, we want to start planning now to ensure the reunion is a very memorable event.

There will be plenty of opportunity to help out in planning, contacting old classmates, advertising, making arrangements for the Mass and school open house. Many ideas have been generated to help make the reunion a memorable day. Your help is needed to help make these ideas a reality and to make the fall reunion a success. If you are interested in attending or helping organize the reunion, please let us know by calling the rectory 313-922-1507 or contacting Joe Jaczkowski 586-228-8460.

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Holy Week Services - Saint Hyacinth Parish was very busy with activities during the Holy Week. The week began with celebration of Palm Sunday and the touching procession around the inside of the church. All parishioners were welcomed to join the procession to partake in symbolic remembrance of Christ's entry into Jerusalem. The Breakfast with the Easter Bunny was also held on Palm Sunday with some 200 guests during the day. The guests enjoyed a delicious breakfast, time with friends and family, played a few games and of course had the chance to say hello and take a picture with the Easter Bunny.

On Holy Thursday, Saint Hyacinth hosted the first stop of the Poletown Church Pilgrimage sponsored by the American Polish Assistance Association (APAA). The pilgrims attended the 6:00 PM Mass and then enjoyed a full dinner before embarking on the remainder of the pilgrimage.

Good Friday services included the Gorzkie Zale, Stations of the Cross and veneration of the cross. At the end of the services, the Hosts were transferred from the altar to the tabernacle by the tomb of Jesus. Father Janusz pointed at the empty altar and altar tabernacles and noted: "Jesus is now in the tomb. He suffered for us, for our sins. But Sunday we will celebrate his resurrection." Everybody in attendance was urged to spend a few moments with Jesus and reflect on His sacrifice and the blessings He gives us.

On Saturday the Blessing of the Easter Baskets was done followed by the Easter Vigil. On Easter Sunday the Church was once again filled with the Joy of Christ's Resurrection. It was a busy week, a Holy Week, a time to celebrate and remember all we have to be thankful for. Father Janusz took the opportunity to say thank you to all that attended the services and encouraged the guests to visit us often. Father also thanked the parishioners that have helped out so much over the years and asked that God Bless them for their efforts and noted "It is you who work so hard to keep this beautiful church and parish of Saint Hyacinth open and alive"

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PASTOR: Rev. Janusz Iwan

PARISH SECRETARY: Darlene Zabrzanski

PARISH COUNCIL PRESIDENT: Jerry Sielagoski

SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (English)

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (Polish) & 11:00 a.m. (English)

HOLYDAYS: 6:00 p.m. (English)

DAILY MASS: 9:00 a.m. Monday thru Friday*

FIRST FRIDAY OF MONTH: Mass at 11:00 AM*

CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:15 to 3:45 p.m.

BAPTISMS: Every Sunday of the Year at 10:00 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday thru Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Evening Hours: By Appointment Only

SICK CALLS: Anytime.

MARRIAGE: Couples wishing to be married at Saint Hyacinth are requested to contact the Rectory at least six months prior to their wedding date.