# 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:** 

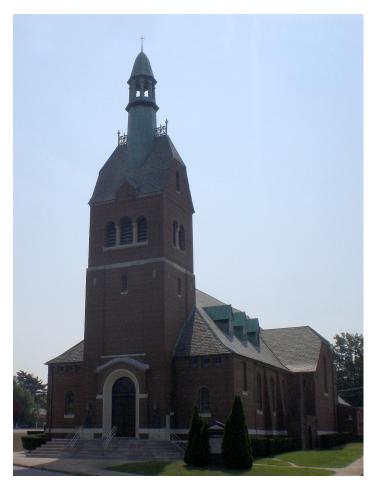
Urgent cases anytime. Call rectory to arrange devotional calls.

**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.

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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

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### **MASS INTENTIONS** Saturday, January 12, 2019 7:00 am ..... 8:00 am Special intention 5:00 pm ..... Sunday, January 13, 2019 Birthday blessings for John Moon 8:00am 9:00am Latin Mass 10:30am +Zmarlych Grodzki i Szczesny (Wysocki Family) 11:45am ..... 4:00pm (Sp.)..... 6:30pm ...... Monday, January 14, 2019 7:00am ..... 8:00am Tuesday, January 15, 2019 7:00am ...... 8:00am + Maria Karpinski and + Brooke Schillizzi (Swienc Family) Wednesday, January 16, 2019 7:00 am .... 8:00 am + Joel Preddy (from Mother) Thursday, January 17, 2019 7:00 am ....... 8:00 am ...... Friday, January 18, 2019 7:00 am ..... 8:00 am **NEXT WEEKEND'S MASS INTENTIONS** Saturday, January 19, 2019 7:00 am ..... 8:00 am +Maria Karpinski and +Brooke Schillizzi (Swienc Family) 5:00 pm ...... Sunday, January 20, 2019 8:00 am Intentions of Theresa 9:00 am Latin Mass 10:30am +Zygmunt Skrodzki (Wieslawa Rutkowska) 11:45am +Edward Charyton, 5th Anniversary (Daughter Ela & Jarocki Family) 4:00pm (Sp.)..... 6:30pm



### Scripture for the Week

Mon: Heb 1:1-6; Mk 1:14-20
Tues.: Heb 2: 5-12; Mk 1:21-28
Wed.: Heb 2: 14-18; Mk 1: 29-39
Thurs.: Heb 3: 7-14; Mk 1: 40-45
Fri.: Heb 4:1-5, 11; Mk 2:1-12
Sat.: Heb 4:12-16; Mk 2:13-17
Sun.: Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11



### Saints and Special Observances

Mon.: First Week in Ordinary Time

Thurs.: Saint Anthony, Abbot

Fri.: Week of prayer for Christian Unity

Begins.

Sat.: Blessed Virgin Mary

## Prayer of the Week

Heavenly Father, as we celebrate the Baptism of Jesus, help us to recall our own membership in the Church, our life in Christ, as we work to build a world worthy of Your kingdom. May we, as Your children, act as fitting recipients of the grace that we received upon our Baptism, so that we become and remain a people with whom You are "well pleased." Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.



Reflection: How will I prepare a way for the Lord in the coming year? As I reflect on my life, do I consider that there might be a need for me to clear my pathway of any clutter that might prevent me from getting closer to the Lord? Perhaps this will be the year that I let go of useless anxiety and temporal concerns and allow the Lord to guide me.

### Today's Gospel according to Luke





How readily we humans respond to the word "comfort." In truth, we seek comfort in most aspects of our lives. Nowadays we frequently hear people talk of creating a personal "comfort zone," which translates as a place, situation, or emotional space where one feels most productive, most peaceful, even happiest. In aspiring to

find comfort at home, in the workplace, at school, or in a social setting, we are often disappointed. We encounter factors outside of our control that cannot be managed. We experience events that we cannot handle. We meet others to whom we don't easily relate. Our human abilities come up short. For this reason, we would be wise to turn to these simple yet beautiful words: "Comfort my people, says your God." Our faith in God is the one true reliable source of comfort. So many people who have lost a loved one admit that their faith was the one thing on which they relied the most throughout their grieving, the one thing that saw them through. We can and should pray for comfort. We can receive comfort in our reception of the sacraments. Just think of the last time that you received the sacrament of Penance. Didn't you feel better upon leaving the confessional than carrying around the burden of guilt? Our true comfort zone is the one in which our Lord, the "light of the world" is present. Let us invite Him in.



### **HOUSE BLESSING**

Father Piotr is still blessing homes. If you wish to have your home blessed, see Father after Mass or call the rectory office to arrange a visit.

Note: The parish thrift shop will be open THIS Sunday, January 13, from 10AM to 1PM.





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: Jesus, whom God called "my beloved Son," is also the "servant" of whom Isaiah speaks in the first reading. We who Good speaks in the first reading. We wh Steward are baptized in Christ must follow His example and use our time and

resources in the service of God and neighbor. Living Stewardship: We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who answer their baptismal call to believe with joy by placing their gifts and resources, their very selves, at God's service, not only in the Church, but in the world. Let us pray that as obedient stewards, we listen to what the Lord says as we prepare our hearts to be His dwelling place.

### SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

January 6: First Collection: \$2035; Second: \$447; **Total=\$2482** Thank you for your continued generosity.

### 2019 March for Life

We are all God's children, made in His image and likeness, and wherever life is threatened—violence, poverty, hunger, discrimination, abortion—God's people defend it. Please pray for those participating in the March for Life: That their gentle, prayerful presence underscores their message that all life is EVERY LIFE: CHERISHED...CHOSEN...SENT sacr



A printed statement of your 2018 contributions to the church is now available. Please call or email joan@stladislauschurch.com, and I will mail the statement to you.



Please make certain that you have completed payment of your 2018 pledge to the Catholic Ministries Appeal by January 31.