Saint Ladislaus Roman Catholic Church Hempstead, Ny

Rev. Mariusz Gorazd, Administrator

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM (Eng.) Sunday: 8 AM (Eng.); 9:30 AM (Pol.); 11:00 AM (Eng.); 4:00 PM (Spanish)

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

at 7:00 PM in English, 7:30 PM in Polish. Gorzkie Żale on Sundays in Lent following the 9:30AM Polish Mass.

Rectory Office: 18 Richardson Place

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Parish office hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 12 Noon until 4 PM

Wednesday, Friday: 1 PM until 5 PM

Saturday: By appointment only

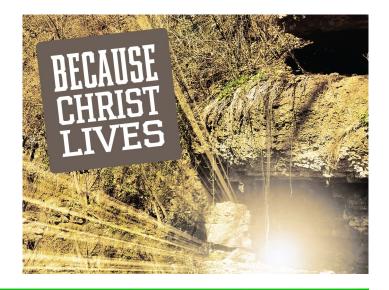
Sunday: Office Closed

Parish Secretary: Mrs. Joan Cascio

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MASS INTENTIONS

First Saturday, April 3, 2021: HOLY SATURDAY

8:00 am Morning Prayer (No morning Mass)

7:30 pm EASTER VIGIL MASS

(No individual intentions)

April 4, 2021: EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

6:00 am (Pol) Our Parishioners and Benefactors

8:00 am +Karol , Karolina, Frank, Joseph, Stanley Zator; Genevieve & Jean Ann (Carol Ann & Edward Kostbar)

9:30 am (Pol) Our Parishioners & Benefactors 11:00 am +Kathleen Mullen, 1 year Anniversary (Niece Joan)

4:00 pm (Sp) +Mariadeliz Rodriguez Perez (Elena Ortiz & Family)

Monday within the Octave of Easter, April 5, 2021 7:30 am Easter Novena

Tuesday within the Octave of Easter, April 6, 2021 7:30 am Easter Novena

Wednesday within the Octave of Easter, April 7, 2021 7:30 am Easter Novena

Thursday within the Octave of Easter, April 8, 2021 7:30 am Easter Novena

Friday within the Octave of Easter, April 9, 2021 7:30 am Easter Novena

Saturday within the Octave of Easter, April 10, 2021

7:30 am Easter Novena

5:00 pm Our Parishioners and Benefactors

April 11, 2021: SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)

8:00 am Easter Novena

9:30 am +Wojciech Brajczewski (Daughter and Family) 11:00 am +Madelene Pascal Norelus (Daughter Lorna) 4:00 pm +Bivenido Romero, 3 1/2 anos (Olga Romero)





Heavenly Father, we are jubilant and full of praise as we glorify You. Christ, Your only begotten Son, has been raised, and we are reborn. As the source of our strength, please grant us the courage to live up to the baptismal

promises that we have renewed. Our old selves have died to our new selves! Help us to live our new lives as we "declare the works of the Lord" in our thoughts, words, and deeds. *Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.*

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

Mon: Acts 2:14, 22-23; Mt 28:8-15

Tues: Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18

Wed.: Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35

Thurs: Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48

Fri.: Acts: 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14

Sat: Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday (Divine Mercy Sunday):

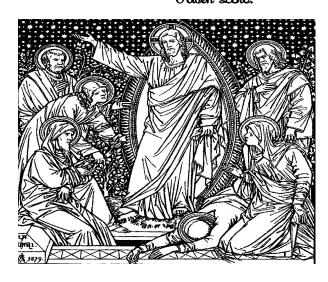
Acts 4:32-35; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31



Father Mariusz Garazd wishes all parishioners and visitors to Saint Ladislaus Church a joyous Easter season filled with the blessings of our Risen Lord.

The word

of the LORD





Alleluia! Christ is Risen!

How blessed we are to be back in our beautiful church this Easter! How timely that this special holy day comes as we welcome the spring season. The longer days and

warmer weather imbue us with an energy that directs us outdoors to prepare the soil for new plantings. As nature displays its newness, we witness the signs of new life around us. The barren branches of winter are now dotted with buds, and plant shoots make their way to the surface. With new life, comes HOPE.

As disciples of Christ, we have every reason to be hopeful. Our hope has its foundation in the resurrection of the Lord. **Jesus lives!** We once again cry out, "Alleluia" in Mass. The wooden clacker that we heard on Good Friday has been supplanted by the familiar ring of altar bells. Statues and crosses are uncovered; altar flowers reappear.

The Lenten season starts in winter. During the past two winters, we not only dealt with weeks of early darkness, bitter cold, harsh winds, and snow; we also lived our daily lives with the threat of the lingering Coronavirus. Most people spent more time indoors, where it was not only warmer, but also more likely to be safe.

The season of Lent has a fundamental interior component to it. Just as winter caused us to spend more time indoors, so Lent required that we spend more time looking *inward* and taking our spiritual inventory. We had time to assess our relationship with God. As we took preventive steps to keep our bodies healthy, we took a long, hard look at the health of our *souls*.

Throughout the almost thirteen months of the pandemic, we adapted and made numerous changes to the way we previously lived. We used the extended time at home to look about and see what needed to be improved, what needed a makeover. We looked at neglected rooms that needed refurbishment, and we became more aware of broken relationships that needed to be mended. We *rediscovered* the importance of home, family, and friendship.

Ash Wednesday prompted us to begin a rediscovery of our Catholic faith, which is *the essential part* of who we are. Lent is a journey. Each day we took another step on that journey. On some days, our footstep was tentative; on other days it was confident and secure. On some days we stayed in place and didn't move forward; on others we might have taken a step backward. Let us not overlook those days on which we took multiple steps forward!

Rememberwe are human. Our humanity comes with a tendency to weakness; however, being made in God's image, we acknowledge that there is something divine about us. It is that spark of the divine that rekindled our flagging spirits and urged us onward toward Easter. *We confessed our sins and were renewed.*

At the Easter Vigil, we went from darkness to light and heard the priest say these beautifully illuminating words, "May the light of Christ rising in glory dispel the darkness of our hearts and minds." We renewed our Baptismal vows. The light of Christ shines now before us, piercing the shadows of guilt that diminish our joy. May our love for our Savior, our Light, guide us through all of our life journeys. God bless you always!

We pray for the following:

Anthony Andree, Michele Ande, Joan D., Helena Stawrowski, Baby Audrey, Celina Oleksiej, Anne Dornford, Dorothy Harper May our Merciful Lord grant them healing.



Alleluia! Christ is risen and is victorious over sin and death! We are

good stewards of our faith if, like St. Paul, we share this good news whenever and wherever we can!



****SACRIFICIAL OFFERING****

Due to the need for early submission of this bulletin, the collection amounts were not available at the time of printing. They will be published in the near future.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL UPDATE

As of March 22: Number of donors: 15
Amount pledged: \$3,210, which is 24.89% of our \$12, 900 goal



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Michael Szczukiewicz ~ Saint Ladislaus &

Krystal Rose Bauer ~ Saint Raphael, East Meadow, NY



Molloy College Open House

This year, Molloy College in Rockville Centre will be hosting its **Spring Open House** virtually. The event will take place on **Sunday, April 18, at 1:00 PM.**

For more information, visit www.molloy.edu