

# *St. Ladislaus Church*

*18 Richardson Place  
Hempstead, New York 11550*

*Rev. Piotr Wasek, Administrator*



## **MASSES:**

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00, 9:00 (Latin), 10:30 (Polish)

11:45AM, 4:00PM (Spanish), 6:30 PM

Holy Days: 7:00, 8:00 AM; 9:00 AM (Latin)  
7:30 PM (Polish)

First Friday: 7:00 AM, 8:00 AM and 7:30 PM

Weekdays: 7:00, 8:00 AM (Monday to Friday)

Saturday: 7:00, 8:00 AM, 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

## **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday: 4:00 to 5:00 PM

First Friday: 7:00 PM to 7:30 PM

## **SICK CALLS:**

Urgent cases anytime. Call rectory to arrange devotional calls.

## **BAPTISM:**

Please call the rectory office to arrange a pre-Baptismal interview. Parents must also attend a pre-Baptism conference. Those chosen as Godparents must be practicing, church-going Catholics whose lives reflect a commitment to the Catholic faith and to the role of Godparent.

## **MARRIAGES:**

Arrange at least six months before time.

## **DEVOTIONS:**

**May:** Litany to the Blessed Virgin Mary after each Mass on the weekend.

**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 Zale on Sunday at 3:00 PM.

**Rectory:** 18 Richardson Place  
Hempstead, N.Y. 11550

Phone: 516) 489-0368 FAX: (516) 489-0368

**In a true emergency, please phone 516-939-5174**

## **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:** Joan Cascio

**Church Music Ministry:** Glenn Gabayan-Parish Music Director, Organist, Polish Choir Director

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September 23, 2018: Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, September 22, 2018

7:00 am .....  
8:00 am Wellness of Krystyna Strzelichowska  
(St. Ladislaus Holy Rosary Society)

5:00pm .....

### Sunday, September 23, 2018

8:00am .....  
9:00am Latin Mass  
10:30am God's blessings for Bogdan & Ela Jarocki  
on their 40th Wedding Anniversary  
11:45am .....  
4:00pm (Sp.).....  
6:30pm God's blessings for Mira & John Pitrowski  
on their 38th Wedding Anniversary

### Monday, September 24, 2018

7:00 am .....

8:00 am .....

### Tuesday, September 25, 2018

7:00 am .....

8:00 am +George and Wilhelmina Bodee and all  
family members, living and deceased

### Wednesday, September 26, 2018

7:00 am .....

8:00 am .....

### Thursday, September 27, 2018

7:00 am Special intention of Rose

8:00 am .....

### Friday, September 28, 2018

7:00 am .....

8:00 am .....

### NEXT WEEKEND'S MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, September 29, 2018

7:00 am .....

8:00 am Intentions of Anna Maria

5:00 pm .....

### Sunday, September 30, 2018

8:00 am .....

9:00am Latin Mass

10:30am +Swietej Pamieci Stanistowe Gumeniak  
w 7 Rocznice Smierci

11:45am .....

4:00pm (Sp.).....

6:30pm .....

## Today's Gospel



"IF ANYONE  
DESIRES TO BE FIRST,  
HE SHALL BE LAST OF ALL  
AND SERVANT OF ALL."  
MARK 9:35, NKJV



## Scripture for the Week

Mon: Prv 3:27-34; Lk 8:16-18

Tues.: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Lk 8:19-21

Wed.: Prv 30:5-9, Lk 9:1-6

Thurs.: Eccl 1:2-11; Lk 9:7-9

Fri.: Eccl 3:1-11/Lk 9:18-22

Sat.: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Jn 1:47-51

Sun.: Nm 11:25-29; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

## Saints and Special Observances

Wed.: Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs

Thurs.: Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

Fri.: Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr;

Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions,  
Martyrs;

Native American Day

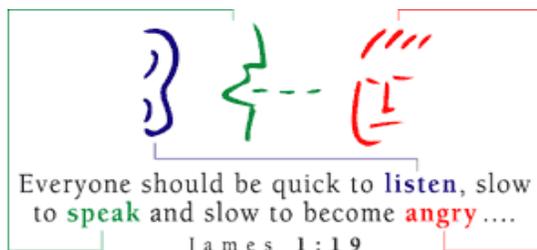
Sat.: Saints Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael,  
Archangels



## Prayer of the Week

Almighty ever-living God, in a world in which disorder and strife often prevail, we ask that you strengthen us to be cultivators of peace and to forgive us for the times that we have not been peaceable. In a world that often sees "jealousy and selfish ambition" as laudable traits, lead us away from self-serving passions and instill in us a desire to serve others. Enable us to be true evangelists through our works of charity and kindness. *We ask this 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.*

**Reflection question:** Do I try too hard to be "first" in everything?





This weekend's second collection is for the St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility, where retired or recuperating priests receive the extra care and attention that they need. Many of the 100 retired priests continue to serve as spiritual leaders, counselors, and teachers. *Please support the men who have brought us to a closer relationship with Christ and the Church.*

**ANNUAL MASS for DECEASED CHILDREN**

**SATURDAY, September 29, 2018**

**12:30PM~ St. Agnes Cathedral**

**29 Quealy Place, Rockville Centre**

**Celebrant: Father Tony Stanganelli,  
Pastor of St. Brigid Church, Westbury**



**All are welcome. Register online at  
[www.drvc-faith.org](http://www.drvc-faith.org)**

**Come early to inscribe your child's name in the "Book of Families." Light refreshments will be served in the Pastoral Center after Mass. For more information, contact Ellen Zafonte at the Office of Faith Formation, 516.678.5800. ext 506; [ezafonte@drvc.org](mailto:ezafonte@drvc.org)**

*The Saints....Seekers of Holiness*

There are several saints on whose model of faith we focus this week. Perhaps you are curious about the saint who is mentioned in an old Christmas hymn as a "Good King." **Saint Wenceslaus** is the patron saint of the beautiful city of Prague in what was formerly known as Czechoslovakia. Also known as Vaclav, Wenceslaus was the son of a Christian duke and a pagan mother. He learned about Christianity from his grandmother, Saint Ludmila. Wenceslaus' life was not free from political strife. After the death of his father, Wenceslaus' mother became the ruling monarch. Unfortunately, she was strongly opposed to Christianity. Encouraged to overthrow his mother's government, Wenceslaus assumed leadership and worked to encourage Christianity. He ruled in a time of political unrest and was eventually killed by a group of non-Christian nobles that included his own brother. The death of this saintly noble occurred while he was on his way to a Mass for two other saints celebrated this week...**Saints Cosmas and Damian**. These twin brothers were medical men who offered their services charitably, never taking money for their attention to the sick. They also lived in a time when Christians were persecuted and eventually suffered martyrdom rather than renounce their faith. Cosmas and Damian are the patron saints of pharmacists, physicians, and surgeons. These three saints shared the experience of living in times that were not always safe for Christians. They shared a faith to which they remained true... true to the very end. **Reflection: This week take some quiet time to consider how much of your identity is comprised of your faith.**



Mary Abruzzo Edward Dobkowski  
Margaret Puorro Anthony Andree  
Charlotte Dobkowski Joan D.  
Michele Ande Helena Stawrowski  
Dorothy Braun Celina Oleksiej  
Stephen Matthew

*May our Merciful Lord grant them healing.*



**Reflection:** Today's second reading warns that a heart consumed with avarice and envy leads to jealousy, strife, conflicts, and disputes. A giving heart, in contrast, can sing instead with the Psalmist, "Freely will I offer sacrifice; I will praise Your name, O Lord, for its goodness."

**Stewardship:** We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who offer welcome and assistance to new parishioners.

*We pray that, as good stewards, we accept God's invitation to adopt a new way of life that overcomes our self-centeredness.*

**WEEKLY COLLECTION AMOUNTS:**

**SEPT. 16TH: 1ST COLLECTION: \$1541**

**2ND: \$456; TOTAL: \$1997**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.**

**CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSES:**

**Sacred Heart Academy, Hempstead:**

**SATURDAY, Sept., 29; 10AM-1PM**

**St. Anthony's High School, So. Huntington**

**SUNDAY, Sept. 30; 10AM-1PM**

**St. Francis Preparatory School (grades 9-12)**

**Fresh Meadow, Queens**

**SUNDAY, October 13; 12 Noon-4PM**

**Visit [sfponline.org](http://sfponline.org) to arrange a tour.**

**NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE DIVINE MERCY**

Join the Saint Thomas the Apostle Divine Mercy Ministry on our annual pilgrimage to the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts on Saturday, October 6th. The cost is \$50 per person. To reserve a seat on the bus and for more details, please contact Debbie at (516) 538-0180.

