



# Saint Hyacinth

*Roman Catholic Parish  
Parafia Świętego Jacka*

*3151 Farnsworth Avenue ~ Detroit, Poletown, Michigan 48211*

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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.*

## **Year of the Priests - June 19, 2009 to June 19, 2010**

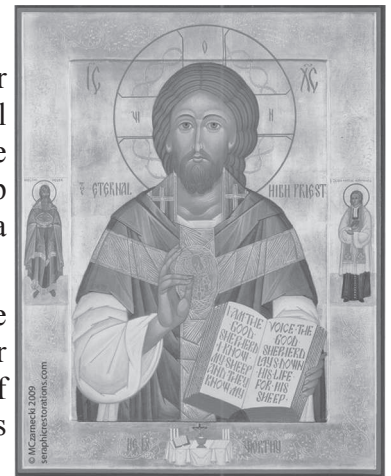
"Faithfulness of Christ, faithfulness of priests" is the theme of the Year for Priests announced on March 16, 2009, by the Holy Father. The Pope will inaugurate the Year on June 19, presiding at Vespers in St. Peter's Basilica where the relics of the saintly 'Cure of Ars' will be brought for the occasion by Bishop Guy Bagnard of Belley-Ars, France. He will close the year on June 19, 2010, at a "World Meeting of Priests" in St. Peter's Square.

During the course of the Year, Benedict XVI will proclaim St. Jean Marie Vianney as patron saint of all the priests of the world. A "Directory for Confessors and Spiritual Directors" will also be published, as will a collection of texts by the Supreme Pontiff on essential aspects of the life and mission of priests in our time.

The Congregation for the Clergy, together with diocesan ordinaries and superiors of religious institutes, will undertake to promote and coordinate the various spiritual and pastoral initiatives which are being organized to highlight the role and mission of the clergy in the Church and in modern society, and the need to intensify the permanent formation of priests, associating it with that of seminarians.

A special indulgence has been granted by the Apostolic Penitentiary for priests and those who attend Mass and offer prayers to Jesus Christ the Eternal High Priest, for the priests of the Church during this year.

Priests will be able to gain this indulgence by praying lauds or vespers before the Blessed Sacrament - either in the tabernacle or exposed to public adoration. Priests are also to "offer themselves with a ready and generous heart for the celebration of the sacraments, especially the sacrament of penance." (continued on back page)



## **Parish Calendar**

***Sunday, June 21 - Father's Day - Happy Father's Day.***

**Friday, July 3** - First Friday Mass at 11:00 AM. Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follow Mass.

**Friday July 10** - Jackowo Social Club Meeting and Luncheon will be held after the 11:00 AM Mass. Bingo and pinochle following the meeting. Donation of \$6.00, everyone is welcome. Contact Hedy (586) 783-9773 or Joan (313) 527-6141.

**Saturday, July 18** - 3:30 PM Pope John Paul II Rosary Society - Parish Rosary for World Peace

**Sunday, July 19** - 10:30 AM - Pope John Paul II Rosary Society - Parish Rosary for World Peace

**July 26, 2009** - Saint Hyacinth Parish Picnic, following the 11:00 AM Mass. See above for details.

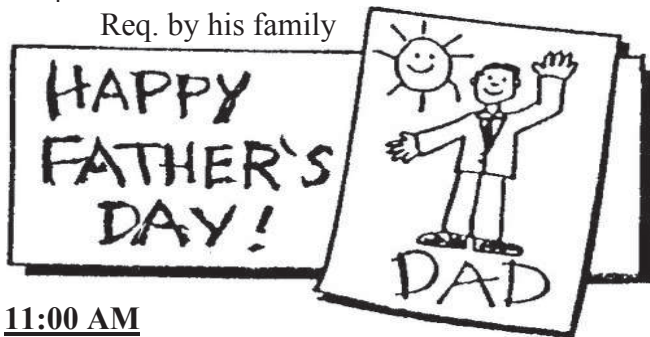
**August 17** - Saint Hyacinth Feast Day

**Saturday, June 20, 2009****4:00 PM**

- † Rita Gnaster  
Req. by Joan & Richard Ludwig
- † Cynthia Malinowski  
Req. by her cousin Joyce Kaminski & family
- † Jane Florek  
Req. by her family

**Sunday, June 21, 2009- Father's Day****9:00 AM**

- † For all the souls in purgatory  
Req. by the Smolinski family
- † Clara Chudy  
Req. by her husband & family
- † Eugenia Michalski  
Req. by her husband Art
- † Mitchell Kohut  
Req. by his family

**11:00 AM**

- † For all the Deceased & Living Fathers of St. Hyacinth Parish
- † Paul Pietrzak  
Req. by his son Edward
- † Stanley J. Wroblewski  
Req. by his daughter Theresa
- † Robert A. Menard  
Req. by Ted & Dianne Zamojski
- † Walter Zamojski & Eugene Makuch  
Req. by Ted & Dianne Zamojski
- † For All Living & Deceased Parishioners, Benefactors & Friends of St. Hyacinth

**Monday, June 22, 2009****9:00 AM**

- Continued good health of Emily Mitsel  
Req. by John & Janet Novak

**Tuesday, June 23, 2009****9:00 AM**

- † For the poor souls in purgatory

**Wednesday, June 24, 2009****9:00 AM**

- † Richard Chonko  
Req. by A. Moliassa & family

**Thursday – June 25, 2009 Dantis****Friday, June 26, 2009****9:00 AM**

- † Mary Anceriewicz  
Req. by her family & friends

**Saturday, June 27, 2009****4:00 PM**

- † Daniel Schwartz, Sr.  
Req. by his daughter Karen
- † Joanne Thiel  
Req. by her family & friends
- † Joe Thiel  
Req. by John Gumela

**Sunday, June 28, 2009-13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time****9:00 AM**

- † M/M Ignatius Smolinski  
Req. by the Smolinski family
- † John Przeslica  
Req. by Dorothy Rzeppa & family

**11:00 AM**

- † Robert A. Menard  
Req. by his wife Theresa & granddaughter Mary Ellen
- † Rita Gnaster  
Req. by Roni Kuskowski
- † Leocadia Mackiewicz  
Req. by her family
- † Charles & Esther Garr  
Req. by their family
- † For All Living & Deceased Parishioners, Benefactors & Friends of St. Hyacinth

**Pope Benedict's Monthly Prayer Intentions  
For June 2009**

**General:** That international attention towards the poorer countries may give rise to more concrete help, in particular to relieve them of the crushing burden of foreign debt.

**Mission:** That the particular Churches operating in regions marked by violence may be sustained by the love and concrete closeness of all the Catholics in the world.

**Please keep our sick and caregivers in your prayers:**

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
Laura Muklewicz	Sophie Koper
Danny Mason	Joseph Konfara
Arthur Wiczko	Adela Krajenka
Mrs. Bogunia	Kathleen Novak
Jessie Osmialowski	Nancy Milewski
Lorraine Koss	Jennifer Formella
Ester Wichlacz	Lillian Demska-Tylenda
Carol Miloser	Barbara Sokol
Mary Skalski	John Majewski
Elizabeth Posluszny	Ray Skalski
Sylvia Russell	Cheryl Taranowski
Richard Ludwig	Christine Wandas
Ronald Sienkiewicz	Dianne Zamojski
Nancy and Frank Davis	Lottie Machowski
Dorothy Rzeppa	Phyllis Kubicki
John Lesneskie	Larry Milobowski
Irene Stadnik	Allen Shooks
Ingrid Pilarowski	Jane Paterka
Rita Szczepaniak	Arthur Tomaszyci
Veronica Kuskowski	Stella Shooks
Charlotte Check	Raymond Noble
Daniel and Susan Pietrous	Theresa Mander
Tom Przybylinski	Matthew Moshe
Michael Fennelly	Jonathan Smith #79
Mary Antoncew	Adnan Alshab
Clara Tomaszyci	Lorraine Klekotka
Andrew Czajka	Joan Bratto
Barbara VanAssche	Maxine Taylor
Kenny & Violet Tyminski	Paul Zamierowski
Lucia Matelonek	Anne Wisniewski
Gloria Arendoski	Ellen and Sharon Cassonte
Nick LaFave	Larry Pielack
Timothy Ayres	Laura Stannis
Dana Lynn Kaszubowski	



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

**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.

**Cook Book Fund Raiser** - Have a good recipe to share? We are thinking of compiling and selling a Parish Recipe Book as a possible fund raiser for the parish. Surely you have a favorite family recipe that you could share. Please contact the rectory for additional information.

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Saint Hyacinth,

I wish to say thank you to all the parishioners, friends and guests that joined in celebrating my birthday. In a special way, I also say thank you to my fellow priests who joined this happy occasion. It was a very wonderful sight and feeling to have so many of you together in a joyful and family atmosphere. Not just to celebrate a birthday, but to share the day and moment with others who also have a deep devotion to our God and to our beloved parish.

I wish to say a very special thank you for the organizers of the birthday party, for preparing and sending out the invitations, the cooks who prepared such a delicious meal, the choir who sang so beautiful during the Mass. I also wish to say thank you to all those that gave a gift or birthday card to commemorate my birthday. Your thoughtfulness and generosity is much appreciated.

The outpouring of good wishes and the good company shared on this day warmed my heart. I will pray for you and for all the parishioners of Saint Hyacinth. I will pray in thanksgiving for all you have done, and also in thanksgiving that I am fortunate enough to be pastor of this wonderful parish.

Szczęść Boże!

*F. Janusz Iwan*  
 Father Janusz Iwan  
 Pastor, Saint Hyacinth Parish



**Saint Hyacinth Parish Picnic**

- Mark your calendars now to join us on July 26, 2009 for the annual Saint Hyacinth Parish Picnic. The picnic will begin following the 11:00 AM Mass. The picnic will be held at Kennedy Park in Eastpointe. Hot dogs and chips will be served. We are asking for everyone to bring a picnic dish to share. There will be games for the children, raffles and fun to be had by all. Each year, more and more parishioners and friends of Saint Hyacinth have gathered to enjoy the afternoon outing. Please plan on attending and encourage your fellow parishioners and friends of Saint Hyacinth Parish. Volunteers are needed to help organize and make the picnic a success. **Your help is needed.** For additional information or to volunteer to help out, please contact Caroline Newville at 586-777-2128. More details to follow.

**Corpus Christi** - Pope Benedict XVI addressed the importance of the feast of Corpus Christi. The feast, Pope Benedict said, is linked to the other feasts nearby in the liturgical calendar-- Easter, Pentecost, and Trinity Sunday. The Pope explained the feast "speaks to us of divine love-- of what it is and what it does." The love of God "transforms all things," he continued. For that reason the faithful organize processions, carrying the Eucharistic Lord into their cities. The Blessed Sacrament, the Pope said, gives the faithful the strength to continue the mission of the Church. "We all need this Bread, because the journey toward freedom, justice, and peace is long and tiring."

Saint Hyacinth celebrated the Feast of Corpus Christ with a procession around our church that all parishioners were invited to join. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed the procession. Father Janusz then invited all the children in attendance to the sanctuary where the Blessed Sacrament was displayed in the Monstrance. Father explained the feast that occurred 2000 years ago when Christ first consecrated the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist with the Apostles. The children then received a special blessing from Father and a treat to take home and enjoy.

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## **Year of the Priests** (Continued from Front Page)

This indulgence can also be applied to deceased priests. Partial indulgences can be obtained by priests through "devotedly recit[ing] the prayers duly approved to lead a saintly life and carry[ing] out the duties entrusted to them."

The plenary indulgence available for the faithful can be obtained on the opening and closing days of the Year of the Priest, on August 4th – the 150th anniversary of the death of St. Jean-Marie Vianney, on the first Thursday of the month throughout the jubilee year, or on other days as established by the ordinaries of particular places. The faithful on these days must attend Mass in an oratory or church and offer prayers to "Jesus Christ, supreme and eternal priest, for the priests of the Church, or perform any good work to sanctify and mould them to his heart." They must also have gone to confession and prayed for the intentions of the Pope, as is always the case with obtaining indulgences. A partial indulgence is available for the faithful as well when they pray the Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be five times, or any other approved prayer "in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, to ask that priests maintain purity and sanctity of life."

The plenary indulgence is also available to those elderly, sick, or otherwise unable to leave their homes, provided that, "on the days concerned, they pray for the sanctification of priests and offer their sickness and suffering to God through Mary, Queen of the Apostles," with the intention of fulfilling the usual three conditions – going to confession, receiving the Holy Eucharist, and praying for the intentions of the Pope.

## *Saint Hyacinth Roman Catholic Parish*

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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.