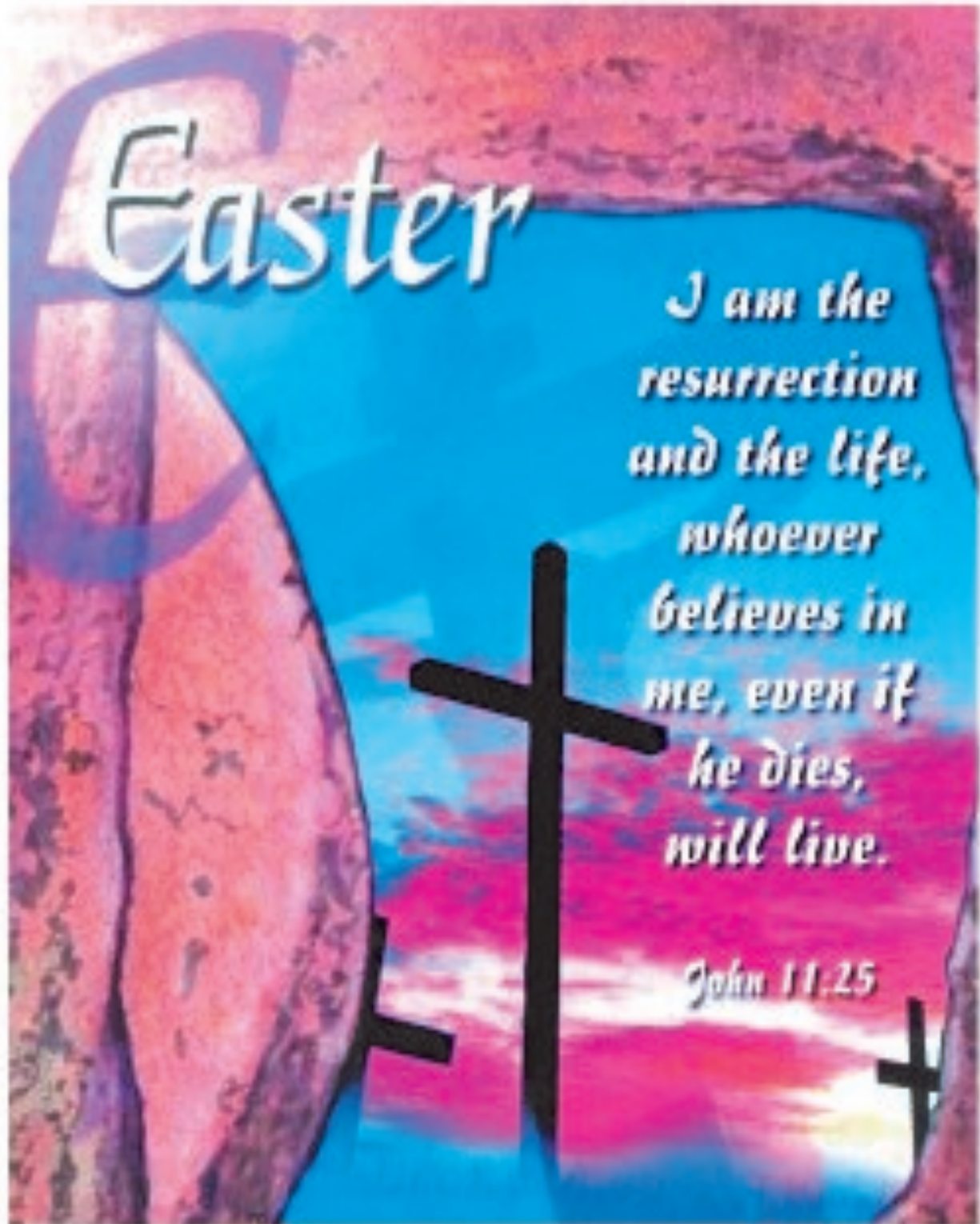


Church of the Sacred Heart

South Amboy, New Jersey



Rev. Stanley G. Gromadzki
Pastor

Rev. Marian Drozd
Parochial Vicar

Mass Intentions

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE ...

SATURDAY, April 20

Holy Saturday

- 8:00am Morning Prayer
7:00pm Easter Vigil

SUNDAY, April 21

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

- 7:00am Easter Mass Remembrances
8:40am(P) Easter Mass Remembrances
11:00am Easter Mass Remembrances
12:30pm Easter Mass Remembrances

MONDAY, April 22

- 8:00am + Frank Zebro
Req. by: Lorraine Kennedy

TUESDAY, April 23

- 8:00am + Joseph Bulla (Anniversary)
Req. by: Diane Bulla & Family

WEDNESDAY, April 24

- 8:00am + Stephan Denarski
Req. by: B. Zielinski

THURSDAY, April 25

- 8:00am + Francis Kujawski
Req. by: Thomas A. Kujawski

FRIDAY, April 26

- 8:00am + Robert Standowski
Req. by: Mother & Family
7:00pm(P)+ Halina Pienkos
Req. by Urszula Kazimierczak

SATURDAY, April 27

- 8:00am + Mary Ann Smetana
Req. by: Ernie & Shirley Read
4:00pm God's Blessings on the 45th Wedding Anniversary of MaryJo & John Lambert
5:30pm(P)+ Stefania Grela
Req. by: Kucharczyk Family

SUNDAY, April 28

Sunday of Divine Mercy

- 7:00am Pro Populo/People of the Parish
9:00am(P)+ Genowefa Zarkowska
Req. by: Monika & Piotr Koziej
10:30am + Genevieve Kwiecinski
Req. by: Daughter, Janet
12:00pm + Mr. & Mrs. Al Basile
Req. by: Bernadette & Pat Basile
2:30pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Chaplet of Divine Mercy
3:00pm Mercy Mass

If any family member of those mentioned in the Mass intentions is present, please inform the ushers.

You may bring the gifts to the altar.

Saturday, April 20

- ◆ Swieconka / Easter Food Blessing in Church 9:00am/10:00am/11:00am/12:00pm/1:00pm
- ◆ Regular and Easter Collection this weekend

Sunday, April 21

- ◆ Regular and Easter Collection this weekend

Monday, April 22

- ◆ Parish Office Closed
- ◆ SH Seniors Meeting @ 12:00pm/Memorial Hall
- ◆ No PREP classes

Friday, April 26

- ◆ Sacred Heart Tricky Tray / 6:00 pm to 11:00pm

Saturday, April 27

- ◆ Rosary at 3:30 pm
- ◆ Sacred Heart Rosary Society Clothing Drive
- ◆ Council of Catholic Women Bake Sale at all Masses
- ◆ 2nd Collection next weekend for Parish Repairs

Sunday, April 28

- ◆ Rosary at 10:10 am
- ◆ Sacred Heart Rosary Society Clothing Drive
- ◆ Council of Catholic Women Bake Sale at all Masses
- ◆ 2nd Collection next weekend for Parish Repairs

WEEK OF APRIL 21, 2019

CANDLE INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK **Sanctuary /Tabernacle Candle ~ Church**

+ Joseph P. Krygier

Daughters, Patricia, Karen & Linda

Blessed Mother's Altar Candles

Happy 60th Anniversary John & Marie Sabine
Joe & Mary Agnes Morris

Saint John Paul II Altar Candles

Easter Blessings on Father Stanley
Easter Blessings on Father Marian
Roger & Marlene Johnson

Candle for The Sacred Heart of Jesus

+ Joseph P. Krygier

Daughters, Patricia, Karen & Linda

Candle for Saint Joseph

+ Joseph P. Krygier

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Candle for Jesus Crucified

(No intention taken)

Candle for Our Lady of Fatima

(No intention taken)

Candle for Saint Anne

Anne Marie Scupp

Cindy Ruszala

Candle for Infant of Prague

Birthday Blessings on Isabella Maslowski
Babci and Dziadzi

Weekly Collection

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING April 13 / 14, 2019

Regular Collection: (not available)

Our parish church is totally dependent upon your financial support and generosity. Without your generosity we as a parish church could not function. Unfortunately it takes money and we must pay the bills like any other household, the only difference is that we are much, much bigger. Please be generous with God's given treasure in supporting your parish church. Please consider **tithing** (5% of your income) if you have not done so in the past. The Good Lord reward you for your generosity and sacrifice.

P. Stanley

SACRED HEART CCD/PREP

Contact Mrs. Liana at:
sacredheartsaprep@gmail.com

4/22/19 NO PREP classes

Children / Youth Mass

Music led by
"ROGER'S PRAISE & WORSHIP
CHILDREN'S GROUP"
~ Next Mass: May 5th @ 10:30am ~



If your child is interested in joining the Children's Band or Chorus, come to practice Mondays @ 6:30pm in the Convent, call 732-721-0040.

Rosary Society

4/27/19 Used "Clothing Drive"
4/28/19 Used "Clothing Drive"
5/ 5/19 Crowning of Our Blessed Mother @ 12noon
Mass
5/ 6/19 Meeting @ 7:00pm/Memorial Hall/LL

Council of Catholic Women

4/27/19 Bake Sale at all Masses
4/28/19
5/14/19 Meeting @ 7:30pm / Memorial Hall / LL

Knights of Columbus Council #426

5/23/19 Annual Golf Outing
6/15/19 Mets vs. St. Louis Cardinals/7:00-10:00pm

New members always welcomed! Call Jan Williams @ 732-553-9060. For Hall rental, please call 732-721-2025. or on Facebook @Council426.

Sacred Heart Catholic War Veterans

To be announced

~Please remember your Parish Church in Your Last Will & Testament~

Sacred Heart Church is the place where you so faithfully received God's Grace. God continues to bless you with His Holy Spirit. We owe God everything we are and everything we have, we can never repay Him. Hence, would you please consider sharing your treasure with your parish church before you enter your eternal reward, you will be glad that you did, and you will never regret it. God bless you and keep you in His care.

P. Stanley

Youth Ministry

5/4/19 Car Wash / Parking Lot / 9:00am to 2:00pm

Sacred Heart Seniors

4/22/19 Meeting @ 12:00pm / Memorial Hall
5/29/19 Trip to Caesar's / Everly Brothers Show
Cost: \$91.00 (\$25.00 slot dollars)
9/12/19 The Staten/Fiesta DeSanGennaro / \$98.00
11/6/19 Holiday Extravaganza/Lancaster County
\$409.00/pp

- For trip information, call Judy @732-727-0154

Atlantic City trip to Golden Nugget on 4/25/19. Bus will leave from S.H. parking lot at 9:30am. Call Lorraine at 732-721-6843 for information and registration.

St. Vincent De Paul

Food collection every 1st full weekend of the month. Please leave your food donation in front of Mem. Hall. Meetings every 2nd Saturday of the month, 9:00AM in the Convent. Food Pantry open to those in need immediately following. **Thank you for your donations & support!**

Sacred Heart Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop, located in the Convent, is now open Thursdays and Saturdays, from 9:30am to 12 noon. Browsers always welcomed!

Love Life Group

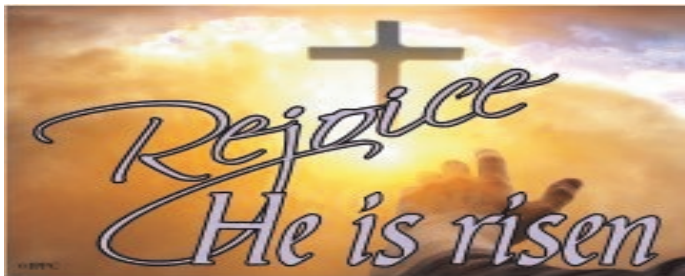
Please come Pray the Rosary @ American Wellness Ctr., 228 Main St., Woodbridge, where abortions are performed daily. Please pray for an end to abortions. Interested in joining? For more info, please call Anne at 732-721-7583.

Praise and Worship

Come join Sacred Heart Praise & Worship group which meets on Mondays at 7:30pm in Convent. New members always welcomed!

Sacred Heart Holy Name Society

To be announced



"He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him." Acts 10:38

On this Easter Sunday, open your hearts to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. God is love and we are made in His image and likeness. Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray for guidance on how to live your life and give thanks for all that He has given you.

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL UPDATE

As of this date, the Development Office of the Diocese of Metuchen, has received from our Parish pledges of \$37,246.75 and payments totaling \$32,934.50 from 179 parishioners. This represents 67.7% of our \$55,000.00 goal. Thank you to all who have participated!

METS TRIP ~ JUNE 15, 2019

South Amboy Knights of Columbus Council #426 is sponsoring their annual trip to Citi Field to see the Mets vs. St. Louis Cardinals, on Saturday, June 15th. Game time is 7:10pm. Cost is \$135.00 which includes bus transport, game ticket, snacks and \$24.00 Mets money. For more info, call Steve @ 732-727-1707 or the K of C @ 732-721-2025.

MONTHLY UTILITIES FOR MARCH 2019

Gas	\$3,416.13
Electric	\$1,031.80
Telephone:	\$ 353.36
Water	\$1,553.47

Thank you for your continuous support of the Parish!

ROSARY SOCIETY CLOTHING DRIVE APRIL 27TH AND 28TH, 2019

Spring is here and now is the time to clean out your closets of clothing you don't wear! Your gently used clothing will be sold to second-hand stores that serve those less fortunate. Gently used clothing, shoes, belts, purses and bicycles will be graciously accepted before and after all Masses!

SHCCW BAKE SALE

The Council of Catholic Women will hold a "Bake Sale" on the weekend of April 27th and 28th before and after all Masses.

Altar Server Schedule

Saturday, April 27, 2019

4:00pm: E. Smetana, S. Parse, J & J Tuquero. P. Gros-pin

5:30pm: N. Mroczkowska, D. Gawel, G. Trojanowski

Sunday, April 28, 2019

7:00am: D. Nicoletti, Z. O'Connor, K & R DeSimon

9:00am: M. Sliwowska, K. Garlak, E. Orzechowska

10:30am: A & D Pino, M. Wiszenko, J. Fernandez
G. Velez, S. Peel

12noon: K & L & V Pesch, M. Mieczkowski, P. Cleary
A. Kubisiak

RESURRECTION : NEW LIFE

When we rejoice in Jesus' Resurrection, we also celebrate Christ's gift of himself, which transforms us and enables us to become a self-gift to others. When this happens, we are renewed by the blessings that Easter gives us. On this day, we rejoice in Jesus' conquest of sin and death and anticipate the Holy Spirit's coming on Pentecost. Jesus continues with us through his Church, the ongoing gift of his divine presence.

We rejoice that our hard times and pain, like his, will be overcome, and that we will be rewarded some day. Each Easter, by the power of God's grace, given through the Holy Spirit, we renew our desire to cultivate our gift of self. We commit ourselves anew to our Risen Lord in his joys and suffering, so that one day we will rise and live forever in his Kingdom, where no more pain or sadness exist, only God's all-embracing love. Then will we see how firm faith, steadfast love, and enduring hope prepare us to celebrate eternal life forever. Pause to reflect on Jesus' Resurrection and the difference it makes in our lives.

Readings for the Week CHAPTER 1 Winning God's the earth

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15

Sunday: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

CHRIST IS RISEN! HE IS RISEN INDEED!

CHRYSTUS ZMARTWYCHWSTAŁ! ON PRAWDZIWIE ZMARTWYCHWSTAŁ!

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

Today our hearts are filled with the joy of Easter. After the Lenten season, the time of penance and conversion, after the wonderful celebrations of the Holy Triduum, today we stand before Jesus' empty tomb and meditate with wonder, awe, and gratitude, on the Resurrection of the Lord. Life has conquered death! Mercy and love have conquered sin!

The Lord has risen among us!

What does it mean that Jesus is risen? It means that the love of God is stronger than evil and death itself. Heaven is within our reach. All people have a chance of redemption and eternal life in heaven. The love of God transforms our lives and the lives of all the believers. Jesus no longer belongs to the past but lives in the present and always shows us our future. God's offering of a new life in Christ to all of us, gives us grace to be victorious over sin, evil and death, and over everything that crushes life and makes it seem less human. Let us all allow the risen Jesus enter our lives. Let us welcome Him every morning and every evening as our friend in whom we trust, for He is life! If up to now we held Christ at a distance from us because of sin, weakness, shame or guilt, let us step forward and make Him part of every moment of every day of our lives, and He will receive us with open arms and set us free. And if anyone of us have been indifferent or doubtful of His mercy and forgiveness, then take a chance on Him, and we will not be disappointed. And if following Jesus seem difficult, then let's not be afraid but place all our trust in Him, and be confident that He is close to us. Jesus Christ, the Risen Lord, is with us and gives us the peace we all are looking for and the strength to live as He would have us do. Happy Easter!

On behalf of Father Marian, Deacon Serge and the Parish staff, I pray and wish you and your families a Happy Easter and a joy-filled Easter season. May the Risen Lord, both now and forever, keep you in His love and bless you with His Grace. Happy Easter!

Father Stanley

Niedziela Zmartwychwstania Pańskiego 2019

Nie ma Go tutaj, zmartwychwstał!"

Obiektem tego prostego stwierdzenia jest Jezus z Nazaretu. Apostołowie przebiegają cały świat powtarzając każdemu człowiekowi: umarły na krzyżu poza murami Jerozolimy, trzeciego dnia zmartwychwstał i dzisiaj żyje!

Ta prawda została przesłana aż do nas. I dlatego dzisiejsze święto domaga się od nas weryfikacji naszej wiary, naszego bycia chrześcijaninem.

Być chrześcijaninem, znaczy wierzyć w Chrystusa, który naprawdę zmartwychwstał i rzeczywiście jest żywy w ciele, żywy dzisiaj.

Być chrześcijaninem, znaczy mówić z wiarą: Chrystus zmartwychwstał dla mnie!

Być chrześcijaninem, znaczy wierzyć, że Jezus Chrystus zerwał kajdany śmierci, pokonał potęgę zła, która czyniła nas niewolnikami.

Chrześcijanin żyje nadzieją. On wierzy, że stary świat, już umarły, dzięki zmartwychwstaniu Chrystusa otrzymał obietnicę nowego życia, życia w BOGU

Drodzy Parafianie i Mili Goście

Życzę, by Dzień Zmartwychwstania Pańskiego stał się dniem Bożej radości i wesela dla każdego z Was. Niech pokój i łaska Zmartwychwstałego Chrystusa napełnią Wam serca!

Przez wstawiennictwo Maryi – Królowej Nieba, zapewniamy modlitwę.

Szczęść Wam Boże.

Ks. Stanisław i Ks. Marian