



Saint Hyacinth

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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.

Happy Father's Day!

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Times - The lesson intended for us in today's passage of Luke's gospel is most likely in the last few lines. A true follower of Christ must be ready to carry his cross and, if necessary, must be ready to be nailed to it, as Christ was. We are Christians because we sincerely want to have the everlasting life he came on earth to give us. He went through the excruciating death by crucifixion, the most painful and the most humiliating form of execution then known. He did so in order to enable us to merit heaven. He was the Son of God. He had no sins or faults of any kind to atone for. His sufferings were all willingly undertaken for our sakes.

It is hardly surprising, therefore, that we should be expected to imitate him for our own sakes and in so far as God will demand it of us, by carrying our daily crosses. Down through the nineteen and a half centuries of the Church's history, there have been heroic examples of men and women who have undergone torture and martyrdom rather than deny Christ or risk their eternal life. We respect them and we honor them. Most of us may feel we would be unable to face such a test of our faith. But God will see to that. When he sends a heavy cross, he strengthens the shoulder that has to bear it.

What the vast majority of us are called on and expected to do, is to bear our own relatively little daily crosses cheerfully and gladly, keeping God's commandments when temptations to break them are strong around us. Bearing patiently with one's state in life when others seem to have the best of everything, putting up with a nagging wife or husband, often is a slow and private martyrdom. Forgiving those who injure us and not seeking revenge is a heavy cross, too. Bearing ill-health patiently, instead of perpetually grumbling against God and against those around us, is another form of Christian martyrdom.

These are but a sample of the many crosses that all men have to bear. Those unfortunate ones who have never heard of God or of a future life, or who refuse to believe in anything beyond the grave, have the same crosses to bear as we have. We have the marvelous help of our faith. We know that there is an eternal life awaiting us, if we live our Christian life as Christ told us to live it. This surely lightens our crosses, whereas the atheist has nothing to lighten his load of sorrow, no future to look forward to, and the present life is a misery until the grave puts an end to it.

Thank you, God, for the gift of faith. Thank you, Christ, for having made eternal life available to me, and for showing me how to reach it. Please give me the grace and the strength to show myself worthy of my heaven!

Parish Calendar

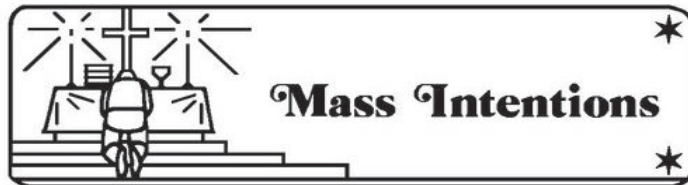
Sunday, June 27 - Happy Birthday Celebration for Father Janusz following the 11:00 AM Mass

Friday, July 2 - First Friday Mass at 11:00 AM. Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow Mass.

Friday, July 9 - Jackowo Social Club. Meeting and Luncheon at 12:00 Noon. Bingo and pinochle following the meeting. Please bring a bag lunch. Everyone is welcome. Contact Hedy (586) 783-9773 or Mary (586) 949-2038.

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

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



Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 19, 2010 – St. Ramuald

4:00 PM

- † Frank & Mary Sienkiewicz
Req. by their children Joan, Robert & Ronny
- † Daniel Schwartz
Req. by his daughter Karen
- † Wladyslaw Iwan
Req. by his brother Fr. Janusz Iwan

Sunday, June 20, 2010-Father's Day

9:00 AM

- † Jan Kaleta
Req. by his daughter Helena & Allen Shooks
- † Lloyd Shooks
Req. by his son Allen & Helena Shooks
- † Clara Chudy
Req. by her husband & family
- † M/M Ignatius Smolinski
Req. by the Smolinski family
- † Walter Chudy
Req. by his sons

11:00 AM

- † Pawel Pietrzak
Req. by his son Edward Pietrzak
- † Zenon Kolasa
Req. by his children
- † Robert Menard
Req. by Mary Ellen
- † Stanley Wroblewski
Req. By Mary Ellen
- † Walter Zamojski & Eugene Makuch
Req. by Ted & Dianne Zamojski
- † FOR ALL LIVING & DECEASED FATHERS
ON FATHER'S DAY
- † For All Living & Deceased Parishioners,
Benefactors & Friends of St. Hyacinth

Monday, June 21, 2010 - St. Aloysius Gonzaga

9:00 AM

- † Donald John Clarke
Req. by his wife Bernice & family

Tuesday, June 22, 2010 – Sts. Paulinus, John Fisher & Thomas More

9:00 AM

- † Laura Muklewicz
Req. By her son Walter & Joyce
- † Alphonse Kolodziejcki (25th Anniv.)
Req. by his wife Jean

Wednesday, June 23, 2010

9:00 AM

- † Poor souls in purgatory

Thursday – June 24, 2010 – Nativity of St. John the Baptist - Dantis

Friday, June 25, 2010

9:00 AM

- † Zenon & Anna Kolasa
Req. by their children
- 50th Wedding Anniversary of Martin & Alice
Grinder
- 22nd Wedding Anniversary of John & Donna
Wojcik

Saturday, June 26, 2010

4:00 PM

- † Richard Chonko
Req. by A. Moliassa & family
- † Stanislaw & Rosemarie Gajda
Req. by Maria Chudzian
- † Sr. Mary Laurene
Req. by Ron & Joanne Kaczorowski

Sunday, June 27, 2010 – 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM

- † Ed & Rita Baka
Req. by the Stoneberg family
- † Clara Chudy
Req. by her sons
- † Steve & Lottie Smolinski
Req. by the Smolinski family

11:00 AM

- † Frank Lisjak
Req. by Edward Ochylski
- † Sylvia Russell (Anniv.)
Req. by her son John
- † Joanne Thiel
Req. by Marsha Maksymiow
- † For All Living & Deceased Parishioners,
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Pope Benedict's Monthly Prayer Intentions For June 2010

General: Respect for Human Life - That every national and transnational institution may strive to guarantee respect for human life from conception to natural death.

Mission: The Churches in Asia That the Churches in Asia, which constitute a "little flock" among non-Christian populations, may know how to communicate the Gospel and give joyful witness to their adherence to Christ.

Please keep our sick and caregivers in your prayers:

Father Francis Skalski

Ann Bush

Joe Pelak

Frank Szymanski

Virginia Barnowski

Christine Storms

Danny Mason

Arthur Wiczko

Mrs. Bogunia

Nancy Milewski

Lorraine Koss

Ester Wichlacz

Carol Miloser

Elizabeth Posluszny

Cheryl Taranowski

Richard Ludwig

Lottie Machowski

Dorothy Rzeppa

Irene Stadnik

Ingrid Pilarowski

Rita Szczepaniak

Veronica Kuskowski

Charlotte Check

Tom Przybylinski

Michael Fennelly

Mary Antoncew

Kenny Tyminski

Ellen and Sharon Cassonte

Andrew Czajka

Dana Lynn Kaszubowski

Beverly Billotti

Ed Schapko

Gertrude Minkiewicz

Elvera Koper

Doris Bishop

Phyllis Vymazal

Heather Delisle

Cass Maj

Felicia Moszczenski

Don Miesik Sr.

Frank Score

Marion Bobryk

Genevieve Stoneberg

Tish Germain

Sophie Koper

Adela Krajenska

Kathleen Novak

Jennifer Formella

Lillian Demska-Tylanda

John Majewski

Ray Skalski

Christine Wandas

Dianne Zamojski

Phyllis Kubicki

Larry Milobowski

Allen Shooks

Stella Shooks

Raymond Noble

Jane Paterka

Matthew Moshe

Adnan Alshab

Paul Zamierowski

Joan Bratto

Lucia Matelonek

Anne Wisniewski

Maxine Taylor

Gloria Arendoski

Marsha Podlasek

Austin Lowry

Irene Gardula

Sharon McEvoy

Jessie Mistalski

Janice Nelson

Clara & Chester Tomaszycycki

Brenden Thomas Huizdos

Czesława Kupraszewicz

Catherine Stanuch

Nancy Gasiorowski

Danny Kuskowski



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.

Catholic Services Appeal - Please remember to contribute to the CSA by using the special envelopes with you weekly offerings. We need your help to meet the Archdiocese target of \$11,087.00

Sick Calls - Are you or a loved one hospitalized or homebound and desire a visit by Father Janusz. If so, please call the rectory to make arrangements and schedule a visit. Father Janusz would be happy to visit you or your loved one.

All School, All Year Reunion UPDATE 4 - Help is still needed for the many arrangements and tasks which will need to be accomplished to make this a success. Please join us and help with the planning of this memorable event.

We are looking for volunteers to help with cleaning and setting up our school for the reunion. The cleaning will be done during the two weeks prior to the reunion. Helpers will be needed to wash, vacuum, sweep and arrange tables and chairs. This will be a big job to get the school cleaned and set up for the reunion.

We also need someone with an artistic touch to serve as chair for school decorations. If you have a knack for decorating, please consider helping out. People are also needed to help with decorations of the school. Plans need to be made on how and when to decorate.

Greeters are needed to help our alumni register on the day of the reunion. The greeters will also help with passing out Mass booklets and seating.

If any of these sound like something you would like to help with, call the rectory and have your name added to the list.

We are looking for former teachers from Saint Hyacinth to invite to the All Year-All School Reunion in September. If you are a former teacher, or if you know how to contact one, please call the Parish Rectory or send an email to events@sainthyacinth.com.

Please help us spread the word. The reunion will be Sunday, September 19th at the 11:00 AM Mass. Call the rectory or Joe Jaczkowski at 586-228-8460 for more information.

Happy Birthday Father Janusz - We will celebrate Father Janusz's birthday on Sunday June 27 after the 11:00 AM Mass. Please join us for a birthday cake and refreshments as we wish our pastor a very Happy Birthday. Sto Lat Father Janusz.

Rectory Summer Schedule - The rectory will be closed on Fridays during the months of June and July. Please try to arrange normal business between Monday and Thursdays. If there is an emergency on a Friday, please call the rectory and leave a message. Someone will contact you as soon as possible.

Usher's Club - Please remember to support our Saint Hyacinth Ushers by support their monthly 50 - 50 raffle. Just ask an usher and they will be happy to help you out. You could be the next lucky winner!

What Makes A Dad

*God took the strength of a mountain,
The majesty of a tree,
The warmth of a summer sun,
The calm of a quiet sea,
The generous soul of nature,
The comforting arm of night,
The wisdom of the ages,
The power of the eagle's flight,
The joy of a morning in spring,
The faith of a mustard seed,
The patience of eternity,
The depth of a family need,
Then God combined these qualities,
When there was nothing more to add,
He knew His masterpiece was complete,
And so, He called it ... Dad*

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Feast of Saint John the Baptist - June 24th

John the Baptist was Jesus' older cousin. He was a prophet sent by God to prepare people for the coming of Christ into the world.

The Gospel of Luke also tells us about the mission God gave to John. He was called to tell people to repent, or to be sorry for, their sins and to be baptized. He told the people to "Prepare the way of the Lord" (Luke 3: 4). He said, "I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs on his sandals. He will baptize you with the holy Spirit and fire" (Luke 3:16).

John baptized Jesus in the Jordan River. Luke tells us that the heavens opened at that moment and the Holy Spirit descended upon Jesus. Then the voice of God spoke, saying, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased" (Luke 3: 21-22).

John preached against King Herod who was married to his brother's wife. This was a great sin because the brother was still living. The wife's name was Herodias. She demanded that Herod arrest John.

Herodias plotted with her daughter, Salome, for revenge against John. At a party, Salome danced for Herod. Her dancing tempted Herod and he promised Salome that that he would give her anything she wanted. She asked for John the Baptist's head on a platter. John was martyred that night.

Just as John prepared people for the coming of Jesus, his brutal death prepared Jesus' followers for Christ's sacrifice on the cross. We thank God for St. John the Baptist. We can honor him by preparing the way for Jesus by being sorry for our sins and trying to live as loving children of God.

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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.