

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

Established 1914

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Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

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Rev. John Stec, Parochial Vicar



SUNDAY MASSES: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Polish)

SATURDAY EVE: 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY Thru SATURDAY: 8:30 a.m.

NOVENAS WITH BENEDICTION:

Tuesday—after 8:30 a.m. Mass

HOLY DAYS: 9:00 a.m. and at 7:00 p.m. (English)

Vigil Mass: 7:00 p.m. (Polish)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE:

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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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
April 9, 2017

*God greatly exalted [Christ] and bestowed on him the name which is above every name.
— Philippians 2:9*

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



MONDAY, April 10

8:30 AM + Jacqueline Vesce
r/o Xander Hobayan

TUESDAY, April 11

8:30 AM + Giuseppe and Domenica Gullia
r/o Daughter Anna

WEDNESDAY, April 12

8:30 AM + Parishioners

THURSDAY, April 13 Holy Thursday

7:30 PM + Special Intention
r/o Fr. Leon

FRIDAY, April 14 Good Friday

12:00 noon - Stations of the Cross (English)
3:00 PM - The Lord's Passion (English)
6:00 AM - The Lord's Passion (Polish)

SATURDAY, April 15 Holy Saturday

10AM, 11 AM, 12 Noon - Blessing of Food
7:30 PM + Special Intention

SUNDAY, April 16 Easter Sunday

6:30 AM + Wacław and Władysława Formus
r/o Frank and Regina Grodzki
9:00AM + Special Intention
11:00 AM + Special Intention

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading - In spite of my sufferings I am not disgraced. I am not put to shame.

Second Reading - Christ emptied himself, and God filled this emptiness with exaltation.

Gospel - The account of Christ's passion according to Matthew.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE - 2017

Holy Thursday, April 13

7:30 pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper
Adoration at the Altar of Reposition

Good Friday, April 14

12:00 noon - Stations of the Cross (English)
3:00 pm - Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion and Death (English)
6:00 pm - Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion and Death (Polish)
Decorating of Church after Passion in Polish

Holy Saturday, April 15

10:00 am, 11:00 am, 12 noon - Blessing of Food (Church)
7:30 pm - Solemn Vigil of the Lord's Resurrection

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Easter Sunday, April 16

6:30 am - Resurrection Mass with Procession (Polish)
9:00 am (English), 11:00 am (Polish)

On Good Friday, April 14, the Annual Collection for the Holy Land Mission will be taken.

Please be as generous as possible to the people of the Holy Land and the friars who preserve the Shrines and Holy Land.



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Will take place in the Church on Holy Saturday, April 15 at 10 am, 11am, and 12 noon

PARISHIONER PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Bernadine Hnasko, Jim Kilcoyne, Stephanie Lazarczyk, Anthony Lazarczyk, Adeline Melesurgo, Henrietta Spieczny, Donna Rabke.

HOMEBOUND: Anna Civiletti, Richard Freligh, DeMonte & Rose Guido, Stasia Pavan, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Debbie Vance, Marge Zuchowski.

NOTE: Please call the Parish Office (732) 356-0358 with the names of homebound, nursing home / assisted living or hospitalized parishioners. Please also notify the Parish Office when the status of a parishioner changes.

GOD'S GIFT FOR GIVING

This past weekend, our Generous Stewards of St. Mary's Parish Contributed:

Saturday 5:00 pm \$

Sunday 9:00 am \$

Sunday 11:00 am \$

Not available due to early deadline

A Journey Through Grief

Our mission is to find healing, comfort and peace. Our hearts are broken and the simplest things become an enormous challenge as we are faced with sadness and loneliness. The group will meet for 8 consecutive weeks on Thursdays.

Place: Our Lady of Mount Virgin Church

630 Harris Ave., Middlesex

Date: April 20 - June 8, 2017

Time: 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Facilitator : Virginia Reilly

There is no fee. Pre-Registration is appreciated.

Kids tell it like it is.....

The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note and posted on the apple tray: "Take only ONE. God is watching." Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies. A child had written a note, "Take all you want. God is watching the apples."

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Weekend Schedule - April 15-16, 2017

Easter

Saturday, April 15

7:30 pm Lectors

Martha Ptaszynski

Dorota Sokolnicki

Barbara Mendel

Eucharistic Ministers

Karen Graebener

Walt Urbielewicz

Sunday, April 16

6:30 am Lector

Anna Grochocki

Eucharistic Minister

Frank Grodzki

9:00 am Lector

Stephanie DePass

Eucharistic Ministers

Charles Ilsley

Anthony Provenzano

John Todaro

11:00 am Lector

Dorota Sokolnicki

Eucharistic Minister

Mark Litwinko

Chrism Mass

On Monday, April 10, 2017 Bishop James F. Checchio will celebrate the Chrism Mass with the priests of the Diocese. At this Mass, the Bishop will bless the Holy Oils which each parish receives for the rites of anointing.



Saint Ambrose began this custom— which we now call the Chrism Mass – in his Cathedral in Milan. These Holy Oils, which are used to sanctify the Faithful, have been channels of holiness for centuries! The Oil of Catechumens is used to anoint infants and adults before their Baptism; the Oil of the Sick is used on the forehead and hands of the infirm in the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick; and Sacred Chrism is used to anoint the head of the newly baptized, the foreheads of confirmandi, the hands of a priest at his ordination, the head of a bishop at his ordination, and the altar and walls of new churches. At the Mass, all priests make a Renewal of Commitment to Priestly Service, recommitting themselves to their Bishop and to their ministry to God and His People; the Bishop and all Priests then ask the people for a pledge of their prayerful support. All are strongly encouraged to join in the ancient, grace-filled Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen at 7:30 p.m.

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