

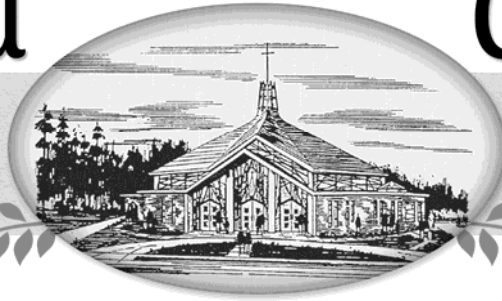
Centennial

1915-2015

Celebration



100 YEARS
OF FAITH



WE REMEMBER
WE BELIEVE
WE CELEBRATE

THE CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

47 ISLAND ROAD • MAHWAH NEW JERSEY 07430

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2016

We Invite You to Share the Life of Our Parish Family.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES †

Weekdays..... 8:00 a.m. & 12:00 noon (*Monday through Friday*)
Saturdays..... 8:00 a.m.
Saturday Evenings..... 5:00 p.m.
Sundays..... 7:30, 9:00 (*Polish*), 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 Noon
Holy Days..... Announced

RITE OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays..... 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.
..... After daily masses and by appointment

BAPTISMS: Last Sunday of each month, with instructions preceding.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: We are greatly concerned about the pastoral needs of the sick, the shut-ins, the elderly, the hospitalized. Please notify rectory of your needs.

TEACHING THE GOOD NEWS

CCD-Religious Education Program
Adult Faith Formation
Baptismal Instruction Classes
Marriage Preparation Program

MARRIAGES: Contact rectory one year in advance.

PARISH REGISTRATION: Please contact rectory for registration cards, contribution envelopes, change of address, etc.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Weekends Emergency calls only

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

All meeting times are announced.

- * Trustees (John Sulikowski, Mary Molinelli)
- * Pastoral Advisory Council
- * Rosary Society
- * Ministers of Hospitality
- * Parish Choir
- * Special Ministers of the Eucharist
- * Youth Ministry
- * Spirituality Ministry
- * Altar Servers
- * Home Bound Ministers

DEVOTIONS

- † **ROSARY:** Saturdays after the 8:00am Mass
- † **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:**
Fridays 12:30-6:00pm
- † **MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:** Mondays after
12:00Noon Mass

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 8, 2016

- 5:00PM +**Barbara Tie, Sr.**
by Tie, Briell & Kasting Families
+**Kenneth de Ferrari**
by Jean & Barbara Ann
+**Joseph Brooks** by Nora Dempsey

Sunday, October 9

Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

- 7:30AM +**Rudy Sustack**
by loving daughter, MaryAnn & Family
9:00AM +**Anna Garbowski**
by Danuta Reszuta
+**Helena Golebiowski**
by Sabina Jarney & Family
10:30AM +**Gilda DiDomenico**
by Ron & Deborah Krupinski
+**Gilda DiDomenico**
by the Rutella Family
+**Margaret Martin**
by Tim & Bonnie Soha & Family
12:00PM +**Helena & Frank Drozdowski**
by Roberta Drozdowski

Monday, October 10 *Columbus Day*

For Our Parishioners and

- 8:00AM +**Mary Quinn & son, Thomas John Quinn**
by the Freeley Family

Tuesday, October 11

- 8:00AM +**Alfreda & Warren Junium**
by daughter, Donna
+**Bob Wilcox** by Val & John Link
12:00PM +**Andy Kotos** by wife, Yolanda
+**Angelo Orlandi** by wife, Lydia

Wednesday, October 12

- 8:00AM +**Maryann Outwater** by Carole Zarcone
Health Blessings for Arlene Gentile
by the Family
12:00PM +**Mary Medler** by the Bruce Family

Thursday, October 13

- 8:00AM **In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Fatima**
by Marie-Ketty Ciceron
12:00PM +**Louise Planz**
by the Freeley Family
+**Joseph Krupinski** by Mary Krupinski

Friday, October 14

- 8:00AM +**Philomena Etienne** by Marie-Ketty Ciceron
12:00PM +**Rev. Floyd Rotunno**
by Eleanora Swingle & Family

Saturday, October 15

- 8:00AM +**Michele Szwed** by the Family
+**Michael Lisi** by Vincent Lisi & Family

Saturday, October 15

- 5:00PM +**Angie Callioni**
by Rosa Germano & Family
+**Philip Nappo**
by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Kordiak
+**Charles Allen**
by Lou & Nancy Giuliano

Sunday, October 16

Twent-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30AM +**John Kielbasa**
by daughter, Maryann
9:00AM +**Wieslaw Czygier** by Wife & Children
+**Marta & Rafal Mazurkiewicz**
by Natalie & Boleslaw Halka
10:30AM +**John Donnelly**
by Maris Connington
+**Andrew O'Sullivan**
by Frances Backus
12:00PM +**Priscilla Binko**
by Eleanora Swingle
6:00PM **Youth Mass**

Memorial Candles

Sacred Heart (Alcove)

In memory of **Cynthia**, my loving wife
From husband, Ed Plicinski

Blessed Mother (Alcove)

Blessings on the Gerling Family

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS

For those who are ill: Christine Sanese-Brett, Joan Malone, JoAnn Best, Stella Moran, Jaclyn Best, Nora Dempsey, Tara Arbia, Peter Rice, Maryann Titko, John LaPlaca, James and Barbara Straut, Frances Konior, Irene Calotta, Louise Yankowski, Michael Cardinale, Nancy Mayer, Dave Conklin, Fred Tinoso, Richard Sito, Carol Zarcone, Allison Healy, MaryAnn Malone, James Cavacante.

For the recently deceased: Anthony Fontana, Joseph Szwerc, Jack Dempsey, Marilyn Jasenzak, Anthony Suleski, Fr. Chester Szemborski, SDB, Stephanie Spiech, Joseph DiDomenico, Joseph DePiano, Robert Garza, Mary Strysko, Alice Levandowska-Pyka, Irene Nowacki, Ann Lake, Andrew O'Sullivan, Gloria Edlin, Pawel Gusciora, Andrzej Cieslar, Fr. Jim Marra, SDB, Susan Saladino, Frances Rappel, Robert Moris, Henryka Swolinska, John Freeburn, James Coty, Anna Caponegro, Martha Mazurkiewicz, Maryann Outwater, Lucille Poplawski, Henry Baker, Patricia Radesky Brennan, Rev. Floyd Rotunno, Teresa Maretzo.



October 9, 2016



Message from the Pastor:

Now that schools are back in session and the busyness of the autumn season is upon us I want to take a minute to talk about the month of October dedicated to the Holy Rosary. Saint John Paul II called the Rosary “the school of Mary,” a special devotion that teaches us about the profoundly close relationship Mary shared with her son, Jesus Christ. More than this, praying the Rosary invites us into this relationship, nurturing our faith and deepening our understanding of who Jesus was for the world. In October, 2013, Pope Francis’ greeting to pilgrims at the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Divine Love in Rome included these meaningful words: “When we are weary, downcast, beset with cares, let us look to Mary, let us feel her gaze, which speaks to our heart and says: “Courage, my child, I am here to help you!” Our Lady knows us well, she is a Mother, she is familiar with our joys and difficulties, our hopes and disappointments. When we feel the burden of our failings and our sins, let us look to Mary, who speaks to our hearts, saying: “Arise, go to my Son Jesus; in him you will find acceptance, mercy and new strength for the journey.” During this special month, I invite you and join you in praying the Holy Rosary, and in Eucharistic adoration, under the gaze of the Virgin Mary, our Mother!

In today’s Gospel of Luke, ten lepers ask Jesus to take pity on them and He heals them. But only the Samaritan leper returns to Jesus, glorifies God, and gives thanks. “Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?” Jesus then tells him, “Stand up and go; your faith has saved you.” This is faith: knowing who we are before God, gratefully coming to God, and ever deepening our relationship with God. And for this, we always give thanks!

Archbishop John J. Myers will be celebrating the 50th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on December 17th. In thanks to God for this milestone and his 15th Anniversary of Installation as Archbishop of Newark on October 9th as well as his 75th Birthday on July 26th, he will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving on Wednesday, October 12th at 5:30pm, at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark, followed by a reception in the Chancery. Parishioners who would like to attend the Reception please let the Rectory know by Monday, October 10th so we can properly inform the Chancery.

With our political elections coming up next month, the US Catholic Bishops once again offer to the Catholic faithful, *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, our teaching document on the political responsibility of Catholics. This statement represents our guidance for Catholics in the exercise of their rights and duties as participants in our democracy. “In the Catholic tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation. As Catholics, we should be guided more by our moral convictions than by our attachment to any political party or interest group.” I recommend reading these materials, inserted in the Bulletin today and next week, and the many more materials found on the usccb.org website under “The Call to be Faithful Citizens”. Pope Francis was asked this past week en route home from Azerbaijan on how he would counsel the American faithful who are being asked to choose. His response: “Study the proposals well, pray, and choose in conscience.”

God Bless You! Enjoy Columbus Day this Monday and have a safe and wonderful week.
Fr. Jacek

Recent Collections

Sunday Collection \$4,607.00

Second Collection \$1,546.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

October Calendar

October 10 Columbus Day 8:00AM Mass Only
No CCD – Parish Offices closed
October 13 Confirmation Classes
October 23 Mass, Luncheon, & Retreat on Prayer
for 2nd Graders & their Parents
10:30am-1:30pm
Youth Choir Sings 10:30 Mass
World Mission Sunday



Do you sing or play an instrument? Our Teen Band is looking for members ages 13+ to provide music for the 6:00pm Youth Mass. We are looking for Vocalists, Guitarists, Pianists, and Drummers. If interested fill out the form in the back of the Church and return it to the Youth Ministry Mailbox. Spread the Word!! Contact Tim Malone at

YouthMinistry@IHMCMahwah.org

with any questions.



**Every vote matters.
YOUR vote matters!**

October 18th, 2016 is the deadline to register to vote in NJ either in person or by mail.

To verify if you are a registered voter
You can check on line at voter.njsvrs.com

If you are a registered voter, you can complete a **“Vote by Mail Ballot Application”** and receive a **mail-in ballot**.
Mail Ballot Applications are available at the Town Hall.

Google “voter registration” for key voter information for multiple states.

“We should always remember that people sacrifice their lives to preserve our freedom and let us have this voting opportunity as our sacred right.” Adewale T Akande

The parish office will be closed on Monday, October 9, 2016 for Columbus Day.

Emergency calls are always accepted.

There is only the 8:00AM Mass.



♪ Youth Choir ♪

All students in second grade or higher are invited to join our Youth Choir.

If you enjoy singing and/or playing a musical instrument, please consider being part of our talented Youth Choir under the direction of Ms. Angela Palumbo.

Practices are held one hour before Mass, so don't hesitate to sign up!

Interested? call 201-529-2294 or e-mail us at religionseducation@ihcmahwah.org.



Commemorative Mugs are available this weekend after masses and during the week at the parish office.

The Friends of the Adornos will hold their annual **Fall Country Fair**

Sunday, October 9, 2016

from 9:00am – 5:00pm on the grounds of St. Mary's Seminary. Admission is free with ample parking. Refreshments and food is sold on premises with kiddie rides and over 100 booths offering a variety of merchandise. For further information call 201-327-7375.

Treat your family to an old fashioned experience.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Adults who wish to become members of the Catholic Church are invited to begin the R.C.I.A. process Those who are unbaptized will undergo a process of instruction and spiritual formation. Catholic adults at least 18 years of age by April 2017 who have not received their First Communion or Confirmation are also welcome to this one-year process.

OCTOBER IS MONTH OF THE ROSARY

The Rosary and Benediction will take place:

Wednesdays 7:30PM in English

Fridays 7:30PM in Polish

Rosaries are available in the office.



Support your church by donating your gently used/unwanted clothing in the bins provided. Clothing only!