

THE CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

47 ISLAND ROAD • MAHWAH NEW JERSEY 07430

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2015

We Invite You to Share the Life of Our Parish Family.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES †

RITE OF RECONCILIATION

BAPTISMS: Last Sunday of each month, with instructions preceding.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: We are greatly concerned about the pastoral needs of the sick, the shut-ins, the elderly, the hospitalized. Please notify rectory of your needs.

TEACHING THE GOOD NEWS

CCD-Religious Education Program Adult Faith Formation Baptismal Instruction Classes Marriage Preparation Program

MARRIAGES: Contact rectory one year in advance.

PARISH REGISTRATION: Please contact rectory for registration cards, contribution envelopes, change of address, etc.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Weekends	Emergency calls only

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

All meeting times are announced.

- * Trustees (Norbert Rebain, Mary Molinelli)
- * Pastoral Advisory Council
- Rosary Society
- * Ministers of Hospitality
- Parish Choir
- * Special Ministers of the Eucharist
- * Youth Ministry
- * Spirituality Ministry
- * Altar Servers
- * Home Bound Ministers

DEVOTIONS

- † ROSARY: Saturdays after the 8:00am Mass
- † **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Fridays 12:30-6:00pm
- † MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: Mondays after 12:00Noon Mass

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Saturday, October 24, 2015

5:00PM Mary Kownacki by the Family

Sunday, October 25, 2015

The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Victor Poplawski

by the Family

9:00AM Stanislaw Zabrocki

by son. Waldemar

10:30AM Dad. Joseph Mendelsohn

by Barbara Owens & Family

12:00PM Irene Terminello

by Lydia Orlandi

Monday, October 26

For Our Parishioners and

8:00AM Anton Leahy by Mike & Barb Tyrell

Francesco & Filomena Matarazzo

by Bill & Eileen Matarazzo

12:00PM Jan Augustun by Phyllis Sokol

Veronica Quinn by the Gerling Family

Tuesday, October 27

8:00AM Gary Puent by Joan & Sean O'Connell

Arthur DiCrocco by Mom

12:00PM Rose Leahy

by Lee & Larry Janek & Family

Sharon Randall

by Vincent Lisi & Family

Wednesday, October 28

8:00AM Michele Szwed by the Family

12:00PM Edward Delicato

by Catherine Delicato

Father Patrick Rice

by Jane & Peter Rice

John Dempsey by Frances Backus

Thursday, October 29

8:00AM Ted Bruchalski

by Lee (Janisheski) Deal & Family

12:00PM Ed Sinclair by the Villanos

Florence Wanamaker

by AnneMarie Sochulak

Friday, October 30

8:00AM Happy Birthday Fr. Jacek! by the Parish

12:00PM John Bonazzo by Anne Suleski

Brian Slicker

by Eleanora Swingle & Family

Saturday, October 31

8:00AM Joseph Orsini

by Elizabeth Zima & Patrick Cottrell

Margaret Bruce by Don & Kay Bruce

Rosie Lopez by Radel Trojan

Saturday, October 31

5:00PM Florence Quinn by Anne Suleski



Sunday, November 1 All Saints Day

Daylight Savings Time Ends

7:30AM Anne Stricker

by Teresa & James Sun

9:00AM Joseph Kownacki

by Emily Kownacki

10:30AM William Backus

by wife. Frances

12:00PM Maria Malzone

by Ed Pretko

Memorial Candles

Blessed Mother (Sanctuary Candle)

In Thanksgiving for Blessings received.
From Pascal & Darly Joseph

St. Joseph (Sanctuary Candle)

In memory of Arthur DiCrocco

From Mom & Dad

Sacred Heart (Devotional Alcove)

In memory of **Cynthia**, my loving wife From husband, Ed Plicinski

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS

For those who are ill: Michael Helms, Christine

Sanese-Brett, Joan Malone, JoAnn Best, Stella Moran, Paul Mayer, Jaclyn Best, Helen Kelly, Nora Dempsey, Tara Arbia, Peter Rice, Maryann Titko, Theresa White, John LaPlaca,

Rob Brembt, James and Barbara Straut, Ruth Stager, Eleanora Swingle, Frances Konior, Irene Calotta, Gabrieile DiCarlo, Mary Gisonno, Carol Zarcone.

(Names on the sick list will be on five (5) weeks. If you wish to leave them on longer, call the rectory weekdays, 9:00AM-5:00PM.)

For the recently deceased: Anna Garbowski, Anne

For the

Stricker, Jack Baxter, Florence Micik, Anton Leahy, Priscilla Binko, Joseph Kotos, Thomas Skerry, Irena Ceglinska, John Kelly, Anna Krupinski, Gilda DiDomenico, Francesco Matarazzo, Christina Wyszomirski, Frederico

Chacon, Joseph Kuzmik, Rose Leahy, Ed Sinclair, Bozena Niepostyn, Brian Slicker, Eileen Connelly, Anthony Fontana, Florence Wanamaker, Helena Marut, Joseph Szwerc, John Dempsey, Marilyn Jasonczak, Ted Bruchalski, Gabriel Wolanski, Stanley Zembriski, John Sinclair, Stanislaw Wrzesien, Anthony Suleski.



As I began to write this message earlier in the week I recognized that the beginning of cold nights and cold mornings brought into reality that our wonderful summer and autumn days are soon to be behind us! Next Sunday, Nov. Ist, we will also turn our clocks back and end Daylight Savings Time – another sign of the new season that soon will be upon us. Next Sunday is also a special day in that we will celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints – remembering all the Saints – known and unknown to us – who now enjoy the glory of heaven. Followed by All Soul's Day on Monday, Nov. 2nd, we will celebrate a special Mass of Remembrance on Monday evening, at 7pm, for all souls, and especially those who have passed away this year from our Parish. Mark your calendars - all families and friends are invited!

Moving to today's Gospel of Mark though, we hear the story of Bartimaeus, a blind man, sitting by the roadside, begging, and crying out "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me." He is shouting so persistently to Jesus that the crowd is embarrassed by this public display. However, Bartimaeus's hope in Jesus proved more powerful than their objections. The very people who tried to suppress him were sent to tell him to take courage because Jesus was calling him. He continued to shout out, "Son of David, have pity on me!" Jesus asked, "What do you want me to do for you?" and the blind man replied, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you."

We all suffer from blindness of one kind or another because we fail to see things as Jesus does. Bartimaeus showed faith that many of the disciples had been failing to achieve. Asking for healing rather than money, he responded to Jesus with insight and courage to become a follower and joined Him on His journey.

I want to thank everyone for their generosity to the New Hope Pregnancy Center collection from last weekend. I received the following nice note from *Marilyn Laquidara*:

"Thank you for the invitation to your parish, to be able to get the message to Parishioners about New Hope services, and for the allowing of the basket collection. We collected in total \$1,667 – thanks to your wonderful Parish and their generosity. You are very blessed with a great group of people who serve your church!

Please read our Bulletin carefully this weekend for an update on our Jubilee Celebration Parish Events for November. All are invited to these special events - both social as well as spiritual – and I promise you – you will find them rich and rewarding individually and for your families!

Have a wonderful week and a safe Halloween (also known as All Hallow's Eve!)

God Bless You. Fr. Jacek

Recent Collections

Sunday Collection \$4,606.00 Second Collection \$2.300.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

October-November Parish Events Calendar

October 25 Youth Choir Sings 12:00 Noon October 27 "Old Testament" Bible Study

Convent Building 7:00PM Session 4

October 28 Rosary **7:00pm English**October 30 Rosary **6:00pm Polish**November 1 Feast of All Saints

All Saints Day Breakfast!

November 2 Feast of all Souls

Please join your fellow parishioners,



"All of Us - Saints in the Making" for "All Saints Day Breakfast" Sunday November 1, 2015.

Breakfast items will be available after each Mass for your enjoyment. Volunteers are welcome to provide a

saintly atmosphere. If you are able to donate your time or breakfast goods, please call 201-529-3517. We'd love to hear from you! **Goodwill Offerings gladly accepted**.

Centennial 50/50 - Fundraising

The focus of the fund-raising committee is to support the parish's centennial events.



By keeping costs minimal we hope to encourage greater participation bringing together parishioners of all ages – continuing to build a faith community. The sale of the raffle tickets, recently received in the mail, will help sponsor the many centennial events being planned. You are encouraged to sell them to family and friends so the profits from the **Centennial** 50/50 will benefit the winners and ultimately the parish.

A wide range of family oriented events open to all is our goal and only you can make this possible **Remember...**

You gotta be in it - To win it!

ONE SUNDAY FOR THE WHOLE WORLD "It's Our World on Mission".

Is the theme for Mission Sunday 2015. "As you did it to one of these the lease of my brethren, you did it to me." Your generous donation totaling \$2,300.00 helps the poorest of the poor receive education and health care in the 1150 diocese supported by the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Thank you for your generosity.

November Calendar of Jubilee Events

November 1 All Saints Day Breakfast November 2 All Souls Day Mass 7:00pm.

Special Remembrance of those who died this past year.

November 7 Retreat Day for Ministry Groups
November 8 Joyce Kilmer Presentation
November 9 The Gospel of Luke Bible Study

Mondays (6 weeks) 8:30am & 7:00pm

November 11 Healing Mass 12:00 Noon

November 21 International Night Dinner Dance

November 22 Inter-Religious Thanksgiving Prayer

Service 2:00pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

every Friday 12:30-6:00pm

We have loved them during life let us not abandon them, until we have conducted them by our prayers

into the house of the Lord." Saint Ambrose

I invite you to join our Parish Family in remembering your beloved deceased relatives and friends during the month of November. The names of the Holy Souls will be placed on our Altar and remembered at each Mass. If you do not receive envelopes, you may pick one up at the church doors. Please write the names of persons you want remembered and return them in the collection baskets or at the rectory **for November remembrance**.

IHM YOUTH GROUP MEETING



Sunday November 1, 2015 6-8 pm in the gym.

All 8-12 grade students are invited.

Join us for faith, fun and friendship!

An **Eagle Scout** is the highest achievement or rank attainable in the Scouting program of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA). The designation "Eagle Scout" has a long history since its founding over one hundred years ago. Among the many requirements is a demonstration of service and leadership to an extensive service project that the Scout plans, organizes, leads, and manages.

Chris Bonura completed his leadership project here at IHM. The focus of his project was to clean-up the area behind the school and turn it into a garden. After many dedicated hours, the area has been transformed. Thanks you, Chris, (and his mentors), for choosing IHM. A job well done!



The Youth Choir is scheduled to sing on **Sunday October 25, 2015 12:00Noon** Practice is held one hour before Mass,