

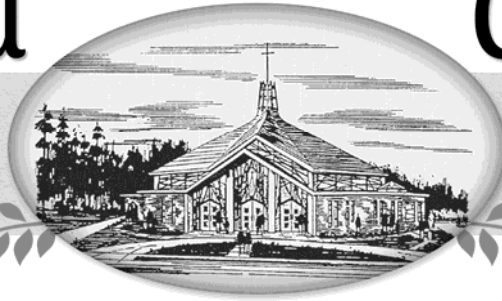
Centennial

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, APRIL 24, 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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Saturday, April 23, 2016

- 5:00PM +George Gera by the Family
- +Joseph Mastrogiacomo by the Scarones

Sunday, April 24, 2016

Fifth Sunday of Easter

- 7:30AM +Claire Helms by Barbara Suleski
- 9:30AM +Piotr & Kartarzyna Larchman
by daughter, Weronica
- +Romuald Zwierz by Frank Zydzik
- +Julia Peszt by Stanislaw & Family
- 10:30AM +Rose Leahy
by the Tyrell & Furlipa Families
- +Anthony Fontana by the Family
- +Joseph DiDomenico
by Ron & Deborah Krupinski
- 12:00PM +Josephine Walsh
by Eleanora Swingle & Family

Monday, April 25 For Our Parishioners and

- 8:00AM +Angela & Louis Karpowich
by Michele Malinoski
- 12:00PM +John & Mary Driscoll
by Agnes Driscoll

Tuesday, April 26

- 8:00AM +Stephanie Spiech
by Stephanie Gingeleski
- 12:00PM +Catherine Higgins
by Mary Krupinski
- +John Kelly
by wife, Helen Kelly & Family

Wednesday, April 27

- 8:00AM +Thomas Halpin by his loving Family
- +Santa & Martin Lisi
by Vincent Lisi & Family
- 12:00PM +Boleslaw Suleski by Son & Daughter

Thursday, April 28

- 8:00AM +Stanley Spiech by wife, Lisa
- +Anthony Fontana
by Antoinette Fontana
- 12:00PM +Rose Leahy by the Family
- +Charles Haight, Jr. by wife, MaryAnn

Friday, April 29

- 8:00AM +Michele Szwed by the Family
- +Richard Fiore
by Peter & Lynn Fiore
- 12:00PM +Robert Garza
by Anne Suleski & Darlene McCloud

Saturday, March 5

- 8:00AM +Louis A. Strippoli
by Joan & Sean O'Connell

Saturday, April 30

- 5:00PM +Edward Delicato by Catherine Delicato
- +Florence Kinally by Kathy Farina
- +Michael Anthony by Cathy & Family

Sunday, May 1, 2016 Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 7:30AM +Pat Malone by the Poplawski Family
- 9:00AM The End of WWII by Polish American Club
- +Christine Wyszomirski by the Pol-Am Club
- Members & Families of the
Polish American Club**
- 10:30AM +James Mulgrew
by IHMC Religious Ed Program
- +Michael & Stephanie Remo by the Family
- +Stephanie Spiech by John & Pat Spiech
- 12:00PM Fourth Birthday Blessings for Julia Pol
by the Family

Memorial Candles

Saint Joseph (Sanctuary Candle)
In memory of **Rose Leahy** from the Family

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

Blessed Mother (Alcove)
In Thanksgiving for Blessings Received
From the Gerling Family

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS

For those who are ill: Michael Helms, Christine Sanese-Brett, Joan Malone, JoAnn Best, Stella Moran, Jaclyn Best, Helen Kelly, Nora Dempsey, Tara Arbia, Peter Rice, Maryann Titko, Theresa White, John LaPlaca, James and Barbara Straut, Ruth Stager, Eleanora Swingle, Frances Konior, Irene Calotta, Gabriele DiCarlo, Mary Gisonno, Carol Zarcone, Nicholas Sorgine, Henry Baker, Louise Yankowski, Michael Cardinale, Nancy Mayer, Dave Conklin, Fred Tinoso.



For the recently deceased: John Kelly, Anna Krupinski, Gilda DiDomenico, Christina Wyszomirski, Rose Leahy, Bozena Niepostyn, Anthony Fontana, Helena Marut, Joseph Szwerc, Jack Dempsey, Marilyn Jasenzak, Gabriel Wolanski, Stanley Zembriski, Stanislaw Wrzesien, Anthony Suleski, Fr. Chester Szemborski, SDB, Edward Michalak, Richard Gotowoko, Eileen Conway, Stephanie Spiech, Joseph DiDomenico, Joseph DePiano, Robert Garza, Mary Stryko, Alice Levandowska-Pyka, Irena Nowicka, Ann Lake, Andrew O'Sullivan, Gloria Edlin, Pawel Gusciora, Andrzel Cieslar, Fr. Jim Marra, SDB, Susan Saladino.



April 24, 2016



Message from the Pastor:

In today's Gospel of John, Jesus gives us a new commandment: "love one another." Jesus is saying farewell to his friends at the Last Supper. He tells them that He will soon be "glorified" but they still do not really get the message about his death and resurrection. They love Him too much to face the reality of his crucifixion. So Jesus gathers them close and says, "My children, I will be with you only a little while longer." He tells them how they are to keep his presence alive within them after He is physically absent. "As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

The nature of our love as disciples is specific, singular, and incomparable: we are to love to the extent and in the manner Jesus loved. Our love is to be the self-sacrificing love of Jesus. It is this kind of love which brings Jesus glory. It is this kind of love which enables us to share in that same glory. And, it is this love that is only possible because of the power and grace which come from our first being loved by God!

As we go about our daily lives let us reflect on the meaning of the words of St. Paul to the Corinthians (1 Cor.13, 4-8) in all those we encounter and in all that we do:

- Love is patient and kind;
- Love is not jealous or conceited;
- Love is not proud or selfish;
- Love is not ill-mannered;
- Love is not irritable;
- Love does not hold a grudge;
- Love is not happy with evil;
- Love is happy with the truth;
- Love never gives up;
- Its faith, hope and patience never fail.

I want to again thank everyone who has made pledges to the "We Are Living Stones" Campaign these past few weeks. Your sacrifices and generosity will benefit so many of our needs in the days to come.

On Sunday, May 8th, we will celebrate Mother's Day. Envelopes are available for Mass intentions for all mothers who have nourished us throughout our life. The Crowning of our Blessed Mother will take place on Sunday, May 15th at the 9am and 12 Noon Masses.

Lastly, please mark your calendars on Saturday, May 14th at the 5pm Mass. Rev. David Moreno, SDB, will be here with us to concelebrate the 100th Anniversary of the first Mass of our Parish. It was on this day in 1916 that the Very Reverend Ernest Coppo of the Salesian Provincial blessed our original Church. There will also be a Reception immediately following in our Parish Hall. All are invited!

Have a wonderful and safe week.

God Bless You!

Fr. Jacek

Recent Collections

Sunday Collection \$5,373.00

Second Collection \$1,981.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

April-May Parish Calendar

April 24	5 th Sunday of Easter
May 1	6 th Sunday of Easter
	Youth Group Meeting
May 4	Rosary Devotions English 7:00PM
May 5	Ascension Thursday Holyday of Obligation
May 6	Rosary Devotions Polish 7:30PM
May 7	First Eucharist
May 8 th	Mother's Day Confirmation 12:00Noon Mass
May 11	Rosary Devotions English 7:30PM
May 13	Feast of Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Devotions Polish 7:30PM
May 14	First Eucharist 100 th Anniversary of the First Mass At Immaculate Heart of Mary Church Followed by Wine & Cheese in the Gym
May 15	Pentecost Crowning of Blessed Mother Youth Group Sings 12:00Noon Mass 100 Anniversary Breakfast after Masses Ping Pong Tournament

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
every Friday 12:30-6:00pm
Chaplet of Divine Mercy every Friday 3:00PM

IHM Youth Group Game Night **Sunday May 1, 2016** **6-8pm in the gymnasium**

Calling all 8th -12th grade students to join the fun at our IHM Youth Group Game Night! Come ready to play ping pong, Foosball, board games, volleyball and more!
Pizza and snacks will be served.

Living Stones

fashioned by faith

made firm by hope

cemented by love

St. Augustine of Hippo



Our Goal \$ 438,333.

Religious Education Notes



If your child is completing kindergarten this year, he/she should be enrolled in our First Grade Religious Education Program for the 2016-2017 school year.

Classes fill up very quickly, so please call the Religious Education Office at 201-529-2294 or e-mail us at tdillon@catholicweb.com at your earliest convenience.

Important Note – If your child is attending one of the Catholic Schools in our area and you are a registered parishioner here at Immaculate Heart of Mary, your child must receive his/her sacraments here. Please call the Religious Ed office for more information.

April is Autism Awareness Month.

Autism is a developmental disability that is a spectrum disorder which impacts behavior, communication, and social skills. Statistics indicate that 1 in 40 children are being diagnosed with autism.



Prayer For Those With Autism"

Our Father in Heaven, we worship You our Creator who has given us the dignity of being Your sons and daughters! We pray for those with Autism. Turn the challenges they face into great good for their souls and those of their families. Help each one of them to make progress each day in their physical and mental abilities and in their union with You. Bless them, O Lord, with help from on High, out of the abundance of Your mercy. We ask this through Christ Your Son." Amen. *Fr. Joseph Mary Wolfe, MFVA EWTN*



Centennial Tidbits

Where are they now?

During this centennial year, please take a moment to submit your name and those classmates you remember, & the year you graduated. Feel free to add your current city and state. If you attended IHM part time, list the last year you attended. Please remember those who are deceased with a notation. In the future a listing will be compiled. Locate those pictures! Refresh your Memory!

Please forward this information to all friends and family for a great response. We look forward to hearing from you.