

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

Established 1914

201 Vosseller Avenue

Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

REV. JOHN STEC
ADMINISTRATOR

**THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
October 25, 2026**



SATURDAY EVE: 5:00 p.m. (English)
SUNDAY: 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)

WEEKDAY MASS: 7:00 p.m. (Polish)
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 a.m. Mass until 12:00pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Tues & Thurs: 9:00am - 12:00noon & 2:00pm - 5:00pm.
Wednesday: 2:00pm - 5:00pm

Parish Office Hours

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Parish Secretary: Dawn Lanner

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-Canva 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 worshipservices.

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.



MASS INTENTIONS

OF THE WEEK

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24 - **SAINT ANTHONY MARY CLARET, BISHOP**

8:30AM + Bronislaw & Czeslaw Nadolny
r/o Marta Liszewski

5:00PM + Fr. Karol Swietek
r/o Nephew Fr. John

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25 - **30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00AM + Joan Gleason
r/o Daughter Kathy

11:00AM God's Blessings for Diane & Mark
Litwinko on their 25th Wedding
Anniversary

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26

8:30AM + Joseph P. Slater
r/o Maureen Slater

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:30AM + Walter Urbielewicz
r/o St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28 - **SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES**

8:30AM + Jacqueline Constance Vesce
r/o Mom and Dad

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:30AM For Our Parishioners

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

8:30AM + Claire & Noel Connell
r/o Marta Liszewski

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

8:30AM + Msgr. Joseph Chacko
r/o Frank Kolodzieski

5:00PM + Emilia & Walter Belch
r/o Children

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1 - **ALL SAINTS DAY**

9:00AM + Eric Graebener
r/o Graebener Family

11:00AM + Barbara Dabrowski
r/o Miroslaw Dabrowski

THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 25, 2026

*We are to love the Lord with our
whole heart and our neighbor as
ourselves.*

First Reading: Exodus 22:20-26

This passage from the book of Exodus enjoins all to adhere to specific religious and social laws. It urges all to act with justice and compassion towards others.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

Paul praises the Thessalonians for receiving the word of God so eagerly and totally. Word of their faithfulness has spread throughout Macedonia and Greece; they have become a model for all Christians.

Gospel: Matthew 22:34-40

Matthew recounts the incident in which a lawyer, seeking to entrap Jesus, asks, "Teacher, which commandment of the law is the greatest?" With simplicity and authority, Jesus responds that the first commandment is to love God with one's entire being; the second is to love one's neighbor as oneself.

Feast of Saints Simon and Jude

October 28

Simon and Jude were among the twelve men Jesus chose to lead his Church. Tradition holds that after Pentecost, Simon preached the Gospel in Edessa and Jude in Egypt. The two apostles met in Persia, where they suffered martyrdom on the same day.

"Our Lord has appointed certain men to be guides and teachers of the world and stewards of his divine mysteries. Now he bids them to shine out like lamps and to cast their light over every country. These holy men become the pillar and mainstay of the truth, and Jesus said that he was sending them just as the Father had sent him" (St. Cyril of Alexandria).

PARISHIONERS PRAYER LIST

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:

Michael Gacek, Michael Sikora, Deborah Vance, Mary Freligh, Frank Stock, Theresa Rudnicki-Jones

HOMEBOUND: Patricia D'Allesandro, Dolores Gumerlock, Millie Della Peruta, Lorraine Deleski, Marcella Spioch, Ann Knob, Anthony Cimino, Joann Cunder, Elenora Pisowacki

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

Weekly Offering

October 17-18, 2026

5:00 pm - \$ 370.00

11:00 am - \$ 535.00

9:00 am - \$ 1,165.00

Mail - \$ 165.00

Total - \$ 2,235.00

World Mission Sunday

Total - \$ 856.00

2026 Bishop's Annual Appeal

ONE IN CHRIST: Called to Love and Serve

If you haven't made your pledge or gift yet,

Please support our new Bishop!

Please donate today.

Our Parish Goal: \$ 33,000.00

Amount received: \$ 25,393.00

Percent of Goal Received: 76.95%

May God bless you for your generosity!

Pope's Universal Intention for October 2026

For Mental Health Ministry

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

Lector Schedule

October 24-25, 2026

Saturday

5:00pm

Dawn Lanner

Sunday

9:00am

Martha Ptaszynski

11:00am

Arek Wojda

Congratulations

to

Mark and Diane Litwinko

on the occasion of their

25th Wedding Anniversary.

The Mass Book for 2027 is Open

Each family may offer

2 Weekend & 5 Weekday Masses

Mass offerings are \$10.00 and payable at the time Masses are scheduled.

To allow all parishioners an opportunity to submit their Mass requests, additional Masses may be scheduled beginning December 14th.

"Requested By" is limited to 30 characters due to space limitations.

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Your understanding and cooperation is greatly appreciated!

Please
Pray for Vocations
to the Priesthood and Religious life!



"The harvest is plenty and the laborers are few, beg the harvest master to send out laborers to gather his harvest."

The Parish Family of St. Mary of Czestochowa
extends our sincere
CONGRATULATIONS



to
Bishop Michael A. Saporito

We welcome your leadership and holiness as you serve the
faithful in the Diocese of Metuchen as its Sixth Bishop

**ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY
FUNDRAISER**

Autumn BAKE SALE

OCTOBER 24-25, 2026

AFTER ALL MASSES

PUMPKIN BREAD • APPLE PIE •
COOKIES • CUPCAKES • BROWNIES •
CINNAMON ROLLS

In the Meeting Room

*The Month of October is dedicated to the
Blessed Mother of the Holy Rosary*

Please pray the Rosary Daily

A Very Special **THANK YOU** to

*Mark and Diane
Litwinko*

for donating

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