

# 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  
**Adoration:** Friday after 8:30 am Mass until 12:00pm

**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](http://www.stmarys-boundbrook.com)  
e-mail: [stmarybb1@verizon.net](mailto:stmarybb1@verizon.net)

Rectory  
732-384-5925

# Know Jesus

in the breaking  
of the bread....



## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



### SATURDAY, APRIL 13

#### St. Martin I, Pope, Martyr

8:30AM Souls In Purgatory r/o Teresa Zawrotna

5:00PM +Carmella Hishmeh  
r/o Theresa Cleary, Jennifer, Colleen  
& Family

### THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER, APRIL 14

9:00AM Living & Deceased Members of the  
Altar Rosary Society

11:00AM +Frank & Wiktorja Pakosz  
r/o Henry Pakosz & Grandchildren

### MONDAY, APRIL 15

8:30AM +Joseph Pavan r/o Richard Pavan

### TUESDAY, APRIL 16

8:30AM +Beatrice Mastrull r/o Sister Roseann,  
Nieces & Nephew

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

### THURSDAY, APRIL 18

8:30AM +Mary Wdowik r/o Zofia & Karol Marut

### FRIDAY, APRIL 19

8:30AM +Irena & Piotr Napieraj  
r/o Niece Magorzata Bogdanowicz

### SATURDAY, APRIL 20

8:30AM Deceased Members of the  
Ackermann Family r/o Kenneth Yefchak

5:00PM +Donata Pirone r/o Theresa Cleary,  
Jennifer, Colleen & Family

### FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, APRIL 21

9:00AM Living & Deceased Members of the  
Holy Name Society

11:00AM +Janina Friendak r/o Maria & Jan

#### Pope's Universal Intention

For the role of women. We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

April 14, 2024

## THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts  
burn while you speak to us."

#### First Reading: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19

Peter reminds the people that they allowed Jesus to be killed, and preferred to allow a murderer to be released. But God raised him from the dead as had been prophesied. Therefore, all people should believe and turn to God, that their sins might be forgiven.

#### Second Reading: 1 John 2:1-5a

Jesus was offered up for the sins of the world. The only way to prove true faith in him, is to honor his commandments. Anyone who claims to believe, yet does not keep his word, does not truly believe.

#### Gospel: Luke 24:35-48

Jesus appeared to two disciples, though at first they feared he was a ghost. Jesus ate with them to prove he was not a ghost. He explained that he had fulfilled the prophets words about him. He also explained that in his name they must preach doing penance for the forgiveness of sins.

### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 21, 2024

Today the Church throughout the world prays for vocations. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for vocations to the priesthood and religious life? Pray for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead. Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister. Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

### PRAY FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

God our Father,  
From eternity You appointed Your only begotten  
Son to be the High Priest of the human race.  
Pour forth, we beseech You,  
Your Holy Spirit upon our families,  
that vocations to the priesthood may be multiplied.  
Lord Jesus, give us holy priests:  
To offer up the sacrifice of the Mass;  
To lead the little ones to You;  
To strengthen the faith of believers;  
To preach the Gospel to all peoples;  
To bring forgiveness to sinners;  
To feed souls the Bread of Life;  
To comfort the suffering & dying, and  
To spread Your Kingdom in our midst.  
Mary, Mother of our High Priest, pray for us and  
obtain for us an increase of holy priests. Amen

**PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST**

**NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:**

Joanne Felegi, Michael Gacek, Michael Sikora, Deborah Vance,

**HOMEBOUND:** Patricia D'Allesandro, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Dolores Gumerlock, Barbara Mendel, Millie Della Peruta, Lorraine Deleski, Frank Stock, Madeline Wojciechowski, Marcella Spioch, Walt Urbielewicz, Dorothy Spioch

**HOSPITALIZED:**

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

**Weekly Offerings**

**April 6-7, 2024**

5:00 pm - \$ 776.00	11:00 am - \$ 602.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,1397.00	Mail - \$ 365.00

**Total 3,140.00**

**2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal**

**STAY WITH US, LORD: Renew our Hearts and Send Us on Mission**

This weekend, in all parishes throughout the Diocese of Metuchen, Catholics are celebrating In-Pew Weekend in support of the 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal. The Appeal sustains the many ministries, programs and outreach services of the Diocese of Metuchen reaching thousands of people each day throughout Middlesex, Somerset, Hunterdon and Warren counties.

Please watch a short video called "Road to Emmaus" [2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal: Stay with Us Lord: Renew our Hearts and Send Us on Mission \(youtube.com\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2024BishopAnnualAppeal)

**Diocese of Metuchen  
2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal**

**Summary Information as of 04.05.2024**

Goal	\$33,000.00
Total Pledged & Received:	\$18,634.00
Recurring Gift:	\$ 0.00
Recurring Received:	\$ 0.00
Amount Received:	\$14,609.00
Over/(Under) Goal:	(\$14,366.00)
Percent of Goal Pledged:	56.47%
Percent of Goal Received:	44.27%
Average Gift Amount:	\$ 286.68

**Are you suffering after an abortion?**

If you or someone you know is suffering after an abortion, confidential, no-judgmental help is available!  
Call Project Rachel's local toll-free number: 1-877-877-4300 or visit: [Hopeafterabortion.org](http://Hopeafterabortion.org)  
You may also call the Sisters of Life at : 1-866-575-0075 or email [hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org)

**Lector Schedule April 13-14, 2024**

**5:00 pm Lector** Martha Ptaszynski  
**9:00 am Lector** Dawn Lanner  
**11:00 am Lector** Bozena Owsieniuk

**NATIONAL SHRINE OF  
OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA**

St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society has resumed their annual visit to the Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, Pa.

Wednesday, May 15, 2024  
Bus will leave at 9:30 am  
Will Arrive at 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

Call Theresa for Tickets 908-526-7687



*St. Mary of Czestochowa Church is blessed with those who remember and honor their loved ones with the beautiful gift of flowers to adorn the Church for the Resurrection of our Lord.*

Mr. Anthony Veglatte  
Mrs. Florence Veglatte  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph & Joanne Kupczak  
Mr. & Mrs. Zdzislaw Kobylinski  
Ms. Theresa Cleary  
Mrs. Teresa Groppi  
Mr. & Mrs. Karol Marut  
Mr. & Mrs. Longin Bojaruniec



Please remember in your prayers the repose of the souls of:

**George Vadinsky**

**&**

**Vito L. Pinto**

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.*





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## THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father who art in Heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name;  
Thy kingdom come  
Thy will be done  
On earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
And forgive us our trespasses  
As we forgive those who  
trespass against us;  
And lead us not into temptation  
But deliver us from evil.*



## DOES IT WORK?

Survey by the University of Missouri

- 97%** of families surveyed take at least one bulletin home each week.
- 74%** of all family members surveyed read every bulletin.
- 70%** of all family members surveyed consciously look at the ad page of the bulletin.
- 68%** of the families surveyed are more inclined to patronize a business that does advertise in the bulletin rather than a non-advertiser.
- 62%** of the families surveyed keep the bulletin in their home for one week.
- 41%** of all family members surveyed patronize a business specifically because it advertises in the bulletin.
- 22%** of the families surveyed go out to lunch, brunch or dinner after church each week.



**Life.**  
*What a beautiful choice.*

## BEWARE OF PHISHING EMAILS

Scammers are after your:

- Passwords
- Financial Information
- Identity • Money

For information on common scams, please visit

[www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/scam-alerts](http://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/scam-alerts)



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