

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

Established 1914

201 Vosseller Avenue

Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

REV. JOHN STEC, ADMINISTRATOR



SATURDAY EVE: 5:00 p.m. (English)
SUNDAY MASSES: 9:00 a.m. (English)
11:00 a.m. (Polish)

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION:

Vigil Mass: 7:00 p.m. (English)
Holy Day: 9:00 a.m. (English)
7:00 p.m. (Polish)

WEEKDAY MASSES - 8:30 a.m. (English)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 8:00 - 8:30 a.m.; 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

DEVOTIONS:

HOLY ROSARY: Monday - Saturday, 8:00 a.m.
CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: Mon. - Sat., 9:00 a.m.
NOVENAS (To Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, St. Joseph and St. Jude Thaddeus) WITH BENEDICTION:
Tuesday after 8:30 a.m. Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

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.

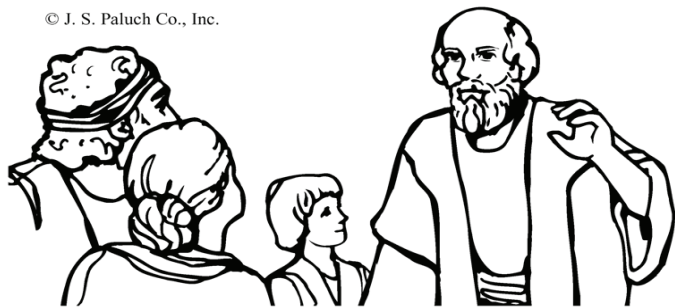
PARISH REGISTRATION: Our parish welcomes new members to our faith community. Catholic persons new to our area must complete a registration form and be interviewed by the pastor. Please call or stop by the Parish office to complete a registration form. We should also be notified if your address has changed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



Parish Office
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Website: www.stmarys-boundbrook.com
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732-384-5925



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 7

8:30AM +Samuel Chiaravalli
5:00PM +Antonetta Romano
r/o Sister Vittoria DiRe

SUNDAY, JULY 8

9:00AM Deceased Member of St. Mary's
Altar Rosary Society
11:00AM +Zdzislaw Formus
r/o Frank and Regina Grodzki

MONDAY, JULY 9 - St. Augustine Zhao Rong,

Priest, Companions, Martyrs
8:30AM In Thanksgiving to God for 40
years of work at AT&T
r/o Madeline Deleski

TUESDAY, JULY 10

8:30AM +Carolyn Marie Donnelly
r/o Babci & Godmother

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11 - St. Benedict, Abbot

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, JULY 12

8:30AM +Joseph Yefchak
r/o Family

FRIDAY, JULY 13 - St. Henry

8:30AM +Jerzy Formus
r/o Frank and Regina

SATURDAY, July 14 - St. Kateri Tekakwitha,

Virgin
8:30AM +Marcia Morand
r/o DiBiase Family
5:00PM +Carmella Ciminelli
r/o Husband Antonio

SUNDAY, JULY 15

9:00AM Deceased Members of St. Mary's
Holy Name Society
11:00AM +Karina Kucharski
r/o Parents & Siblings

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ***July 8, 2018***

*I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses, in order
that the power of Christ may dwell with me.*
— 2 Corinthians 12:9

First Reading - They shall know that a prophet has
been among them.

Second Reading - I am content with weaknesses and
hardships for the sake of Christ.

Gospel - The people said: "Where did this man get
all this? Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary?"

ONLY A CARPENTER

"Where did he get all this wisdom?" "Isn't he the carpenter--Mary's son?" Jesus was definitely a small-town boy. Nazareth at the time was more like a village, with probably no more than a few hundred residents. Everyone knew him and his whole family, even all the cousins and second cousins. He was the village carpenter. So in today's Gospel, when Jesus spoke up in the synagogue, the neighbors "took offense at him." In Jesus' world, there was no such thing as upward mobility. You could work harder and become better off, but once a carpenter always a carpenter. It shook all the neighbors up to hear Jesus read the scriptures and preach with authority at Sabbath services. How dare he? Jesus did not press them any harder. Mark tells us Jesus "was amazed at their lack of faith." He quietly healed a few people and moved on with his disciples. We can learn important things here from Jesus' example. We cannot force belief on other people, or insist they accept what we know to be true. Not everyone is ready to hear. For those parents whose grown children have drifted away from the Church, there is the temptation to pressure them to come back. Sadly, this may increase the distance and cause arguments. The other side of the coin, however, is that some people are just waiting to be asked. True stories abound of men or women who attend Mass for years with a Catholic spouse and children, yet never take that final step into the community until someone--and it could be you--asks, "Would you like to join the Church?"

Pope's Intention for Evangelization:

Priests and their Pastoral Ministry. That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Helen Chudy, Bernadine Hnasko, Jim Kilcoyne, Stephanie Lazarczyk, Anthony Lazarczyk, Adeline Melesurgo.

HOMEBOUND: Mary Casey, Walter Figel, Richard Freligh, Rose and DeMonte Guido, Catherine McLaughlin, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Debbie Vance.

NOTE: Please call the Parish Office (732) 356-0358 with the names of homebound, nursing home /assisted living or hospitalized parishioners.

Due to an early deadline, the Collection Report
Will be printed next week~

First Saturday, July 7

"You at Least Try to Console Me."

World Apostolate of Fatima, Blue Army Shrine,

674 Mt. View Rd East., Asbury, NJ 08802, invites all. Honor Our Lady's plea of Dec. 10, 1925 requesting Five Consecutive First Saturdays of Reparation. Confessions 10:00 am; Rosary w/15 minute meditation 11:30 am; HolyMass 12:00 N. Celebrant Rev. Matthew Mauriello; Enrollment in the Brown Scapular, Confessions 1:00 pm; Holy House: Fatima Video &Talk on Last Vision of Fatima 2:00 pm; Divine Mercy Chaplet 3:00 pm.

Weekend Schedule - July 7-8, 2018

Saturday, July 7

5:00 pm Lector
ExM of The Eucharist

Madeline Deleski
Walt Urbielewicz*
Martha Ptaszynski
Anthony Provenzano

Sunday, July 8

9:00 am Lector
ExM of The Eucharist

Florence Veglatte
Frank Kolodzieski*
John Todaro
Karen Graebener
Jolanta Gnap
Anna Grochocki

11:00 am Lector
ExM of The Eucharist

Stress in Your Marriage!

Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down? Have you thought about separation or divorce?



...Retrouvaille is a Lifeline to Help Couples Heal and Renew their Marriages. The program consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions.

UPCOMING WEEKEND: August 24-26, 2018

More information calling the Family Life Office at 732-243-4573

TO REGISTER: Call Rich & Annette Colasuonno 732-236-0671

or email 3024@retrouvaille.org

SAINTS FUN FACTS

by mario d. macari

BLESSED KATERI TEKAKWITHA, A YOUNG MOHAWK INDIAN WOMAN, WOULD CIRCLE A CORNFIELD WHILE PRAYING THE "HAIL MARY" IN HER NATIVE TONGUE DURING THE BITTERLY COLD WINTER OF 1679.

AS A YOUNG GIRL, SHE HAD LEARNED THE PRAYER FROM HER MOTHER BEFORE BEING ORPHANED, SCARRED AND NEARLY BLINDED BY A SMALL POX EPIDEMIC. SHE WAS THEN RAISED BY HER UNCLE, THE TRIBE'S CHIEF WHO RESENTFULLY OPPOSED HER FLEDGING CHRISTIANITY. SHE WAS BAPTIZED AGAINST HIS WISHES, REFUSED TO MARRY AND WAS PERSECUTED BY HER TRIBE.

YET, THROUGH IT ALL, SHE CONTINUED TO OFFER HER EFFORTS TO OUR LORD AS PENANCE.



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Diocese of Metuchen Office of Adult Faith Formation will present

Rejoice and Be Glad

Gaudete et Exsultate

July 10, 17, 24, 31 7 to 8:30 p.m.

St. John Neumann Pastoral Center

146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway, NJ

Father Gregory Uhrig will review and discuss Pope Francis' new Apostolic Exhortation entitled "Gaudete et Exsultate" Rejoice and Be Glad. Each session will cover a different topic. This publication is easy to read and practical on how to grow spiritually in our busy lives. The cost is \$5 for the discussion booklet. All are welcome. To register, call Father Uhrig, (732) 529-7933 or email guhrig@diometuchen.org

"America, your very future as a nation depends on your willingness to protect the Right to Life of the most defenseless in your society."

— St. John Paul II

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