

# HOLY TRINITY CHURCH OF UTICA

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Rev. Canon John E. Mikalajunas, Pastor

Rev. Joseph E. Moskal, Assisting Senior Priest

Deacon George Spohr

March 10, 2024

# THE PROPHET

THE MAN WHO PAVED THE WAY  
FOR POPE JOHN PAUL II



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# PROPHET

*March 10th, 2024*

*4PM in the Marian Room*

*(Polish with English subtitles)*

**SUNDAY/NIEDZIELA\* March 10, 2024**  
Fourth Sunday of Lent - Year B

**Vigil Mass for SUNDAY/NIEDZIELA \* March 10**  
Fourth Sunday of Lent - Year B

- 5:00 pm + Robert M. Mickler -- Samuel & Janice Russo, Jr.  
5:00 pm + Thomas Zdanowicz -- Virginia Pieloch  
5:00 pm + Mary(30th Anniv) & Stanley(26th Anniv) Chudy  
-- Maura Chudy and Family

**SUNDAY/NIEDZIELA \* March 10**  
Fourth Sunday of Lent - Year B

- 8:00 am + Stanley Selwach (10th Anniv) -- wife, Ellie  
8:00 am + Derek Roe, Jr. -- Liz Fusco  
10:00 am + Marion & Matthew Niznik -- Peter & Debbie  
Wyborski  
10:00 am + Margaret & Valentine Wyborski -- Peter & Debbie  
Wyborski  
10:00 am + Grandparents of the Swiech, Bach, and Purtell  
Families -- Don and Dolores Bach  
3:00 pm Gorzke Zale with Benediction

**MONDAY/PONIEDZILEK \* March 11**  
Lenten Weekday

- 8:00 am + Edward S. Przestrzelski, Jr. (Anniv) -- Aunt, Bonnie  
Przestrzelski

**TUESDAY/WTOREK \* March 12**  
Lenten Weekday

- 8:00 am + Evelyn Starczewski -- Edward Starczewski

**WEDNESDAY/SRODA \* March 13**  
Lenten Weekday

- 8:00 am + Melissa M. Loicano -- Joe & Barbara Minosh

**THURSDAY/CZWARTEK \* March 14**  
Lenten Weekday

- 8:00 am + For all the souls in Purgatory

**FRIDAY/PIATEK \* March 15**  
Lenten Weekday  
Day of Abstinence

- 8:00 am + For the deceased parishioners of Holy Trinity  
6:00 pm Stations of the Cross with Holy Communion,  
Benediction, and Veneration of the Relic of the True Cross

**SATURDAY/SOBOTA \* March 16**  
Lenten Weekday

- 8:00 am + The Gol and Wilkins Families -- The Gol Estate

**Vigil Mass for SUNDAY/NIEDZIELA \* March 17**  
Fifth Sunday of Lent - Year B

- 5:00 pm + Mary Swald (14th Anniv) -- Daughter, Patricia Aiken  
5:00 pm + John Kosakowski -- Barb Boulia

**SUNDAY/NIEDZIELA \* March 17**  
Fifth Sunday of Lent - Year B

- 8:00 am + Julius Kosakowski -- Barb Boulia  
8:00 am + Frances Kosakowski -- Barb Boulia  
10:00 am + Deceased members of the Lohr Family -- Denison  
Family  
10:00 am + Mary Kiersnowski (6th Anniv) -- Family  
10:00 am + Stefania Szymanska (Btdy) -- Grandchildren  
3:00 pm Gorzke Zale with Benediction

Have a mass offered for the Anniversary of Death of your  
Parents & Loved ones. Call the rectory and reserve  
the date. God Bless!

From the  
Pastor's Desk



This weekend we will begin Daylight Savings Time. While this may throw off our internal clocks, pushing an hour ahead, think of it as pushing our spiritual clocks ahead as well. As the days and sunlight gets longer, think of the increased brightness as symbolic of the brightness of the coming glory and salvation we will receive through Jesus's ultimate sacrifice for us as we approach Easter Sunday! It is God's way of foreshadowing the upcoming joy we will be receiving very soon!

It is my regret to inform you that Holy Trinity Church's 40 Hour Devotion is going to be postponed. Due to my surgery and some scheduling conflicts, these services are going to be rescheduled in a few weeks when I return to the Church and can resume normal duties. I appreciate your understanding, prayers, and support.

Gorzke Zale 3:00PM Sunday with Benediction  
Daily Mass at 8AM followed by Rosary. Jesus Invites all to come and Receive Him

Mon Miraculous Medal Novena during 8:00AM Mass

**6:00PM Evening Prayer with Deacon George Spohr is permanently cancelled**

Sacrament of Penance/Pokuta Sat 4PM

Stations of the Cross at 6:00PM St. Faustina Translation of the Stations in English with Holy Communion, Benediction and Veneration of the Relic of the True Cross.

**Remember every Catholic is Bound to ABSTAIN From Meat, from the age of 14 Until Death, on Fridays during Lent.**

PLEASE FILL OUT THE INSERT ASKING YOU TO VOLUNTEER AND HOUR OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND PLACE IT IN THE COLLECTION BASKET

Jesus who Died & Rose from the Dead for you is asking you to give of your Time Talent and Treasure to your Church. Please say Yes. LENT, THE SPRINGTIME OF THE CHURCH! What are you giving to advance the gospel? Would you give Jesus & your Holy Trinity Parish One Weekend a Month as a BINGO VOLUNTEER WORKER? Would you donate to OUR Food Pantry? Would you volunteer to help with one of our many upcoming events?

Would you Sacrifice 50 cents a Day for the 40 Days of Lent which will equal \$20.00 to Aid THE CHURCH IN NEED? This is a Catholic Organization that helps Christians in Lands where they are persecuted.

**SUN MARCH 10TH 4:00PM THE MOVIE THE PROPHET**  
*Life of Bl. Cardinal Wyszynski Place Marian Room Beneath the Church. All are welcome and invited to see this great Movie.*

**Got Reubens?**

*Please pre-order or come to Holy Trinity on March 16th from 2pm-6:30pm to get a Reuben sandwich, chips, and pickle for \$12. Proceeds go directly to Holy Trinity Church!*

Sincerely yours in Christ

*Rev. Canon John E. Mikalajunas*

**FINANCIAL BLESSINGS March 3, 2024**

We encourage all parishioners to use their weekly envelopes either by mailing your offerings, on-line giving or in Church. God Love You. Help us to meet our expenses as we strive to serve and save in these difficult times. Let us pray for each other. \$4000.00 per week needed to cover our expenses

March 3, 2024

Total Sunday Offering: \$3,776.00 (138 envelopes)

**OTHER CHURCH GIFTS:**

Pew Rent	15	\$53.00	Repairs & Imp.	16	\$153.00
Votives & Candles		103.00	Ukraine Marianists		59.65
Easter	2	7.00	Fuel	8	110.00
Ash Wednesday	1	5.00	Forty Hours	6	31.00
Catholic Relief	1	20.00	Easter Flowers	9	118.00
Church in E. Europe	1	10.00	BOCES Rent		8400.00

Please pray for the following priests who have served our parish:

- Rev. Thomas Szczerba (3/5)
- Rev. Arthur R. Hapanowicz (3/7)
- Rev. Thomas T. Palczynski (3/9)
- Rev. Msgr. Peter W. Gleba (3/9)
- Rev. Msgr. Joseph M. Kowalczyk (3/12)
- Rev. Stanley Gerlock (3/20)
- Rev. Msgr. Bernard A. Janczewski (3/25)
- Rev. Walter J. Babula (3/26)
- Rev. Msgr. Casimir J. Krzysiak (3/30)
- Rev. Msgr. Matthew C. Luczycki (3/30)



40 Hour Devotion is postponed until Fr. John returns. The new time and dates will be made available once it is rescheduled

Parish Council Meeting  
Wednesday, March 20th  
6:00 pm in the Parish Center

**Parish Reminders**

Holy Trinity Bingo this Saturday March 9th in our school gym. Come after 5pm Mass for a fun evening in support of your parish. Game begins at 6:15, be home around 9pm.

For the sick and shut-in, and for those parishioners in distant locations, Holy Trinity livestreams the 10am Sunday Mass on Facebook. The Mass is posted and available for worship and review any-time during the week.



**Parish Contacts**

- Dr. Paul Rafe Mickler, Office: 315-724-7238
- Stephen Zielinski, Music Director: 315-736-6955
- Ken Szczesniak, Parish Council Chairman: 315-749-8472
- Jim Jones, Director of Religious Ed.: 315-797-4551
- Mark Kantor, Trustee: 315-796-2123
- David Roback, Trustee: 315-735-4444
- Holy Trinity Cemetery: 315-475-4639
- Rectory office hours 9am - 3pm Mon-Weds or by appointment

**Altar Server Assignments**

- Saturday, March 16  
8:00 am: P. Zemanek
- Saturday, March 17  
5:00 pm: DeStefano Fam.
- Sunday, March 17  
8:00 am: Olejarnik Fam.  
10:00 am: Mroczek Fam.

**Lector Assignments**

- Saturday, March 16
- Saturday, March 17  
5:00 pm: C. Usyk
- Sunday, March 17  
8:00 am: P. Fairbrother  
10:00 am: J. Piersall/M. Zemanek



Calling all parishioners! The *Saint Michael Lancers of Holy Trinity Church* are looking for new members. The Lancers are the Honor Guard that steps out at various Church events throughout the year. The Lancers are an important spiritual part of Holy Trinity tradition and it would be an honor for YOU to join during this Lenten season! For more information, please see *Captain Henryk Widomski in Church*, call him at 315-732-2454, or email [stmichaelslancers@gmail.com](mailto:stmichaelslancers@gmail.com). Training and uniforms are available.

**HTC's St. Patrick's Day Reuben Sandwich Takeout Saturday March 16th, 2024 from 2PM-6:30PM**



\$12 - Large Reuben sandwich, Chips, and Pickle  
Pickup in the Marian Room  
3/16/2024 2pm-6:30pm  
Cash or checks will be accepted!

**\*\*Day of sale or Pre-order options available!\*\***

If you would like to pre-order, please contact Holy Trinity Rectory at (315) 724-7238 or by email [HolyTrinityUtica@syrdio.org](mailto:HolyTrinityUtica@syrdio.org)  
**If you would like to help volunteer on the day of the sale, please call the Rectory!**

**EASTER CHOIR REHEARSALS**

Every Friday at 6:45 PM following Stations of the Cross  
Make this your Lenten sacrifice and continue!

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH REGISTRATION FORM**

New Registration       Moving out of Parish  
 Change of Address       Change of Information  
 Name Change  
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