

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.

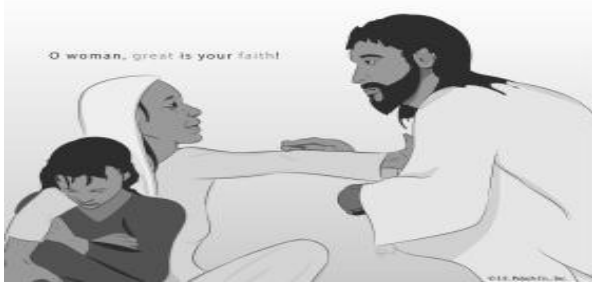
PARISH REGISTRATION: Our parish welcomes new members to our faith community. Catholic persons new to our area must complete a registration form and be interviewed by the pastor. Please call or stop by the Parish office to complete a registration form. We should also be notified if your address has changed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



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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 16, 2020

*Observe what is right, do what is just;
for my salvation is about to come,
my justice, about to be revealed.
— Isaiah 56:1*

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

- 9:00AM +Marian Wasilewski
r/o Sister Anna & Brother Stanislaw
11:00AM +Marian Bogdanowicz
r/o Malgorzata & Mirosław
5:00PM God's Blessings for Damien
Bustamante r/o Dina Allcaco

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

- 9:00AM Deceased Members of St. Mary's
Holy Name Society
11:00AM +Marian and Maria Karpinski
r/o Jolanta Gnap and Family

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

- 8:30AM +Stanislaw Krawiec r/o Brother

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

- 8:30AM +Eric Graebener r/o Wanda Czarcinski

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

St. John Eudes, Priest

- 8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20 - St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

- 8:30AM +Ann Sikora r/o Evelyn Grossman

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21 - St. Pius X, Pope

- 8:30AM +Giovanni Colalillo
r/o Tony & Myrna Carusi

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22 - THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

- 8:30AM +Mary Ellen Thompson
r/o Randy and Ann Knob
5:00PM +Vincent Anthony Vesce
r/o Brenda and Vince

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

- 9:00AM Jim, Mary and Dennis Kilcoyne
r/o Lottie Yefchak
11:00AM God's Blessings for Lukasz and Anna
Roszkowski on their Third Wedding
Anniversary

First Reading - Thus says the Lord: "Stand firm in justice; do what is right".

Second Reading - The gifts and the calling of God are unable to be revoked.

Gospel - Recognizing the Canaanite woman's great faith, Jesus told her, "It shall be done as you wish."

INSIDE OR OUTSIDE?

In today's Gospel the Canaanite woman persists in pleading with Jesus to heal her child. Jesus himself had been focusing his mission only on the Jewish people. Confronted by a Canaanite woman, he seems baffled, but he cannot ignore her. Jesus says that her faith is equal to that of any of the Jews and rewards her by healing her daughter. Matthew wrote his Gospel for a community of Jewish Christians who saw Jesus as the longed-promised Messiah for the Jews. They saw the Christian faith attracting people of other races and religions and must have struggled to make this fit with their image of a Messiah destined to save Israel. The story of Jesus and the Canaanite woman offers them a clue. Jesus is challenged to heal "the outsider," and his initial reluctance gives way in the face of her outstanding faith. The new Jewish Christian community saw that God plants faith in "outsiders" and that faith, not background, opens the doors into the Kingdom.

"Every person — the born and unborn, the poor, the downcast, the disabled, the infirm, and the elderly — has inherent value."

President Donald Trump

Pope's Universal Intention:

The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

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.

Regina and Frank Grodzki
will be the host family for the week of
August 16
As they celebrate their 53rd Wedding Anniversary

Sign-up is available so all parishioners will have the opportunity to have Our Lady of Guadalupe visit their homes.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Joanne Felegi, Deborah Vance.

HOMEBOUND: Tony Cimino, Patricia D'Allesandro, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Helen Kielbasa, Theresa Kosinski, Jean Kowalenko, Pat Musolino, Vinnie Papa, Millie Della Peruta, Ann Pchola, Mollie Rodomski, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Lottie Yefchak.

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

COLLECTION

Weekend of August 9, 2020

5:00 pm - \$ 346.00	11:00 am - \$ 490.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,240.00	Mail - \$ 660.00
Total - \$ 3,076.00	

As of August 10, the Development Office has received **pledges totaling \$ 24,708.95** and **payments totaling \$ 24,708.95** from **113 parishioners**. This represents **74.9%** of your \$ 33,000.00 goal.

We are still **under** our goal. If you have not made a pledge to this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal, we pray that you find in your heart to help St. Mary's reach our goal. Thank you for your efforts

Weekend Lector Schedule- August 15/16, 2020

Saturday, August 15

5:00 pm Lector

Stephanie DePass

Sunday, August 16

9:00 am Lector

Barbara Mendel

11:00 am Lector

Jolanta Gnap

**DEMAND A COVID-19 VACCINE
FREE FROM ABORTION**

There is absolutely no reason why a vaccine for COVID-19 should be connected to abortion. But that is exactly what may happen in the coming months. Among the dozens of vaccines currently in development, some are being produced using old cell lines that were created from the cells of aborted babies. Other cell lines or processes that do not involve cells from abortions are available! In fact, they are regularly used for producing vaccines and are being used by some drug companies to develop a COVID-19 vaccine. The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) along with leaders of many healthcare, bioethics, and pro-life organizations, is urging the Trump Administration to make sure that vaccines for COVID-19 are developed ethically and are free from any connection to the exploitation of abortion.

QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



On the 11th Of October 1954, Pope Pius XII established the Feast of the Queenship of Mary to be celebrated throughout the world, and commanded that on that day each year, the world should renew its consecration to her. In the future the Feast came to be celebrated on 22nd of August.

"The purpose of the Feast is that all may recognize more clearly and venerate more devoutly the merciful and motherly sovereignty of her who bore God in her womb" (Ven. Pius XII, Ad. Coeli Regina).

On the day of her Assumption, Mary our Mother was solemnly crowned by Christ and received by the whole court of Heaven as Queen. What Christ has done in Heaven and the Church has done on our behalf we should now do individually, that is, we should recognize Mary's Queenship, enthrone her in our homes, consecrate ourselves to her and, by this means, establish in our lives the reign of Mary Immaculate Queen of the Universe.

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