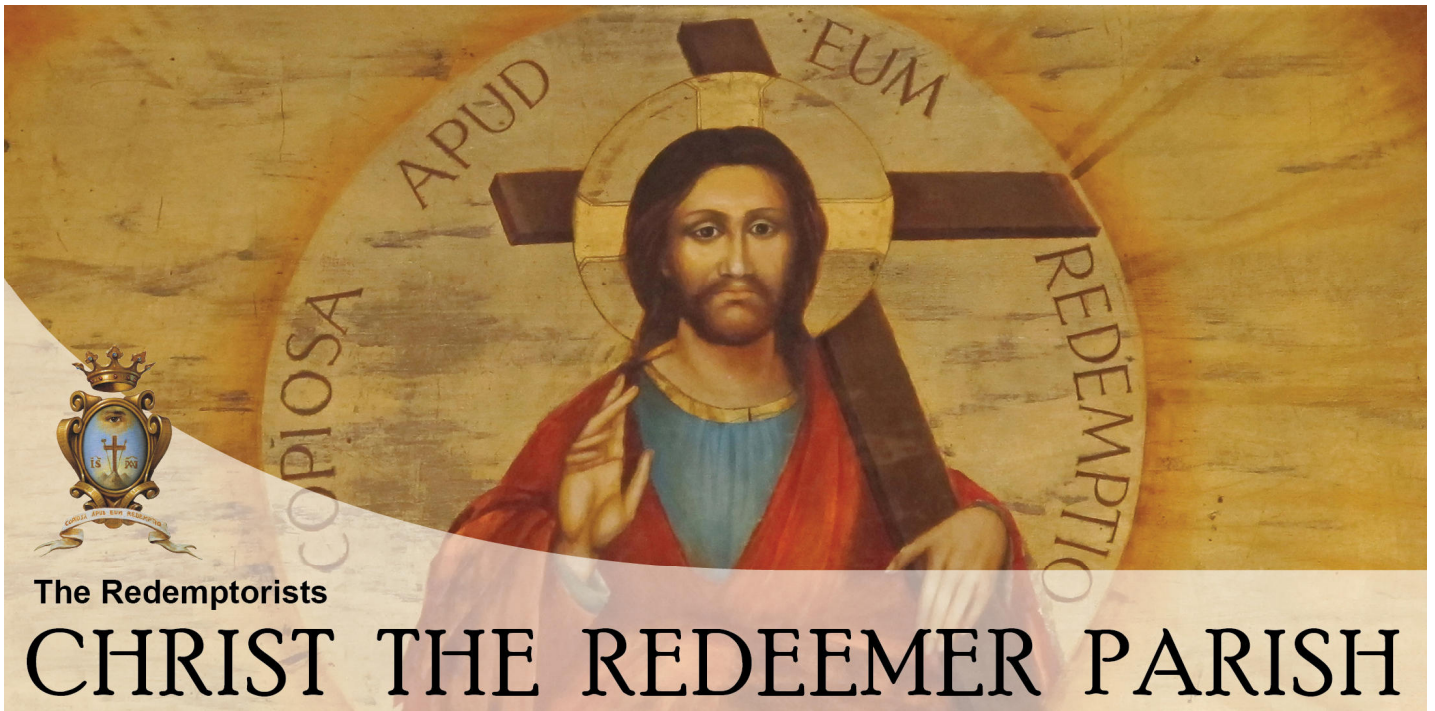


March 12, 2017

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent



The Redemptorists

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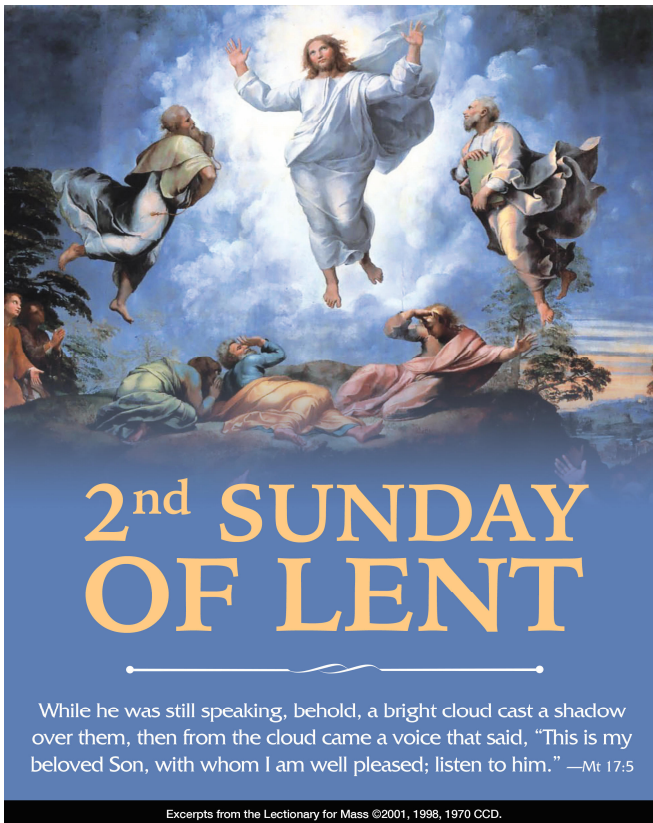
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## 2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." —Mt 17:5

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### PARISH STAFF

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### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Christ the King Worship Site  
Saturday 3:30 - 4:20 PM  
Sacred Heart Worship Site  
Saturday 8:30 - 9:00 AM - Our Lady of Czestochowa Chapel

### CONFESSION

*(English & Polish)*

Christ the King Worship Site  
Monday - Friday 6:30 AM; Saturday 3:30 PM  
Sacred Heart Worship Site  
Wednesday & First Friday 6:30 - 7:00 PM  
Saturdays 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM & 4:45 - 5:45 PM

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00AM to 3:00PM.  
Office closed on Thursdays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.



# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

## Monday, March 13 (Poniedziałek)

CTK - 7:00AM †Jozefa Dormanski r/o Dormanski Family

SH - 8:00AM †Teresa Puzio r/o Jessica & Irek  
Kolodziej

SH - 11:00AM †Jadwiga Pasek r/o great-niece, Janina

CTK - 12:00PM Rosary & Divine Mercy Devotions

## Tuesday, March 14 (Wtorek)

CTK - 7:00AM †Rev. James J. McConnell

SH - 8:00AM †Honorata & Jan Banka r/o family

SH - 11:00AM Mass and OLPH Novena in English

SH - 7:00PM Stations of the Cross in English

## Wednesday, March 15 (Środa)

**Clement Hofbauer, C.Ss.R.**

CTK - 7:00AM †Sara & Arturo Barril r/o Maria Ibieta

SH - 11:00AM †Theresa Fiduk (Anniv.) r/o children

SH - 7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish

## Thursday, March 16 (Czwartek)

CTK - 7:00AM †Joseph Tabbitt r/o Tom & Dolores Finlan

SH - 8:00AM †Rev. Stanislaw Ziobron r/o friend

SH - 11:00AM †Wladyslaw & Aniela Korzeniowski r/o  
estate

## Friday, March 17 (Piątek) - St. Patrick

CTK - 7:00AM †Stella Swick r/o Linda Weaver

SH - 11:00AM †Sandy D. Ciccozzi r/o William & Theresa  
Evans

SH - 11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotions

CTK - 4:30PM Stations of the Cross in English

SH - 6:30PM Stations of the Cross in Polish

SH - 7:00PM †Wladyslaw Malinowski r/o Janina  
Woznicki

## Saturday, March 18 (Sobota) - Cyril of Jerusalem

SH - 8:00AM †Kazimierz Wiercinski (Anniv.) r/o family

SH - 11:00AM †Vincent Zujkowski r/o wife & children

CTK - 4:30PM †Anthony Franzoso r/o family

SH - 6:00PM God's Blessing for Pawel r/o wife & son

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent, March 19 (Niedziela)

SH - 7:00AM †Jozef & Jozefa Grabowski r/o son

CTK - 8:30AM †Joseph Tabbitt r/o Brett Wood & Mary  
Evancho

SH - 8:30AM †Deceased Members of the Suhaka &  
Patero Families r/o Maryanne & Monica

SH - 10:00AM †Living & Deceased Members of the Altar  
Rosary Society

CTK - 10:30AM For the People of the Parish

SH - 11:30AM †Mary & Stanley Gruszka r/o sons

SH - 5:00PM Gorzkie Żale in Polish

SH - 5:45PM †Jozef Malinowski r/o Janina Woznicki

SH - 7:00PM **English Retreat Service**

The Sanctuary Lamp in Sacred Heart will burn  
this week for the repose of the soul of **Joseph  
Lazowski** at the request of his wife & sons.



*Jesus took Peter, James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, conversing with him. - Mt 17:1-3*

## 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

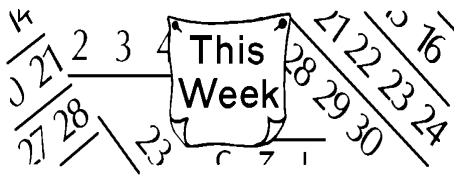
"When the disciples heard this, they fell prostrate and were very much afraid." Peter, James, and John already knew Jesus. They had been following him, learning from him, watching him for quite some time. But what took place before their eyes at the Transfiguration was unlike anything they had yet witnessed. This was not just a miracle or a message: this was a supernatural vision. When Jesus' face suddenly "shone like the sun" and two ancient prophets appeared and spoke, and a heavenly voice announced the true identity of their friend and teacher, these three disciples nearly fainted in fear. It must have been too glorious, too strange, too astonishing to handle.

But Jesus "came and touched them" to rouse them from their prostration. He told them, "Rise, and do not be afraid." What a beautiful moment. The Lord realized that his friends were overwhelmed. He had compassion on their meager ability to comprehend what was really going on. He allowed them to participate in this moment of revelation to help them understand who he was, but he still understood who THEY were--imperfect human beings who could not be expected to completely understand the ways of God.

Sometimes we might long to witness a kind of Transfiguration moment. It can be tempting to think that if we had access to such a supernatural revelation, our faith would be strengthened and our lives would change. But Jesus knows us best. He knows what we can handle and he knows the perfect way to reveal himself. For most of us, most of the time, this means coming to know Jesus in the more ordinary ways of prayer, Scripture study, and the sacraments. Let's be sure we are ready to find Jesus there.







### MONDAY, MARCH 13

**GUITAR LESSONS FOR CHILDREN** – Sacred Heart auditorium – 4 – 6PM. A small fee will be due.

### THURSDAY, MARCH 16

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

### SATURDAY, MARCH 18

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRACTICE** – 4-5PM in Sacred Heart Church. **NEW MEMBERS ARE VERY WELCOME.**

### NEXT WEEKEND, MARCH 18 & 19

**THE SECOND COLLECTION** taken up after Holy Communion will be the **SPRING CEMETERY DONATION.** Please be generous.

**PREGNANCY AID CENTER DONATION WEEKEND** - helps mothers and babies in need. Please place the items in the bins in the vestibule. They are especially in need of diapers, all sizes from newborn through size 5. They can also use new layette items, wipes, baby wash and other baby items.

### NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 19

**60's PLUS CLUB** - 2-4PM - Neumann Center

## Ogłoszenia Parafialne

### PONIEDZIAŁEK, 13 MARZEC

**LEKCJE GITARY** - godz. 16.00; próba polskiej scholi dziecięcej - godz. 18.00.

### NIEDZIELA, 19 MARZEC

**Druga składka** jest przeznaczona na Wiosenna Ofiarę na Cmentarz. Prosimy o ofiarność.

**ZBIÓRKA NA RZECZ CENTRUM POMOCY KOBIECIOM W CIĄŻY** - Okaż pomoc matkom małych dzieci w potrzebie! Prosimy o składanie darów w pojemnikach w przedsionku kościoła. Potrzebne są pieluszki w rozmiarach od noworodków do numeru 5, nowe ubranka dla niemowląt, chusteczki pielęgnacyjne, kosmetyki dla dzieci i inne dziecięce przedmioty.



**Christ the Redeemer  
Summer Camp.  
Save the dates!!  
July 10<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>**



### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES LEKCJE KATECHEZY

#### TUESDAY

Grades 2 & 4 – 4:00 –  
5:15PM  
Grades 7 & 8 – 5:30 –  
6:45PM

#### WTOREK

Klasy 2 i 4 od 16:00 do  
17:15  
Klasy 7 i 8 od 17:30 do  
18:45

#### WEDNESDAY

Grades 1 & 3 – 4:00 –  
5:15PM  
Grades 5 & 6 – 5:30 –  
6:45PM

#### ŚRODA

Klasy 1 i 3 od 16:00 do  
17:15  
Klasy 5 i 6 od 17:30 do  
18:45

### PARISH RETREAT IN ENGLISH

DAY	CHRIST THE KING WORSHIP SITE	SACRED HEART WORSHIP SITE
Sunday, March 19 <sup>th</sup>	8:30AM – Mass & Sermon 10:30AM – Mass & Sermon	10:00AM – Mass & Sermon 7:00PM – Retreat Service
Monday, March 20 <sup>th</sup>		11:00AM - Mass & Sermon 7:00PM – Retreat Service
Tuesday, March 21 <sup>st</sup>	7:00PM – Retreat Service	11:00AM – Mass & OLPH Novena
Wednesday, March 22 <sup>nd</sup>	7:00PM – Closing Mass	11:00AM – Mass & Sermon

### PARISH RETREAT PRAYER

God, Our Father, we offer you praise and thanksgiving for all the many gifts you have given us through Jesus, Your Son. We thank you especially for the gift of our Parish Retreat.

Loving and gracious God, quiet our minds and hearts, That we may be open to the gift of your truth.

Grant that our Retreat may be:

A time of Grace of all, A time of growth for the young,

A time of refreshment for the old, A time of renewal for families,

A time of healing for the broken, A time of joy for the sorrowing,

A time of challenge for the complacent, A time of forgiveness for the sinner, A time of strength for the holy, A time of homecoming for those who have been away.

Grant, most loving God that our Retreat may bring down your richest blessings on each and every member of our parish community.

We pray through the intercession of Mary, Our Mother of Perpetual Help, in the name of Jesus who lives with you and the Holy Spirit forever. Amen



The next Altar Rosary Society Mass will be held **March 19<sup>th</sup>** at 10:00AM followed by their meeting.

The next **First Saturday Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima** will take place on **April 1<sup>st</sup>** after the 11:00AM Mass at Sacred Heart Church.

**EASTER BAKE SALE** – Palm Sunday. Butter Lambs will be available for purchase at the SH location. The bake sale will be set up at the entrance to the auditorium at Sacred Heart and in the vestibule of Christ the King.

### PRAYER & PRAISE GROUP

**There will be no March meeting.** The next Prayer & Praise Group Meeting will be held on **April 17<sup>th</sup>** in Christ the King Church at 1:00PM.

### Knights of Columbus # 6573



St. Paul's Captivity Epistles will be a 13 week study with Dr. Timothy O'Donnell on video. Participants will receive the Captivity Epistles-Catholic Commentary on Sacred Scripture for \$30/person (checks made out to KofC #6573)

March 16<sup>th</sup>- "Philippians: The Letter of Joy" (continued) Phil 1:19-2:25- Video w/ Dr. Timothy O'Donnell

March 23<sup>rd</sup>- "Philippians: The Letter of Joy" (conclusion) Phil 2:19-4:23 - Video w/ Dr. Timothy O'Donnell

March 30<sup>th</sup>- "Phiemon: Onesimus, The Man Who Fleed to Rome"- Video w/ Dr. Timothy O'Donnell

If anybody just wants to "pop-in" and see what it's like-no charge, but we suggest to read that weeks readings and bring your Bible (or one can even be provided). For more info check out the new Facebook page for the Bible Study- <https://www.facebook.com/kofc6573biblestudy/> Or contact Anthony Scarpantonio- 917-494-8141, [ascarp@live.com](mailto:ascarp@live.com)

**COMEDY SHOW - April 21** - Doors open at 6:30PM; show begins at 8PM.

### 60'S PLUS CLUB

**GOOD FOOD. GOOD CONVERSATION. GOOD FRIENDS.**

All Parishioners aged 60 and over are invited to a complimentary dinner

Every Third Sunday of Every Month

Time 2pm-4pm

St. John Neumann Center The next gathering will be on **March 19<sup>th</sup>.**



HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The next Holy Name Society Meeting will be held on **April 3<sup>rd</sup>** in the St. John Neumann Center at 6PM.



*Meets once a month on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday at 7pm. Call Mary Carol Niezgoda at 908 575-2797 for location and details. New members always welcome.*

*We will teach anyone interested how to crochet and/or knit. If you would like to be a member but prefer to work at home we would be happy to pick up your item (s); just contact Mary Carol. Donations of yarn are always appreciated especially "baby" yarn, i.e., yarn approved for baby items. If you prefer to donate cash we will purchase yarn for you. All item(s) we make are donated to various local charitable organizations, i.e., Pregnancy Aid Center...*



### SHARING MINISTRY

Thank you for your continued support of Caritas.

The Caritas Team collects food **every week** at the church. Bins are located in the back of the church. We are in need of the following items. **Food:** Beef Stew, Spinach, Canned Chicken, Granola Bars, Canned Fruit, Past and Pasta Sauce, Cereal, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Individual Snack Packs: Pretzels Chips Crackers, Beef Broth, Tomato Soup. **We are in particular need of the following items. These items are requested each week . There is always an urgent need for these items: Health and Beauty Aids, Toilet Paper-Large Demand, Paper Towels-Large Demand, Razors, Shampoo, Body Wash**

The Caritas Team also collects monetary donations and gift cards to local grocery stores. Please place all donations in the collection basket at Mass in an envelope marked Caritas. You can also donate on line at [www.ctrmanville.com](http://www.ctrmanville.com) under the Caritas link. Thank you for the generous donations we have been receiving with the on-line program and at the church.

### Minister Schedule for March 18 & 19

	4:30PM CTK	6:00PM SH	7:00AM PL-SH	8:30AM CtK	8:30AM SH	10:00AM SH	10:30AM CtK	11:30AM PL-SH
<b>Lectors</b>	M. Niezgoda	A. Scarpantonio	B. Nowak E. Poplawska	B. Agans	D. Seigel	B. Stefany	M. Bellamy	Dzieci
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	S. Niezgoda J. Pschar M. Niezgoda	M. Tabbitt A. Zolandz N. Makowski	A. Niecikowski B. Nowak	J. Tardy A. Tartaglione K. Tartaglione	S. Charneski R. Dorward M. Urbaniak	C. Snow A. Szczecina R. Charneski	E. Zunski F. Batula J. Zunski	H. Brandt M. Wojtach



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Jeff Andrew, Toni Antonelli, Evelyn Appenzeller, Baby Isabel Therese Bailey, John Bartley, Billy Bird, Jean

Blazejewski, Paul Bobe, Shawn Brickley, Lorraine Burkoski, Bill Caswell, Margaret Cebula, Chester Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, Dorothy Dinsmore, Mary Evancho, Frank Fiduk, Marian Gano, Helen Gazo, Dorothy Gluch, John Gubernot, Dolores Hart, Maryann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Raul Jaime, Joanna Jasontek, Edward Knitowski, Dennis Koslowski, Theresa Kraska, John Krasnansky, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Ken Lake, Janice Lalley, Rosemarie Lazar, Cheyenne Licardi, Joe Matisak, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Dolores Novicky, Donna Parlier, Robert Petsko, Skip Picciano, Marie Piorkowski, Steven Pirello, Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Dorothy Rembelles, Normand Rivard, Marie Rogusky, Robert Roman, Jerry Russell, Jr., Irene Shelcusky, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaight, Victoria Soika, Tina Soltis, Albert Stanski, Rose Tabbitt, Virginia Tamburini, Joe Tomko, Michelle Tranter, Marilyn Trilone, David Urban, Pauline Vantaggi, Peter Viola, Irena Walczak, Natalie Walkowiak, Cindy Weigel, Peggy White, Raymond Wisniewski, Barbara Wrigil, Michael Zamorsky, Edward 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*

Corporal Matthew T. Bowden USMC

Corporal Jacob R. Caswell USMC

Staff Sergeant Francis Fiduk III

Pvt. Christopher Foley

PFC Joshua Hussey

Major James A. Jablonski Jr.

Gunnery Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC

PFC Joshua Rivard

Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.

PFC Steven Ubry

CMA Mark J. Walyga

Senior Airman Lindsay Zaccardi

PFC Brian J. Zarnowski

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!

## 2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal Ambassadors for Christ

This weekend, parishes throughout the Diocese of Metuchen are celebrating **Bishop's Annual Appeal In-Pew Weekend**. Our goal is for every family to participate. Every gift, no matter the size, is important and greatly appreciated. Together we are *Ambassadors for Christ*.



Attention  
Parents

It is wonderful to see young children in church with their families. Although we love your little angels, we know there are times when they just will not cooperate. We have a "cry room" located behind the altar to the right for just such occasions. Feel free to make use of it.

Small children need adult supervision when they use the restroom. Please accompany your small child if he or she needs to go.

### Readings for the Week of March 12, 2017

Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22/2  
Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13/Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14-16/  
Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-4, 9-12/  
Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Next Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

*Please visit our parish website:*

**[www.ctrmanville.com](http://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 Ida Corradino will be presenting the reflections and next week Mary Lou Cebula will be the presenter.**

**Report of Sunday Offerings  
in Support of our Parish  
The Christ the Redeemer collection for the  
weekend of March 5, 2017**

<b>Weekly budget needed:</b>	<b>\$ 16,000.00</b>
<b>Weekly Collection:</b>	
<b>Offertory/Building &amp; Grounds</b>	<b>\$ 10,237.00</b>
<b>Ash Wednesday</b>	<b>\$ 3,017.00</b>
<b>Youth &amp; New Evangelization</b>	<b>\$ 1,962.00</b>
<b>Mail-Ins</b>	<b>\$ 2,099.00</b>
<b>We Share On-line Giving</b>	<b>\$ 503.00</b>
<b>Children's donations</b>	<b>\$ 109.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 17,927.00</b>

<b>Budget vs. Collection:</b>	
<b>Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>\$ 1,972.00</b>
<b>Collection for the same week last year</b>	<b>\$ 12,842.00</b>

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

*"Go forth from the land of your kinsfolk and from your father's house to a land that I will show you." GENESIS 12:1*  
God calls all of us to leave behind our old ways and to follow Him, placing our complete trust in Him. Some of the old ways that we may have to struggle to leave behind might be materialism, selfishness and greed. Yet God promises to show us a new land and a better way to live.



**Butter Lamb Order Form  
\$5.00 each**

Name .....

Phone .....

Quantity .....

Pick-up on Saturday or Sunday – April 8-9. For more information call Dolores at 908-281-7267.

**We are in need of donations of butter. If you would like to donate butter for the lambs, please drop it off at the parish office.**



**OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH**

My Good Deed was when I:

- cleaned my room.
- listened to my teacher.
- took my dog on a walk.
- steamed the floor.
- took care of my cat.
- helped others.
- played with my sister.
- massaged my mom.
- got "Student of the Month"
- helped sort cookies for Girl Scouts.
- helped mom clean.
- helped my brother clean his room.
- received ashes with my family.
- put away my brother's toys.
- helped grandma cook.
- stood up for myself.
- gave my friend my ball.
- listened to my parents & prayed for the sick.
- was a good & smart kid.
- helped my mom put the laundry away.
- served.
- helped others.
- donated to a Christian singer.
- helped my brother clean.
- helped my mom with groceries.
- helped pack my dad for Slovakia.
- was kind to friends.
- helped my dad with my brother.
- was a good student.
- helped my mom in the kitchen.

- Patryk & Nicholas
- Alex
- Veronica
- Adam
- Veronica
- Sebastion
- Emely
- Maria
- Samuel
- Maggie
- Andre & Sadie
- Nicholas
- Dianayvonne
- Joey
- Julian
- Jayden
- Dylan
- Steven
- David
- Theodore
- Michael
- Maria
- Sarah
- Colleen
- Sophia
- Natalia
- Alexa
- Savanah
- Brunon
- Thomas

*Please remember to put your first and last names and your grade on your envelope.*

**Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule**

- Sunday: Jennie Bartus
- Monday: Jeff Hart
- Tuesday: Edwina Andreyko & Helen Michno
- Wednesday: Helen Tomko
- Thursday: the Drurys
- Friday: Becky Dinsmore
- Saturday: Maximilian Czajka

**CATHOLIC SCHOOL 2017-2018 TUITION  
ASSISTANCE ONLINE APPLICATION  
PROCESS OPEN**

Families interested in applying for tuition assistance to attend an eligible Diocese of Metuchen Catholic elementary or high school may do so beginning **January 30, 2017**. The application process is online through FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment. Online applications must be completed (including supporting documentation) by no later than **Friday, March 31, 2017**. Applications are available in English and Spanish.

Families that need assistance completing the online application, or need access to the technology to apply, may register for one of the five Application Workshops, which will be held in four locations within the Diocese in February and March by going to [www.diometuchen.org/tuition-assistance](http://www.diometuchen.org/tuition-assistance) and following the Workshops link.