# Third Sunday of Advent
# December 13th, 2020

12/12 Sat 4:30 PM- People of the Parish
12/13 Sun 9:00 AM-Luigi and Rosa Gelsomino-The Gelsomino Family
12/13 Sun 11:30AM- People of the Parish
12/14 Mon 8:50 AM Saint John of the Cross, Priest
12/15 Tues 8:50 AM- Intention Available
12/16 Wed 8:50 AM- No Mass
12/17 Thurs 3:00PM -Divine Mercy Chaplet followed by Mass
12/18 Fri 8:50 AM-Intention Available
12/19 Sat 8:50 AM-Intention Available
12/19 Sat 4:30 PM- People of the Parish
12/20 Sun 9:00 AM-Edward Baczewski & Marie Baczewski,
Anthony and Florence Lucyk- The Lucyk Family
12/20 Sun 11:30 AM- Edward Thomas- Ann Marie

## Weekly Reflection

Paul reminds us that we are not to stifle the Spirit but test everything and retain what is good. The Spirit will guide us but not always in ways we expect. The Spirit will speak through those we meet – even casual encounters or through those we deem inferior. Listen and watch carefully. What is of God brings an inner peace even if chaos is all around us. Hold on to what is good and helpful and don't dwell on things that pull you down. The Spirit is hard at work within you, helping you to grow and become a reflection of God's love in the world. All that is needed is for you to pay attention and follow where the Spirit leads.

## Mass Book is open for 2021

If anyone is willing to offer Mass for your loved one, both living and deceased, please fill the form kept at the back of the church or go to Immaculate Conception Church Woodbourne website, the Mass request form 2021will be found under Mass time and return it to the rectory either by mail or in person or put it in the collection basket.

**Keep Them In Your Prayers**::
Our Country's Armed Forces, Father John J. Lynch, Harry Jefferson ,Adidlid Nunez, Kevin Kingsley, Anthony Blackwood, Patricia Coniker, Heather Brown, Jim Lund, Regina Wagner, Jeanne DePuy, Alyssa Bivins, Robert Huggins, ,Stephen Moses, Nestor Derkach, E & J Zysk, Joe Lao, Helen & Irving Ruffin, Norman Feig, Rosalie Siegel, Margaret Ulrich, Deneje Weyman, Stephanie Pullon, Janet Davis, Susan Giangiacomo, Cesare Silvestro, Brenda Hay, Sara Marie Ward, James Rose , Barbara Boncek, Joe Marranca, our first responders & several special intentions.

## Donation for Missal

In order to be safe from COVID, if you wish to have your own missal to follow Mass, please take one home with you and bring it each week so you can follow the readings. Any donations will be greatly appreciated, if possible. They will be available in the entranceway. A donation basket will be kept next to the Missals.

## It's Christmas and Time to Decorate

I would like to thank the parishioners who contributed over the years toward flowers. These funds have been used to purchase and assemble the decorations in our church by the ladies of the parish who prefer to remain anonymous but have expended their time and talents in making our church inviting and beautiful. God Bless all of you.
Father Dhas

## Eucharistic Ministry Course Online!

If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister, the course can be taken online. Once completed a meeting with Jennifer Edwards will be announced for all those who have completed the course to receive their certifications. www.NYliturgy.com.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sunday Collection | 903.00 | *ICC Special Offering* | 600.00 |
| *ICC & Retirement Donations* | 30.00 | *Fuel*<br>*Flowers* | 215.00<br>60.00 |

**Memorial or Intercessory Gifts**

*All are invited to offer one or more of the items we use in worship for the intention of loved ones, living or deceased. Donations for your intentions (listed here for **two weeks**) are: altar bread $15, altar candles $20, altar wine $10, the sanctuary lamp $15, the children's leaflets $10. You can reserve one by placing a plain white envelope in the collection listing 1) your name, 2) the person remembered, and 3) the object donated.*

*The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me,*
*because the Lord had anointed me.*
*-Isaiah 61:1*