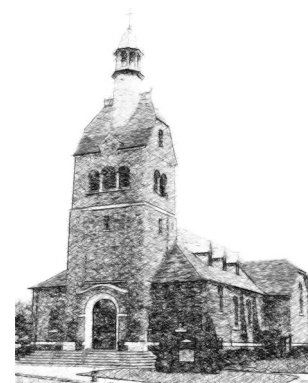


Saint Ladislaus Roman Catholic Church Hempstead, NY



Rev. Piotr Rozek, Pastor

Rev. Robert Wolosik, Associate Pastor

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM (Eng.)

Sunday: 8 AM (Eng.); 9:30 AM (Pol.);

4:00 PM (Span.)

Holy Days: 7:30 AM (English), 7:30 PM (Polish)

First Friday: 7:30 AM, 7:30 PM

Weekdays: 7:30 AM (Monday to Friday)

Saturday: 7:30 AM, 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 PM

First Friday: 7:00 AM, 7:00 PM

SICK CALLS:

Urgent cases anytime. Call rectory to arrange devotional calls.

BAPTISM:

The sacrament of Baptism (English, Polish) is celebrated on the 2nd and 4th weekends of the month. Because our parish family is welcoming a new member to our faith community, Baptisms will be celebrated *during* the following Masses: 5PM Saturday vigil Mass in English, 9:30AM Polish Mass, or 11AM Mass in English. *There will be no private Baptisms.* Those chosen as Godparents must be practicing, Confirmed Catholics whose lives reflect a commitment to the Catholic faith and to the role of Godparent. In order to receive a Sponsorship Certificate required by all Godparents, prospective Godmothers and Godfathers must be registered and supporting parishioners of Saint Ladislaus Church. *Parents must register their child prior to the Baptism.* Parents of first children are required to receive instruction. **The sacrament of Baptism (Spanish) is celebrated during the 4PM Mass on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month.** Guidelines for pre-Baptismal registration and instruction are the same for all Baptisms.

MARRIAGES: Arrange *at least* six months before the date.

DEVOTIONS:

May: Litany to the Blessed Virgin Mary after each Sunday Mass

October: Decade of the Rosary after Sunday Masses

Lent: Stations of the Cross every Friday after the 7:30 AM Mass in English; 7:30 PM in Polish.
Gorzkie Żale on Sundays in Lent following the 9:30 AM Polish Mass.

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Parish office hours as of July 1, 2021

Monday, Tuesday: 12 Noon until 4 PM

Wednesday, Friday: 1 PM until 5 PM

Saturday: 9AM until 1PM

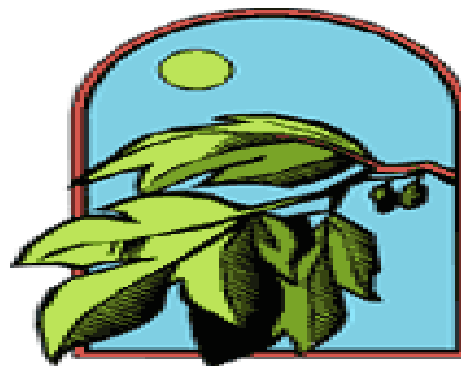
The office is closed on Thursdays and Sundays.

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THE PARABLE OF
THE FRUITLESS
FIG TREE
Luke 13:6-9

MARCH 20, 2022: THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 19, 2022

SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

7:30 am +Stefania Ozog (Sokolowski Family)
5:00 pm God's blessings for Michael, Linda, Michael, and Brendan McGuire

Sunday, March 20, 2022

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00 am +Angel Gonzales (Dorothy & Family)
9:30 am (Pol) +Marianna i Tadeusz Olekszyk
4:00 pm (Sp) Todas las almas en Purgatorio

Monday, March 21, 2022

7:30 am +Stanislaw Szablowski (Janina Roginski)

Tuesday, March 22, 2022

7:30 am

Wednesday, March 23, 2022

Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop

7:30 am

Thursday, March 24, 2022

Saint Oscar Romero, Bishop and Martyr

7:30 am

Friday, March 25, 2022

THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD



7:30 am Living and deceased members of the McGuire, Bremer, Ravenna, and McCullagh Families
7:30 pm (POL)+Joseph Hodyl (Krzysztof & Irena Munik)

Saturday, March 26, 2022

7:30 am Members of the Saint Ladislaus Holy Rosary Society
5:00 pm +Emilia i Franciszek Strzepa

Next Sunday, March 27, 2022

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT; Laetare Sunday

8:00 am

9:30 am (Pol)+Anastasia, Stanislaw, and Ryszard Hnetecki (Mira & John Pitrowski)
+Jozef Kotowski (Wife Beata & daughters)

4:00 pm (Sp)

Lent



THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

- Mon.: 2 Kgs 5: 1-15ab; Lk 4:24-30
- Tues.: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Mt 18:21-35
- Wed.: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Mt 5:17-19
- Thurs.: Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
- Fri.: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
- Sat.: Hos 6:1-6; Lk 18:9-14
- Sun.: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32



the people of Ukraine... those displaced and traveling to places of safety, those remaining to defend their country, those suffering physically and emotionally. May God protect and guide them in these darkest of days.

Pope Francis' prayer intention for March is a Christian response to current challenges: We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with our prayers and actions.

PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH

Guardian of virgins, holy father Joseph, to whose faithful custody Christ Jesus, Innocence itself, and Mary, Virgin of virgins, were committed: I pray insistently and beseech you by these dear pledges, Jesus and Mary, that, being preserved from all uncleanness, I may with spotless mind, pure heart, and chaste body, ever most chastely serve Jesus and Mary all the days of my life.



Join Jesus on His journey to the Cross. **Fridays during Lent:** after the 7:30 AM Mass (Eng); at 7:30pm (Pol). Please try to make this beautiful devotion one of your Lenten practices.



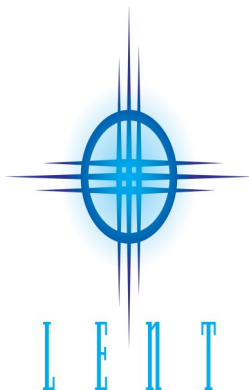
A Steward Saint.....Saint Joseph

Yesterday was the feast day of Saint Joseph, foster-father of Jesus. Despite the lack of recorded dialogue in the Gospels, Saint Joseph teaches us many things. Foremost, this saint trusted God -simply, joyfully, wholeheartedly-in marrying Mary, in naming Jesus, in shepherding the precious pair to Egypt, in bringing them to Nazareth. Throughout the undetermined number of years of quiet faith and courage, Joseph *trusted*.

During Lent, we should be creating quiet time to reflect on how we *live our faith*. Some of your introspection should focus on the word **trust**. Do you practice the same trust that Joseph did? Perhaps you have a satisfying job, enjoy good health, and seemingly have everything under control. There is an old song aptly titled "Into Each Life Some Rain Must Fall." What happens when the storms come? Do you put your trust only in yourself?

At some point, we all realize that we cannot control everything. At some point, we need to "let go, and let God." Saint Joseph also faced huge problems but carried out his vocation with complete fidelity.

As stewards of our faith, we are called to lead by example. Let others see that when the storms come, we anchor ourselves with trust in God. As Saint Joseph is a model for us, so we need to be models for others, especially our young people. Parents are to show their children that their faith means everything to them. Statistics show that children who grew up with parents who attended Mass regularly were more likely to continue in their faith than those who did not. Today, more than ever, our world needs strong parents who bravely model their faith by complete trust in God. *St. Joseph, please intercede for us parents as we aim to become the role model God intended us to be!*



Remember ...you are called to be holy, and holy you can be.

During this Lenten season, am I "fasting" from grumbling and complaining as I humbly acknowledge the many blessings that I have received from God, Who will always provide what I need?



Scripture reflection: The parable in today's Gospel clearly warns that we, like the fig tree, will be judged by our fruit. While God mercifully provides us with time and opportunity, let us give witness to our faith with deeds of kindness and generosity.

Let us pray that as merciful stewards, we each answer the call to be a "doer," performing works of mercy for a neighbor in need.



Next weekend we will take a collection for Catholic Relief

Services. This Lent we can help the hungry as well as displaced refugees. By doing so, we will be helping Jesus in disguise.



Reminder! The Saint Ladislaus Holy Rosary Society will host a card party and games on Sunday, April 3, at 3:00pm. Present members and new members are always welcome!

Please join us in the rectory meeting room.

COLLECTION AMOUNTS



March 6: First: \$1,471.80 2nd (Ukraine): \$2,397
Candles: \$100 Ash Wednesday: \$510
Total: \$4,478.80

March 13: First: \$1,590 2nd: \$540 Candles: \$113
Total: \$2,243

Thank you for your continued generosity.



and almsgiving too!

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

As we enter week three of our campaign, fourteen donors have already made a pledge or donation. To date, our donations total **\$3,035**.



Music at the Cathedral of Saint Agnes

7:30 PM Solemn Sung Vespers on Lenten Sunday Evenings
4th Sunday Evening (Laetare Sunday) with Choir

