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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

8:30AM +Zofia Chadziewicz
r/o Daughter & Family
5:00PM Blessings for Good Health for
Novena Maria Petryk Cordi r/o Mom

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

9:00AM Living and Deceased Members of
St. Mary's Holy Name Society
11:00AM +Fr. John Novak r/o St. Mary's Altar
Rosary Society

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20 - Sts. Andrew Kim
Tae-gon, Priest, Paul Chong Ha-Sang and compan-
ions, Martyrs**

8:30AM +Richard Coolbaugh
r/o Madeline Deleski

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

St. MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

8:30AM +Tadeusz Krawiec
r/o Brother

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest (St. Padre Pio)

8:30AM Blessings for Good Health for
Lorraine Deleski r/o Family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

8:30AM +Ann Bligh
r/o Ann Kilcoyne

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

8:30AM +Magdalene Zuchowski
r/o Theresa Kosinski & Family
5:00PM +Stella & Augustine Zito
r/o Fred Zito

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

9:00AM +Josephine Vadinsky
r/o Husband George and Family
11:00AM +Maria & Jozef Kowalczyk
r/o Son and Family

**Twenty-Fifth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
September 19, 2021**

*"Whoever receives me, receives not me,
but the One who sent me."*

First Reading - The wicked say: With revilement and
torture let us put the just one to the test.

Second Reading - The wisdom from above is full of
mercy and good fruits.

Gospel - Whoever receives one child such as this in my
name, receives me.

Living God's Word

Lord, help us to follow your call by serving the "little
ones," especially those more likely to be subject to the
cruelty and indifference of the world. Sustain us in this
work with the assurance that when we receive them, we
receive not only you but the One who sent you.



Pope's Universal Intention:

An environmentally sustainable lifestyle
We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a
simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle,
rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely
committed to this.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe
Visits our families**



The Hardin Family will be the host family for the week of September 19.

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, Wanda Czarcinski, Patricia D'Allesandro, Lorraine Deleski, Richard Freligh, Rose Guido, Theresa Kosinski, Emily Nadbielny, Vinnie Papa, Millie Della Peruta, Ann Pchola, Nora Specian, Florence Suk, Madeline Wojciechowski.

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

**Weekend Offering
September 11-12, 2021**

5:00 pm - \$ 300.00	11:00 am - \$ 619.00
9:00 am - \$ 1,362.00	Mail - \$ 90.00

Total - \$ 2,371.00

Peter's Pence - \$ 926.00

Surviving Divorce –

For men and women seeking healing from separation or divorce.

This 12-week program, while based on the teachings of the Catholic Church, is open to anyone who needs comfort, counsel and clarity after a divorce. Meetings will be held on Thursdays 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM beginning October 7, 2021 at St. Francis Cathedral Parish Center, 45 Library Place in Metuchen, NJ. For more information or to register contact Ro Bersch at 908-313-5947. Registration deadline is September 20, 2021.

Lector Schedule - September 18-19, 2021

Saturday, September 18

5:00 pm Lector Joe Pizzo

Sunday, September 19

9:00 am Lector Stephanie DePass

11:00 am Lector Magdalena Plonski

**19th Annual Blue Mass for Law Enforcement
Wednesday, September 29 – 10:30 a.m.
Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen**

At 10:30 a.m. on September 29 – the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, patron saint of police officers – Bishop James F. Checchio will celebrate the 19th Annual Blue Mass at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen. Gathered together with local, county, state and federal law enforcement officials, we will honor and pray for those law enforcement officials of all faiths, who live and work in the Diocese of Metuchen. All are welcome to attend. More information is available on the diocesan website: www.diometuchen.org/bluemass.

Marriage Encounter

With summer winding down, why not treat yourself to a Marriage Encounter Experience? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

Join us from the comfort of your home via Zoom for eight evening sessions, 7:00 – 9:30 PM, presented on Monday & Thursday evenings from September 27 – October 21.

Phone Tom & Ruth DeFalco
1-732-904-9636 for application and information.
Visit us at: www.wvme.org for more information

***Silver & Gold Wedding Anniversary
Celebration***

You are cordially invited to celebrate your 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Metuchen and renew your marriage vows with Bishop James F. Checchio at a special Evening Prayer Service at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen on Sunday, October 17, 2021 at 3:30 PM. Couples who celebrated their Silver or Gold anniversary in 2020 are also invited to attend. Registration is required. Please register online at: <https://www.diometuchen.org/silver-and-gold-anniversary-celebration>. If you are unable to access, please contact your parish secretary or the Family Life Office, 732-562-1543 or amarshall@diometuchen.org. Registration will close on October 7, 2021.