

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

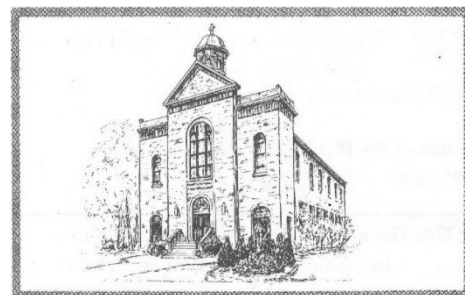
BAPTISMS: Every third Sunday of the month at 12:00. Parents are expected to attend Pre-Baptismal Classes. Arrangements to be made at the Parish Office. **Only practicing Catholics may act as Godparents.**

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.

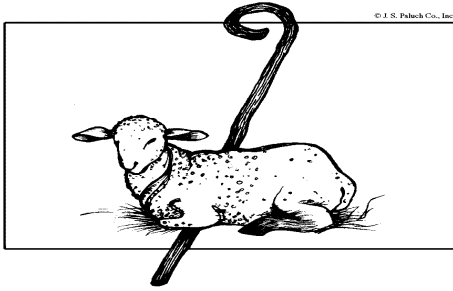
PARISH REGISTRATION: Our parish welcomes new members to our faith community. Catholic persons new to our area must complete a registration form and be interviewed by the pastor. Please call or stop by the Parish office to complete a registration form. We should also be notified if your address has changed or if you are leaving the parish..



Parish Office
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Website: www.stmarys-boundbrook.com
e-mail: stmarybb1@verizon.net

Rectory
732-384-5925



Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 18, 2021

*Behold, the days are coming, says the LORD,
when I will raise up a righteous shoot to David.
— Jeremiah 23:5a*

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 17

- 8:30AM +Lottie Yefchak
r/o Theresa Rudnicki-Jones
5:00PM God's Blessings for Cynthia Lynch
and Family r/o Dad & Mom Cunder

SUNDAY, JULY 18

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

MONDAY, JULY 19

- 8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory
r/o Teresa Zawrotna

TUESDAY, JULY 20

St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr

- 8:30AM +Giovanni Colalillo
r/o Wife & Family

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21 - St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church

- 8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, JULY 22 - St. Mary Magdalene

- 8:30AM +Vincent & Josephine Kosinski
r/o Theresa Kosinski & Family

FRIDAY, JULY 23 - St. Bridget, Religious

- 8:30AM +Ludwig & Alojza Wasik
r/o Family

SATURDAY, JULY 24

St. Sharbel Makhluaf, Priest

- 8:30AM +Justin Pregoner
r/o Hardin Family
5:00PM +Howard Van Nostrand
r/o Laura Polakiewicz

SUNDAY, JULY 25

- 9:00AM +Giovanni Bonello
r/o Wife & Family
11:00AM +Stanley & Regina Kurkowski
r/o Sister Eleanor and Family

First Reading - I shall gather the remnant of my flock and bring them back to their meadow.

Second Reading - You who were once far off have become near by the blood of Christ.

Gospel - When Jesus saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, and he began to teach them many things.

THE DAYS ARE COMING

Separation, isolation, and hostility are terrible things. We are, sadly, too familiar with all of them in our modern life, whether we look at world events or events in our own neighborhoods and families. All three readings today refer to these same sad human conditions.

The prophet Jeremiah describes world conditions as if the people of his time were sheep who had been scattered by poor leadership and corrupt shepherds. But "the days are coming," he assures us (Jeremiah 23:5), when a new shepherd, a just king, will come. We meet that king in the second reading and the Gospel. Paul reminds us in the Letter to the Ephesians that all divisions can now cease in Christ Jesus, who has brought us together through his blood. In Mark's Gospel we see Jesus himself, looking with pity on those searching for him as if they were sheep without a shepherd.



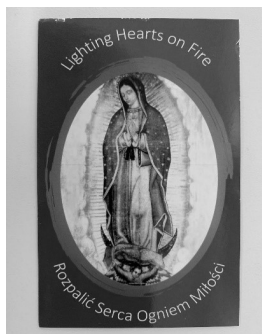
As summer is here, we do not need to be reminded of the sweltering temperature! Please remember that our Church is air-conditioned for your comfort, so please dress accordingly in the house of the Lord.

Pope's Universal Intention:

Social Friendship

We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe
Visits our families**



Please invite the picture of Our Lady of Guadalupe into your home for a one week visit. To sign up, please call Theresa Rudnicki-Jones at 908-526-7687.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING: Joanne Felegi, Michael Gacek, Deborah Vance.

HOMEBOUND: Tony Cimino, Patricia D'Allesandro, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Theresa Kosinski, Emily Nadbielny, Vinnie Papa, Millie Della Peruta, Ann Pchola, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Madeline Wojciechowski.

HOSPITALIZED: Mary Lou Gamatko

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

**"Remember that when you leave this earth, you can take with you nothing that you have received – only what you have given."
-St. Francis of Assisi**

**Weekend Offering
July 10-11, 2021**

5:00 pm - \$ 369.00	11:00 am - \$ 764.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,287.00	Mail - \$ 260.00

Total - \$ 2,680.00

Congress is trying to force Americans to pay for abortion. The Hyde Amendment and similar laws have protected taxpayers from funding elective abortion for 45 years. Now, powerful members of Congress want to take away these laws that both Democrats and Republicans have supported for nearly half a century. Billions of taxpayer dollars could be used to pay for abortion. It is critically important for Catholics to send a strong message before Congress moves forward to impose taxpayer-funded abortion. Sign the petition on www.NoTaxpayerAbortion.com

Lector Schedule - July 17-18, 2021

Saturday, July 17

5:00 pm Lector Stephanie DePass

Sunday, July 18

9:00 am Lector Dawn Lanner

11:00 am Lector Joanna Maciorowski

Bishop's Appeal Update

As of July 7, 2021, the Development Office has received pledges totaling \$ 34,255.00 and payments totaling \$ 34,230.00 from 103 parishioners.

This represents 103.8% of our \$ 33,000.00 goal.

A very special Thank You to all who have given to this year's Bishop's Appeal to make this a most successful year !

Don't take a vacation from God

Many Parishioners will be traveling this summer, enjoying a much-needed vacation. Please remember to attend Mass during your time away from St. Mary's. To find a church near where you are staying, call 1-858-207-6277 or www.masstimes.org. And if you remember, please bring a bulletin from the church you visit.

St. Mary Magdalene, the patron saint of women, was a close friend and disciple of Jesus Christ who lived during the 1st century in Galilee. Saint Mary Magdalene is one of the most famous women of the Bible. She was dramatically transformed during her life from a person who was possessed by demons to someone who became a close friend of the person whom Christians believe was God himself. Mary was one of a group of people present as Jesus was crucified, and she was the first person to encounter Jesus after his resurrection.

"When Jesus rose early on the first day of the week, he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, out of whom he had driven seven demons. She went and told those who had been with him and who were mourning and weeping."

During the later years of her life, Mary lived in a cave in France, and spent most of her time in spiritual contemplation. Tradition says that angels came to her every day to give her Communion and transported her from the cave to the chapel of St. Maximin, where she received the last sacraments from a priest before dying at age 72.

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