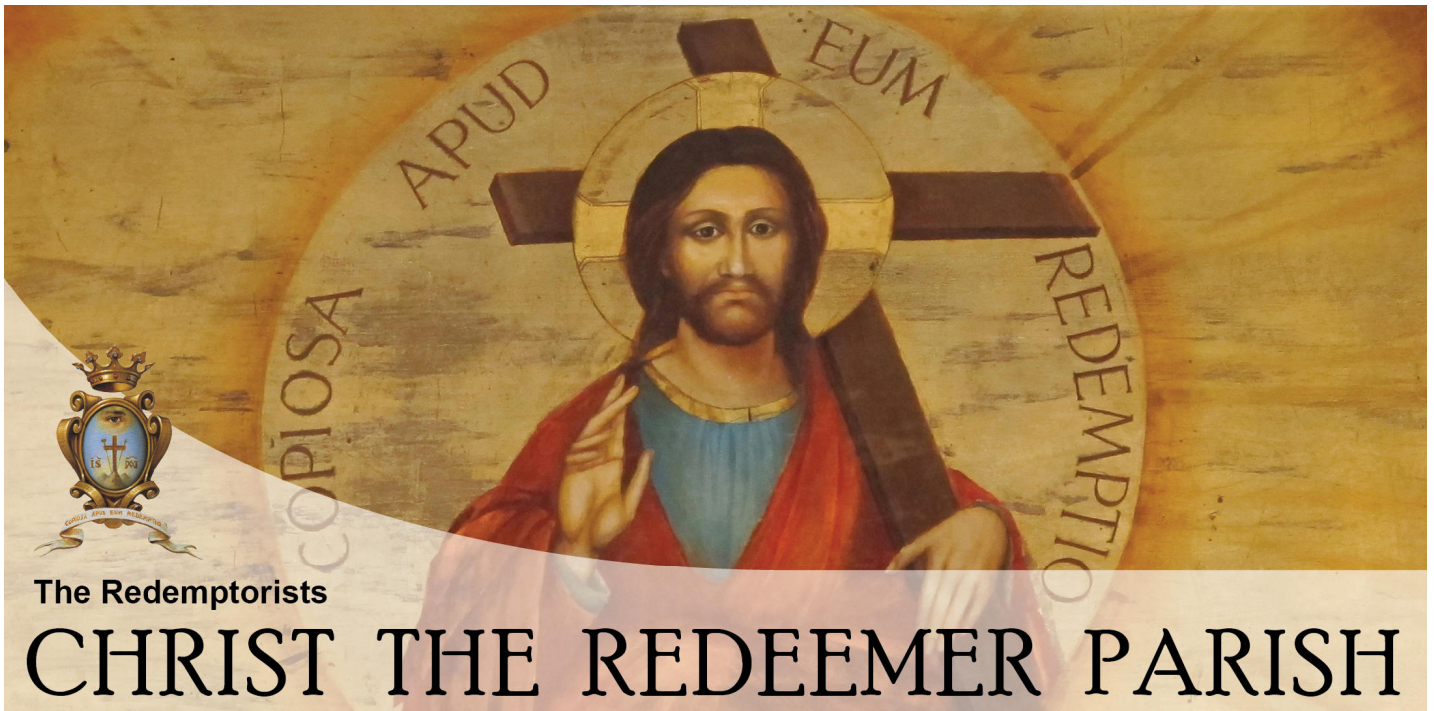


January 15, 2023

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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"Now I have seen and testified that he is the
Son of God." - Jn 1:34

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sacred Heart Worship Site

SATURDAY 8:30 - 9:00 AM

(*Our Lady of Czestochowa Chapel*)

SATURDAY 4:00 - 4:45 PM

CONFESSION

(*English & Polish*)

WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

6:30 - 7:00 PM

SATURDAY

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

4:00 - 4:50 PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Thursday 10:00AM to 3:00PM.

Office closed on Fridays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, January 16 (Poniedziałek)

8:00AM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family
11:00AM †Emilia Slaby r/o Ewa Malkin & family

Tuesday, January 17 (Wtorek) - Anthony

8:00AM †Ewa Buehl r/o husband, Michal
11:00AM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family
11:30AM OLPH Novena in English

Wednesday, January 18 (Środa)

11:00AM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family
11:30AM Exposition and Rosary
7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish

Thursday, January 19 (Czwartek)

8:00AM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family
11:00AM †Jan Pasek r/o granddaughter, Janina Grzeczkwicz

Friday, January 20 (Piątek) - Fabian & Sebastian

11:00AM †Matilda Zwerko r/o Greg & Lois
7:00PM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family

Saturday, January 21 (Czwartek) - Agnes

8:00AM †Michal & Czeslawa Gnap r/o Patko Family
11:00AM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family
5:00PM †Johnny O'Sullivan r/o Reilly Family

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 22 (Piątek)

7:00 AM †Peter Zurawiecki r/o family
9:00 AM †John Tomasko r/o Panfile Family
†Joseph Jaworsky Jr. r/o family
Health of Ryan McKee r/o mom & family
†Mathias Wuetric h r/o friends
For the People of the Parish
11:30 AM †Living & Deceased Members of the Blessed Virgin Mary Society

John testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

- Jn 1:32-34

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

When I was a kid, I remember the priest at Mass announcing, "The Lamb of God!" Frankly, it struck me as nonsense. I thought: Why in the world does God have a lamb? And where is this lamb?

John the Baptist sees Jesus coming toward him and announces, "**Behold the lamb of God.**" His Jewish listeners knew what he meant. God's lamb is the thing that is sacrificed at the Jewish Passover and consumed by the participants. For almost a thousand years, lambs were ritually slaughtered and eaten in Jerusalem at Passover. The lamb meant sacrifice, freedom from sin, and communion with God. The Baptist is saying in effect, "This man will be ritually sacrificed and consumed so that God's people may be free from sin and united to God."

It's crucial to relate to Jesus as a friend, brother, teacher, and Lord of our lives. But we should also learn to interact with Him as our lamb of God. That means we intentionally place on him our sins, sadnesses, and hopes, and offer him to God. Then we consume him to make us free. This is what we do at every Mass. That's why he is the Lamb of God.

— Father John Muir



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

To be a community of love, a family that joyfully proclaims and bears witness to the Gospel, and which serves the poor and one another.

This Week

MONDAY, JANUARY 16

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED DUE TO THE HOLIDAY. In case of an emergency, please call 908-725-0072.

GUITAR CLASSES FOR CHILDREN - 5:15PM followed by Children's Polish Choir at 6PM.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES - Christ the King Catholic Center - 5:30 - 6:45PM.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18

ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE - 7:30PM in Sacred Heart Church.

NEXT WEEKEND, JANUARY 21 & 22

THE SECOND COLLECTION taken up after Holy Communion will be for Catholic Education. Please be generous.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

PONIEDZIAŁEK, 16 STYCZEŃ

BIURO PARAFIALNE JEST ZAMKNIĘTE. W RAZIE POTRZEBY PROSZĘ DZWONIĆ NA NUMER PARAFIALNY 908-725-0072

LEKCJE GITARY - godz. 15.15; próba polskiej scholii dziecięcej - godz. 18.00.

WTOREK, 17 STYCZEŃ

KATECHEZA - Christ the King Catholic Center - 5:30-6:45PM.

NIEDZIELA, 22 STYCZEŃ

DRUGA SKŁADKA, po Komunii świętej, będzie przeznaczona na Catholic Education. Prosimy o ofiarność!

Please visit our parish website:

www.ctrmanville.com

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. This week Barbara Porter will be presenting the reflections and in two weeks Ted Petrock will be the presenter. Have parish newsletter delivered to your email. Sign up for our newsletter on the website.

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS MINISTRY

Will there be a Priest for you when you really need one? Under the heading *Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule* you probably noticed in the parish bulletin the names of those who committed to say a prayer on a specific day of every month for priestly vocations. Since the year 2007, in response to an initiative of bishop Paul Bootkowski, parishioners in Manville and elsewhere have been participating in a ministry of regularly praying for vocations to the priesthood and other forms of religious life. Being part of this program simply involves to commit to pray on a specific day of each month asking God to grant an increase in the number of faithful to commit to become a priest, deacon, or other religious. Your prayer can be said at home, during work, or in the church if you so incline, and it can be English, Spanish, Polish, or any other language, Heaven will understand.

This list has been maintained since the beginning of 2008 but due to the turmoil of our life, it must be periodically updated. People have moved on to other parishes, or to the Sacred Heart or other cemeteries, i.e., hopefully to Heaven. Again, we need to update the list and we are asking you to consider to be part of this simple program by signing up, adding your name to it. A signup 'calendar' is in the foyer with post-it strips, please write your name on one and attach it to the day you like.



Track Your Giving in 2022!

Have you considered using online giving? By creating a login and contributing online you'll always have a report of your giving history available. You can access your report easily and securely via the web, and your information will always be up-to-date with your latest contributions. You can find the online giving link on www.ctrmanville.com.

**SUPPORT LOCAL
BUSINESSES**



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

January 15, 2023

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/
Jn 1:29-34

Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c/
Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/
Mk 3:7-12

Friday: Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/
Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/
Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/
1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

The daily Scripture references are printed here. If you find it helpful and have internet access, you can find the complete Daily Scripture Readings at <http://www.usccb.org/nab/>.

The Christ the Redeemer collection for the weekend of December 25, 2022

Offertory	\$ 8,352.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 5,643.00
Children's Donations	\$ 39.00
Christmas	\$ 10,388.00
Immaculate Conception	\$ 198.00
On-line Giving	\$ 3,292.00
Total	\$ 27,912.00

the weekend of January 1, 2023

Offertory	\$ 4,851.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 1,038.00
Children's Donations	\$ 18.00
Initial Offering	\$ 1,742.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 1,680.00
On-line Giving	\$ 1,884.00
Total	\$ 11,213.00

the weekend of January 8, 2023

Offertory	\$ 4,837.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 5,016.00
Children's Donations	\$ 35.00
On-line Giving	\$ 2,068.00
Total	\$ 11,213.00
Together in Charity	\$ 1,504.00

Thank you for your generosity and support. May God bless you. r. tan

"Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb..." Isaiah 49:5

God have given each of us different gifts. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and become the saint that God is calling you to be.

Holy Name Society

On the 3rd day of January we will be celebrating the Feast of the **Most Holy Name of Jesus**. Jesus is the name given to Christ, our Redeemer, a name mandated by Heaven and adored by the Church since its very beginning. Apostle Paul wrote: "...*God highly exalted Him and bestowed on him the name above every other name, so that at Jesus' name every knee must bend...*" (Philippians 2:9) In the 13th century Pope Pius IV initiated the formation of the **Holy Name Society** to promote respect for the Holy Name and to serve the Church as needed.

In past one hundred years the Holy Name Society was vitally functioning in the two catholic parishes of Manville. But in recent years it fell on hard times and is in need of new life. To initiate renewal, the Holy Name Society of the Christ the Redeemer Parish in Manville will hold its first 2023 meeting on Monday, January 2nd in the John Neumann building. Every adult member of our parish is invited, ladies as well as men. Find out what the HNS is and what it could be. Let's explore how could it help our individual spiritual growth and how could it help our parish to strive.

OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH

My Good Deed was when I:

helped my brother clean up the Connect Four set.	Logan
helped with dinner.	Julia
helped cook dinner.	Nina
cleaned up my toys without my parent asking.	Logan
welcomed a new student.	Nicholas
helped my mom clean up toys.	Julia

Don't forget to put your first & last name and grade on your envelope.

Parish Cemetery



Our cemetery crew will begin removing Christmas decorations on January 30th. Please remove anything you wish to keep before then. (weather permitting)

Obsługa naszego parafialnego cmentarza będzie zbierać świąteczne dekoracje do końca miesiąca. Aby zachować te rzeczy prosimy je wcześniej zabrać.

We have pierogi for sale (\$12 per dozen) in the parish office during regular business hours.



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Edwina Andreyko, Toni Antonelli, Evelyn

Appenzeller, Cheryl Argento, John Bartley, Thelma Bartus, Andrew Bartushak, Jean Batula, Elizabeth Bednarczyk, Claire Biagini, Pat Bohar, Harold Bok, Shawn Brickley, Denise Buanano, Lorraine Burkoski, Marylou & Jason Cebula, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, Bill and Denise Davidson, Dolores DeFazio, Marge Demski, Mary Evancho, Malcolm Ferraira, Maureen Femiano, Lou Fischer, Kathryn, Debbie, Madison & Michael Fisne, Valerie Frank, Nancy Franklin, Karter Fridlund, Marian Gano, Helen Gazo, Helen Gilmore, Christopher Gregor, Frank Honkisz, Maryann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Maria Inglot, Raul Jaime, Lucy Jankowski-McClure, Waclaw & Stanley Jasinski, Kim Jenkins, Dennis Koslowski, Ann Marie Kotch, Theresa Kraska, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Ken Lake, Janice Lalley, Donna Lawler, Ann Marie Lazor-Shapiro, Judy Lentzsch, Antoinette Leotti, Cheyenne Liccardi, Rachel Lukacs, Jerry Mamola, Dottie Mesaris, Veronika Mleczo, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Joyce Nipps, Hunter Norz, James O'Reilly Jr., Brian, Robert & John Parlier, Irene Pastula, Dora Perna, Barbara Perone, Frank Piccano, Steven Pirello, Joseph G. & Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Ava & Steve Quintana, Marcelle Reed, Laura Rodaman, Marie Rogusky, Jr., Cindi Shandor, Michael Sheehan, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaight, John Smolinski, Charlotte Snow, Albert Stanski, Deacon Bill Stefany, Steve Szabo, Gertrude Szczecina, Michelle Tranter, Helen Turiano, David Urban, Frances & Barry Viola, Irena Walczak, Ramona Walsh, Mark Waugh, Cindy Weigel, Cathy Wildgust, Raymond Wisniewski, Veronica Wolenski, Brett Wood, Michael Zamorsky, Margaret & Mark Zujkowski, Maria Zurawiecki and Regina Zydalis.

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

Airman Thomas Caswell

SPC Christopher Elsen

PFC Joshua Hussey

Lieutenant Colonel James A. Jablonski Jr.

Master Sergeant Kimberly Kaminski USAF

Airman Michael Edward Kassick III

Master Sergeant Michael John Lamonica USAF

Captain John Limyansky USAF

First Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC

Airman Jason Pikula USAF

SR Jerry Lee Rogalski

Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.

PFC Steven Ubry

Technical Sergeant Lindsay Zaccardi USAF

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!

The Knights of Columbus Saint Jude Council # 6573



Council Meeting: Council Meetings are held monthly on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:00 pm; Saint John Neumann Center

Recruiting: Catholic men 18+ are invited to reach out to Chester Makowski (chester.makowski@gmail.com) or

approach any of the brother knights.

Bible Study: Prayerful study and discussion of the Kings (first and second books) will begin October 27, 2022 and continue on Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.. All sessions will take place at the Saint John Neumann Center. The study of the word of God is critical in our modern age. All are welcome to join.

Clothing Drive - March 11th - 9AM - 12 noon - St. John Neumann Center.

Facebook updates provided at <https://www.facebook.com/kofc6573biblestudy/>



The next **ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY MASS** will be said on **January 15th at 9:00AM - 8:30AM Rosary.**

The next **FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS** to Our Lady of Fatima will take place on **February 4th at 11:30PM.**

Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

Sunday: Marylou Cebula
Monday: Jane Biago
Tuesday: Elizabeth Urookiay
Wednesday: Lala Llarena
Thursday: Mirna Gonzalez
Friday: Laurie Christie
Saturday: Marianne Kenton



Thank you for your continued support of Caritas. January is SOUP MONTH. Please drop off your cans or boxes of soup in the containers in the vestibule or the parish office. The Caritas Team also collect monetary donations and on-line through our church website.

Thank you for your anticipated support.

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