

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

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REV. JOHN STEC, ADMINISTRATOR

**SOLEMNITY OF
CORPUS CHRISTI
JUNE 22, 2025**



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:

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..



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

Rectory
732-384-5925



SATURDAY, JUNE 21

St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

8:30AM Living and Deceased Fathers
5:00PM For Our Parishioners

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)

9:00AM +John and Mary Berni
r/o Jean Berni
11:00AM Living and Deceased Fathers

MONDAY, JUNE 23

8:30AM Living and Deceased Fathers

TUESDAY, JUNE 24

THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, JUNE 26

8:30AM +Eric Graebener
r/o Karen Graebener

FRIDAY, JUNE 27

THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

8:30AM +Anthony Kosierowski
r/o Niece Theresa

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY;

St. Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr, Doctor of the Church

8:30AM +Jacqueline Vesce r/o Mom and Dad
5:00PM +Daniel Froelich
r/o the Graebener Family

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

SS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

9:00AM +Paul DePass
r/o St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society
11:00AM +Teodor i Wiera Owsieniuk
r/o Bozena Owsieniuk

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

June 22, 2025

"They all ate and were satisfied"

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek, a priest of God, prayed that Abram would be blessed by God. He also praised God for delivering Abram's foes into his hands.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Paul describes Jesus' actions during the last supper. Jesus broke bread and said it was his body given for us, asking that we do the same in remembrance of him. He then passed the cup and called it his blood. Jesus then asked us to break bread in this manner to remember his death until he returns.

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17

Jesus spoke to a large crowd when his disciples asked that he dismiss the people to give them a chance to find food and lodging. Jesus asked the disciples to give the crowd something to eat, but they had only five loaves of bread and two fish. Jesus then blessed and distributed the food, which fed about 5,000 people. Twelve baskets were then collected from what was left over.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 2025

AFTER THE 11:00AM MASS **TODAY**



***O SACRAMENT MOST HOLY,
O SACRAMENT DIVINE,
ALL PRAISE AND ALL THANKSGIVING
BE EVERY MOMENT THINE.***

Pope's Universal Intention for June 2025

That the world might grow in compassion.

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

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

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

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

Weekly Offering June 14 - June 15, 2025

5:00pm - \$	601.00	11:00am - \$	524.00
9:00am - \$	1,182.00	Mail - \$	75.00

Total \$ 2,382.00

Second Collection Next Weekend *Peter's Pence*

The Peter's Pence Collection provides financial support for the Holy Father's charitable works and the operations of the Holy See. It allows Pope Leo XIV to respond to emergencies like natural disasters, oppression, and disease and to support various evangelization and social projects around the world.

2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal



PILGRIMS OF HOPE:
Journeying Together in Faith, Hope and Charity

2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Summary Information as of: 06.06.2025

Goal	\$ 33,000.00
Total Pledged	\$ 21,263.30
Amount Received:	\$ 16,663.30
% of Goal Pledged:	64.43%
% of Goal Received:	50.49%

Don't take a vacation from God!

Many Parishioners will be travelling 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 you, dial '1-800-MassTimes' or www.masstimes.org.

Lector Schedule June 21-22, 2025

Saturday

5:00pm Lector Joseph Pizzo

Sunday

9:00am Lector Dawn Lanner

11:00am Lector Bozena Owsieniuk

Silver & Gold & 5 Year Wedding Anniversary Celebration



You are cordially invited to celebrate your 25th, 50th, 50+ or 5th 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 19, 2025 at 3:00 PM.

The Silver and Gold Anniversary Prayer Service will again include couples celebrating 5 years of marriage.

Registration is required. Please register online at: <https://www.diometuchen.org/silver-and-gold-anniversary-celebration>. If you are unable to access, please contact the Family Life Office at 732-562-1543 or amarshall@diometuchen.org. Registration closes on October 10, 2025.

Cathedral of Saint Francis of Assisi

2025 SUMMER CHOIR CAMP

August 11-15, 2025

FOR ALL RISING 3rd - 8th GRADE STUDENTS
FROM ANY PARISHES WITHIN OR OUTSIDE OF THE DIOCESE

What We Will Do:

- Participate in Choir Rehearsals
- Music Theory Classes with the Camp's Outstanding Music Faculty
- Work on Composer Projects
- Sing for the Cathedral's daily 12:10 Mass
- Outdoor Activities (Weather Permitting)
- Games and Snacks!
- Play the Cathedral's Pipe Organ!

Additionally, the choristers will reconvene on Sunday, August 17, to sing for the 12 Noon Mass at the Cathedral, and will have a BBQ after Mass.

General Information

Dates: August 11-15, 2025; also Sunday, August 17 for Noon Mass and BBQ

Times: Mon-Thurs 9am - 2:30pm; Fri 9am - 1:30pm; Sunday, 11:30-2:30 (pre-Mass rehearsal, Noon Mass, BBQ)

Tuition: \$250 per chorister

Food: All chorister are required to bring a bag lunch (including drink) Monday through Thursday. Friday will conclude with an Ice Cream Party after the 12:10 Mass. **Dismissal is at 1:30pm on Friday, Aug 15.** A mid-morning snack will be provided each day by the Cathedral.

Deadline: July 1, 2025
N.B. - Full payment of tuition must accompany this registration form.

Additional Information:
Contact Christopher Deibert, Director of Sacred Music - Music@StFrancisCathedral.org



The Solemnity of Corpus Christi

The Corpus Christi Procession

Sunday, June 22, 2025
(After the 11 am Mass)



In the thirteenth century, a Belgian nun by the name of Juliana had a vision: she saw the full moon silvery and radiant except for one dark spot. The meaning of the vision was revealed to her: the moon was the Church's liturgical year, the dark spot a missing feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament. Today's feast of Corpus Christi—the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—grew from Juliana's vision.

On this feast, many parishes observe the traditional Corpus Christi procession, giving honor to the Eucharist by carrying this greatest treasure out of the safety of our churches and into our streets. At the end of every Mass we are not just let out, we are sent forth, strengthened by the Eucharist, to be the Body of Christ in the world. The Corpus Christi procession is the dismissal writ large! We take Jesus with us, not only in our hearts, but carried in our midst and exposed in a monstrance. It is a public profession of faith and a blessing of the world. Jesus walks with us on these streets that we walk day after day, among those who know him but yearn to know him better, and among those who do not know him. The Eucharist is a mystery to be believed, to be celebrated—and to be lived.

The Prophets – Adult Enrichment Course September 4 – December 18, 2025

These classes will introduce attendees to the prophetic books of the Old Testament by reading, examining and contemplating the words and deeds of the prophets of Israel. Thursdays September 4 – December 18, 2025 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM at St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane in Piscataway. \$20 per person for all 15 classes. Register Online: <https://diometuchen.org/faith-formation> For questions email amarshall@diometuchen.org or call (732) 562-1543.



Religious Freedom Week (June 22 – June 29)

Religious Freedom Week 2025 takes place June 22–29. The Week begins with the Memorial of Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More, ends with the Solemnity of Ss. Peter and Paul, and includes the Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist and the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Resources will be made available to help the faithful **pray, reflect** on, and **take action** for religious liberty, both here in this country and abroad. They will be made available at usccb.org/ReligiousFreedomWeek.



A MORNING FOR GRANDPARENTS AND SENIORS (55+)

THURSDAY, JULY 24, 2025

9:30 am- 12:30 pm

Celebrating the

Feast of Sts. Anne & Joachim

Guest Speaker: Keaton Douglas
Consultant, Educator, Counselor



Schedule:

9:30 am Welcome,
Breakfast and
Fellowship

10:30 am Presentation

"The Spiritual Gifts of Aging:
Wisdom, Patience & Grace"

11:45 am Holy Mass

Event is free, registration is
required! Scan code:



Contact Angela at
+732-562-1543



The Diocese of Metuchen's Office of Vocations
invites young men ages 14-17 to attend

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Teambuilding Activities
JULY 29th - 31st, 2025

Questions? Email: quovadis@diometuchen.org

Camp Shiloh

753 Burnt Meadow Road, Hewitt, NJ 07421

- This is an opportunity to have fun, grow in your faith, and begin to think and pray about where God may be calling you in life.
- It is also an opportunity to take seriously our own gifts, talents, and weaknesses and begin prayerfully processing where God is leading us.
- This will be an action-packed few days with opportunities to play sports, participate in leadership and teambuilding exercises, pray, share meals, and grow in our faith together.



Please RSVP by June 30th
Scan to learn more and register at
www.diometuchen.org/quovadis



Diocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to the

Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

Washington, D.C.

with Most Rev. James F. Checchio, JCD, MBA,
Bishop of Metuchen

September 20, 2025



Faithful Pilgrims of Hope
can obtain a plenary
indulgence.

Visit diometuchen.org/jubilee-2025
for more information.



For parish bus trips,
please email Angela Marshall at
amarshall@diometuchen.org
or call 732-562-1543.

Polish HERITAGE NIGHT

TUESDAY AUGUST 19TH; 6:35PM



Enjoy Polish Cuisine

Pregame Polish Folk Music
by Chris and Ronnie

Discounted Group Tickets
starting at \$10

GATES OPEN AT 5:30 PM

ENJOY POLISH CUISINE; KIELBASA & PIEROGIES

PRE-GAME POLISH FOLK MUSIC BY CHRIS & RONNIE

TICKETS JUST \$10.00. SCAN QR CODE FOR TICKETS



Free Webinar

A Natural Approach to Fertility Care
July 24, 2025

The Office of Family life invites you to a free webinar, "A Natural Approach to Fertility Care" on Thursday, July 24th, at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom.

Presenter, Dr. Monika Potocki, of the Gianna Center in New Brunswick, will discuss NAPRO Technology, an effective and ethical approach to fertility care in line with the teachings of the Catholic Church.

To register, please visit <https://diometuchen.org/familylife>. For questions, please contact Cristina at cdaverso@diometuchen.org

Perpetual Adoration

Shrine Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament

The Shrine Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament, in Raritan, is looking for adorers to sit with the Blessed Sacrament Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is also being offered the first Saturday of each Month (Night Vigil) from 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. Anyone interested in signing up should visit <https://blessedsacramentshrine.com>

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**Pray for
Vocations**



Connect, Belong, and Grow Together



Catechists, teachers, youth ministers, and diocesan and parish leaders—the St. John Bosco Conference (July 14-17, 2025) is for you! More than a conference, it's a retreat with Jesus, the Master Catechist. Get inspired with engaging talks, be strengthened through the sacrament, and leave empowered to evangelize and share the Good News. At the St. John Bosco Conference, you join a community filled with other teachers of the faith where you can build lasting friendships and experience the joy of Catholic fellowship on Franciscan University's campus in Steubenville, Ohio. For more information about the conference or to register, please click on the following link: <https://steubenvilleconferences.com/events/st-john-bosco-conference/#register>

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to enrich your marriage, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held **July 18 – 20**.

Please apply ASAP as space is limited.
Phone 1-732-904-9636 for application and information (Tom & Ruth DeFalco).

Our Lady of Fatima Church

501 New Market Road
Piscataway, NJ 08854

Sunday, June 22, 2025
3:00 PM

Corpus Christi Procession
All are Welcome!!!

Prayers will be recited in the Church for those unable to walk in the procession.

Light refreshments afterwards.

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST



The one who feeds on this bread shall live forever






A religious painting of Jesus as the Good Shepherd. Jesus is depicted with long brown hair and a halo, wearing a white robe and a red cloak. He holds a wooden staff in his right hand and has his left hand on the back of a white sheep. Several other white sheep are gathered around him in a green field with a blue sky and distant hills. The painting is framed by a decorative border.



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