



Saint John Paul II Parish

SUNDAY - December 3, 2023
First Sunday of Advent

Served by Salvatorians

Rev. Tadeusz Majcher SDS, Administrator
Andrzej Waśko SDS, Parochial Vicar



Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel



The purpose of the Salvatorians is to strengthen, to defend and to spread the Catholic faith everywhere insofar as this is committed to it by Divine Providence. Therefore, by exercising this ecclesiastical teaching function in word and writing, it intends to achieve the end that all people might know more and more the one true God and Him whom He sent, Jesus Christ.

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FIRST SUNDAY
OF
Advent

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM; 8:30AM (Italian) 9:45 AM; 11:00 AM (Polish); 12:30PM;

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday – Saturday: 8:00 AM, (Polish) [except Thursday] & 9:30 AM (English)

Tuesday: 6:00 PM (English), Thursday: 6:00 PM (Polish)

DEVOTIONS:

Perpetual Novena in Honor of St Ann - Tuesday after Mass at 6:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration and Perpetual Novena in Honor of the Miraculous Medal - Wednesday from 10AM to 5PM

Perpetual Novena of the Divine Mercy - Thursday after Mass at 6:00 PM (Polish)

CONFESSIONS:

Monday to Saturday before morning Masses

Saturday from 4:00 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday:

9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon; 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Tuesday: 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon; 1:00PM to 6:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon; 1:00PM to 3:00 PM



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SATURDAY, December 2, 2023

4:30 PM + Francesco Squillace (Diana & Family)

SUNDAY, December 3, 2023

7:30 AM + Czeslaw Budny (Son Henry & Family)

8:30 AM + Antonio Savinelli (Daughter Maria)

9:45 AM 1. ++ Helen & Roderick Geraghty
(Love children Gene & Barbara)
2. Deceased members of O.L. of Mount
Carmel Lyceum

11:00 AM ++ Mr. & Mrs. Walter Miklewicz
(Grandson Peter)

12:30 PM + Wiliam Obolewicz, ++ Antoszczuk &
Holiopa families (Family)

MONDAY, December 4, 2023

8:00 AM + Joseph Kowalczyk (Irena & Danuta)

9:30 AM ++ Pietro & Grazia Barberi
(Sons Nunzio, Mario & Antonio)

TUESDAY, December 5, 2023

8:00 PM For Parishioners

9:30 AM ++ Siwec & Bitwinski Families

6:00 PM + Dolores Macon (Cindy)

WEDNESDAY, December 6, 2023

8:00 AM + Wanda Kurasz (Irena Gosiewska)

9:30 AM + Charles Rosciszewski (Family)

THURSDAY, December 7, 2023

9:30 AM + Edward Kuhn (Janet & David Cardwell)

6:00 PM ++ Rodzina Warszawskich
(Ewa & Slawomir Maciejewski z dziecmi)

FRIDAY, December 8, 2023

8:00 AM + Zygmunt Kurasz (Irena Gosiewska)

9:30 AM + All Souls in Purgatory

12:00 PM ++ Elvira & Giuseppe Ciraco
(Daughter Maria)

6:00 PM + Mildret Maietta (Debby)

8:00 PM (It.) Feast of Immaculate Conception
Famiglia Deodato/Destito
(Antonio & Elisabetta Destito)

SATURDAY, December 3, 2023

8:00 AM + Krystyna Szetela
(Irena & Jan Komosinski z rodzina)

9:30 AM + Francesco Squillace (Maria Ventrone)

12:00 PM (Pl.) + Teresa Chojnowska (Rodzina)

4:30 PM ++ Joseph & Josephine Nastasi
(Grandson Joe)

SUNDAY, December 10, 2023

7:30 AM ++ Corus & Henthorn Families
(Martha & Jack Styles)

8:30 AM ++ Fr. Louig, Fr. Salvatore & Sister
Romilda (Orlando Family)

9:45 AM ++ Helen & Peter Aiello
(Love children Gene & Barbara)

11:00 AM + Ryszard Wiszowaty (Renata i Mariusz)

12:30 PM ++ Giuseppe & Annuziata D'Adrea
(Sister Rosa)

Spiritual Offering December 3-9, 2023

SACRED HEART CANDLE

+ Joseph Szpakowski (Benjamin & James)

DIVINE MERCY CANDLE

God's Blessings for Christopher

BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE

++ Cloud, Serafin & Judowski Families (Justine)

O.L. OF CZESTOCHOWA CANDLE

8th Birthday Blessings for Stella Mae Usarzewicz
(Love Mom, Dad & Clarke)

ST. ANNE CANDLE

+ Mania Oldakowski (Pat Suckiel)

ST. JOHN PAUL II CANDLE

Special Intentions for physical strength and healing

ST. JUDE CANDLE

+ Vincent Suckiel (Wife Pat)

ST. THERESA CANDLE

+ Theresa Rogozenski
(Helen Venner & Chris Piscitelli)



Weekly Announcements



November 25, 2023

Saturday - Sunday, December 2-3, 2023
Christmas Decoration Collection

Wednesday, November 29, 2023
Eucharistic Adoration -
After 9:30 AM Mass to 5:00 PM

Friday, December 8, 2022
Immaculate Conception -
Holy Day of Obligation - Rectory Office closed

Saturday - Sunday, December 2-3, 2023
Retirement for the Religious Collection

- PAST WEEK -

Grant eternal rest and let perpetual light
shine upon the souls of:

+ Irene S. Fleck, age 70

We welcome into the Church through the
Sacrament of Baptism

Kamila Kucza
Daughter of Krzysztof & Valentina

**Due to early deadline for submission of the
bulletin, the collection amount is not available.
It will be reported next week.**

*We thank all our parishioners for their
generous support of our parish! Bóg Zapłać!
Grazie mille!*

Immaculate Conception

**Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Vir-
gin Mary is obligatory feast in the Catholic
Church.**

Immaculate Conception is Catholic dogma of faith
that Mary, the Mother of Jesus, was preserved free
from the effects of the original sin from the first
moment of her conception.

In the holy days of obligation the faithful are obliged
to attend Mass and to refrain from performing the
work and activities that hinder the worship, experi-
encing the joy proper to the Lord's Day each due
and use of spiritual and physical rest.

The Holy Masses schedule for this day is as follow:

Thursday, December 7:
6:00 Pm - Polish

Friday, December 8:
8:00 AM - Polish
9:30 AM - English
12:00 PM - English
6:00 PM - English
8:00 PM - Italian

Office will be closed



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM !!NEEDS YOUR HELP!!

DON'T THROW AWAY YOU EMPTY PAPER
TOWELS, WE NEED IT FOR OUR CCD
PROGRAM.



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DROP IT OFF TO THE OFFICE BY
DECEMBER 7.

Many people would like to have their loved ones remembered at

Christmas Midnight Mass.

We have a beautiful custom Open listing of Intentions at Midnight Mass.

You have a special envelope in your envelope package for this purpose or you can use regular envelopes. Please just write the names of your loved ones and will be placed at the feet of Baby Jesus in the church.

During all Advent you can bring it to the rectory or to the sacristy

**St. John Paul II Society
Fall Raffle Winners**

Congratulations to the winners of the St. John Paul II Society Fall raffle. The following individuals won Shop Rite gift cards:

- 1st Prize (\$300): Liz Roman
- 2nd Prize (\$150): Janice Bonner
- 3rd Prize (\$150): Jack Wojslawowicz

The St. John Paul II Society thanks everyone who supported our raffle. Proceeds are used to support our parish youth, primarily through scholarships, and vocations.

Scholarships Available For Parish Youth

The St. John Paul II Society is now accepting applications for scholarship available to our parish youth who are attending a Catholic high school or attending All Saints Catholic Academy of Bayonne. The only requirement to apply is that the youth's family must be registered and contributing parishioners of the St. John Paul II Parish (using their weekly contribution envelopes).

To apply, please contact Rob Durak, at 201-424-7904. Applications will be considered in late December and the number and amount of scholarships will be based on the results of the Society's fundraisers. Those who are awarded scholarships will be notified.

**Mount Carmel Seniors are hosting
a Santa Claus Bingo**

Sunday, December 10 at Parish Hall from 3-5pm. Fee is \$25. Limited seating.

For more information and to reserve a seat please call
Lois Barrera 201-421-4191 or
Carol Sgardelis 201-874-5002,

CALENDAR RAFFLES

Saint John Paul II Parish will be selling Calendar Raffles to help with repairs of the parish.

Donation is \$10.00. Raffles will be sold at Church on weekends starting November 18, by contacting Steve Hempel at 201-437-9709 or in the Rectory Office now, you can use Raffle Reservation Form.

Saint John Paul II Calendar Raffle Reservation Form

5 Tuesdays in January 2024 Total prize amount \$1000
Each Ticket has 5 chances to win! Tickets are \$10.00 each.

Great Stocking Stuffers!

To order tickets, submit payment with the following reservation request form for each different name and place it in a sealed envelope with CALENDAR RAFFLE on the envelope with checks made payable to "Saint John Paul II Parish" and put it in the collection basket or mail it to: **Calendar Raffle**
c/o St. John Paul II Parish Attn: Steve Hempel

39 east 22 nd Street
Bayonne, NJ 07002

I would like to request _____ ticket(s) at the cost of \$10.00 per ticket

Name (print clearly) _____

Address _____

Telephone Number _____

(Please submit a reservation form for each name if they are for different family members or relatives – feel free to make copies of this form)

Intencje na Msze św. w Wigilię Bożego Narodzenia o godz. 5:00 pm i na Pasterkę o 12:00 można przynosić przez cały adwenty do kancelarii parafialnej lub do zakrystii.

Proszę wypisać intencje na kopertach specjalnie do tego przygotowanych w zestawach kopertowych lub jeżeli ktoś takiej nie ma to na normalnych kopertach



RORATY - CZYLI CZEKANIE

Każdy, kto ceni sobie Boże Narodzenie będzie chciał je dobrze przygotować.

Nie tylko choinkę, prezenty, posiłki i wszystko, co zewnętrzne. Trzeba przede wszystkim przygotować samego siebie. Tak ważne jest wyciszenie w Adwencie, przemyślenie, chwila na zatrzymanie w biegu codziennych spraw – może przez udział w rekolekcjach albo **poranne Roraty któregoś dnia...**

Roraty to Msza św. odprowadzana ku czci Maryi, którą symbolizuje biała świeca z niebieską wstążką. Nazwa Mszy św. roratniej pochodzi od łacińskich słów „Rorate cæli desuper” („Spuście rosę niebiosu”).

Roraty odprowadzane są przez cały Adwent w dniach powszednich.

Ten wspaniały zwyczaj wprowadzamy w naszej parafii.

Msze Św. Roratnie będą odprowadzane codziennie na polskiej mszy św. o godzinie 8:00 rano a w czwartki o godz. 6:00 wieczorem



Niepokalane Poczęcie

Niepokalane Poczęcie Najświętszej Maryi Panny to święto obowiązkowe w kościele katolickim

Niepokalane Poczęcie to dogmat wiary potwierdzający, że Maryja, Matka Jezusa, została zachowana od skutków grzechu pierwotnego od pierwotnego od chwili jej poczęcia.

W święta nakazane wierni są zobowiązani uczestniczyć we Mszy świętej i powstrzymać się od wykonywania tych prac i zajęć, które utrudniają oddawanie Bogu czci, przeżywanie radości właściwej dniowi Pańskiemu oraz korzystanie z należącego odpoczynku duchowego i fizycznego.

Zapraszamy na Msze Święte w naszej parafii:

Czwartek, 7go grudnia

6:00 pm - po polsku

Piatek, 8go grudnia

8:00 AM - po polsku

9:30 PM - po angielsku

12:00 PM - po angielsku

6:00 PM - po angielsku

8:00 PM - po włosku

Kancelaria parafialna będzie zamknięta



14 - 17 grudnia 2023

**Rekolekcje poprowadzi
ks. Tadeusz Kochanowicz, Salwatorianin
Proboszcz z Węgorzewa**

Proszę zaplanować sobie czas na rekolekcje adwentowe, szczegółowy plan zostanie podany w następnym biuletynie