

# *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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**Rectory**  
**732-384-5925**



## MASS INTENTIONS

### **SATURDAY, APRIL 30 - St. Pius V, Pope**

8:30AM Dec'd Members of Karpinski Family  
r/o Jolanta Gnap & Family  
5:00PM +Romeo Groppi  
r/o Wife Theresa & Family

### **THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 1**

9:00AM +Stanley Rudnicki  
r/o Grandson Ronald  
11:00AM +Wladyslaw & Jadwiga Kurkowski  
r/o Daughter Eleanor & Family

### **MONDAY, MAY 2 - St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

8:30AM +Basia Kurkowski  
r/o Frank & Regina Grodzki

### **TUESDAY, MAY 3**

#### **STS. PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES**

8:30AM +Nestor Singura  
r/o Stan & Lucy Singura

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 4**

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

### **THURSDAY, MAY 5**

8:30AM God's Blessings for Good Health  
For Daniel Roman  
r/o Nalesnik Family

### **FIRST FRIDAY, MAY 6**

8:30AM +Mary Krug r/o Daughter Nancy

### **FIRST SATURDAY, MAY 7**

8:30AM +Luz Maria Collantes Cairo  
r/o Son Damian  
5:00PM +Barbara Lanner  
r/o Daughter Dawn

### **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 8**

9:00AM Living and Deceased Members of  
St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society  
11:00AM Our Living and Deceased Mothers

## Third Sunday of Easter May 1, 2022

*Jesus told Simon Peter, "Follow me."*

**First Reading** - Brought before the Sanhedrin, the apostles give witness to Jesus Christ.

**Second Reading** - In his vision John sees all in heaven and on earth give honor and glory to the one on the throne and to the Lamb.

**Gospel** - Jesus appears to the disciples by the sea of Tiberias.

### **Reflecting on God's Word**

When you compare the apostles before and after Jesus' death, you can see that not only did something special happen to Jesus at his resurrection, but a wonderful change took place in the apostles as well. Up until the death of Jesus, the apostles did not come off very well. When the chips were down, they ran.

But after the Lord has risen and appeared to them, we get a very different picture. The most obvious gift was courage, a word that has the same root as "heart." They were given a new heart. The Holy Spirit breathed new life into them and gave them a heart passionately in love with Christ, on fire to preach the gospel.

And so they went to the heart of their city, the temple, and there they preached and taught about Jesus, witnessing to him as the Messiah, the Holy and Righteous One, the Author of Life. They performed "many signs and wonders" healing the sick and casting out unclean spirits.

There they were arrested and taken to prison and beaten, only to return to the temple and do it all again, and be arrested again. Through all this they were joyful.

Our Second Collection this Sunday is the  
**Catholic Relief Services Collection**  
Please be as generous as your means allow

### **Pope's Universal Intention:**

**For faith - filled young people.**

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe  
Visits our families**



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

**PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST**

**NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:**

Wanda Czarcinski, Joanne Felegi, Michael Gacek,  
Barbara Mendel, Michael Sikora, Deborah Vance.

**HOMEBOUND:** Patricia D'Allesandro, Lorraine  
Deleski, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Millie Della  
Peruta, Ann Pchola, Nora Specian, Madeline  
Wojciechowski.

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

**Weekend Offering  
April 24, 2022**

5:00 pm - \$ 483.00	11:00 am - \$ 909.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,257.00	Mail - \$ 610.00

**Total - \$ 3,259.00**

**Easter Sunday, 7:00 am Mass - \$ 1,102.00**

**First Saturday Devotions  
May 7, 2022**

In honor of the Blessed Mother's request to Sr. Lucia,  
who she appeared to at Fatima, St. Mary of Czestochowa  
offers the opportunity to partake in the devotion of the  
Five First Saturdays.

On the first Saturday of each month, the Holy Sacrifice of  
the Mass is offered at 8:30 am, followed by the recitation  
of the rosary and 15 minutes of quiet meditation on the  
mysteries. The intention of this devotion is to make repa-  
ration for the offenses and blasphemies against the Im-  
maculate Heart of Mary. Confession, which is a require-  
ment, may be made within 8 days prior or after the first  
Saturday.

The promise to those who console the Virgin Mary  
through this devotion is the assistance at the hour of death  
with the graces necessary for their salvation. The Blessed  
Mother also promised that this devotion will result in the  
salvation of souls and peace in the world.

**Lector Schedule - April 30-May 1, 2022**

**Saturday, April 30**

**5:00 pm Lector Martha Ptaszynski**

**Sunday, May 1**

**9:00 am Lector Stephanie DePass**

**11:00 am Lector Joanna Maciorowski**

**BISHOP'S APPEAL STATUS AS OF 04/25/22**

To date, the Development Office has received pledges  
totaling \$ 28,985.50 and payments totaling \$ 27,935.50  
from 93 parishioners. This represents 87.8 of our  
\$ 33,000.00 goal. Thank you for your efforts



**MAY,  
THE MONTH OF MARY  
OUR MOTHER**

*Our May Crowning will take place  
today, May 1, following the homily at the  
9am Mass. Izabela Prozor, will be  
crowning Our Lady. Pray the Rosary!*

**Altar Flowers this weekend (May 1) have been offered  
Blessed Mother Altar – In Memory of Deceased**

*Members of St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society*

**Main Altar - In Memory of Estelle Rudnicki from  
Daughter Theresa and Grandson Ronald**

**Sacred Heart Altar - For the health and renewed  
strength of our homebound and assisted living  
members of St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society**

*"Mothers hold their children's hands for a short while,  
but their hearts forever."*

**Statewide Youth Rally  
at Six Flags Great Adventure  
Sunday, May 15, 2022**

The Diocese of Metuchen's Office of Youth and  
Young Adult Ministry is excited to share that the  
2022 New Jersey Youth Rally at Six Flags Great  
Adventure in Jackson, NJ, is scheduled for Sunday,  
May 15, 2022! The cost for the day is \$55 per per-  
son (\$25 for season ticket holders) and includes ad-  
vance entry into the park, a FREE return ticket to  
Park, a 3-hour all-you-can-eat buffet, Mass, the  
Opening Ceremony, and a Free Parking Pass. Open  
to all Jr. High, High School & Young Adult Minis-  
try, Scouting, Parish/School Athletic Programs,  
families, and all.

**To purchase your tickets please visit the Office of  
Youth and Young Adult Ministry page on Diocesan  
Website and register before the May 6th  
deadline. Questions? Please email  
mvantslot@diometuchen.org.**

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