



Season of
RENEWAL

DECEMBER 6-13, 2020

*Celebrating the First Anniversary
of our Diocesan Consecration
to Jesus through Our Lady of Guadalupe*

**MONDAY
DECEMBER 7**

*Lectio Divina
The Annunciation
of Our Lord
11:00 AM*

**WEDNESDAY
DECEMBER 9**

*Rosary for Youth &
School Children
10:00 AM*

**THURSDAY
DECEMBER 10**

*Virtual Holy Hour
"Mary's Message on
Evangelization"
From the Catholic Center
at Rutgers University
at 7:00 PM*

**FRIDAY
DECEMBER 11**

*Roundtable Discussion
Our Lady of Guadalupe
& Immigration
at 10:00 AM*

*Virtual Renewal
Prayer Service
with Bishop Checchio
at 5:00 PM*

**SUNDAY
DECEMBER 13**

*Parish Renewal
of Consecration
at every Mass*

**Full Schedule
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Second Sunday of Advent December 6, 2020

*Every valley shall be filled in,
every mountain and hill shall be made low.
— Isaiah 40:4*

MASS INTENTIONS

FIRST SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5

8:30AM +James Kosek r/o Son & Wife

5:00PM +Anthony Kruzel
r/o Daughter Dawn Green

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT, DEC. 6

9:00AM +Sophia Singura r/o Son

11:00AM +Waclaw Kobylinski
r/o Son Ziggy

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7

St. Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:30AM +Matthew Bar r/o Family

7:00PM +Jason Egler r/o Dawn Lanner

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9:00AM +Peter Zemeikis r/o Wife Yvonne

7:00 PM +Bozena Kasprzak
r/o Adam & Dorota Sokolnicki

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9

St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10

8:30AM +Urszula & Henryk Cykowski
r/o Henryk & Wieslawa Roszkowski

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11 - St. Damascus I, Pope

8:30AM +Francis D. Avella r/o Marion Ross

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

8:30AM +Halina Pajkowski
r/o Dorota & Adam Sokolnicki

5:00PM +Thomas J. Short
r/o Rosanne, Bea and Family

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT, DEC. 13

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

11:00AM +Jadwiga Polycarp Kornacki
r/o Krzysztof and Krystyna

First Reading - The rugged land shall be made a plain; the rough country, a broad valley.

Second Reading - Conduct yourselves in holiness, hastening the coming of the day of God.

Gospel - I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.

ARE YOU READY?

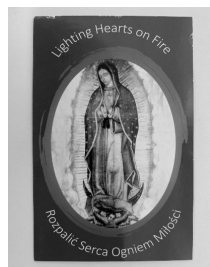
In the Gospel of Mark there are no descriptions of Jesus' noble ancestry or of Mary's pregnancy or the birth in Bethlehem. There are no accounts of shepherds and wise men, wicked Herod or the journey into Egypt. The whole Gospel is summed up in the words of the very first sentence: "The beginning of the Gospel of Jesus Christ the Son of God" (Mark 1:1). The word gospel means "good news," and Mark brings a particular urgency to the message. The name Jesus is a version of the Hebrew name Joshua--"the Lord saves"--and Christ is the Greek version of the Hebrew title Messiah, meaning "anointed one." Anointing was a sacred act usually conferred on kings. So here, in just one sentence, we are given good news: God is here to save the people through this anointed one, descendent of kings and a King himself. Jesus' arrival is announced by his cousin John, who is the "voice . . . crying out in the desert" (Mark 1:3) also mentioned by the prophet Isaiah. Perhaps John the Baptist's own disciples are trying to convince John that he is the promised one, but John knows otherwise. He is not the Messiah; his task is to prepare the way. He is to baptize with water for the forgiveness of sins, but the one who is to come will give his life for the forgiveness of sins and will baptize his followers with the Holy Spirit. Are we ready to receive him? To receive him means being in the state of grace and doing his will.

Pope's Universal Intention:

For a life of prayer.

That our personal relationship with Jesus Christ be nourished by the Word of God and a life of prayer.

**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.

Nancy Lepionka

**Will be the host family for the week of
December 6**

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, Madeline Wojciechowski, Lottie Yefchak.

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

**Weekend Collection:
November 21/22**

5:00 pm - \$ 494.00	11:00 am - \$ 838.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,529.00	Mail - \$ 395.00

Total - \$ 3,256.00

Works of Mercy Campaign - \$ 762.00

**Weekend Collection:
November 28/29**

5:00 pm - \$ 328.00	11:00 am - \$ 657.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,214.00	Mail - \$ 100.00

Total - \$ 2,299.00

Lector Schedule - December 5-6, 2020

Saturday, December 5

5:00 pm Lector Evelyn Dziedzic

Sunday, December 6

9:00 am Lector Theresa Rudnicki-Jones

11:00 am Lector Anna Roszkowska

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8
THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

(A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)

Masses will be:

Monday, December 7 - 7:00 p.m. English

Tuesday, December 8 - 9:00 a.m. English

Tuesday, December 8 - 7:00 p.m. Polish

The second Saturday of December 12, 2020

ROSARY

for the conversion of our nation

Will be held at Noon in the chapel. Please come and join us as in prayer in this difficult time. This day, December 12, is the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe.



Oplatki (Christmas Wafers)

are now available in the Meeting Room.

2021 Calendars in English, Polish and Italian are now available in the Meeting Room. Thank you to the Bridgewater Funeral Home for their gift.



Christmas Flower Offerings

Are now being accepted. Place your envelope in the Collection Basket. Please carefully PRINT the names of your loved ones you wish to remember.

St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society will attend the 9:00 am Mass next Sunday, December 13, followed by a short meeting in the back of the church.

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