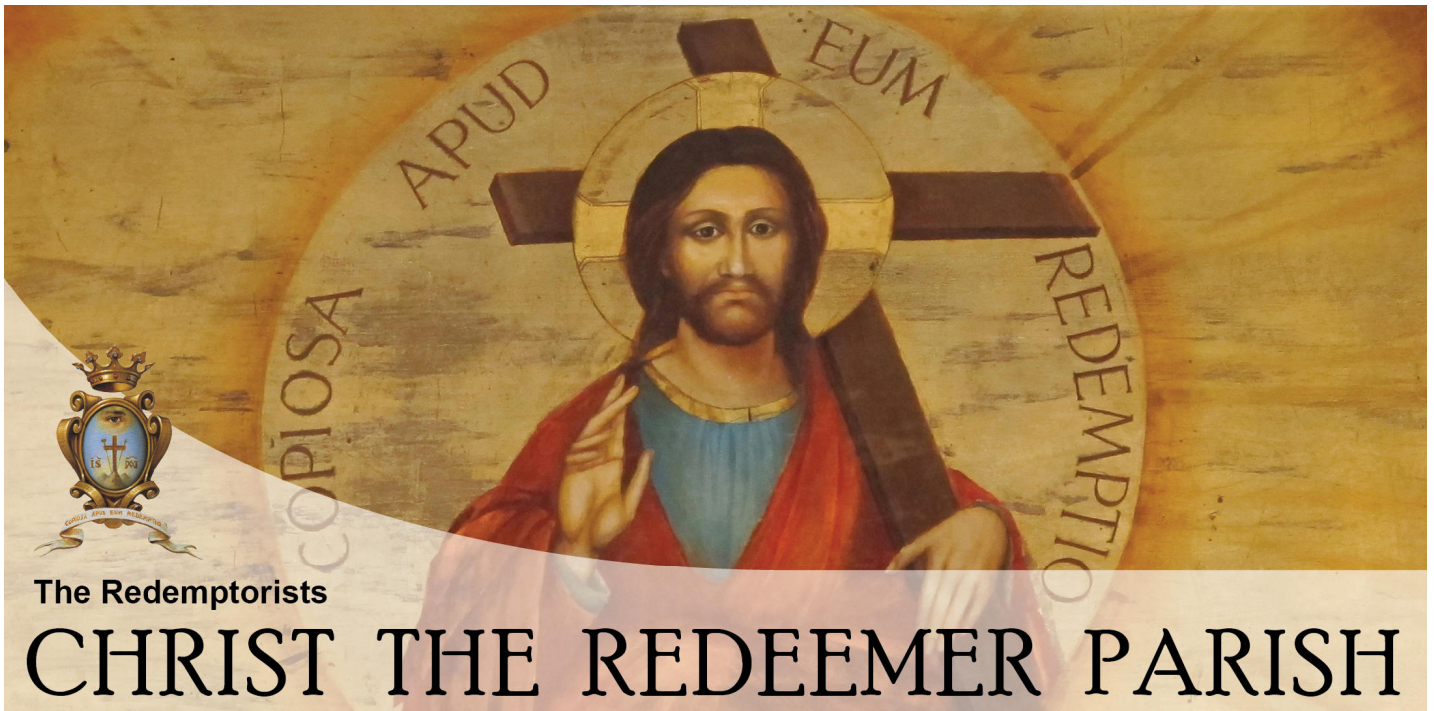


December 27, 2020

The Holy Family



The Redemptorists

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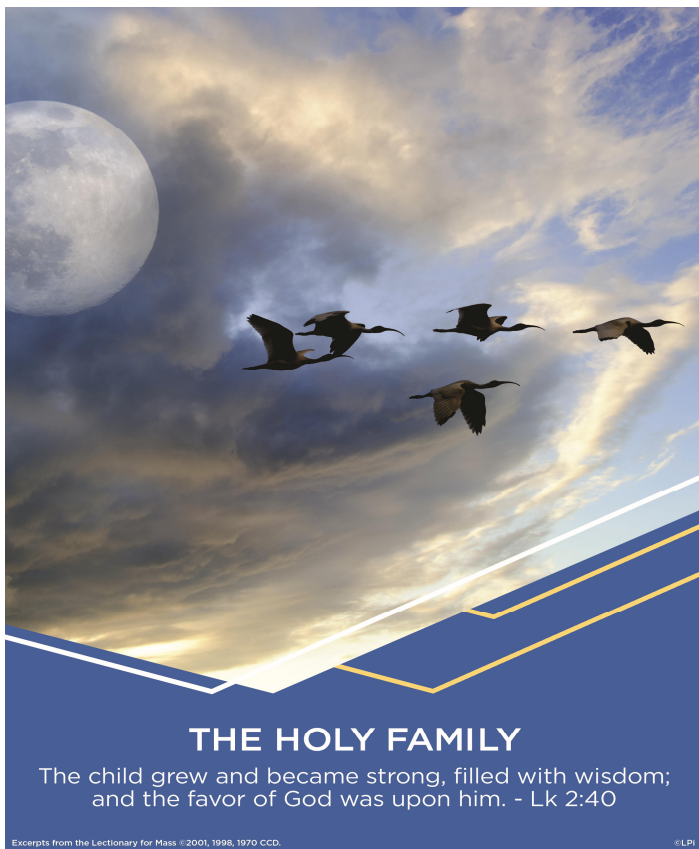
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THE HOLY FAMILY

The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom;
and the favor of God was upon him. - Lk 2:40

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



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, December 28 (Poniedziałek)

The Holy Innocents

- SH - 8:00AM †Genowefa Dziwak r/o son & family
- SH - 11:00AM †Francis & Theresa Fiduk r/o daughter
- SH - 6:00AM Mass for parishioners whom we would visit on this day (see Home Blessing/Kolenda schedule) – **live-stream**

Tuesday, December 29 (Wtorek) - Thomas Becket

- SH - 8:00AM †Marcin S. Wierzba r/o wife & family
- SH - 11:00AM †Mary Gorski r/o CTR Knitting Group
- SH - 11:30PM OLPH Novena in English
- SH - 6:00AM Mass for parishioners whom we would visit on this day (see Home Blessing/Kolenda schedule) – **live-stream**

Wednesday, December 30 (Środa)

- SH - 11:00AM †Bill Cahill r/o Nancy Fobes
- SH - 11:30AM Exposition and Rosary
- SH - 7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish
- SH - 6:00AM Mass for parishioners whom we would visit on this day (see Home Blessing/Kolenda schedule) – **live-stream**

Thursday, December 31 (Czwartek) - Sylvester I

- SH - 3:00 PM - (P) Mass & Adoration – **live-stream**
- SH - 5:00 PM - (E) Mass & Adoration – **live-stream**

Friday, January 1 (Piątek) - Mary, Mother of God

- SH - 7:00 AM - (P) †Wladyslaw, Aniela, Edward & Helen Korzeniowski r/o estate
- SH - 8:30 AM - (E) †Mattie, Leo, Walter, Frank & Edward Korzeniowski r/o estate
- SH - 10:00 AM - (E) †Randy Bartushak r/o Jerry & Lisa – **live-stream**
- SH - 11:30 AM - (P) †Jan Kania r/o son, Krzysztof & family – **live-stream**
- SH - 1:00 PM - (P) †Julian Gnyp r/o Janusz & Maria Kurasinski

Saturday, January 2 (Sobota)

Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen

- SH - 8:00AM †Souls in Purgatory r/o Jadwiga
- SH - 11:00AM †John & Stanley Warzybuk r/o family
- SH - 5:00PM †Randy Bartushak r/o Ann & Gary

Sunday, January 3 (Niedziela) - Epiphany of the Lord

- SH - 7:00 AM - †Wladyslaw Perkowski r/o Zalewski Family
- SH - 9:00 AM - †Henry & Danuta Salamon r/o family For the People of the Parish
- SH - 11:30 AM - †Maria & Piotr Kurasinski r/o Kurasinski Family

The Sanctuary Lamp in Sacred Heart will burn this week for the repose of the souls of **Christine Pankowski & Sophie Onka** at the request of Celeste Onka.

The Altar Bread & Wine in Sacred Heart is consecrated this week in memory of **Charles Schlenker** at the request of his sons, David & Michael.



When they had fulfilled all the prescriptions of the law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth. The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him. - Lk 2:39-40

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Tragedy and disappointment are inevitable. What sees you through this? There will be challenges, changes, unexpected circumstances, interrupted plans, hurts, and injustices experienced by every human being at some point in their lives. We will be asked to adjust our plans, change course, and even encounter suffering and death. Where do we learn all of the lessons we need to live life well? Some of them we learn along the way but much of what we bring to life, positive and negative, comes from our early beginnings, our families. This is our early world and provides the blueprint for how we see the bigger, more inclusive world, which unfolds before us.

Our families of origin can be sources of grace, heartache or a combination of both. Families are intended to be pivotal in providing us with proper social structure and understanding, a support system, lessons about relationships and communication, and the unconditional acceptance and love we so desperately crave. They can also determine whether we have an accessible and healthy relationship with God. Many of life's challenges can literally bring us to our knees and require that we possess a strength of character that resides well beyond the superficialities of our world. At some point we will all need three coping gifts that can be given to us only by God: faith, hope, and love. Our families help us learn that we are not the ones responsible for their creation, but God!

Our experience of early family life colors all of our relationships and what we expect to achieve from life in general. Resolving conflicts, dealing with difficulty and suffering, celebrating accomplishments, prioritizing our needs, listening to God's call, understanding relationships, understanding disappointment, learning about the virtues and living a centered focused life are all lessons our families either succeed in teaching or do not. To succeed, as God has designed and ordered our world, is to discover his presence and then trust that Presence. The Holy Family can teach even the most dysfunctional family how to best use God's gifts of faith, hope, and love to find him and do his will. Their simple humble example is always before us, showing us the way. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THE ENTIRE WEEK. IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY, PLEASE CALL 908-725-0072.

BIURO PARAFIALNE BĘDZIE ZAMKNIĘ PRZEZ CAŁY TYDZIEŃ PO WIELKANOCY W NAGŁYCH PRZYPADKACH PROSIMY DZWONIĆ NA NR. TEL. 908-725-0072.



The Christ the Redeemer collection for the weekend of December 13, 2020

Offertory	\$ 3,821.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 3,948.00
On-line Giving	\$ 2,882.00
Children's donations	\$ 6.00
Total	\$ 10,657.00

Religious Retirement \$ 1,009.00

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

"...as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must forgive."
- Colossians 3:13

Forgiving is one of the hardest things for people to do. We can't give what we don't have. We need to receive God's mercy and forgiveness first before we can give it to others. Go to the sacrament of Reconciliation and receive God's mercy and forgiveness. Then, share give the gift of forgiveness with someone – a family member, a friend or a co-worker. Pick up the phone or text someone right now.

Give Online

Consider using ConnectNow Giving during this health crisis. Go to our website and use the "Quick Give" feature to give a one-time gift without creating a login, and you'll see a list of our special funds from which you can choose to contribute. Or you can create a login and set up a recurring donation.

Pomimo kryzysu związanego z koronawirusem prosimy o wsparcie finansowe dla parafii. Zachęcamy do korzystania z zakładki Online Giving na stronie internetowej parafii. Transakcje czynione za pomocą Online Giving są bezpieczne. Dziękujemy za wsparcie i zrozumienie.

Readings for the Week of December 27, 2020

- Sunday:** Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1] or Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [7a, 8a]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40
- Monday:** 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/Mt 2:13-18
- Tuesday:** 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a]/Lk 2:22-35
- Wednesday:** 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/Lk 2:36-40
- Thursday:** 1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/Jn 1:1-18
- Friday:** Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21
- Saturday:** 1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [3cd]/Jn 1:19-28
- Next Sunday:** Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

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/>.

Catholic Charities Diocese of Metuchen

Please consider supporting our local poverty relief services by donating gently used clothing, shoes, household items and small appliances to Catholic Charities-Diocese of Metuchen. Clearly marked donation boxes are available in more than 30 locations throughout our four-county diocese. For a complete list of drop-off locations, visit <http://www.ccdom.org/how-you-can-help/clothing-donation-drop-boxes>. If you have an item that is too big to fit in a donation box, call 877-343-3651 to arrange for a free pick up at your home.



Thank you for your continued support of Caritas. The Caritas Team collects food **every week** at the church. Desperately needed items: Spaghetti Sauce, Soup, Cereal, Macaroni and Cheese, Dried Potato Mixes, Rice, Canned Meat-Ham, Tuna, Chicken, Canned Fruit, Peanut Butter and Jelly. The Caritas Team also collect monetary donations and on-line through our church website.

A special thank you to the Italian American Club, the Young at Heart Club and the Women's Club, all from Canal Walk, for their very generous donations which helped the needy have a very Merry Christmas.

Thank you to Fatima Pidany, Andre Pidany, Ralph Trksak, Christine Trksak, Fran Fierst, John Daus, Donna Roman, Linda Cavaluzzo, Lee Parasole and Lisa Cimpko, the members of Caritas who worked so hard, during the year but most especially during the holiday season to help those in need.



The next Holy Name Society Meeting will be held on **January 4th** in the St. John Neumann Center at 6PM.

Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

Sunday: John Tardy
 Monday: Natalie Day
 Tuesday: Randy Hart
 Wednesday: Colleen Hart
 Thursday: Frank Picciano
 Friday: Thomas Amato
 Saturday: John Tardy

Download the Parish App...

Now is the perfect time to download the parish app to keep abreast of everything that's going on during this crisis. To download:

iPhone Users Text: ParishApp1 to 555888
 Android Users Text: ParishApp2 to 555888

To learn more visit our website.

Due to the pandemic we will not be doing the usual Home Blessing this year. If you would like your home blessed, please call the parish office to schedule it for the date your street would have been normally blessed (see the schedule on the following page). Moreover, every day during Home Blessing/Kolęda at 6:00 PM at Sacred Heart church an additional Mass will be said and live-streamed for the people scheduled to be visited on that day.

Ze względu na pandemię w tym roku błogosławieństwo domu/kolęda będzie tylko na zaproszenie parafian. Prosimy skontaktować się z biurem parafialnym, ab ustalić dzień i czas odwiedzin duszpasterskich/kolędy. Ksiądz przybędzie do waszego domu z zachowaniem wszelkich zasad bezpieczeństwa zgodnie z harmonogramem tegorocznej kolędy dołączonym na następnej stronie. Ponadto, każdego dnia podczas odwiedzin duszpasterskich/kolędy o godzinie 18.00 w kościele Najświętszego Serca Pana Jezusa będzie odprawiona dodatkowa Msza św. za mieszkańców danej części Manville, do której w danym dniu miał przybyć ksiądz.



The next Altar Rosary Society Mass will be said on **January 17th** at 10:00AM.

The next **FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS** to Our Lady of Fatima will take place on **January 2nd**.



The Knights of Columbus Saint Jude Council # 6573

Council Meetings and Social Gatherings: Held monthly on 1st and 3rd Tuesday, respectively at 7:00 pm; Saint John Neumann Center at Christ the Redeemer Parish, Manville N.J. Catholic men 18+ who are not fellow knights but may have an interest to join are invited to the social events.

CLOTHING DRIVE - Cancelled until further notice!

Bible Study: Bible study is every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. and is currently covering Galatians. All are welcome to join the discussion.

We always have updates on our Facebook Page - <https://www.facebook.com/kofc6573biblestudy/>



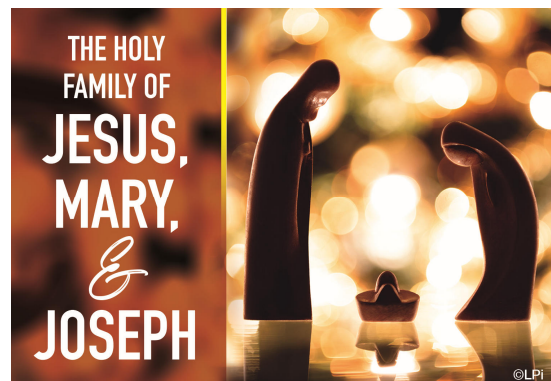
Our parish community welcomed Joseph John Simcak, son of Zdeno and Marta; and Oliver Alexander Wiecek, son of Konrad and Monika, in the sacrament of Baptism. We congratulate them and their families.



We ask you to remember in your prayers the following parishioners who have died: Celia Shultz, Stanislaw Zdeb, Patricia Mehalik and Andrew Wargin. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

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You can listen to our broadcast from the church on 98.5 FM within a 2 mile radius.





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, Jean Batula, Harold Bok, Shawn Brickley, Denise Buanano, Lorraine Burkoski, Marylou & Jason Cebula, Chester Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Betty Ann Cowen, Kaiden Crothwer, Bill and Denise Davidson, Dolores DeFazio, Marge Demski, Dorothy Dinsmore, Heather Drodz, Mary Evancho, Bernice Fatto, Maureen Femiano, Lou Fischer, Kathryn, Debbie, Madison & Michael Fisne, Valerie Frank, Nancy Franklin, Karter Fridlund, Marian Gano, Helen Gazo, Helen Gilmore, Dorothy Gluch, Christopher Gregor, Dolores Hart, Frank Honkisz, Maryann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Maria Inglot, Raul Jaime, Joseph Jaworsky, Kim Jenkins, Dennis Koslowski, Ed Kawalchuk, Theresa Kraska, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Ken Lake, Janice Lalley, Donna Lawler, Ann Marie Lazor-Shapiro, Judy Lentzsch, Antoinette Leotti, Cheyenne Liccardi, Rachel Lukacs, Nadine Mack, Jerry Mamola, Helen Michno, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Ned Panfile, Barbara Pankowski, Robert & John Parlier, Barbara Perone, Steven Pirello, Mary Poltarek, Elijah Paul Prater, Joseph G. & Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Steve Quintana, Chelsea Rivard, Laura Rodaman, Mary Rogalski, Marie Rogusky, Sylvia Rubito, Jerry Russell Sr., Jerry Russell, Jr., Dolores Serra, Michael Sheehan, Irene Shelcusky, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaughter, Celia Smith, Charlotte Snow, Victoria Soika, Albert Stanski, Michelle Tranter, David Urban, Frances Viola, Irena Walczak, Ramona Walsh, Mark Waugh, Cindy Weigel, Cathy Wildgust, Raymond Wisniewski, Barbara Wrigil, Rose Zakszewski, 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

*SPC Christopher Elsen
PFC Joshua Hussey
Major James A. Jablonski Jr.
Master Sergeant Kimberly Kaminski USAF
Airman Michael Edward Kassick III
1st Lieutenant John Limyansky USAF
First Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC
SR Jerry Lee Rogalski
Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.
PFC Steven Ubry
Staff 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!

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2021!

Dear Friend in Christ,

The year 2020 took us off guard, thankfully with God's help and people's ingenuity, we were able to go through the dark moments of the pandemic. Many of us lost family members and friends. We continue to pray for them convinced that in Christ we shall all live forever. We say goodbye to the uncertainty and fear of the passing year and enter 2021 with Hope and Trust in God's providence. Do not be afraid to respond to the challenges of the new year with Faith and Love as God's faithful disciples.

We pray that the coming year brings more certain times for you and your family. Sending all our love and good wishes for better days ahead. May Christ the Redeemer be the ONE to whom we turn in our weaknesses, joys, and pains. May Jesus be our rock, our shelter, and our strength. May God bless you and your loved ones with prosperity, good health, and happiness in the New Year.

In Christ the Redeemer,

The Priests of the Community of Christ the Redeemer

SZCZĘŚLIWEGO NOWEGO ROKU 2021!

Drogi Przyjaciele,

Rok 2020 zaskoczył nas trudnościami, na szczęście z Bożą pomocą i pomysłowością ludzi udało nam się przejść przez mroczne chwile pandemii. Wielu z nas straciło bliskich i przyjaciół. Modlimy się za nich, przekonani, że w Chrystusie będziemy żyć wiecznie. Żegnamy się z niepewnością i strachem mijającego roku i wchodzimy w 2021 rok z nadzieją i zaufaniem w Bożą opatrzność. Nie bójcie się odpowiedzieć na wyzwania Nowego Roku z wiarą i miłością jako wierni uczniowie Boga.

Życzymy Wam szczęśliwego Nowego Roku! Modlimy się, aby nadchodzący rok przyniósł stabilizację Wam i Waszej rodzinie. Niech Chrystus Odkupiciel wspiera Was w słabościach, radościach i bólach. Niech Jezus będzie Waszą skałą, schronieniem i siłą. Niech Bóg błogosławi Was i Waszych bliskich zdrowiem i szczęściem w Nowym Roku.

W Chrystusie Odkupicielu,
Duszpasterze Parafii Chrystusa Odkupiciela



**DEC 28
MONDAY**

Lost Valley:

Huff Ave.
Angle Ave.
Kyle St.
John Pl.
S. Orchard St.
S. Arlington St.
S. Weiss St.
S. Reading St.
S. Park St.
Lee Pl.
Kosciuszko St.
Liberty St.
Cooper St.

**DEC 29
TUESDAY**

Lost Valley:

Boesel Ave.
Lincoln Ave.

North Side:

Louis St.
Bleecher St.
Knopf St.
Green St.
St. John St.

**DEC 30
WEDNSDAY**

North Side:

Marlon Pl.
Gress St.
Clinton Ave.
Dalley Pl.
St. Marks Pl.
Dukes Pkwy.
N. 14th Ave.
N. 15th Ave.
N. 16th Ave.
N. 17th Ave.
N. 18th Ave.
N. 19th Ave.
N. 20th Ave.
N. 21st Ave.

THE ANNUAL BLESSING OF HOMES KOLĘDA

Home blessings take place from
9:30AM until 4:00PM.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CALL THE PARISH
OFFICE TO RESECHEDULE:
Phone: 908-725-0072

OUT OF TOWN PARISHIONERS,
Please call the parish office to request
a home blessing. Out of town blessings will
take place from Jan 18th through Jan 22nd.

**JAN 4
MONDAY**

North Side:

N. 8th Ave.
N. 9th Ave.
N. 10th Ave.
N. 11th Ave.
N. 12th Ave.
N. 13th Ave.

**JAN 5
TUESDAY**

North Side:

North St.
Brooks Blvd.
N. 1st Ave.
N. 2nd Ave.
N. 3rd Ave.
N. 4th Ave.
N. 5th Ave.
N. 6th Ave.
N. 7th Ave.

**JAN 6
WEDNSDAY**

South Side:

S. 14th Ave.
S. 15th Ave.
S. 16th Ave.
S. 17th Ave.
S. 18th Ave.
S. 19th Ave.
S. 20th Ave.
S. 21st Ave.

**JAN 7
THURSDAY**

South Side:

S. 3rd Ave.
S. 4th Ave.
S. 5th Ave.
S. 6th Ave.
S. 7th Ave.
S. 8th Ave.
S. 9th Ave.
S. 10th Ave.
S. 11th Ave.
S. 12th Ave.
S. 13th Ave.

**JAN 8
FRIDAY**

South Side:

Filak St.
Pope St.
S. Main St.
W. Camplain Rd.
Railroad Pl.
Roosevelt Ave.
Colorado Ave.
Dakota St.
Washington Ave.

**JAN 11
MONDAY**

Central:

Gladys Ave.
Rosalie St.
N. Orchard St.
N. Arlington St.
N. Weiss St.
N. Bank St.
Louise Dr.
Clare Ct.
Florence Ct.
E. Camplain Rd.
Valerie Dr.
N. Reading St.
N. Bridge St.

Weston:

Sidorske Ave.
Fucillo St.
Evans Dr.

**JAN 12
TUESDAY**

Weston:

E. Frech Ave.
W. Frech Ave.
Raritan Ave.
Dominic St.

**JAN 13
WEDNSDAY**

Weston:

Persinko St.
White Ave.
Harrison Ave.
Alice St.
Mazur St.
Richard Ave.
Stonewall Ave.
Sydney Pl.
Ruth Pl.
Brook Pl.
Jackson Ave.

**JAN 14
THURSDAY**

Weston:

Kennedy Blvd.
N. Greasheimer St.
Onka St.
Whalen St.
Somerville Ave.
Jasinski Ave.
Newark Ave.
Bound Brook Ave.
Czaplicki St.

**JAN 15
FRIDAY**

Little Weston:

Haran Ave.
Rabens Ave.
Fable Ave.
Driscoll St.
S. Greasheimer St.
Garry St.
King St.

