

St. Mary of Czestochowa Church

Established 1914

201 Vosseller Avenue

Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805

REV. LEON S. ANISZCZYK, PASTOR

Rev. Stanley Walega, Pastor Emeritus



SUNDAY MASSES: 8:00, 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Polish)
SATURDAY EVE: 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY TO SATURDAY: 8:30 a.m.

NOVENAS WITH BENEDICTION:
Tuesday—after 8:30 a.m. Mass

HOLY DAYS: 9:00 a.m. and at 7:00 p.m. (English)
Vigil Mass: 7:00 p.m. (Polish)

CONFESSIONS:
Saturday: 8:00 a.m.—8:30 a.m.
4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE:

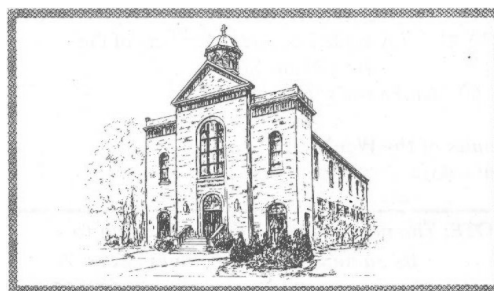
BAPTISMS: Every third Sunday of the month at 12:00. Parents are expected to attend Pre-Baptismal Classes. Arrangements to be made at the Parish Office. **Only practicing Catholics may act as Godparents.**

MARRIAGES: Specific time is set for the celebration of marriage on Saturdays. The common Policy for all the Dioceses of New Jersey require 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 you change your address or are leaving the parish..



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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



MONDAY, November 28

8:30 AM + Mary Santore
r/o Doreen Holden

TUESDAY, November 29

8:30 AM + Mario DiRe
r/o Molly & Tony Colalillo

WEDNESDAY, November 30 St. Andrew

8:30 AM + Evelyn Scarcella
r/o Parishioners

THURSDAY, December 1

9:00 AM + Henrietta DePass
r/o Family

FRIDAY, December 2 First Friday

8:30 AM + Nicholas F. Niro.
r/o Dominic Oleastro

SATURDAY, December 3

8:30 AM + Joseph Domanski
r/o Ellin Ossandon
5:00 PM + Ann Marie Provinzano
r/o Brother Anthony & Arlene

SUNDAY, December 4

8:00 AM + Parishioners
9:30 AM + Rula & Saulo Families
r/o Mastrull Family
11:00 AM + Franciszek Krawiec
r/o Son

The First Sunday of Advent November 27, 2011

*“Be watchful ! Be alert!
You do not know when the time will come.”
-Mark 13:33*

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — We are the clay and you, O LORD, are the potter: we are the work of your hands

Second Reading — God is faithful; by God you were called to fellowship with the Son.

Gospel — Be watchful! Be alert! You do not know when the time will come.

WHAT IS HAPPENING WITH THE PRAYERS AT MASS?

At Masses today, Catholic parishes in the United States are for the first time in about forty years using a new English translation of all the prayers. These prayers are found in *The Roman Missal*, the large book that we are accustomed to seeing the priest use at our Eucharistic liturgies. In the early part of this century, the late Blessed Pope John Paul II called for the original Latin Missal (the official prayer book for Mass for the entire Catholic Church worldwide) to be re-translated into the various languages prayed throughout the world. In particular, he and other Church leaders felt that the English translation could be improved. He called for new translations that would be much more like the Latin texts upon which they are based, so that all Catholics throughout the world would become more closely united by praying translations that were closer to the original. The words that we pray at Mass express our beliefs; it is important that the translations capture and express these beliefs clearly. The translation process has come to a culmination now, and today we begin using this new translation at Mass.

The First Sunday of Advent



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Prepare for the day of the Lord!

PARISHIONER PRAYER LIST
NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING:
 Betty and Cornelis Adriaanse, Helen Baluta, Catherine Barbati, Samuel Chiaravalli, Bernadine Hnasko, Peter Jannone, Bronia Litowinska, Adeline Melesurgo, Giussepina Marzilli, Betty Muskal, Stasia Pavan, Donna Rabke, Mike Rodomski, Lee Sarlo, Clara Vadimsky, Helen Wawrzyniak.
HOMEBOUND: Clementine Buono, Ed Chaya, Carmella Ciminelli, Andy Civiletti, Florence Colanduoni, Tony Guido, Vicki Mitzen, John & Ann Occhipinti, Genevieve Wawrzycki
NOTE: Please call the Parish Office (732) 356-0358 with the names of homebound, nursing home /assisted living or hospitalized parishioners. Please also notify the Parish Office when the status of a parishioner changes.

Weekend Schedule - December 3-4, 2011

Saturday, December 3
 5:00 pm Lector Diane Urbielewicz
Eucharistic Ministers Jim DeMaio
 Charles Ilsley
 Walt Urbielewicz

Sunday, December 4
 8:00 am Lector Carol McGinnis
Eucharistic Minister Ed Hagan
 9:30 am Lector Theresa Rudnicki-Jones
Eucharistic Ministers Karen Graebener
 Joni Kent
 John Todaro

11:00 am Lector
Eucharistic Minister Mark Litwinko

GOD'S GIFT FOR GIVING
 Last Sunday Our Generous Stewards of
 St. Mary's Parish Contributed:
 5:00 PM - \$ 797.00 9:30 AM - \$ 1052.00
 8:00 AM - \$ 650.00 11:00 AM - \$ 777.00
 Total \$3276.00

**FROM THE PONTIFICAL MISSION SOCIETIES
 OF THE DIOCESE OF METUCHEN**

I am grateful to you and your fellow parishioners for your kindness on World Mission Sunday. St. Mary's offering of \$1435 will be used to help the Church's Missionaries be the heart, hands and the voice of Christ to the suffering poor during 2012.

May our Lord give to you , your families, and your parish as you have given to others so that His good news may be offered worldwide.

Msgr. Behl

2011 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal sustains the work of several Diocesan offices and departments that provide the spiritual, pastoral and intellectual formation, as well as practical tools to assist the clergy and lay leaders of the local parishes in areas such as: *Evangelization, Catechesis, RCIA, Stewardship, and Worship & Liturgical Formation.*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES
Next Class -Saturday, December 3
December classes: 10,17
No Classes December 24 & 31

The Senior Leisure Club will hold their monthly meeting on Sunday, December 4 at 1:00 pm in the school hall. All members are urged to attend. Tickets will be available for the Christmas Luncheon at Madelines' Restaurant.

St. Mary's Rosary Society will celebrate their Christmas Brunch on December 11, following the 9:30 am Mass for deceased and living members. Please contact Joni Kent if you are bringing a guest. 732-560-8826

Life Is an Advent Season

"Life is a constant Advent season: we are continually waiting to become, to discover, to complete, to fulfill. Hope, struggle, fear, expectation and fulfillment are all part of our Advent experience.

"The world is not as just, not as loving, not as whole as we know it can and should be. But the coming of Christ and his presence among us—as one of us—give us reason to live in hope: that light will shatter the darkness, that we can be liberated from our fears and prejudices, that we are never alone or abandoned.

"May this Advent season be a time for bringing hope, transformation and fulfillment into the Advent of our lives."

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