



Saint Ladislaus Roman Catholic Church Hempstead, NY



Rev. Piotr Rozek, Pastor

Rev. Robert Wolosik, Associate Pastor

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM (Eng.)

Sunday: 8 AM (Eng.); 9:30 AM (Pol.);

4:00 PM (Span.)

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 is celebrated on weekends.

Baptisms will be celebrated *during* the following Masses: 5PM Saturday Vigil Mass (Eng.), Sunday 8AM (Eng.) 9:30AM(Polish), or 4PM (Spanish). (*Note:* Baptisms during the 4PM Spanish Mass are celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month.) Parents who want to arrange a Baptism need to come to the rectory office and provide the child's birth certificate. Parents of first children are required to receive instruction prior to the baptism. Those chosen as Godparents must be practicing, Confirmed Catholics whose lives reflect a commitment to the Catholic faith and to the role of Godparent. All Godparents need to obtain a document of sponsorship from the parish *where they are registered members*.

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 after the 7:30 AM Mass in English; 7:30 PM in Polish.

Gorzkie Żale on Sundays in Lent

following the 9:30 AM Polish Mass.

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Parish office hours:

Monday, Tuesday: 12 Noon until 4 PM

Wednesday, Friday: 1 PM until 5 PM

Saturday: 9AM until 1PM

The office is closed on Thursdays and Sundays.

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DECEMBER 25, 2022: THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 24, 2022:

7:30 am Janina Charyton (Joan Cascio)

8:30 am Roraty

5:00 pm God's birthday blessings for Bernadette Gonzalez

Sunday, December 25, 2022

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS)

12:00 am Midnight Mass For the Parishioners

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

9:30 am Novena 1

4:00 pm (Spanish)....

Monday, December 26, 2022

Saint Stephen, The First Martyr

7:30 am Novena 2

7:30 pm (Pol)

Tuesday, December 27, 2022

Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist

7:30 am Novena 3

Wednesday, December 28, 2022

The Holy Innocents, Martyrs

7:30 am Novena 4

Thursday, December 29, 2022

Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord

Saint Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr

7:30 am Novena 5

Friday, December 30, 2022

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

7:30 am Novena 6

Living and deceased members of the McGuire, Bremer, Ravenna, and McCullagh Families

Saturday, December 31, 2022

Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord

Saint Sylvester 1, Pope

7:30 am Novena 7

5:00 pm +Anastazja, Stanislaw, & Ryszard Hnetecki (Mira & John Pitrowski)

+Monsignor Edward Wawerski, in anticipation of the First Anniversary of his passing (Robert Wisgo)

Sunday, January 1, 2023

8:00 am **SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD; THE OCTAVE DAY OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD; World Day of Prayer for Peace**

9:30 am (Pol) +Janina Charyton (Holy Rosary Society)

+Rena and John Pitrowski;

+Anastazja, Stanislaw, & Ryszard Hnetecki (Mira & John Pitrowski)

4:00 pm (Span.).....



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Mon.: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Mt 10: 17-22

Tues.: 1 Jn 1:1-4; Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Wed.: 1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Mt 2:13-18

Thurs.: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35

Fri.: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17; Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

Sat.: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Jn 1:1-18

Next Sunday: Nm 6:22-27/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21



It is no wonder that the hymn “Silent Night” has remained so familiar and beloved since it was first introduced in 1818. Its melody is hauntingly beautiful, evocative of a sense of calm and gentleness. “Silent night, holy night”... lyrics sung with tenderness. Images of the manger scene immediately come to mind and fill us with a “heavenly peace.” The beauty of this scene is magnified by its simplicity. While the world is filled with holiday decorations loud with color, we can listen to a hymn that takes us to a world of quiet, a world of holiness. We long to have a lasting image of this humble home, this little world that emits a warm glow. This is the scene before which people kneel and pray and sense the wonder of the Nativity.



The Gift that Changed the World

Monday, December 26:
THE FEAST of SAINT STEPHEN
7:30 am Mass in English
7:30 pm Mass in Polish



Through my prayer and blessing, I offer everyone my best wishes. May the God of infinite goodness, who by the Incarnation of his Son has driven darkness from the world, and by that glory Birth has illumined this most holy day, drive far from you the darkness of vice and illumine your hearts with the light of virtue. *Amen*

May God, who willed that the great joy of his Son's saving Birth be announced to shepherds by the Angel, fill your minds with the gladness he gives and make you heralds of his Gospel. *Amen*.

And may God, who by the Incarnation brought together the earthly and heavenly realm, fill you with the gift of his peace and favor and make you Sharers with the Church in heaven. *Amen*.

As your Pastor, on behalf of our priests and the entire parish team, I wish all of you a Happy, Blessed, and Merry Christmas.

Father Piotr Rozek, Your Pastor

Poprzez moją modlitwę i błogosławieństwo składam Wam wszystkim moje najlepsze życzenia. Bóg nieskończonej dobroci, który przez wcielenie swojego Syna rozprasza ciemności tego świata i przez chwalebne narodzenie napędza światłem ten dzień +, niech oddali od was ciemności grzechu i oświeci wasze serca światłem łaski. *Amen*. Bóg, który posłał Aniołów, aby zwiastowali pasterzom wesołą nowinę +, niech napędzi Wasze dusze radością i uczyni Was głosicielami Ewangelii. *Amen*.

Bóg, który przez wcielenie swojego Syna związał ziemię z niebem +, niech Wam udzieli darów pokoju i swojej miłości, abyście się stali uczestnikami społeczności świętych w niebie. *Amen* Jako wasz Ksiądz Proboszcz w imieniu naszych księży i całego zespołu parafialnego życzę Radosnych i Błogosławionych Świąt Bożego Narodzenia. Modłę się o wspaniałe Święta.
Ks. Piotr Rozek, Wasz Pastor



**Please pray for ...
the sick,
the vulnerable,
the homebound,
the homeless,
the persecuted,
the unborn, refugees,
victims of violence,
and all in need of
prayer.**



The holidays are challenging for those who have lost a loved one. Let us pray for those who are grieving during the Christmas season. We may be the ones who offer comfort by listening with patience and understanding. Let us tap into the special gifts that lie within each of us and **share**.

During this joyous season, we are mindful to pray for those who, in service to our country, cannot be home for the holidays.



CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL UPDATE
Please note: All pledges for the 2022 campaign must be made by December 31st. You have until January 31st to pay the balance of your pledge.



For unto us is born this day a Savior!
In response to so great a love, only the gift of my whole self will do.
You have given Yourself, dear Lord; in love and thanksgiving, I commit myself to You.

Let us pray that, as attentive stewards, we adore God's greatest gift, Jesus, by gratefully sharing our own gifts in service to our neighbor and the wider community.



