

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

Established 1914

201 Vosseller Avenue

Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

REV. LEON S. ANISZCZYK, PASTOR

Rev. John Stec, Parochial Vicar



SUNDAY MASSES: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Polish)

SATURDAY EVE: 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY Thru SATURDAY: 8:30 a.m.

NOVENAS WITH BENEDICTION:

Tuesday—after 8:30 a.m. Mass

HOLY DAYS: 9:00 a.m. and at 7:00 p.m. (English)

Vigil Mass: 7:00 p.m. (Polish)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE:

Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

BAPTISMS: Every third Sunday of the month at 12:00. Parents are expected to attend Pre-Baptismal Classes. Arrangements to be made at the Parish Office. **Only practicing Catholics may act as Godparents.**

MARRIAGES: Specific time is set for the celebration of marriage on Saturdays. The common Policy for all the Dioceses of New Jersey requires a period of preparation for the sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the parish priest and attendance at either the Pre-Cana conferences or the Engaged Encounter Weekend. Therefore, arrangements are to be made at least one year in advance and before any social plans are finalized.

FIRST PENANCE, FIRST EUCHARIST, CONFIRMATION:

Though immediate preparation is given to children before receiving these sacraments, it is expected that children receive a Christian education within their family life, through formal religious education classes, and by attending Sunday worship services.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Arrangements for Communion Calls to the sick at home may be made by calling the Parish Office.

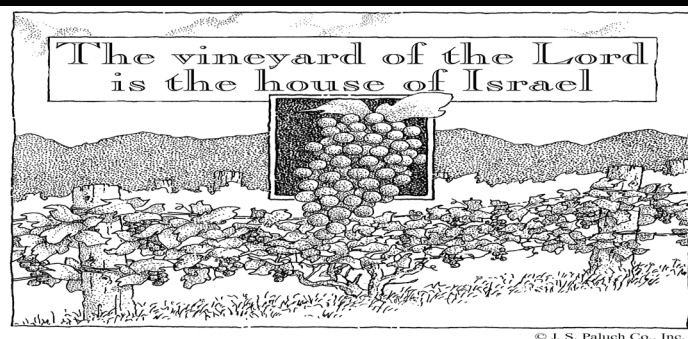
PARISH REGISTRATION: Our parish welcomes new members to our faith community. Catholic persons new to our area must complete a registration form and be interviewed by the pastor. Please call or stop by the Parish office to complete a registration form. We should also be notified if your address has changed or if you are leaving the parish..



Parish Office
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Rectory
732-384-5925



Twenty- Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 8, 2017

*Have no anxiety at all, but in everything,
by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving,
make your requests known to God. - Philippians 4:6*

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



MONDAY, October 9 St. John Leonardi

8:30 AM + Helen Sikora
r/o Chris Petroski

TUESDAY, October 10

8:30 AM + Fiorina Ballora
r/o Nicolo & Domenica Accreditato

WEDNESDAY, October 11 St. John XXIII

8:30 AM + Parishioners

THURSDAY, October 12

8:30 AM + Mary Berni
r/o Daughter Jean Fenske

FRIDAY, October 13

8:30 AM + Helen Sikora
r/o Yvonne Zemeikis

SATURDAY, October 14 St. Callistus

8:30 AM + Joseph Cunder
r/o Dominick, Joann & Cindy

5:00 PM + Domenica Primiano
r/o Daughter

SUNDAY, October 15

9:00AM + Holy Name Society
11:00 AM + Stanislaw Zugaj
r/o Daughter and Family

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading- The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.

Second Reading- God's peace will guard your hearts and minds.

Gospel- The kingdom of God will be given to those who will produce its fruit.

Reflecting on God's Word

God's relationship with people is at the heart of both the first reading and the Gospel, but there is a difference. In Isaiah, destruction comes to the vineyard; in the Gospel, it comes to those entrusted with the care of the vineyard.

Isaiah's song highlights the people's failure--the house of Israel and the people of Judah--to bear fruit, to provide the Lord who has lovingly tended this vineyard with anything more than wild grapes, that is, bloodshed and violence against each other. Because of this, the owner will turn his back on them, no longer giving care but letting it be trampled underfoot, no longer pruning or hoeing, but allowing thorns and briars to take over. This song is demanding conversion.

In Jesus' parable, the focus is on those entrusted with the care of the vineyard. Jesus addresses the chief priests and the elders in Jerusalem, not only criticizing their failure to care for the people adequately, but also their rejection of those God sent to call them to conversion. The parable calls all religious leaders to remember that authority is for service.

Bearing fruit in our lives, being true and honorable, just and pure, lovely and gracious is the fruit God desires from all, as Paul reminds the Philippians. God's people, but especially their leaders, have a responsibility to bear fruit. No one is let off the hook. God expects a return for love so lavishly given.

Banns of Marriage

First Call:

Jacklyn Kurkowski - St. Mary's

Daniel Roszkowski -

PARISHIONER PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Bernadine Hnasko, Sonia Karney, Jim Kilcoyne, Stephanie Lazarczyk, Anthony Lazarczyk, Adeline Melesurgo, Donna Rabke, Jennie Yombrick.

HOMEBOUND: Walter Figel, Richard Freligh, DeMonte & Rose Guido, Catherine McLaughlin, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Debbie Vance, Marge Zuchowski.

NOTE: Please call the Parish Office (732) 356-0358 with the names of homebound, nursing home / assisted living or hospitalized parishioners. Please also notify the Parish Office when the status of a parishioner changes.

GOD'S GIFT FOR GIVING

This past weekend, our Generous Stewards of St. Mary's Parish Contributed:

Saturday, 5:00 pm \$1075.00

Sunday, 9:00 am \$1390.00

Sunday, 11:00 am \$ 686.00

Total \$ 3151.00

HOLY SAVIOR ACADEMY'S FIRST ANNUAL DESIGNER BAG BINGO!

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2017 @ 6:30pm

HOLY SAVIOR ACADEMY

149 SOUTH PLAINFIELD AVENUE,
SOUTH PLAINFIELD

10 BINGO GAMES! TRICKY TRAY! 50/50!

BYOB AND FOOD!

TICKETS: \$20 PER PERSON – checks payable to Holy Savior Academy

RESERVATIONS ACCEPTED FOR PARTIES OF 10 OR MORE

CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED NIGHT OF EVENT
TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE SCHOOL
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8AM - 2:30PM

PH: 908-822-5890

18+ EVENT; FACILITY IS NOT WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR ANY QUESTIONS

CONTACT: trickytrayhsa@gmail.com

"Just for today, be kind, cheerful, agreeable, responsive, caring and understanding. Be your best, dress your best, talk softly, look for the bright side of things. Praise people for what they do and don't criticize them for what they cannot do. If someone does something stupid, forgive and forget. After all, it's just for one day. Who knows, it might turn out to be a nice today."

Weekend Schedule - October 14-15, 2017

Saturday, October 14

5:00 pm Lector
Eucharistic Ministers

Joe Pizzo
Martha Ptaszynski*
Anthony Provenzano
Ed Hagan

Sunday, October 15

9:00 am Lector
Eucharistic Ministers

Diane Urbielewicz
Jim DeMaio*
Charles Ilsley
John Todaro

11:00 am Lector
Eucharistic Minister

Joanna Maciorowski
Mark Litwinko

16th Annual Blue Mass for Law Enforcement

Thursday, October 12, 2017

10:30 AM

Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen

Bishop James F. Checchio cordially invites ALL the faithful in the Diocese to join him at the annual Blue Mass to pray for and with police officers and law enforcement personnel from the communities and towns from across the diocese.



AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

St. Bernadette Church in Parlin is looking for a volunteer sign language interpreter to work one on one with a 1st grade CCD student. If you are able to volunteer or know of someone who can, please contact Lorna Francis in the Religious Education Office, 732-727-4343.

St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church

will sponsor the Slavic Dinner on

Wednesday, October 11, 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM.

The dinner will be held in the St. Mary Parish Center, 1900 Brooks Boulevard, Hillsborough, NJ. The cost is \$15.00 for adults (ages 9 and up) and \$5.00 for Children (8 and under) and includes all you can eat Pirogi, Stuffed Cabbage, Kielbasa and Sauerkraut, Mashed Potatoes, salad, dessert and beverage.

~ Blessed are they who place themselves
in the hands of Jesus.
He will place himself in their hands ~



All are invited to attend a Prayer Service for the "Share the Journey" Global Migration Campaign on Oct. 10 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish's Holy Trinity Church, 315 Lawrie Street, Perth Amboy, NJ 08861.

During the Church's worldwide Week of Prayer and Action October 7-13, members of our local Church will gather with our migrant brothers and sisters and our DACA youth in prayer and solidarity. #ShareJourney

For information, e-mail mostholynameofjesus@gmail.com or visit <http://mostholynameofjesus.org>.

Calling all St. Francis fans and all Music lovers

– Join in prayer on **Sunday, October 15 at 7:30 pm** at **St. Joseph Parish, 34 Yorktown Road, Hillsborough** for the diocesan festival choir's Taizé prayer. Not familiar with Taizé?

It's a wonderful back-and-forth chant way of praying and singing. The music reflects themes found in Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato si'*: On Care For Our Common Home. Fr. Hank Hilton will be giving a brief reflection on the encyclical.

For more information contact Candace Piemonte at the Diocesan Office of Worship at 732-765-6438 or cpiemonte@diometuchen.org.

The Office of Family Life is offering a half day workshop to train facilitators to run a 12 week, DVD based support program, "SURVIVING DIVORCE". It is easy. All you need is the inspiration of the Holy Spirit and a willingness to help.

Saturday, November 4, 2017

8:30AM to 1:00 PM

Saint John Neumann Pastoral Center

146 Metlars Lane Piscataway, NJ

Cost is \$35 per person

(Includes breakfast and materials)

For more information and to register, please contact RO BERSCH at (908) 313-5947

The 16th Annual Critical Life Issues Conference

The Diocese of Metuchen in collaboration with the Archdiocese of Newark will be sponsoring the conference on Saturday, October 14, 2017.

Expert speakers will address a variety of life issues including: "Abortion and the Art of Communicating Truth," "Evangelization and Building a Culture of Life," "Breathing Underwater – A Caregiver's Journey of Hope" and "Organ Donation – The Gift of Life in the Midst of Sorrow".

The speakers will give practical information as well as thought-provoking testimony of real life experiences.

The Conference will also feature exhibits of products and services which pertain to some of these issues.

It will be held at the St. John Neumann Conference Center, Piscataway from 8:30 am – 3:30 pm.

Registration is \$25.00. This fee includes lunch and handouts.

To register please visit <http://diometuchen.org/critical-life> or call 732-562-1990 ext. 1629 or 1543.

Please pray for the souls of
Eleanor Mary Chubrick

Stasia Pavan
May their souls and the souls
of all the departed,

through the mercy of God,

REST IN PEACE

Take my hand and walk along with me, not ahead of me; otherwise I may not follow you.

-Anonymous

ST. MARY OF CZESTOCHOWA PARISH
BOUND BROOK, NJ
FINANCIAL REPORT
JULY 1, 2016 – JUNE 30, 2017

ORDINARY RECEIPTS

Weekend collections	\$170,338
Christmas	31,415
Easter	9,946
Utilities	5,254
Holy days	3,869
Baptisms & funerals	5,300
Votive lights & candles	7,339
Flowers	4,990
Donations	<u>4,000</u>

TOTAL ORDINARY RECEIPTS **\$242,451**

OTHER RECEIPTS

Interest income – banks	140
Interest income – diocese	57,965
Religious education	792
Bulletin royalty	3,000
Special collections	21,279
Bequests	<u>20,158</u>

TOTAL OTHER RECEIPTS **\$ 103,334**

TOTAL **\$345,785**

ORDINARY EXPENSES

Salary – clergy	\$ 59,184
Salary – lay	62,783
Employee benefits	51,470
Household	29,551
Office administration	13,096
Ordinary repairs & maintenance	27,239
Utilities	19,168
Liturgy & worship	6,994
Flowers	2,368
Insurance	17,524
Other ministries	<u>4,834</u>

TOTAL ORDINARY EXPENSES **\$294,211**

OTHER EXPENSES

Special collections	21,279
School subsidy	8,800
Religious education	792
Diocesan assessments	<u>23,300</u>

TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES **\$ 54,171**

TOTAL **\$348,382**

INFORMATION SHEET

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