



**Monday, February 25 (Poniedziałek)**

8:00AM †Henryk Grabowski r/o family  
11:00AM Health of Ryan McKee r/o mother

**Tuesday, February 26 (Wtorek)**

8:00AM †Tamara, Jozef & Stanislaw Wojas r/o son & family  
11:00AM †Mass and OLPH Novena in English

**Wednesday, February 27 (Środa)**

11:00AM †Helen Millus r/o niece, Jean Kijek  
11:30AM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and recitation of the Holy Rosary  
7:00PM OLPH Novena and Mass in Polish

**Thursday, February 28 (Czwartek)**

8:00AM †Susanna Slepokura r/o Bujak Family  
11:00AM †Lillian Zuza r/o Michael & Kathleen Gada & family

**Friday, March 1 (Piątek)**

11:00AM †Souls in Purgatory  
11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotion in English  
7:00PM †Zofia & Tomasz Cichon r/o daughter-in-law

**Saturday, March 2 (Sobota)**

8:00AM †Zofia Malinowski r/o Woznicki Family  
11:00AM †Jadwiga Kornacka r/o son  
6:00PM †Barbara Kaczowka r/o close friend

**Sunday, March 3 (Niedziela) – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

7:00AM †Julian Loin r/o wife & children  
8:30AM †M/M George Gazo Sr. r/o son, Joseph & family  
10:00AM For the People of the Parish  
11:30AM †Aleksander Kowalik r/o daughter & family  
5:00PM †Stefania Rzeszutek r/o son & family

**EXPOSITION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT**



**Saturday**

**8:30 – 9:00 AM**

**Our Lady of Częstochowa Chapel**



*While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white. And behold, two men were conversing with him, Moses and Elijah, who appeared in glory*

*and spoke of his exodus that he was going to accomplish in Jerusalem. - Lk 9:29-31*

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 24, 2013**

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17--4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36  
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Lk 6:36-38  
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Mt 23:1-12  
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28  
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31  
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46  
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

**2ND SUNDAY OF LENT**

In today's Gospel of the Transfiguration, the voice of God is heard, saying of Jesus, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." As we continue on our way through this season of Lent, our attention should be drawn more and more to the voice of Jesus. What is he saying to you? What are you doing to listen to him? Let our prayer today be for a heart more open to hearing what Jesus has to say to each of us.

Many of us have buried relatives or friends who have had an impact on our lives. Standing there in the funeral home or meditating at their grave, we can recall what they meant to us, how their words or actions touched us in some way, how what they did gave some shape to the person we are today. Often, it is only years later that we recognize in ourselves some of their own character.

Every year on the Second Sunday of Lent, we hear a version of the story of the transfiguration of Jesus. Matthew, Mark, and Luke each describe the experience in a rather similar fashion. But Luke adds something that the others leave out. As Jesus converses with Moses and Elijah who have appeared alongside him on the mountain, Luke says that they "spoke of his exodus that he was going to accomplish in Jerusalem." This is pure Lucan theology. Luke constructs his Gospel in such a way that Jesus is on his way to Jerusalem where he will accomplish the fulfillment of his Father's will through his death and resurrection. In doing so, he ushers in the era of the church on which the Holy Spirit is poured out, as a prelude to the triumph of the kingdom of God. For Luke, the exodus of Jesus in Jerusalem is his passover from death to life in the glory of the Resurrection. The Transfiguration is a glimpse of that glory.

In a way, at the top of that mountain, Peter, James, and John were already witnessing what could be the impact of this man in their lives. He was going to change everything. As he has done with us! During Lent we take some time to reflect on what the life and teaching of Jesus means to us. We don't stand at his grave, but at an empty tomb, and recall that the One who passed over from death to life holds that promise for us as well.

# FEBRUARY

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

**MEN & WOMEN NEEDED TO HELP MAKE PIEROGI** – 9AM and 6PM in the parish auditorium. Anyone can come. You do not need to be a Rosarian to help.

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28**

**CHOIR PRACTICE** – 7:30PM in the church.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 2**

**JESUS DAY RETREAT** for our First Communicants – 9AM parish auditorium. A parent meeting will be held in the cry room at 12 Noon.

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRACTICE** – 4-5PM in the church. NEW MEMBERS ARE VERY WELCOME.

**NEXT WEEKEND, MARCH 2 & 3**

**THE SECOND COLLECTION** taken up after Holy Communion will be for **CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL**. Please be generous.

**PARISH LENTEN MISSION IN ENGLISH BEGINS. THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO GET READY SPIRITUALLY FOR EASTER BY ATTENDING ALL THE SERVICES AND MAKING A GOOD CONFESSION. PLEASE ATTEND!**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 4**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY – 10AM**

**MAKE SURE YOU DON'T MISS IT!**

**MONTHLY BREAKFAST BUFFET** sponsored by our Altar Rosary Society – 8 – 11:30AM – parish auditorium. Come and enjoy! Only \$7 per person; children 8 and under FREE with a paying adult.

## Ogłoszenia Parafialne

**WTOREK, 26 LUTY**

Zapraszamy chętnych do pomocy przy robieniu pierogów o godz 9 AM i 6 PM w sali audytorium pod kościołem.

**NIEDZIELA, 3 MARZEC**

**Druga składka** zbierana po Komunii Św. będzie przeznaczona na Szkołę Chrystusa Króla. Prosimy o ofiarność!

**PRZYPOMNIENIE!**

**MSZA DZIECIĘCA – 10AM!**

**ZAPRASZAMY NA ŚNIADANIE PARAFIALNE 8-11.30.** Koszt: \$7 za osobę. Dzieci poniżej 8 roku życia jedzą zadarmo wraz z dorosłym, który zapłacił za swoje śniadanie.

**ROZPOCZĘCIE REKOLEKCJI ADWENTOWYCH** w języku angielskim.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

### LEKCJE KATECHEZY

**TUESDAY - WTOREK**

Grades 2 & 4 – 4:00 – 5:15PM

Klasy 2 i 4 od 16:00 do 17:15

Grades 7 & 8 – 5:30 – 6:45PM

Klasy 7 i 8 od 17:30 do 18:45

**WEDNESDAY - ŚRODA**

Grades 1 & 3 – 4:00 – 5:15PM

Klasy 1 i 3 od 16:00 do 17:15

Grades 5 & 6 – 5:30 – 6:45PM

Klasy 5 i 6 od 17:30 do 18:45

Children's Stations of the Cross will be held on Good Friday, March 29, 2013 at Sacred Heart Church at 10:00 am. Practices will be held on March 16<sup>th</sup> and March 23<sup>rd</sup> from 2:00 - 3:30 at Sacred Heart Church. If you would like to participate or have any questions, please contact Cherie Sharbaugh - 908-707-1839.

## MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE PAPACY OF POPE BENEDICT XVI

On Thursday, February 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen, Bishop Bootkoski will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving to celebrate the papacy of Pope Benedict XVI. A reception will follow in the Community Room beneath the Cathedral. All in the Diocese are invited. For more information, visit [diometuchen.org](http://diometuchen.org).

## *“All You Can Eat”*

### *Sliced Filet Mignon Dinner*

March 16, 2013 - V.F.W. Hall, Manville to benefit

Manville First Aid and Rescue Squad Dinner served promptly at 6:00PM.

Tickets are \$35 per person.

For tickets/information call 908-725-1246 or 908-725-2386 or any squad member. A limited number of tickets will be sold at the door.



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially:

Cecelia Bladzinski, John Bontempo, Vincent Chiusano, Mary Fromosky, Helen Gazo, Dorothy Gluch, Maryann Hughes, Raul Jaime, Estelle Kaminski, Stephen Kenosky, Theresa Kraska, Wiktoria Lach, Elizabeth Marino, Josephine Martens, Gloria Massarelli, John Nieliwocki, Hunter Norz, Dolores Novicky, Steven Pirello, Robert Petsko, John Scanlon, Albert Stanski, Richard Suydam, Zdzislaw Szczepanski, Jadwiga Terpilowski, Cindy Weigel, Joan Wilczek, Vincent Zujkowski, and Maria Zurawiecki.

**God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name. Amen.**



Our Men and Women in the Service

*Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially*

*Staff Sargeant Francis Fiduk III*

*Pvt. Christopher Foley*

*Sergeant Paul A. Incao*

*Captain James A. Jablonski Jr.*

*Staff Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC*

*Lieutenant Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.*

*PFC Steven Ubry*

*CMA Mark J. Walyga*

Please let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!

### Butter Lamb Order Form

\$5.00 each

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity \_\_\_\_\_

Pick-up on Saturday or Sunday – March 23/24. For more information call Dolores at 908-281-7267.

### DEVOTION SCHEDULE DURING LENT

Mass and Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help in English – Tuesday – 11:00AM.

Stations of the Cross in English – Tuesday – 7PM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & recitation of the Holy Rosary – Wednesday – 11:30AM

Mass and Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Polish – Wednesday – 7PM

Divine Mercy Devotion in English - Friday – 11:30AM

Stations of the Cross in Polish – Friday – 6:30PM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – Saturday – 8:30 – 9AM

Gorzkie Zale with Passion Sermon followed by Mass – Sunday – 5:00PM

### NEW PARISHIONERS

### NOWI PARAFIANIE

If you are new to the parish, and would like to become a parishioner, please take the time to register at the Parish Office. Daily office hours are noted in the parish bulletin. If needed, evening appointments are available. We look forward to hearing from you.

Jeśli uczęszczacie Państwo na msze św. do naszego kościoła i chcielibyście się zapisać do naszej parafii, proszeni jesteście o skontaktowanie się z biurem parafialnym. Godzinny otwarcia biura parafialnego są zamieszczone w każdym biuletynie parafialnym. Jeśli ktoś nie jest w stanie spotkać się w godzinach urzędowania specjalne spotkania są także do ustalenia wieczorami. Przypominamy, iż rejestracja i uczęszczanie na msze św. jest wymagane do wystawienia wszelkich zaświadczeń i poręczeń parafialnych a także w ustalaniu chrztów, ślubów i pogrzebów. Czekamy na wasz kontakt.

### MINISTRY TO THE HOSPITALIZED AND HOMEBOUND

Please notify the Parish Office if you or someone you know is ill in the hospital or homebound. It is your responsibility to let us know about these parishioners in order for us to provide an adequate spiritual ministry.

### DUSZPASTERSTWO LUDZI CHORYCH

Zwracamy się z uprzejmą prośbą o zgłoszenie do biura parafialnego swoich bliskich, którzy przebywają w szpitalu lub są obłożnie chorzy w domu. Jest to niezmiernie ważne dla nas byśmy mogli dotrzeć do tych parafian z posługą duszpasterską.

Please visit our parish website:  
[www.sacred-heart-church.org](http://www.sacred-heart-church.org)  
 up-to-date information,  
 schedules, church bulletins,  
 pictures from parish events  
 and much more...



Be sure to check out our video reflections on the Sunday Readings each week.

**“God’s Plan for Giving”**

**SUPPORTING SACRED HEART CHURCH**

The envelopes for the weekend of February 17, 2013 totaled:

6:00 PM .....	\$1,533.00
7:00 AM .....	\$ 387.00
8:30 AM .....	\$ 923.00
10:00 AM .....	\$1,534.00
11:30 AM .....	\$1,058.00
	<u>\$5,435.00</u>

**Offertory Collection for Feb. 16/17, 2013: \$5,435.00**

**Offertory Collection for Feb. 18/19, 2012: \$5,244.00**

**Children’s Contributions \$ 43.00**

Thank you for your generosity and support.  
May God bless you. Fr. Stan

**FROM THE PASTOR:** *“I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land as a possession.” (Genesis 15:7)*

Just as the Lord gave Abraham, Moses and the Israelites a land to possess, He has also given each of us a home. Whether our home is grand or humble, it is a gift from God. Abraham prepared a great sacrifice to the Lord in gratitude for the home God gave him. How do we show our gratitude to God for the home He has given us? Do we make a sacrifice of any kind? Do we return any of our finances to God, investing equally in our eternal home just as we invest in our current abode?

Fr. Stan

**OUR CHILDREN’S GIFTS TO SACRED HEART CHURCH**

Children’s Good Deeds:

Helped clean up after the Ash Wednesday Pierogi Dinner.	Jade
Helping my Mom clean the kitchen.	Michelle
Helping my parents.	Anna
I helped my Mom brush our dogs.	Abigail
Helped my Mom grocery shopping.	Sofia
I was good for the whole week.	Adam
I helped my Mom do the dishes.	Natalia
I cleaned up my mess.	Julia
I helped my brother do his homework.	Martin
I went sledding with my annoying friend.	Matthew
I helped my friend with her Math homework she was struggling with.	Novena
I helped my aunt with her babies.	Maria
Making cupcakes with Grammy.	Alex
I helped my Mom.	Jaden

**Important Parish Information**

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Rev. Mariusz Mazurkiewicz, C.Ss.R., Associate Pastor  
Rev. Slawomir Romanowski, C.Ss.R., Associate Pastor  
Deacon Bill Stefany

Mrs. Ann Straszewski, Parish Secretary;  
Mrs. Maribeth Thomaszfski, Cemetery Manager

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	(908) 707-1894
ALTAR-ROSARY SOCIETY	(908) 725-0072
CHURCH USHERS	(908) 685-1235
CHURCH AUDITORIUM	(908) 526-2305

**Office Hours**

Monday through Friday 9:00AM to 4:00PM  
Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointments

**Masses**

**Saturday Vigil Mass** 6:00PM (English)  
**Sunday Masses** English: 8:30AM & 10:00AM  
Polish: 7:00AM & 11:30AM  
**Weekdays** Monday, Tuesday and Thursday -  
8:00AM (Polish) & 11:00AM (English);  
Wednesday & Friday -  
11:00AM (English); 7:00PM (Polish)  
Saturday - 8:00AM (Polish) & 11:00AM &  
6:00PM (English);  
**Eve of Holy Day of Obligation** 6:00PM (English)  
**Holy Day of Obligation**  
English: 11:00AM  
Polish: 7:00PM  
**Sacrament of Penance (English & Polish)**  
**Saturday** 11:30AM to 12:30PM;  
4:45PM to 5:45PM

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