

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 21</b>
4:30 PM	John Kotkowski – Peter & Barbara Dybas
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 22 – THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>
8:15	Wendi Pawlak Mahan – Pawlak Family
10:00	Kazimierz Podgorski – żona i dzieci
11:30	John Danielsky & living & deceased of Danielczuk Family
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 23 – ST. GEORGE</b>
8:00	Kazimierz Samojlik – Kulak Family
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 24 – ST. FIDELIS</b>
8:00	Henryka Sobczak - Martha Lachowska
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 25 – ST. MARK</b>
8:00	Health & blessings Fr. Marek Sobczak, CM – Martha Lachowska
7:00 PM	Walter Tabaka – Integlia Family
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 26</b>
8:00	Mary Kusako – daughter Irene
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 27</b>
8:00	Sylvia Serafinowicz – M/M Brendan Douglass
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 28</b>
8:00	Health & blessings for Krystyna Grabinski – Natalie
4:30 PM	Deceased members of the Kuzma & Roginielewicz Families – Presnick Family
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>APRIL 29 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>
8:15	Jean Oliwa – Gen & Joe Wojtowicz
10:00	Jozef Miskowicz – córki z rodzinami
11:30	John Kotkowski – Mike, Irene & Karen Kennedy

**THIS WEEK THE VOTIVE LIGHTS ARE LIT FOR:**

William Brochinsky – wife and sons ♦ Living and deceased members of the Fuller & Szatkowski Families - Natalie & family ♦ Fred Slusarski - wife ♦ Anthony Roginel - Alma ♦ Special intentions ♦ William Amodeo, Jr. & Edward Baczek – Ellen ♦ Souls of Mary and Victor Greski - family ♦ Souls of Adeline and Edward Reyen - son ♦ God bless our grandson in the Air Force, Michael Mazzacco – Grandparents Nick & Mary Grace & family ♦ Risen Lord's blessing on the Michael Kennedy Family ♦ For Mom and Dad – Sandy ♦ For living and deceased members of the D'Amicol & Casablanca families ♦ Health & blessings for Edward Kuzia – Peter & Barbara Dybas ♦ In loving memory of Brendan Douglass – ML ♦ In loving memory of George Halpin – ML ♦ Health & God's blessings for Aldona Jeremus – ML ♦ Health & God's blessings for Marek Sliwa – Wesolych Imienin – ML ♦ Health & God's blessings for Betsy Bloomfield – ML ♦ Health & God's blessings for Alice Adamowski – daughter ♦ Health & God's blessings for Catherine Sullivan – Betty ♦ Health & God's blessings for Josephine Alu – Betty ♦ Health & God's blessings for Mary Brancucio – Betty ♦ Health & God's blessings for Pamela Gruttadoria – Betty.

**THE BREAD AND WINE IS DONATED**

Health & God's blessings for Father Marek Sobczak –  
Happy Priestly Anniversary - ML

**SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS**

Health & God's blessings for Father Marek Sobczak – Happy Feast Day - ML

**ST. JOSEPH, OUR PATRON, PRAY FOR US!**

\* For the intention of Pope Benedict XVI \* For vocations to priesthood and religious life \* Living and deceased members of our families.

+ Please reserve your request for the Sanctuary Lamp, Bread and Wine, St. Joseph and Votive Lamps in writing with your donation included. All the intentions are also read and offered to God during the Miraculous Medal Novena every Wednesday night. +

**Miraculous Medal Novena** - Wednesday at 7 PM.

**EASTER EGG HUNT** will be held, Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 PM on the church grounds. Children up to age 10 are invited. Bring a bag or basket.

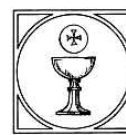


**ŚWIECONKA** – Thank you to all who came and the ladies who set up the hall. We all felt sad that a very small number of people showed up.



**THE SECOND COLLECTION** this Sunday is the Peter's Pence Collection in support of the works of the Holy Father. The proceeds from this collection fund emergency relief assistance to those throughout the world who suffer from war, oppression and natural disasters.

**JN 20:28-29** "I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand. My father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand."



**EUCHARIST** – Jesus lives today in The Blessed Sacrament, Alleluia! The Eucharist is Our Risen Lord! The power of His resurrection flows out to all who come into His Eucharistic Presence, transforming us into His image!

✓ **CONFIRMATION** – The Sacrament of Confirmation was administered by Bishop Peter Rosazza on Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at St. Jude Church in Derby. Congratulations to all who received the Sacrament of Confirmation: Christopher Chaber, David Chaber, Matthew Drozd, Monica Kaczmarczyk, Anna Konopka, Tomasz Korytkowski, Richard Krueger, Martyna Mankus, Walter Pawlowski, Thomas Walczyk and Alicja Zajkowski.



✓ **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** will take place on May 5<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM.

✓ **CROWNING OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY** will be on May 6<sup>th</sup> during the 8:15 AM Mass.

**A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE** – The expression of Jesus in today's gospel could be said by any parent; My children "hear my voice. I know them and they follow me." The big question is: If they follow, where are you leading them?

**OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY** is extended to Judy Randall on the recent death of her mother, Evelyn Walcek; and to the family of Brendan Douglass. May their souls and all souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



**St. Francis of Assisi** has proven to be a saint for all seasons. All around us, images and books abound testifying to his appeal in the present, as much as in the past. In his lifetime, Francis' joyful love of God resulted in three rules of life for people who wanted to follow him: one for men and one for women who would leave the world to live out their calling, and a third for lay people, with all their daily commitments to family, work and society. Trying to put a spirituality (a vision and its joy) into words is no easy matter and the Secular branch of the Franciscan Order is probably the least known today. Known or unknown, we are alive and well and meeting in this area. If you are person who finds themselves drawn to St. Francis and his spirituality, please consider coming to an information night. It will be held at Sacred Heart Church in Southbury, Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup> from 7 to 8 PM. Brochures are also available in the church vestibule.

## PARISH SUPPORT

Sunday's Collection : \$2302.

*Thank you for your generosity in the collections and donations.*

### FIRE PROTECTION UPGRADE PROJECT FUND.

We express our gratitude to 260 families of our parish (45% of all families approached) who donated \$93,775 to the project. We reached 94% of our goal. May God bless you all for your generosity.

**THANK YOU** JoAnn Seebacher of Medford, NY, for your donation of 116 „A Student's Dictionary” to our children. The donation was made in memory of Barbara C. Sutley who died 10/17/2003.

**ST. MARY – ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL** is now accepting registration for grades PreK-8. Call 203-735-6471 or 734-2017 for more information or a tour of the school. Forms can be downloaded from the school website at [stmarystmichaelschool.org](http://stmarystmichaelschool.org).

**STEWARDSHIP** - For sick-call visits, call Mary 734-435 or Eleanor 735-2342.

**PRO-LIFE** – Some contend that the pro-life issue is less important than the war issue. Fr. Frank Pavone, director of Priests for Life comments: “How many innocent lives, and how many children, have been deliberately targeted for destruction in the current war? By comparison, every abortion deliberately targets and destroys a child otherwise it wouldn't be an abortion. Catholic teaching allows more than one position on war, but it does not allow more than one position on abortion.” *Pray for those burdened by sickness and impending death that they may realize that they are in God's hands.*

Registration



**THE ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL** changes lives by sharing our faith! The appeal plays a vital role in Spiritual Formation Programs. More than 68,000 children and adults are provided with the foundation and support they need as they learn the faith.

**SEMINAR FOR THE BEREAVED** (10 week) to be held at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Oxford, beginning Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 6:30-8:30 PM. For information and registration call Sr. Mary Bernard Shanley 888-2382 x111.

**Polish Style Dinner and Dance** at St. Thomas Church Hall, Oxford on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Dinner 6-7 PM. Dancing 7-10 PM to *The RBO Marty Swiatek Orchestra*. Donation \$15. Call rectory at 888-2382 or Joan Dembek at 881-2382.

**Polish Dance** sponsored by Holy Cross Church of New Britain featuring *Dennis Polisky and the Maestro's Men* April 28<sup>th</sup> from 6-10 PM at Pope John Paul II School Gym. Cost \$12 per person. Set-ups, sandwiches or pastry available. For tickets, call 229-2011.

**Black and White and Red (High Heel) Dance** at St. Michael Lyceum, Beacon Falls on April 28<sup>th</sup> 7-11 PM. DJ Music for all ages. Cost \$20 per person. B.Y.O.B. Call 881-0223.

### MARATHON BINGO SCHEDULE – 2007

May 12 \* June 9

July and August – No Bingo \* September 8

October 13 \* November 10 \* December 8

**Doors open 8:30 AM – Games Start 10 AM**

For info, call 735-6736 or 734-9156.

## Z ŻYCIA PARAFII

Są takie wydarzenia, które głęboko w nas zapadają. Kiedy Jezus po zmartwychwstaniu stanąwszy nad brzegiem morza zawołał: „Zarzućcie sieć po prawej stronie”, w Piotrze odezwała się pamięć pierwszego, cudownego połowu, po którym rozpoznał w Jezusie swego Mistrza i zapragnął pójść za Nim. Dla chrześcijanina takim wydarzeniem, fundamentalnym dla jego tożsamości, jest chrzest. Jego wspomnienie przywołuje ukrytą w duszy każdego z nas tęsknotę, aby pójść za Chrystusem wszędzie i za każdą cenę.

**DRUGA SKŁADKA ZA** dzisiaj jest zbiórką na dzieła charytatywne prowadzone przez Ojca Świętego.

**SZUKANIE SŁODKICH JAJECZEK I CZEKOLDADOWYCH CUKIERKÓW** dla dzieci do 10 lat włącznie – sobota 28 kwietnia, godz. 13:30 (1:30pm). Prosimy przynieść ze sobą plastikowe woreczki ☺

**DOBROCZYNNOŚĆ** - Staramy się powrócić do pięknego zwyczaju zbierania darów dla biednych i potrzebujących. Niepsujące się artykuły żywnościowe będziemy zbierali w każdy czwarty weekend miesiąca. Przy wejściach do kościoła będą ustawione specjalne pojemniki na nasze dary, które później zostaną przekazane dla organizacji Św. Wincentego a Paulo w Derby. Zachęcamy do udziału w tak zwanym **Brown Bag Weekend** (nazwa pochodzi od brązowych toreb papierowych w których są pakowane nasze zakupy spożywcze...)

**AAA** CZYLI DOROCZNY APEL ARCYBISKUPA na wspieranie dzieł charytatywnych rozpoczął się. Nasza parafia musi przekazać 13,800 dolarów. Pieniądze są przeznaczone dla biednych, potrzebujących oraz na dzieła rozkrzewiania wiary. Proszę serdecznie o odpowiedzenie na ten apel ks. Arcybiskupa. Jesteśmy rodziną parafialną, działajmy wspólnie.

✓ **SAKRAMENT BIERZMOWANIA** został udzielony przez Ks. Bp Peter Rosazza w sobotę 21 kwietnia o godz. 10.00 w kościele Św. Judy w Derby. Przyjęły go następujące osoby: Christopher Chaber, David Chaber, Matthew Drodz, Monica Kaczmarczyk, Anna Konopka, Tomasz Korytkowski, Richard Krueger, Martyna Mankus, Walter Pawlowski, Thomas Walczyk i Alicja Zajkowski. Módlmy się w ich intencjach, aby w życiu swoim kierowali się natchnieniami Ducha Świętego

✓ **UROCZYŚĆ** Pierwszej Komunii Świętej będzie w sobotę 5 maja o godz. 10:00. Następnego dnia dzieci spotkają się grupowo na niedzielnej mszy św. podczas której odbędzie się doroczna koronacja figurki Matki Bożej. Pierwsza spowiedź dzieci będzie w czwartek 26 kwietnia o godzinie 16.00 (4 pm)

**JEŻELI KORZYSTACIE PAŃSTWO** z usług telefonicznych firmy SBC - SNET, to proszę zadzwonić pod numer 1-800-635-7638 i zapisać się do programu zwanego „**Community Connection**” i podać nasz numer – **C2701**. SBC SNET przekaze 5% Waszego rachunku telefonicznego na naszą parafię. Nie wiąże się to z żadnymi dodatkowymi kosztami dla Państwa, a będzie stanowiło pomoc dla parafii.

**NOWE ZDJĘCIA Z PRZERÓŻNYCH SPOTKAŃ** i życia parafii są wywieszane na szkolnym korytarzu. Serdecznie zachęcamy do ich oglądania. O ile na nich jesteśmy uwiecznieni, to zachęcamy do ich zakupu u pani Lynne Behun, tel.(734-1712).

**ZAPISUJMY SIĘ DO PARAFII**, gdyż jest to wymóg prawa kościelnego w tym kraju. Prosimy informować także nas o zmianie adresu.

*Strona internetowa naszej parafii jest pod adresem:*  
[www.rc.net/hartford/stjoseph](http://www.rc.net/hartford/stjoseph)