# St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

# Established 1914

201 Vosseller Avenue

Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

REV. JOHN STEC, ADMINISTRATOR

OR SOLEMNITY OF SS. PETER AND PAUL APOSTLES JUNE 29, 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.



Parish Office Ph: 732-356-0358 Fax: 732-356-5348 Website: www.stmarys-boundbrook.com e-mail: stmarybb1@verizon.net

Rectory 732-384-5925



#### 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

MONDAY, JUNE 30 - The First Martyrs of the

Holy Roman Church

8:30AM +Tina Dunlap r/o Dawn Lanner

TUESDAY, JULY 1- St. Junipero Serra, Priest

8:30AM Health and God's Blessings for Irena

Zawrotna r/o Teresa Zawrotna

WEDNESDAY, JULY 2

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

THURSDAY, JULY 3 - ST. THOMAS, APOSTLE

8:30AM Deceased Members of the

Rula and Adamski Families r/o Rosanne Short and Family

FIRST FRIDAY, JULY 4

8:30AM +Albin and Stanislawa Wiszowaty

r/o Wieslawa Roszkowski

FIRST SATURDAY, JULY 5 - St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal

8:30AM +Elizabeth J. Graebener

r/o Karen Graebener

5:00PM +Kaz Blockus r/o Daughter Kathy

SUNDAY, JULY 6

9:00AM +James D. Lanner

r/o St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society

11:00AM +Krystyna Wabia r/o Dorota

Sokolnicki (granddaughter)

# THE SOLEMNITY OF SS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES JUNE 29, 2025

"You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it"

#### SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

#### First Reading: Acts 12: 1-1

King Herod began to harass some of the members of the Church. James, brother of John, was beheaded. Peter was arrested and imprisoned. Through the power of an angel, light shown in the cell and Peter's chains fell from his wrists. Peter followed the angel to safety and was convinced that the angel was sent by God to save him from Herod.

#### Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith," Timothy writes. We hear in this reading the longing for the day of God's reign and how salvation is near. God will continue to rescue us and keep us from harm.

#### Gospel: Matthew 16:13-19

When Jesus asks his disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" Peter exclaims, "You are the Messiah!" Christ then declares that Peter is the "Rock upon which he will build his Church" promising Peter the power "to bind" and "to loose".

# Second Collection Today!!! 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.



We extend our gratitude to

Bozena Owsieniuk & Aleksandra Włodarczyk

for decorating the church inside and the four altars for the Corpus Christi procession.

#### Pope's Universal Intention for July, 2025

For formation in discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

#### 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 21-22, 2025

11:00am - \$ 662.00 5:00pm - \$ 575.00

Mail 9:00am - \$ 910.00 - \$ 755.00

## Total \$ 2,902.00



# 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal



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

# 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Summary Information as of: 06.20.2025

\$ 33,000.00 Goal \$ 21,713.30 Total Pledged \$ 17,113.30 Amount Received: 65.80% % of Goal Pledged:

### 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 28-29, 2025

Saturday

5:00pm Lector Dawn Lanner

Sunday

9:00am Lector Frank Kolodzieski 11:00am Lector Anna Roszkowska

# **First Friday Devotions** July 4, 2025

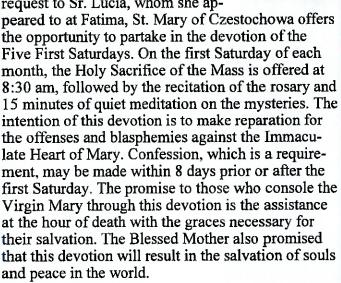
The First Friday devotion is different from the First Saturday devotion, which is dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The First Friday devotion is a devotion to the Sacred Heart of

Jesus that originated from the apparitions of Jesus Christ to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque in the 17th century.

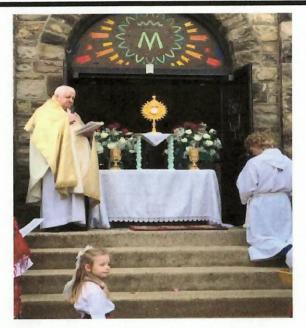
The devotion involves attending Mass, receiving Holy Communion, and going to confession within 8 days before or after each First Friday, for 9 consecutive months. It is a way of showing Love, Penance, and Reparation to Jesus for our sins. Jesus promised to those who practice this devotion the grace of final repentance and a secure refuge in His Heart at the hour of death.

## First Saturday Devotion July 5, 2025

In honor of the Blessed Mother's request to Sr. Lucia, whom she ap-









We Thank All of our parishioners who participated in our Corpus Christi Procession last Sunday, and all those who donated for the flowers and decorations that greatly enhanced our celebration.



