

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

Established 1914

201 Vosseller Avenue

Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

REV. JOHN STEC, ADMINISTRATOR

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JANUARY 18, 2026



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)

CONFESIONS:

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:

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00am - 12:00noon & 2:00pm - 5:00pm

Wednesday: 2:00pm - 5:00pm

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
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Website: www.stmarys-boundbrook.com
e-mail: stmarybb1@verizon.net
Parish Secretary: Dawn Lanner



SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 18, 2026

*“Behold, the Lamb of God,
who takes away the sins of the world.”*

MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17 - St. Anthony, Abbot

8:30AM +Ruth Bugai r/o Frank Kolodzieski
5:00PM +Charlotte O'Reilly r/o Patricia O'Reilly

SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00AM +John Krzysztof
r/o Sister Elaine Krzysztof
11:00AM Special Intention
r/o Malgorzata Bogdanowicz

MONDAY, JANUARY 19

8:30AM +Ellamae New r/o Son Paul A. New

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20 - St. Fabian, Pope, Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

8:30AM +Dorothy Spioch r/o Dawn Lanner

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21

St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22

8:30AM For the Unborn
r/o St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23 - St. Vincent, Deacon, Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin

8:30AM +Anna Schliss r/o Parishioners

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24 - St. Francis De Sales, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

8:30AM +Zofia and Jozef Stolarz
r/o Malgorzata Bogdanowicz
5:00PM God's Blessing for Sebastian Laskowski
on His Birthday r/o Mom Elizabeth

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00AM +John Krzysztof
r/o Nancy Krug
11:00AM For Conversion of Young Generation in
our Parish

First Reading: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

This reading is a short passage from the second song of the Servant of the Lord. The Lord will show his glory through His servant whose mission is to restore Israel and bring salvation “to the ends of the earth.”

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Paul sends greetings to the people of Corinth, who have been called to be holy and consecrated in Christ.

Gospel: John 1:29-34

When Jesus visits John, John recognizes Jesus as the “Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.” John further indicates that Jesus is truly the Messiah and “God's chosen One.”

Please pray for the soul of

Dorothy C. Spioch

*Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let
perpetual light shine upon her.
May she rest in peace.*

*May her soul and the souls of all the faithful
departed, through the mercy of God,
rest in peace.
Amen.*



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Friday, January 16 - Saturday, January 24.

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Offering envelopes are here in the Meeting Room!!!
They are set up alphabetically and clockwise. Please
pick them up today.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Michael Gacek, Michael Sikora, Deborah Vance, Mary Frelich, Richard Frelich, Frank Stock, Barbara Mendel, Theresa Rudnicki-Jones

HOMEBOUND: Patricia D'Allesandro, Rose Guido, Dolores Gumerlock, Millie Della Peruta, Lorraine Deleski, Marcella Spioch, Ann Knob, Walter Urbielewicz, Anthony Cimino, Joann Cunder

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

Weekly Offering January 10-11, 2026

5:00pm - \$ 462.00 11:00am - \$ 444.00

9:00am - \$ 1,170.00 Mail - \$ 205.00

Total \$ 2,281.00

2nd Collection Next Weekend!!

Foundation for Catholic Education Collection

The entire proceeds benefit **financial aid** to students attending diocesan and parochial elementary and high schools in our **Diocese of Metuchen**.

Catholic Schools Week
is scheduled for Jan 31 – Feb 6

The Mass Book for 2026 is Open

Each family may offer

2 Weekend & 5 Weekday Masses

Additional Masses may be scheduled after the initial period (TBD) to allow all parishioners to submit their requests. Mass offerings are \$10.00 and payable at the time Masses are scheduled.

**Your understanding and cooperation
is greatly appreciated!**

Pope's Universal Intention for January 2026

For prayer with the Word of God

Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us to build a more fraternal and missionary Church.

Lector Schedule

January 17-18, 2026

Saturday

5:00pm

Joseph Pizzo

Sunday

9:00am

Frank Kolodzieski

11:00am

Anna Roszkowszka

Come Pray a

ROSARY for LIFE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 2026

AT 1:00 PM

MAIN STREET, WOODBRIDGE, NJ

IN SOLIDARITY WITH THE NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE

You are asked to park and meet in the St. James Parish parking lot at 12:45 pm, 369 Amboy Ave., Woodbridge, NJ. There is a 12:10 pm daily Mass at St. James for those who wish to attend. For more information, please contact magnese@diometuchen.org



Celebrating the Right to Life as Recognized in Our

Declaration of Independence!

Honoring the Memory of Charlie Kirk

Special Guest Speaker Liche Ariza from

"The Chosen"

Bring Your March for Life Bus- Free, Large Groups Welcome

The **National Prayer Service** will be held on **Friday, January 23, 2026**—the morning of the **March for Life**—at the historic and beautiful Constitution Hall, located at 1776 D St. NW (at 18th and D Streets), Washington, DC. **There will be a Catholic Mass at 7:30 am**, followed by the interdenominational prayer service from 8:30 to 10:00 am, leaving plenty of time to get to the March for Life rally.

Visit www.NationalPrayerService.com for more details or www.ProLifeMarch.org

Prayer for a New Bishop

Almighty and all loving God,
Eternal Shepherd and Guide,
during this time of transition, we trust in
Your love,
Confident that You will once again give to
the Diocese of Metuchen a shepherd who
will inspire us to be
Christ's heart of mercy,
His voice of hope and hands of justice.
Guide our new bishop to enlighten
our hearts and minds with the truth of the
Gospel,
the power of the sacraments,
and the desire to serve you in all things.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Adapted from the Diocese of St. Petersburg

Stress in your Marriage?



RETROUVAILLE
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

FOR MORE INFO OR REGISTRATION:
RICH COLASUONNO @ 732-236-0671,
ANNETTE COLASUONNO @ 732-672-0748
OR 3024@HELPOURMARRIAGE.ORG

Family Series VIA ZOOM WITH Dr. Stella Jeffrey



SCAN TO REGISTER



Families should initiate their children at an early age into the mysteries of the faith of which they are the "first heralds" for their children - CCC2225

January
15
7pm - 8pm

THE FAMILY AS THE
CONTEXT OF CATECHESIS

February
12
7pm - 8pm

INVOLVING FAMILY IN FIRST
PENANCE AND FIRST
EUCHARIST PREPARATION

March
12
7pm - 8pm

INVOLVING FAMILY IN
CONFIRMATION
PREPARATION



Do you or a loved one experience Same-Sex Attraction?
Support is available from the Courage/EnCourage ministry.

Courage is for Catholic men and women who desire to live chaste lives following the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church.

EnCourage is for loved ones of those who experience Same-Sex Attraction.

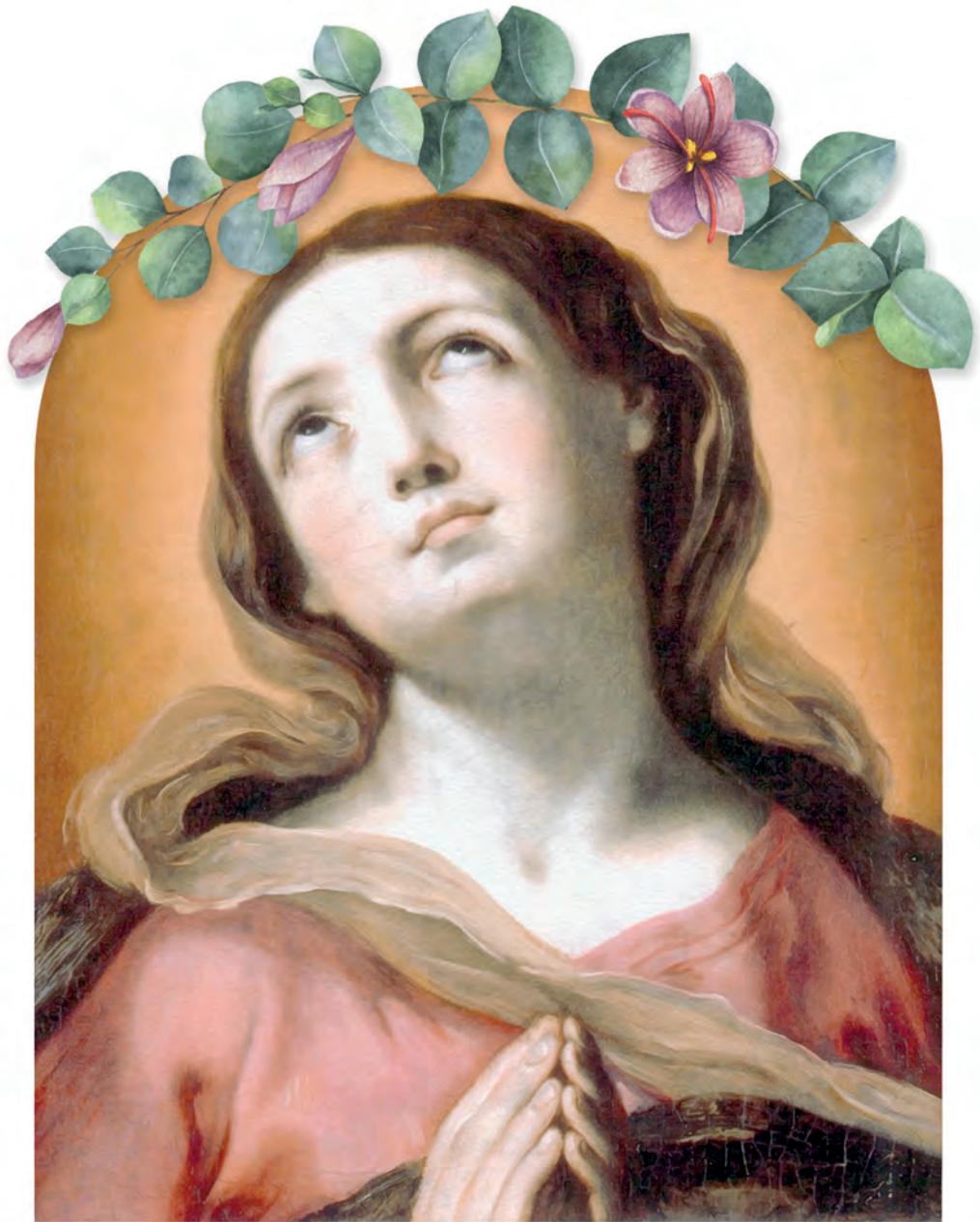
Courage Contact:

732-562-2476
couragecnj@gmail.com

EnCourage Hotline:

609-642-6935
All Calls are Strictly Confidential

Visit www.courageRC.org



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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

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