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.

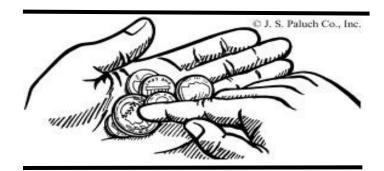
PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Arrangements for Communion Calls to the sick at home may be made by calling the Parish Office.

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 Ph: 732-356-0358 Fax: 732-356-5348 Website: www.stmarys-boundbrook.com e-mail: stmarybb1@verizon.net

Rectory 732-384-5925



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17 - St. Ignatius of

Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

8:30AM +Stanislaw Zugaj

r/o Daughter and Family

+Gertrude Holly r/o Frank Kolodzieski 5:00PM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18

Living and Deceased Members of 9:00AM

St. Mary's Holy Name Society

11:00AM +Olga & Miron Szustakowski

r/o Jolanta Gnap & Family

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19 - Sts. John de Brebeuf

and Isaac Jogues, Priests and Companions, Martyrs

8:30AM +Jan & Kazimierz Kruszewski

r/o Jan & Bozena Owsieniuk

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20 - St. Paul of the Cross,

Priest

8:30AM +Antonina Troia r/o Sister Maria

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21

For Our Parishioners 8:30AM

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22 - St. John Paul II,

Pope

8:30AM +Julie Lusczek

r/o Rosary Society - Group 5

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23 - St. John of Capistrano,

Priest

8:30AM +Franciszek Zawrotny

r/o Daughter Theresa

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24 - St. Anthony Mary

Claret, Bishop

+Rev. Karol Swietek 8:30AM

r/o Nephew Fr. John

5:00PM +Joan Gleason r/o Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25

9:00AM +Lulu Hobayan r/o Brenda & Vince

11:00AM Anniversary Blessings for

Mark & Dianne Litwinko

r/o Family

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 18, 2020

"Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar, and to God what belongs to God." — *Matthew 22:21*

First Reading - The LORD said to Cyrus, his anointed, "I am the LORD, there is no other".

Second Reading - Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy to the Church of the Thessalonians: We thank God always for all of you.

Gospel - Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's.

Reflection

Separation of church and state can get messy. Our coins have imprints of great leaders, but the lettering reminds us that it is "In God we trust." The Pharisees thought singularly about taxes, but when we look at our coin, isn't it evident that we see God in all facets of our lives, especially the governing of God's people? As it was in the days of Caesar, God is the ruler over all people; and if authority were not given by God, rulers of any era would have no power.

Things were not perfect for the settlers of our country; but the basis of any government should be the well-being of the nation's people. God is concerned for our wellbeing, too. When we see a conflict in what political leaders strive to do and what we know God wants us to do, we must follow the higher power. This creates conflict within and possibly between ourselves and those with whom we associate, but it is the conflict that calls us to action.



Please pray for the soul of Regina Spioch



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

Pope's Universal Intention:

The Laity's Mission in the Church

That by the virtue of Baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

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.

Frank Kolodzieski Will be the host family for the week of October 18, 2020

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, Theresa Kosinski, Jean Kowalenko, Pat Musolino, Vinnie Papa, Millie Della Peruta, Ann Pchola, 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 October 10-11, 2020

5:00 pm -	\$ 303.00	11:00 am -	\$ 782.00
9:00 am -	\$ 1,354.00	Mail -	\$ 743.00

Total - \$3,182.00

40 Hours Flowers \$ 486.00

WANTED -

We need volunteers to count the Sunday Colletions in our parish. We are looking for parishioners to help in the Counting Room ONE Sunday a month for approximately 4 hours. The basic job is to count the money collected from the weekend Masses. **Please contact Fr. John**

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is World Mission Sunday. The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith provides religious and lay leaders wo offer the Lord's mercy and help to the most vulnerable in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity. Lector Schedule - October 17 -18, 2020

Saturday, October 17

5:00 pm Lector Joe Pizzo

Sunday, October 18

9:00 am Lector Barbara Mendel

11:00 am Lector Joanna Maciorowski

Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Rev. James W. McLaughlin.** He was ordained on May 25, 1996. His first assignment was as Parochial Vicar at St. Ambrose, Old Bridge. He also served as Parochial Vicar at St. Cecilia, Monmouth Junction, and St. Peter the Apostle in New Brunswick. He was the Administrator at St. Matthew's in Edison and served there from 2002 to 2009.

We pray to recognize what it means to be a good citizen, giving to our country what is needed for the support of the common good. We pray to discern wisely when loyalty to Christ and the building up of the kingdom of God may call for a response that challenges what civil authorities propose.

~Vote responsibly ~

Immaculata High School -Fall Admissions

Fall is typically the time for 7th and 8th grade students and their families to visit the high schools they are considering. And while we are looking forward to personally welcoming you to Immaculata High School as soon as we are able, for now, we are reimagining our traditional in-person Fall Open Home into a virtual event so that we can bring the Spartan experience to you. Beginning with our Open Home Week Kick-off Event on Sunday, October 25 and continuing with sessions focusing on Academics, Athletics, Arts, and Campus Ministry throughout the week, you won't want to miss a moment! For more information, visit:

Holy Savior Academy Request for Board Members

Holy Savior Academy has requested that each parish in our Middlebrook Deanery have one person volunteer to be on the board of the school. The requirements are to attend school board meetings (a minimum of 5 per year), to serve on a committee (finance, advancement, marketing, enrollment, buildings and grounds, and planning), and not a parent of a child in Holy Savior Academy.

Any and all queries should be addressed to Sharon Strack at sastrack@aol.com or call her at 732-752-4979.

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