

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..



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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

St. Frances of Rome, Religious

8:30AM +Vittoria DiRe

r/o Theresa Rudnicki-Jones

5:00PM +William & Dottie Vesce

r/o Brenda & Vincent Vesce

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT, MARCH 10

9:00AM Deceased Members of St. Mary's
Altar Rosary Society

11:00AM +Bozena Kasprzak

r/o Dorota & Adam Sokolnicki

MONDAY, MARCH 11

8:30AM +Edmund & Jadwiga Brzuskiwicz

r/o Daughter & Family

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

8:30AM +Grace Kolodnicki r/o Sister Theresa

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

8:30AM +Dominick DiRe r/o Wife Vittoria

FRIDAY, MARCH 15

8:30AM +Edmund Kuchnicki Sr.

r/o Sister-In-Law Ann

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

8:30AM +Veronica Lexi Hector r/o Babcie

5:00PM +Raffi Caruso

r/o Angela & Carmen DeCicco

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, MARCH 17

9:00AM Deceased Members of St. Mary's
Holy Name Society

11:00AM +Stanislaw Krawiec

r/o Brother



Stations of the Cross

every Friday during Lent

12 noon in English

7 pm in Polish

Gorzkie Zale (Bitter Lamentations)

every Sunday during Lent

after the 11 am Polish Mass.

The First Sunday of Lent March 10, 2019

*"You shall worship the Lord, your God,
And him alone shall you serve."*

First Reading - God brought us into this land
flowing with milk and honey.

Second Reading - The word is near you, in your
mouth and in your heart.

Gospel - Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus was led
into the desert for forty days.

Reflection

Trust or faith in God is at the heart of all of today's readings, as it is every Sunday. This week, as Lent begins, the readings call our attention to two different facets of our faith. First, they remind us that life constantly tests our faith as individuals and as God's people. Second, they assure us that no matter the test life throws our way, we can continue to trust, to have faith in God, because God is faithful. God will not lose faith in us. God will support us and see us through. In our need to trust constantly and consistently in God, we are no different from the ancient Israelites of the first reading or the fledgling Roman Church of the second reading. It is against that background that the Christians of Luke's time heard the Gospel story of Jesus overcoming temptation and passing the test of trust.

The common reality in all this is the Word of God that nourishes and sustains our faith. Even though faith is God's gift to us, it isn't really ours until we live it, allow it to be tested, and then invite God into our lives to support and strengthen our faith. That's why we can say that the process of testing purifies or refines faith. At the same time we discover that God is a God we can trust, and who is more than worthy of such trust. Our guarantee is the presence of the Holy Spirit in each of us, in the Church: the same Spirit who led Jesus through the desert now leads us.

Pope's Universal Intention: Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities

That Christian Communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.



Our Lady of Guadalupe Visits our families

Please invite the picture of Our Lady of Guadalupe into your home for a one week visit. To sign up, please call Theresa Rudnicki-Jones at 908-526-7687.

The Kosinski & Veglatte Families
will be the host family for the week of
March 10, 2019.

May God bless these families for their participation in this blessed event.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Helen Chudy, Eugenia DiGiovanni, Jim Kilcoyne, Stephanie Lazarczyk, Bea Mastrull.

HOMEBOUND: Walter Figel, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Marie Haberin, Helen Kielbasa, Jean and Ed Kowalenko, Ann Pchola, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Debbie Vance, Vivienne Zanesky.

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

GOD'S GIFT FOR GIVING

5:00 pm - \$ 674.00	11:00 am - \$ 812.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,574.00	Mail - \$ 120.00
Total - \$ 3,180.00	

Please pray for the soul of
Anthony Lazarczyk

May his soul and the souls of
all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God,
Rest in Peace. Amen



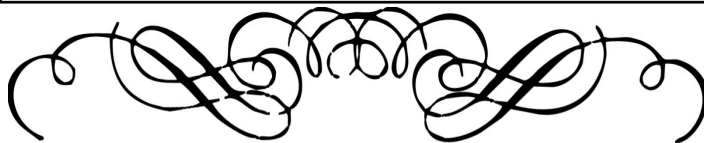
Weekend Schedule - March 9-10, 2019

Saturday, March 9

5:00 pm Lector Evelyn Dziedzic
ExM of The Eucharist Jim DeMaio

Sunday, March 10

9:00 am Lector Florence Veglatte
ExM of The Eucharist Frank Kolodzieski
11:00 am Lector Joanna Maciorowski
ExM of The Eucharist Anna Grochocki



Congratulations and Best Wishes

Roman Gworek and Barbara Andrejko

Married

Saturday, February 23, 2019

*The Church of St. Ann in Osetnica
The Diocese of Legnica, Poland*



St. Mary's Holy Name Society will attend
9 am Mass next Sunday, March 17, followed by
their meeting in the meeting room.

2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal *Help Build a Civilization of Love*

By now you have received a letter from Bishop Checchio inviting your participation in the 2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal. The diocesan ministries supported by the Appeal directly impact many of the parishioners here in St. Mary's. Your gift provides formation opportunities for our catechists, youth and young adults. Among other important ministries, your sacrificial gift supports our renewed efforts in Evangelization and Communication. If you have yet to make your pledge to this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal, you will have the opportunity to do so next weekend, March 16-17, which has been designated as **Bishop's Annual Appeal In-Pew Weekend**.

Please prayerfully consider a gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal to help our parish reach our goal, 50% of the amount collected over goal will be returned to us in the form of a parish rebate. Just as important as our financial goal is our goal of reaching 100% participation. Every gift, no matter the size, is important and greatly appreciated.

To date, the Development Office has received pledges totaling \$ 5,705.00 and payments totaling \$ 4,230.00 from 38 parishioners.

This represents 17.3% of your \$ 33,000.00 goal.
Thank you for your efforts.

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