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

Parish Office Ph: 732-356-0358 Fax: 732-356-5348 **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.



Website: www.stmarys-boundbrook.com e-mail: stmarybb1@verizon.net Rectory 732-384-5925

MASS INTENTIONS <u>THE EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT,</u> SATURDAY, APRIL 8

8:00PM Special Intention Second day of the Novena to Divine Mercy

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD, APRIL 9

6:30AM+Waclaw & Wladyslawa Formus
r/o Regina & Frank9:00AM+Mary Krug r/o Daughter Nancy11:00AM+Krystyna Wabia
r/o Dorota & Adam Sokolnicki

Third day of the Novena to Divine Mercy

MONDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER , APRIL 10

8:30AM Birthday Blessings and Good Health For Jan Janiczak r/o Brother-in-law Fr. John Fourth day of the Novena to Divine Mercy

<u>TUESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF</u> EASTER, APRIL 11

8:30AM +Georg Komar r/o Dawn Lanner *Fifth day of the Novena to Divine Mercy*

WEDNESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 12

8:30AM For our Parishioners Sixth day of the Novena to Divine Mercy

THURSDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 13

8:30AM +Robert & Ellamae New r/o Children Seventh day of the Novena to Divine Mercy

FRIDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 14

8:30AM +Olga & Miron Szustkowski r/o Jolanta & Eric Gnap *Eighth day of the Novena to Divine Mercy*

SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 15

8:30AM+Julian Allccacor/o Damian Bustamante5:00PM+John Boyler/o Digna AllccacoNinth day of the Novena to Divine Mercy

SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY, APRIL 16

9:00AM Living and Deceased Members of St. Mary's Holy Name Society 11:00AM +Halina Pajkowski r/o Frank & Regina

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord April 9, 2023

"He is not here; he has been raised" Luke 24:1-12

First Reading - In this passage, Peter testifies that he and his followers saw the miracles performed by Christ, witnessed His death, and believe in His resurrection. Now they will proclaim to all that Christ is the Son of God. **Second Reading** - Paul tells the Colossians that they will appear with Christ in glory. They should be mindful of things above rather than things on earth. **Gospel** - In vivid detail, John tells us that when Mary Magdalene visited Christ's tomb, the tomb was empty.

She told the apostles, who ran to the tomb, and saw the "wrappings" on the ground. The disciple who entered first "saw and believed."

HAPPY EASTER TO ALL PARISHIONERS





RADOSNEGO ALLELUJA !!! Fr. John

Pope's Universal Intention: For a culture of peace and non-violence We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING: Kaz Blockus, Lorraine Deleski, Joanne Felegi, Michael Gacek, Barbara Mendel, Michael Sikora, Frank Stock, Deborah Vance.

HOMEBOUND: Patricia D'Allesandro, Jean Fenske, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Dolores Gumerlock, Millie Della Peruta, Madeline Wojciechowski.

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

Weekly Offering April 1-2, 2023		
5:00 pm - \$ 468.00	11:00 am - \$ 908.00	
9:00 am - \$ 1,678.00	Mail - \$ 530.00	
Total 3,584.00		
Metuchen Diocesan	Clergy \$1,580.00	

2023 Bishop's Annual Appeal Renewed and Sent on Mission by the Eucharist To date, our goal is \$33,000. The total pledged and received is \$24,407.00 or 73.96%. Thank your for your efforts.

Divine Mercy Sunday April 16

2:00 pm - Confessions and Rosary 3:00 pm - Exposition of the Blessed Sacra-

ment, Devotions, Benediction, Mass. On Divine Mercy Sunday, Our Lord promised to grant complete forgiveness of sins: "The soul that will go to confession and receive holy communion will obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment... Let no soul fear to draw near to me even though its sins be as scarlet." Since we are in the time of Mercy, let us ask God for His graces and Infinite Mercy for ourselves and for the world. We, at St. Mary's, are satisfying the request of the Lord made through Sr. Faustina by celebrating this special feast for the salvation of souls.



Lector Schedule - April 18 Easter Sunday

6:30 am Lector	Elzbieta Owsieniuk
9:00 am Lector	Frank Kolodzieski
11:00 am Lector	Magdalena Plonski

A very appreciative "Thank You" to Anthony and Dorothy Cimino

For their gift of the Easter Vestments that Father John will be wearing Easter Sunday It is a surprise and pleasure to receive these beautiful vestments that I shall always treasure~

St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society has resumed their annual visit to the Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, Pa. Wednesday, May 24, 2023 Bus will leave at 9:45 am - Arrive 11:15 am Cost \$40 per person (\$15 meal - \$25 Bus) Make Check payable to St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society with name and phone number Must be received by May 7 There will be NO REFUNDS! Schedule Mass at 11:30 am, followed by Rosary Lunch and free time to pray, go to Gift Shop Bus will leave at 3:00 pm - Arrive 4:30 pm Come join us for a day of prayer, good food, and good friends

St. Mary's Altar Rosary thanks all of our parishioners for their generous support for our Lenten "No Bake Sale" Your Lenten obligation to help others has been shown by our collection of \$866.00

BIG BUCKS RAFFLE

St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society is sponsoring a Big Bucks Raffle— Tickets are \$5 each and will be sold after every Mass. The winning tickets will be drawn on Mother's Day. From all the monies collected, the First Place Winner will receive 30%, the Second Place winner will receive 20%, and Third Place will receive 10% Remember — YOU HAVE TO BE IN IT TO WIN ITTIII