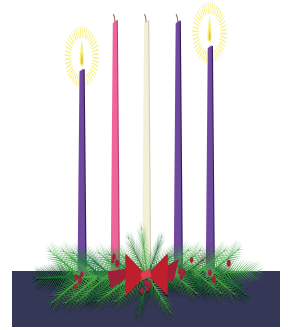


Saint Ladislaus Roman Catholic Church Hempstead, NY



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: currently at 9AM (English),
 7:30 PM (Polish)
 First Friday: 7:30 AM,*currently at 9AM;
 7:30 PM (Polish)
 Weekdays: 7:30 AM* (currently 9AM) (Mon. to Fri.)
 Saturday: 7:30 AM* (currently 9AM); 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 PM
 First Friday: currently 8:30 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 in English every Friday after the morning Mass; 7:30 PM in Polish
 Gorzkie Zale on Sundays in Lent following the 9:30AM Polish Mass



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Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday: 12 Noon until 4 PM
 Wednesday, Friday: 1 PM until 5 PM
 Saturday: 9 AM until 1 PM

The office is closed on Thursdays and Sundays.

Parish Secretary: Mrs. Joan Cascio

Email: joan@stladislaus.church

Church Music Director/Organist:

Mr. Glenn Gabayan



DECEMBER 10, 2023: SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 9, 2023

Saint Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin

9:00 am Special intentions of Anna Marie
5:00 pm +Fred and Lillian Severino (Daughter Joan);
- In thanksgiving to Saint Joseph for
Reginald DeVilme (Rose De Vilme, Mother)

Sunday, December 10, 2023: **SECOND SUNDAY of ADVENT**

8:00 am Gentile and Pisciotto family members, living and
deceased
9:30 am +Rev. Edward Wawerski
+Rev. John Siebor
4:00 pm Spanish Mass

Monday, December 11, 2023

Saint Damasus I, Pope

9:00 am Special intentions of Anna Marie

Tuesday, December 12, 2023

USA: Our Lady of Guadalupe

9:00 am +Msgr. James McDonald (Edwin Moreno-Murillo)

Wednesday, December 13, 2023

Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr

9:00 am Holy souls in Purgatory and all unborn babies

Thursday, December 14, 2023

Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church

9:00 am +Rev. John Siebor

Friday, December 15, 2023

9:00 am +Deceased members of the Severino family (J.Cascio)

Saturday, December 16, 2023

9:00 am +George and Wilhelmina Bodee and family
members, living and deceased
5:00 pm +Rev. Edward Wawerski
+Rev. Stanley Kondeja

Sunday, December 17: **THIRD SUNDAY of ADVENT;
GAUDETE SUNDAY**

8:00 am Living and deceased members of the Gentile and
Pisciotta families
9:30 am +Adam Chichel (Daughter)
O Blogoslawienstwo Boze dla Michala w
21 urodziny
4:00 pm Spanish Mass

Prepare
the way
of the
LORD.
ISAIAH 40:3

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Mon: Is 35:1-10; Lk 5:17-26

Tues.: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a;
12:1-6a, 10ab; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47

Wed.: Is 40:25-31; Mt 11:28-30

Thurs.: Is 41:13-20; Mt 11:11-15

Fri.: Is 48:17-19; Mt 11:16-19

Sat.: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Next Sun: Is 61:1-2a, 10-11; 1 Thes 5:16-24;
Jn 1:6-8, 19-28



We pray: Almighty ever-living God, as You see Your faithful eagerly awaiting the Nativity of the Lord, enable us to prepare a fitting place in our heart and homes for the Prince of Peace. Grant us the spirit of commitment needed to make straight our paths to holiness. *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.*

Reflection: Which of my "rough paths" do I need to make smooth as I prepare for the feast of Christ's nativity?



*We await the
birth of
Christ, the
Prince of
Peace.*

Pope Francis' December Prayer Intention: For Persons with Disabilities

We pray that people living with disabilities may be at the center of attention in society, and that institutions may offer inclusive programs that value their active participation.



John the Baptist calls for repentance. Repentance follows an acknowledgement of sins that we have committed. As

Catholics, we are able to distinguish between *sins* and *mistakes*. This Advent let us pray that John the Baptist's message prompts us to make a careful examination of conscience before seeking the grace of conversion that makes us good disciples and faith stewards.

Oh Mary, Mother of Jesus
and Mother of Life,
We honor you as
Our Lady of Guadalupe.
Thank you for pointing us
to Jesus your Son,
The only Savior and
hope of the world.
Renew our hope in him,
That we all may have the courage
to say Yes to life!

- from the Novena Prayer for Life
to Our Lady of Guadalupe

**Feast of
Our Lady of Guadalupe**
December 12th

DIOCESE of ROCKVILLE CENTRE
Office of Human Life,
Family and Bioethics



This weekend we collect for the Retirement Fund for Religious.

We ask that you please donate to this fund. Your gift will provide essential care for nearly 25,000 senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests who have dedicated their lives to serving others. Their service in prayer, ministry, education, and caring for those in need was usually for little or no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. As they age, they require physical care and medications. **Please give generously.**

CONGRATULATIONS
AND BEST WISHES TO
FR. PIOTR ROZEK
ON THE OCCASION
OF THE
35TH
ANNIVERSARY
OF HIS PRIESTLY
ORDINATION
December 10th 1988

**10AM Friday mornings in December:
(15th and 22nd).**

Bishop Andrzej will offer online Advent Reflections on Scripture readings with special emphasis on Mary, Joseph, and Jesus. To register, call Suzanne @ (516) 744-6850; email: westernvicariate@drvc.org.

The Saint Ladislaus Holy Rosary Society will host a Card Party and Games social event today, December 10th, at 3PM. Come to the rectory meeting room for an afternoon of fun, fellowship, coffee, and baked treats. Admission is only \$5. All are welcome!



PEACE PEACE PEACE

