



St. Stanislaus School

Home of the Eagles!



St. Stanislaus School: 1861 136th Ave.
Dorr, MI 49323

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SCHOOL BOARD

**Meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month (except July)
at 7:00 pm in the school library. Everyone is welcome to attend.

President	Ben Williams	(616) 681-2343
Vice-President	Ron Bala	(269) 793-7563
Secretary	Nikki Greis	(616) 681-2696
Treasurer	Marie Davis	(269) 793-7713
Home & School	Heather Clarey	(616) 681-0715
Social Director	Julie Zomerlei	616) 681-0015
Trustee	Pam Hoffman	(616)681-0415
Trustee	Pat Roys	(269)793-3317

Needed

- We are in need of a donation of MORE magic erasers. We have used all the ones that have been donated so far during our school clean up last Friday. If you could donate a box that would be great!
- The science lab is in need of some bottles of rubber cement and a couple aquarium power heads for our new saltwater fish tank. We would appreciate any donations that you could send in.

St. Stan's Blood Drive

The school is holding an American Red Cross blood drive on Tuesday, May 4 from 1:00-6:45. You may register to donate at www.givelife.org or by calling Janet at 681-9945. There will be a sign-up sheet in the vestibule for those who would be willing to work at the drive or donate food/drinks. Thank you in advance for your help in saving lives!

Library News

Book Fair News - The book fair will be taking place May 17-19. This is a buy one get one book fair. The book fair will also be open after Masses on May 15th and 16th. If anyone is willing to help set up, help during the fair or help to take down the book fair please let me know. I will be setting up on Friday afternoon (May 14) at 1:00 pm and taking down on Wednesday May 19th. A big thank you to Karen Ebright who has been my sub in the library this year. You did a great job Karen!

Amy Skrycki (269) 792-3571

5th Annual Polish Festival

Our 5th Annual Polish Festival is only three months away; August 21, 2010! The tickets are printed and will be coming home soon. Mark your calendar for our Biggest Festival yet. More prizes, more food, anniversary glasses, and more room.

Thank You

Thank you all who helped with Grandparents/Special persons Day. You helped to make a very special day. The food was wonderful! I would also like to give a special thank you to Dave Lowe and Dave Williams for the great entertainment. Thank you to Dick's Market for the donation of ice cream and Wayland McDonalds for the donation of ice tea. Lastly, I would like to thank Sarah Langlois, Amy Skrycki, Suzie Selvig, and Hanh Matvichuk for supervising the classrooms during lunch. I appreciated everyone's help!

Angie Mulder

Registration

Preschool, Kindergarten and new student registration packets are available in the office. Stop by and pick one up or call and we will send one home to you. Preschool Parents—remember, if you send your child through our 4 year old program and then enroll them for kindergarten, you will receive a \$500 credit on your kindergarten tuition. Yes, that is right, we reimburse you for your child's preschool fee! (One credit per family).

Meat Raffle

Tickets are now on sale from any St. Stanislaus 7th & 8th Grader or the school office. Tickets sell for \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Drawing will be Friday, May 7th at the Sports Banquet—need not be present to win. First Prize: Approximately 10 lbs. Cooked Beef Rib Eye. Second Prize: Approximately 20 lbs. Turkey. Third Prize: Approximately 10 lbs. Ham.

TRIP Bonuses

- Fashion Bug 2% thru 6/4
- Shutterfly 5% thru 5/14
- Red Robin 2% thru 5/7
- Applebee's 2% thru 5/7
- Home Depot 1% thru 5/7
- Lands End 2% thru 5/21

Trip News

- The BodyShop has joined the GLSC list of retailers. They have \$25 cards with an 8% return. They offer a natural approach to body care and makeup (Woodland Mall).
- Payout #4 will be May 3. Please remember that on-hand supplies may be limited the next few weeks.

Golf Outing 2010

Our annual St. Stan's Golf Outing will be Saturday, July 31st. We would appreciate your help! We are in need of door prizes & Tee sponsors. No prize is too big or too small. Tee sponsors are \$50 a tee. If you have any questions please contact Brett or Beth Oman at (616) 681-2028. Or email elizabethoman10@gmail.com.

Family Perspective

The gospel challenges us to see DIFFERENCES in one another in a new way, not as something we need to change or tolerate, but to embrace. In a Christian family we are accepted and cherished for who we are and who we can be. "This is how all "will know you are my disciples" and "God is glorified."



May 2, 2010

Fifth Sunday of Easter

St. Stanislaus Parish
1871 136th Avenue
Dorr, MI 49323

Rev. Stanley Witek, Pastor

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PARISH STAFF

Lisa Kloska, Parish Secretary
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Office Hours:
Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri (8:00 am - 1:00 pm)

Please Have Bulletin Announcements To
Lisa By 8:00 am Friday

Lisa Gardner, Business Manager
Email: lisagardner4@aol.com

Director of Religious Education
Anne Hodge (269) 793-3176

RCIA Director
Lisa Kloska

Youth Ministry Director
Bill Jones (616) 681-8331

Music Director
Marek Kulikowicz

Pastoral Council Chairperson:
T.J. Restau (269) 792-1241

Finance Committee Chairperson:
Norm Fifelski (616) 681-9843

Maintenance Coordinator:
Bob Schumacher (269) 793-3901

HALL RENTAL

Call the Parish Office

CEMETERY

Pat Schumacher (616) 681-0039

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:30 pm (Sunday Vigil)
Sunday 8:00 am and 11:00 am
Weekdays: Check bulletin
Holy Days as announced in bulletin

OTHER SACRAMENTS

Baptism:
By appointment
Marriage:
Arrangements to be made at least 6 months in advance
Reconciliation:
Saturday 4:30 pm or by appt.
Anointing of the sick:
By appointment

FUNERAL LUNCHEON CO-CAPTAINS

Anne Hodge (269) 793-3176
Janet Sage (616) 681-2493
If you would like to help by setting up, serving at or bring a dish of food, please call one of our Captains to volunteer.

PRAYER RELAY CAPTAINS

Barb Chachulski (616) 681-9592
Dorothy Adamczyk (269) 793-3731
Lucy Fifelski (616) 681-9795
Esther Hilaski (269) 793-3743
Caroline Matecki (269) 792-2829

PREGNANCY HELP-LINE

Rusty Dutkiewicz (616) 681-9330

CARE OF THE SICK

Call the Priest in any emergency, day or night. Notify the parish office of persons shut in or hospitalized.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Welcome to all new members of St. Stanislaus Parish! We encourage all Catholic families to register at the Parish Office and to use Church offertory envelopes.

Please give notice if you have a change of address, or are moving out of the parish.

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY

Carol Marcinek (269) 793-7510

ST. MONICA'S GUILD

Janet Sage (616) 681-2493

OUR LADY QUEEN OF HEAVEN

Karen Steenwyk (616) 681-9624

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Colleen Marklevitz (269) 793-3952

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Jane Post (269) 792-4302

ST. STANISLAUS MEN'S SOCIETY

Dan Marcinek (269) 793-7510

May 2, 2010

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Weekly Liturgical Schedule				Readings
Monday	5/3	NO MASS		1 Cor 15: 1-8 Jn 14: 6-14
Tuesday	5/4	5:30 PM 7:00 PM	Adeline Markoski by Roman & Colleen Marklevitz Rosary	Acts 14: 19-28 Jn 14: 27-31
Wednesday	5/5	11:00 AM 1:00 PM 7:00 PM	In Appreciation of our Teachers by St. Stanislaus School & Families School May Crowning Rosary	Acts 15: 1-6 Jn 15: 1-8
Thursday <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	5/6	8:00 AM 8:30 AM 8:00 PM	Health of Connie Holbrook by Our Lady of Lourdes Circle Exposition Benediction / Rosary	Acts 15: 7-21 Jn 15: 9-11
Friday	5/7	8:00 AM 7:00 PM	Health of Sandy Chachulski by Our Lady of Lourdes Circle Rosary	Acts 15: 22-31 Jn 15: 12-17
Saturday	5/8	4:30 PM 5:30 PM 7:00 PM	Confession (Sacrament of Reconciliation) Marilyn Powers by Don & Marybeth Striegle Rosary	Acts 16: 1-10 Jn 15: 18-21
Sunday <i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>	5/9	8:00 AM 11:00 AM 7:00 PM	People of St. Stanislaus Parish Mary Tiggelman Rosary	Acts 15: 1-2, 22-29 Rv 21: 10-14, 22-23 Jn 14: 23-29

Liturgical Appointments			
May 8/9	Saturday 5:30 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 11:00 AM
Lector	Dan Marcinek	Linda Kloska	Ron Henderson
Extraordinary Ministers	Pete Markoski John Bowman Jeanne Neuhaus	Melodie Niemczyk Laurie Schwartz Rich Kloska	Bill Jones Ann Miller Cathy Adamczyk
Ushers	Tom Modreske Chet Dolegowski	Kevin Lincoln Family	Dave Crowe Family
Servers	Joe Bala Corissa Fordham Sidney Selvig	Claire Schwartz Mark Davis	Karolyne Edema Katelyn Edema Kendralynn Edema
Church Cleaners	Russ & Hannah Pogodzinski, Mike & Kim Kukulies		
Flower Ministry	Laura Champion		



"Forward in Faith"	
Goal	\$831,000
Pledged	\$387,475
Received	\$144,507

Jacob then made this vow: "If God remains with me, to protect me on this journey I am making and to give me enough bread to eat and clothing to wear, and I come back safe to my father's house, the Lord shall be my God. This stone that I have set up as a memorial stone shall be God's abode. Of everything you give me, I will faithfully return a tenth part to you." Genesis 28: 20-22

Parish Support	April 24/25	Fiscal Year
Adult (115) used / 227 issued)	\$2,864.00	\$138,116.03
Student (20)	\$42.00	\$1,384.98
Loose	\$152.90	\$7,446.83
Holy Days	\$10.00	\$7,455.25
Total	\$3,068.90	\$154,403.09
Needed For Budget	\$3,500.00	\$150,500.00
Over (Under) Budget	(\$431.10)	\$3,903.09
Education (2)	\$65.00	\$20,425.00
May 3 Collection Counters: Team A		

OUR PRAYER LIST FOR HEALING

Please pray to God for His gift of healing of our brothers and sisters who are sick, their families and friends, the home-bound, and those in care facilities.

Dorothy Adameczyk	Loy Dykstra	Emily Jablonski	Marilyn Miller
Margaret Arendt	Rhonda Egtvedt	Lillian Jones	Marlo Orchard
Kevin Baar	Bill Fifelski, Sr.	Lisa Jongsema	Tom Pavlak
Jim Belka	Sr. Jacoba Fifelski	Laura Junglas	David Post
Joseph Belka	Bernie Funk	Barb Kaczanowski	Kristofer Richardson
Romie Belka	Annabelle Graczyk	Carol Kelley	Steven Riemersma
Helen Bishop	Jaime Greene	Eleanor Kloska	Dorothy Sabin
Ray Bosek, Sr.	Mary Gregory	Norma Kwiatkowski	John Saunders
Bob Bossche	Casey Griffey	Adeline Marcinek	Don Siler
Henry Chachulski	Eleanor (Babe) Herp	Florence Marklevitz	Carol Steffes
Renee Chachulski	Edna Hilaski	Helene Matecki	Skip Stephans
Gene Czerwinski	Esther Hilaski	Ed Matecki	Ruth Weick
Mike Damveld	Grace Hirst	Dan & Judy Miller	Mary Whitemyer
Keith Dehm	Kristi Hovind	Gerard Miller	
Darlene Dykstra	Troy Huver	Joan Miller	

*To be included on this Prayer List, call the Parish Office (269) 793-7268

May 2, 2010

2010 Bishop's Annual Appeal
Thank you to the 42 families who made a pledge to the Bishop's Annual Appeal last weekend. If you have not yet made your pledge, please prayerfully consider doing so. It is not too late. Your support of our diocesan educational, pastoral and religious programs will make a real difference in the lives of many in southwest Michigan and beyond. You may place your Bishop's Annual Appeal pledge card or in-pew pledge envelope in the collection basket, bring it or mail it to the parish office. Our parish goal is 100% participation - and with your gift we can do it. Remember, no gift is too large or too small.

Rosary
During the month of May, the Rosary will be recited in the church every evening at 7:00 PM. Please come and join in our prayers to the Blessed Virgin.

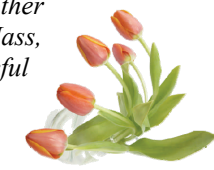
Greeter Ministry
As the warmer weather moves in, we will once again be initiating a greeter ministry to welcome people to our parish. We are looking for volunteers to greet before the Saturday 5:30 pm Mass and both the 8:00 and 11:00 am Masses on Sunday. A sign up sheet is located in the vestibule of the church. Please feel free to sign up for more than one weekend! This is a great opportunity for friends, families and members of St. Stanislaus Circles and Societies.

Congratulations to the following who received the Sacrament of Confirmation Sunday, April 25, 2010

Denise Belka (Joe & Roxanne Belka)
Allison Bowman (John & Tracy Bowman)
Matthew Pando (Jerry & Kate Pando)
Jeremy Ignatoski (Richard & Janice Ignatoski)
Emily Kloska (Mark & Janet Kloska)
Braydon Commons (Carl & Michelle Commons)
Samantha Selvig (David & Sue Selvig)
Tyler Schwartz (Mark & Laurie Schwartz)
Rebecca Davis (Randy & Marie Davis)
Kathleen Lieffers (Gordon & Patty Lieffers)
Lauren McKenzie (Scott & Theresa McKenzie)
Kathryn Wilson (Joseph & Phyllis Wilson)
Abigail Adams (Dan & Carol Adams)
Timothy J. Deubner (Tim & Marcia Deubner)
Michael Pando (Jerry & Kate Pando)
Erin Velicky (Stephen & Sandy Velicky)

To the Parish Family of St. Stanislaus,
The family of Therese Truskowski would like to thank you for the special kindness you have shown to my mother by your prayers, communion visits, funeral Mass, music and funeral lunch. We all are very grateful that we are in your midst. Thank you.

The Thomas Kurdelski Family



New! - St. Stan's Youth Ministry
St. Stan's will be starting a Youth Ministry! The Youth Ministry's mission will be to foster the maturing of faith formation in the youth of our parish and the surrounding community. The youth ministry will involve volunteer work, service activities with the elderly from the parish, and keeping our Polish heritage alive by learning about the traditional foods, and much more. In addition, we will be doing numerous fun activities as a group. We are looking for interested boys and girls ages 13+. There will be no cost to join, although some activities may involve a small cost. There will be an orientation coming soon to discuss when and how long we will be meeting for. Since this is a new program, suggestions would be greatly appreciated. If you are interested or have questions contact Bill Jones at (231) 224-3906, or at billybobjones1226@yahoo.com



Congratulations to Jon & Lisa Henkel!
Alexa Jo
6 lbs 2 ounces, 17 1/2" inches
Born April 29, 2010
She will be welcomed home by siblings
Ashleigh, Jonny & Jayse

Spaghetti Supper & Bake Sale
Tuesday, May 11, 2010 at Dorr Christian Reformed Church (4220 18th St, Dorr) from 5:00pm - 7:30pm. Your free-will donation for the supper will help to deter costs for the GEMS Girls' Club Counselors going to the annual training conference in Minneapolis this summer.

Praying with Icons
Thursdays, May 6, 20, 2010, 7-9pm. with artist Michael Northrop. The focus will be on praying with icons, a demonstration by the presenter and background on the symbolism of Icons. Sessions will be held at the Newman Bookstore, 340 E. Michigan Ave., Kalamazoo. Suggested donation is \$10 per session. For more information contact the Office of Worship, dreilly@dioceseofkalamazoo.org or 269-903-0193.

Choose Life
Right to Life of North Allegan County invites you to its regular monthly meeting on Monday, May 3 at 7:00 pm at the Dorr Township Library.



RUMMAGE SALE
Wednesday, May 5, 8:00 am - 7:00 pm
Thursday, May 6, 8:00 am - 11:30 am
St. Sebastian Hall
9408 Wilson Ave.
Byron center Mi

POSITION NEEDED: St. Mary's Visitation is in need of a **Certified Food Manager** to oversee the food preparation at our Chicken & Wild Game Dinners and various other events. The CFM will need to be certified by Allegan County. The next course date is May 17, 2010. St. Mary's Visitation will pay for training and the exam for person interested, if needed. Compensation will vary by event and is negotiable. Please send your resume to St. Mary's Visitation, 2459 146th Ave. Byron Center, MI 49315 or by Fax at 616-681-9919, Attn: GERALYN. For more information 616-681-9147.