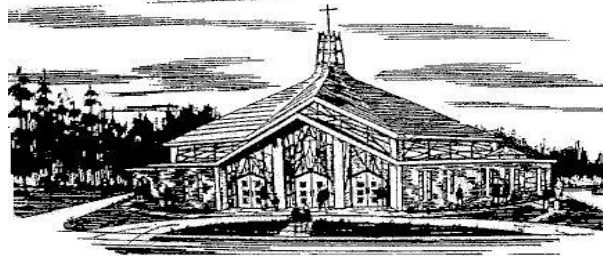


**THE CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**  
**47 Island Road - Mahwah N.J. 07430**

*WE INVITE YOU TO SHARE THE LIFE OF OUR PARISH FAMILY.*  
**Sunday, April 19, 2015**



**SCHEDULE OF MASSES:**

**WEEKDAYS:** 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon (Monday through Friday)

**SATURDAYS:** 8:00 a.m.

**SATURDAY EVENINGS:** 5:00 p.m.

**SUNDAYS:** 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m. (Polish), 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 Noon

**HOLYDAYS:** Announced

**RITE OF RECONCILIATION:**

**SATURDAYS:** 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

**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

Baptismal Instruction Classes

**PARISH REGISTRATION:**

Marriage Preparation Program

Adult Faith Formation

**MARRIAGES:**

Contact Rectory one year in advance

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 (Christine Wyszomirski, Norbert Rebain)

\*Pastoral Advisory Council

\*Rosary Society

\*Ministers of Hospitality

\*Parish Choir

\*Special Ministers of the Eucharist

**DEVOTIONS:**

+ROSARY: Wednesday nights at 7:30, October, May (English)

+ROSARY: Friday nights at 7:30, October, May (Polish)

+STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

Lent - Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. (English)

Fridays at 7:30 p.m. (Polish)

+HOLY HOUR: First Friday Beginning with 12:00 Noon Mass

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**RECTORY (201) 529-3517**

Rev. Jacek Marchewka, Pastor

Rev. Floyd Rotunno, Pastor Retired

Rev. Marek Bokota, Vicar

**PARISH SECRETARY**

(201) 529-3517 (Phone)

Elaine Kownacki

(201) 529-4401 (Fax)

**CCD OFFICE (201) 529-2294**

Barbara Dillon

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, April 18, 2015

5:00PM **Michael Dorman** by Helen Greco

Sunday, April 19, 2015

Third Sunday of Easter

7:30AM **John Kielbasa**  
by daughter, Maryann

9:00AM **Joseph Kownacki**  
by Emily Kownacki

10:30AM **William "Art" Trusewicz**  
by Rosemary & Bob Klidd

12:00PM **Patrick Murray**  
by wife, Nancy Murray

Monday, April 20 For Our Parishioners and

8:00AM **Bob Nisenbaun**  
by Cora Bautieta

**Mark Mokris**  
by Margaret Gera

12:00PM **Mary & George Zavatsky**  
by Mary

**The Coleman Family**  
by Theresa & John McDermott

Tuesday, April 21

8:00AM **John Baxter** by Rose Nappo  
**Bob Ahrendt** by Henry & Nancy Baker

12:00PM **Roger Suleski** by wife, Anne  
**Anton Leahy** by Anne Suleski

Wednesday, April 22

8:00AM **Priscilla Binko**  
by Carol & Norb Rebain  
**Suzy Meyer** by Pascal & Darly Joseph

12:00PM **Leon Oles** by Joseph Lerch  
**Patricia & James McEntee**  
by Chuck, Carol & Family

Thursday, April 23

8:00AM **Joseph Kotos**  
by Gene & Bernadette Manghi  
**Tille & Albin Kownacki**  
by the Family

12:00PM **George Gera** by the Family  
**Darlene Roe**  
by Shirley Sochulak & Family

Friday, April 24

8:00AM **Anton Leahy** by the Gerling Family  
12:00PM **Philpp Lerch** by Joseph Lerch  
**Roger Suleski** by wife, Anne Suleski

Saturday, April 25

8:00AM **John & Mary Driscoll** by Agnes Driscoll  
**Robert Ellsworth**  
by Lou & Jennifer Catanese

Saturday, April 25

5:00PM **Stephen Beglane**  
by Mike & Judy Grembowiec

Sunday, April 26

Fourth Sunday of Easter

7:30AM **Anne Stricker**  
by John Hendrickson

9:00AM **Zofia & Boguslaw Kaczor**  
by the Family

10:30AM **Edward Delicato**  
by Ron, Deborah & Mary Krupinski

12:00PM **Happy 18<sup>th</sup> Birthday Blessings Kristian**  
by Mom & Dad

Memorial Candles

**Saint Joseph (Sanctuary Candle)**  
In Thanksgiving for Answered Prayers  
From Loving Grandmother

**Sacred Heart (Devotional Alcove)**  
In memory of **Cynthia**, my loving wife  
From husband, Ed Plicinski

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS

For those who are ill: Michael Helms, Christine Sanese-Brett, Edwin Wickham, Joan Malone, Christine Wyszomirski, JoAnn Best, Stella Moran, Carol Zarcone, Rose Leahy, Jaclyn Best, Helen Kelly, Jack Dempsey, Tara Arabia, Peter Rice, Maryann Titko, Mary Freeley, Carrie Gorbutt, Theresa White, Betty Salutare, Maryann Cioffare, Fr. Jim Marra SDB, Tony Caladrino, John LaPlaca, Rob Brembt, Barbara Straut, George McCormick, Maureen Hillen, Ruth Stager, Maria Skrzypek, Kristen Carlson, Marion Carlson, Joan Kintz.



(Names on the sick list will be on five (5) weeks. If you wish to leave them on longer, call the rectory weekdays, 9:00AM-5:00PM.)

For the recently deceased: Matthew Saczawa, Edward Delicato, Philip Capuano, Rev. Philip Rotunno, Margaret Costello, Pat Malone, Bertha Bajor, Jim Mac Donald, Ernest Traina, Romuald Zwierz, Ellen Dillon, Frank Lamberti, Stella Domilski, Lucy Cellini, Josephine Christensen, Michael Dorman, Ronald Brightenback, Danuta Schroeder, Ken de Ferrari, Anna Garbowski, Anne Stricker, Jack Baxter, Darlene Roe, Florence Micik, Anton Leahy, Priscilla Binko, Kathleen Cebulski, Joseph Kotos, Thomas Skerry, Irena Ceglinska, John Kelly, Anna Krupinski.



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April 19, 2015



### **Message from the Pastor:**

I would like to thank everyone for their generous and sacrificial Easter offerings and for the many families, relatives and guests from all around the US and afar that came to our Church this Easter. I was fortunate to meet so many people and hear all the nice comments and compliments of our Easter celebrations. Again, thank you to everyone who contributed in decorating and beautifying our Church as well as our wonderful music ministry!

In the Gospel today on this 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter, Jesus makes another appearance to his fearful disciples and stresses that He is not a ghost but that He is truly risen. Showering them with peace, He affirms his living presence by asking them for something to eat. They were overwhelmed with joy. Jesus then instructs them as He opens their minds to understand the Scriptures that were written about Him. He reiterates how the Scriptures predicted that the Messiah would have to suffer and die but would rise on the third day. In this manner repentance and forgiveness of sin would be preached to all.

As were the disciples, we also are witnesses to these events. In our judicial system today the most credible witnesses are eyewitnesses close to the event. We are eyewitnesses to the resurrection of Jesus—even though we are far removed from the historical event—when we recognize the risen Lord among and within us, forgive and seek forgiveness of one another, and faithfully feast at his table!

As you might have read in the past two weeks of the Bulletin there have been announcements calling for new Eucharist Ministers and Altar Servers. Please take some time to think and pray about how you can get more involved “faithfully feasting at His table” and serving our Lord in these important ministries in our parish for both adults and our children. In addition to Eucharist Ministers serving at our weekend Masses we would be looking for those who could bring the Holy Eucharist, along with our prayers, to the homebound, nursing homes or local hospitals as needed. Please call Fr. Marek or myself if you have any questions or would like to discuss in further detail.

God Bless You.

Have a wonderful and safe week!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Fr. Jacek". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

**Fr. Jacek**

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## Recent Collections

Sunday Collection \$5,016.00

Second Collection \$2,223.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

### April Parish Events Calendar

April 23 Confirmandi Confessions 6:30 pm  
**Confirmation Practice with Sponsor 7:30 pm**  
April 24 Confirmation  
April 26 Parish Baptisms



We need you...

## To Make It Happen!

...To make the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of IHM  
Parish a memorable occasion  
from beginning to end.

Working together we can do great things.

Let your voice be heard.

A golden opportunity

to share your skills, talents, and time.

**Your presence** makes a difference.

Join the planning committee.

The first meeting on April 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:30PM is open to all.

**We look forward to seeing you there!**

Upcoming Events...

"Carnival Time!" at St. Paul Academy Ramsey, NJ April 29<sup>th</sup>-May 3<sup>rd</sup>. A fun filled event features rides games and food! More details to follow.

The Adorno Fathers' **Annual Spring Fair**, Ramsey NJ on Sunday April 26<sup>th</sup> from 10:00AM to 5:00PM. Free Admissions, ample parking and refreshments available.

Mother's Day Bake Sale after Sunday Masses May 10<sup>th</sup>. Bring your sweet tooth.

### **Sharing God's Blessing Update**

GOAL: \$38,500

PLEDGES: \$33,415



On Friday evening, April 24 2015, The Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Please keep these young people in your prayers as they are strengthened by the Holy Spirit to enable them to more fully live their Christian commitment.

May you have the strength of the **SPIRIT**,  
the power of **PRAYER**, and the force of **FAITH**,  
to live in **SERVICE**, to **LOVE**, with all your heart  
and to let **GOD** lead you, always. Amen.



The correct phone number for Arthur Yankowski is 201-452-4745 to share your childhood memories and stories of the early parish



### Eucharistic Ministers Needed



Our church is looking to add additional members to be a part of our Eucharistic Minister Team.

As a trained Eucharistic Minister, you will have the authority to distribute the Holy Eucharist:

- **at Mass;**
- **to those who are homebound** (including your own relatives);
- **to those in the hospital and nursing homes** (hospitals and nursing homes will require additional procedural training).

You may choose to serve in any or all of these capacities. We offer a flexible schedule.

A training session will be offered on May 9th. If you are interested, please see Fr. Jacek (201-529-3517 ext 12).

### **The Academy of St. Paul Presents**

Friday, April 24 at 7pm

Saturday, April 25 at 7pm

Sunday, April 26 at 3pm



Come and see St. Paul students share their talents on stage in this wonderful production that will delight us with its upbeat music, great dancing, period costumes and a variety of settings. Tickets are \$12.00 at the door. Performances at Don Bosco High School.