# 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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Rectory 732-384-5925



#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### FIRST SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5

8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory 5:00PM +Agnes Graebener r/o Family

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6**

9:00AM +Eric Graebener r/o Family 11:00AM For the Souls in Purgatory

#### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory

#### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8**

8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory

#### **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10**

St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church 8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12

St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

8:30AM For the Soul of Julian Allecaco

Canales r/o Daughter Olga

5:00PM +Jean and Stanley Domagala

r/o Walt and Diane

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13**

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

11:00AM +Janina Frendak

r/o Kowalczuk Family

# Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 6, 2022

"The Lord is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive."

<u>First Reading</u> - The King of the world will raise us up to live again forever.

**Second Reading** - May the Lord encourage and strengthen your hearts.

<u>Gospel</u> - Those who are deemed worthy of the coming age can no longer die.

In today's Gospel, we hear about an encounter between Jesus and some Sadducees. They were literal interpreters of the written Law of Moses, which means that they were in disagreement with the position of the Pharisees, who offered an oral interpretation of the Law of Moses. The Sadducees are described as opponents to the belief in resurrection. If a man died without producing an heir, the man's brother should marry his wife and the offspring of this union would inherit the property and carry on the name of the man who had died. Jesus argues from the same written Law of Moses to show that there is resurrection. Using the texts from the Book of Exodus that describe Moses' encounter with God in the burning bush, Jesus shows that God is the God of the living, not the dead. The Sadducees argued against resurrection because of the limits of earthly existence. They did not imagine another possibility for existence and relationship with God. Jesus proposes that the possibilities of resurrected life are beyond our imaginations. Jesus' conclusion suggests something else as well: To spend time worrying about resurrected life is to miss the point. The point is eternal relationship with God is possible, for God is the God of the living, "... for to him all are alive."



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

For children who suffer.

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homelss, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

#### 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:

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

HOMEBOUND: Patricia D'Allesandro, Lorraine Deleski, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Dolores Gumerlock, Millie Della Peruta, Ann Pchola, 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 October 29-30, 2022

5:00 pm - \$	852.00	11:00 am - \$	662.00
9:00 am - \$	1,259.00	Mail - \$	648.00

#### Total \$3,421.00

History of Forty Hours Devotion in the United States St. John Neumann was the first church leader in America to practice the devotion. At the time, Catholics faced great opposition in his home city of Philadelphia during the Know-Nothing Riots of 1844. Anti-Catholic protesters burned two churches and continued to foster animos-

ity towards the Catholics in the city.

Bishop Neumann wanted to institute 40 Hours Devotion, but some of the priests in the diocese were hesitant, believing that it might fan the flames of anti-Catholic sentiment and even result in the desecration of the Eucharist. Neumann was working late into the night when he fell asleep at his desk with his candle still lit. As he slept, the candle burnt down and caught the papers on his desk. Miraculously, he awoke before a large fire broke out—and the papers, though charred, were still readable. Neumann thanked God for His protection and the Lord spoke to him, telling him to not fear about having the devotion. The first was held in St. Philip Neri Parish, and then expanded throughout the diocese and beyond, being approved for all American dioceses in 1866.

#### Lector Schedule - November 5-6, 2022

Saturday, November 5 5:00 pm Lector Dawn Lanner Sunday, November 6

9:00 am Lector Theresa Rudnicki-Jones 11:00 am Lector Magdalena Plonski



### FORTY HOURS DEVOTIONS

Friday, November 11, 2022
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:30a.m. Mass
Adoration until 7:00 p.m.
Evening Mass at 7:00 p.m. in English

Saturday, November 12, 2022
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
following the 8:30a.m. Mass
Adoration until 5:00 p.m.
Regular Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 13, 2022
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 11:00a.m. Mass
Adoration until 4:00 p.m.
Solemn Vespers at 4:00 p.m.

Please join us for these three days of Eucharistic Devotions

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