



# HOLY CROSS R.C. CHURCH

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MASPETH, N.Y. 11378

## THE PASTORAL STAFF

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**Rev. Andrzej Salwowski** - Administrator  
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Emergencies - Anytime

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6 to 8 PM - Tuesday and Wednesday  
11:00 AM to 1:00 PM - Saturday

## Schedule of Services

### MASSES - MSZE ŚWIĘTE:

#### Weekdays:

**Monday:** 7:30 AM Polish

**Tuesday to Friday:** 7:30 AM Polish  
8:30 AM English

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday:** 6:30 PM Polish

**Wednesday:** 6:30 PM English

**Saturday Morning:** 7:30 AM Polish

**Saturday Eve:** 5:00 PM English  
6:30 PM Polish

**Sundays:** 8:00, 11:00 AM & 6:30 PM Polish  
9:30 AM & 12:30 PM English

### Confessions - Spowiedź

**Saturdays:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM & at 6:00 PM - 6:30PM

**First Friday:** 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

### Devotions - Nabożeństwa

**Tuesday** - Our Lady of Czestochowa, after 6:30 PM Mass.

**First Thursday** - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
after 6:30 PM Mass.

**First Friday** - Sacred Heart of Jesus after 6:30 PM Mass.

**First Saturday** - Marian Devotions after 6:30 PM Mass.

**Third Sunday of the Month** -

Divine Mercy after 6:30 PM Mass.

October, May and Lent have special devotions -  
announced in the bulletin.

**Baptism:** Second Sunday of every month

11:00 Polish & 12:30 English

All Baptisms by appointment only.

**Marriages** - by appointment only -  
6 months in advance

Every member should be properly registered.  
No marriages or Baptisms may be performed unless  
one is registered. Church Law requires this.



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Thirty-Second Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
November 12, 2023

# Mass Intentions For The Week



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**SATURDAY** November 11      **SOBOTA** 11 listopada

- 5 PM † Kazimierz Pisanko (Annv) & Jan Kwiatkowski (Annv)
- 6:30 PM † Władysława Scipior
- † W intencji zmarłych z rodziny Budz
- † Robert Ozga
- † Józef Brancewicz (3 Rocz)
- † Andrzej Bialek

**SUNDAY** November 12      **NIEDZIELA** 12 listopada

- 8:00 † Władysława Gładysiewicz i Krystyna Hajduczek
- 9:30 † John Olewnicki
- 11:00 † Irena i Józef Wiśniewscy
- 12:30 For the People of the Parish
  
- 6:30 PM † Henryk Grabiński (Rocz)

**MONDAY** November 13      **PONIEDZIAŁEK** 13 listopada

- 7:30 † Adam i Stanisław Tkaczyk
- 6:30 PM † Tomasz Tylutki

**TUESDAY** November 14      **WTOREK** 14 listopada

- 7:30 † Kazimierz Baran (Rocz)
- 8:30 † Stanisław & Zofia Kłosek
- 6:30 PM † Tadeusz Maks

**WEDNESDAY** November 15      **ŚRODA** 15 listopada

- 7:30 † Mirosława Kirejczyk
- 8:30 † Donald Tannacore (Annv)
- 6:30 PM † Jorge A. Castillo Lepe

**THURSDAY** November 16      **CZWARTEK** 16 listopada

- 7:30 † Joseph Eaton(Rocz)
- 8:30 † Patrick Conety (Annv)
- 6:30 PM † Urszula Zajkowska

**FRIDAY** November 17      **PIĄTEK** 17 listopada

- 7:30 † Ludwig i Józefa Wesolowscy
- 8:30 † Luis Mejia
- 6:30 PM † Anna i Mieczysław Wołpiuk

**SATURDAY** November 18      **SOBOTA** 18 listopada

- 7:30 • Prośba o Boże Błogosławieństwo i opiekę Matki Bożej dla Karoliny
  
- 5 PM For the People of the Parish
- 6:30 PM • Msza Dziękczynna, z prośbą o Boże Bł., opiekę M.B. dla Katarzyny z okazji urodzin
- Prośba o zdrowie i Boże Bł. oraz potrzebne łaski dla Justyny Łupinskiej
- † Stanisław i Maria Płaza

**SUNDAY** November 19      **NIEDZIELA** 19 listopada

- 8:00 • Msza Dziękczynna z prośbą o Boże Błogosławieństwo, opiekę Matki Bożej i dary Ducha świętego dla Anety i Krzysztofa Konopko
- 9:30 • Thanksgiving Mass, asking for God's Blessings for Mieczysław and Danuta Czachor on the occasion of their Wedding Anniversary
- 11:00 † Agnes Jarzynka
- 12:30 † Mieczysław Borawski(Annv)
  
- 6:30 PM † Eugeniusz Kielar (Rocz)

## DONATIONS



### SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp this week will burn in memory of our grandfather Patrick Conety.

### BREAD AND WINE

This week's bread and wine is in memory of my husband Donald Tannacore donated by his wife Emily.

## HOLY CROSS

### GOLDEN AGE MEETING

**November 14, 2023 at 11:00 AM**  
**JOHN PAUL II ROOM UNDER THE CHURCH**

The premise is to celebrate seniors by giving them a place to interact with their peers. Our weekly meetings give our seniors the opportunity to share their experiences with their friends, play some bingo and celebrate special events. Our goal is to provide each of our members a day for themselves. We support each other in good times and sad events. Most importantly, we share love.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR  
OUR BELOVED DECEASED:**  
DONALD SOWA  
May he rest in Christ's Peace.



Serdecznie zapraszamy na kiermasz kartek ze zdjęciami świątecznego wystroju naszego kościoła i świec Caritas na Boże Narodzenie.

Niedziela, 19 listopada 2023 r.  
po wszystkich Mszach świętych.

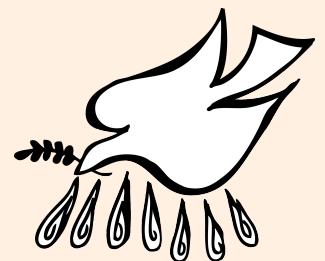


# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HOLY CROSS CHURCH



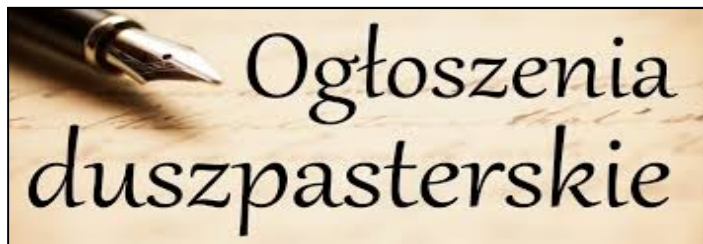
On Sunday, October 22th, we celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Holy Cross Parish.


It was a beautiful day, made even more beautiful by the joy of our young men and women as they received the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.




Bishop Witold Mroziewski celebrated the Mass. It was wonderful to hear their confirmation names. Some were chosen to honor a special family member and others because they admire a quality in a saint. These young men and women are called to do great things with and for God, and we should all be proud of them! Congratulations!

Sebastian Bieniek, Natalie Chudzik, Michal Czachor, Christian Czarniak, Oliver Falandysz, Karina Jablonski, Julia Kielar, Olivia Kielar, Marek Konopka, Kamil Koszczuk, Anna Kurowski, Alexander Misa, Jakub Peza, Bartosz Pietruszka, Liliana Przystupa, Maya Ramirez-Walesieniuk, Natalia Sitarz, Michal Skrodzki, Maja Szablak, Michael Wiszowaty, Sebastian Wojtowicz, Alexander Zak.







**NOVEMBER -  
ALL SOULS MONTH**



The entire parish community continues to offer its prayers and Masses for all those recommended to our prayers. Let each one of us set aside a few moments each day this month to remember our loved ones who have been called to God.



**LISTOPAD  
MIESIĄCEM MODLITWY  
ZA ZMARŁYCH**



W tym miesiącu cała wspólnota parafialna powinna przez modlitwę i częsty udział we Mszy św. polecać Miłosierdziu Bożemu naszych bliskich zmarłych. Poświęćmy codziennie kilka minut modlitwy tym, których Pan już odwołał spośród nas.

**2023 ADVENT CANDLES**

Advent begins on December 3, 2023. If you would like to memorialize a candle on the parish Advent wreath please return your request to the Rectory Office. We have five candles to memorialize. The donation is \$100. Any questions please call the Rectory Office at 718-894-1387.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_


Inscription: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_

The memorialization will be published in the bulletin each of the 4 weeks of Advent.

Please indicate if you would like your name to appear in the bulletin with your donation.  
 Yes  NO



**ŚWIECE NA WIEŃCU ADWENTOWYM**

Adwent rozpoczyna się 3 grudnia, 2023 roku. Jeśli ktoś chciałby upamiętnić swoich bliskich, ofiarowując świecę w wieńcu adwentowym, prosimy o wypełnienie załączonej formy i przekazanie do naszej kancelarii parafialnej. Można ofiarować 5 świec, każda w cenie \$100. W przypadku pytań, prosimy o kontakt z naszą kancelarią parafialną: 718-894-1387.


Imię i Nazwisko: \_\_\_\_\_

Napis: \_\_\_\_\_

Numer telefonu: \_\_\_\_\_

Kwota załączona: \$\_\_\_\_\_

Upamiętnienie będzie opublikowane w naszym biuletynie parafialnym przez wszystkie tygodnie adwentu. Prosimy o zaznaczenie, czy życzą sobie Państwo, aby Wasze informacje zostały opublikowane w biuletynie.  
 Yes  No





# Annual Catholic Appeal 2023

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**Holy Cross Parish  
Maspeth**  
2023 • Annual Catholic Appeal

**Goal: \$56,665.**

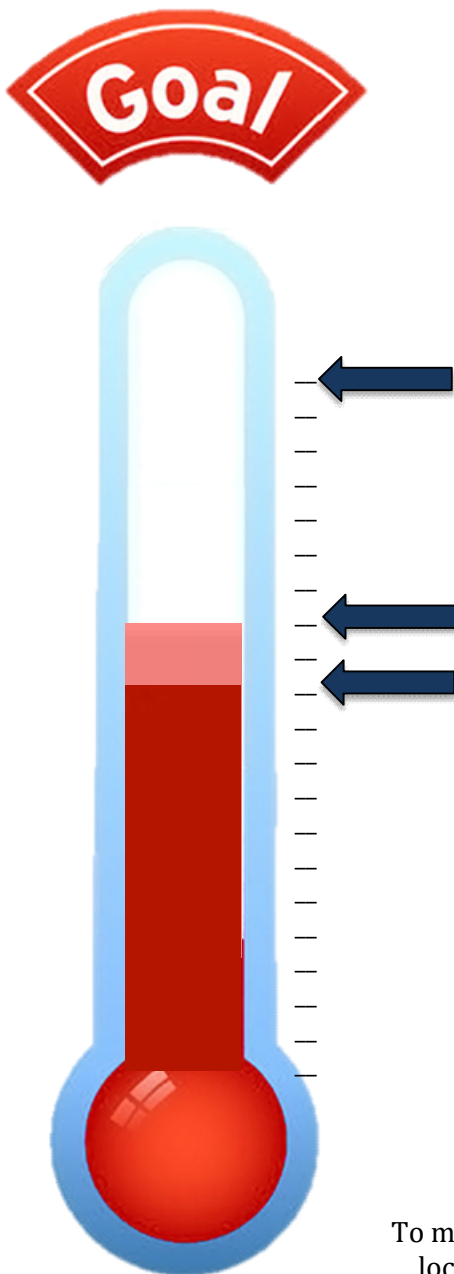
As of 11/06/2023

**Pledged: \$33,942.**

**Received: \$32,342.**

**Amount needed to reach goal:**

**\$22,723.**



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To make your PLEDGE please complete a Pledge Envelope located at the Church entrance or PLEDGE ONLINE at:

**[www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org](http://www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org)**

# SENIOR RETREAT



**GUEST SPEAKER SR. AVE CLARK, O.P.**

**THEME TALK: „ God’s Song and How We Sing It”  
and „The Heart Holds Gratitude”**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023**

**TIME: 9:30 AM TO 12:00 NOON**

**OUR LADY OF HOPE SCHOOL CAFETERIA**

**ELIOT AVENUE AND 71ST STREET  
(PLEASE ENTER THROUGH THE PARKING LOT)**

**SPONSORED BY OUR LADY OF HOPE  
COMMITTEE FOR SENIOR EVENTS**

**LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED  
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# Always be Ready

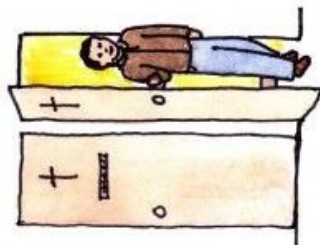
Have you ever thought to yourself that it would be better to have fun and be bad now, and then be good later? That's what some of the bridesmaids in today's parable were like. They only brought enough oil for their lamps, and didn't bother to bring any extra. But the other bridesmaids had been wise and took along extra flasks to refill their lamps when it got late. When the bridegroom came, those who hadn't brought extra oil were gone, getting more oil, and missed the feast!



Sometimes people say that they have lots of time to change from their evil ways, so they don't repent right away. This parable shows us that it is very foolish to leave important things until later. Nobody knows when they will die, so we should always be ready.



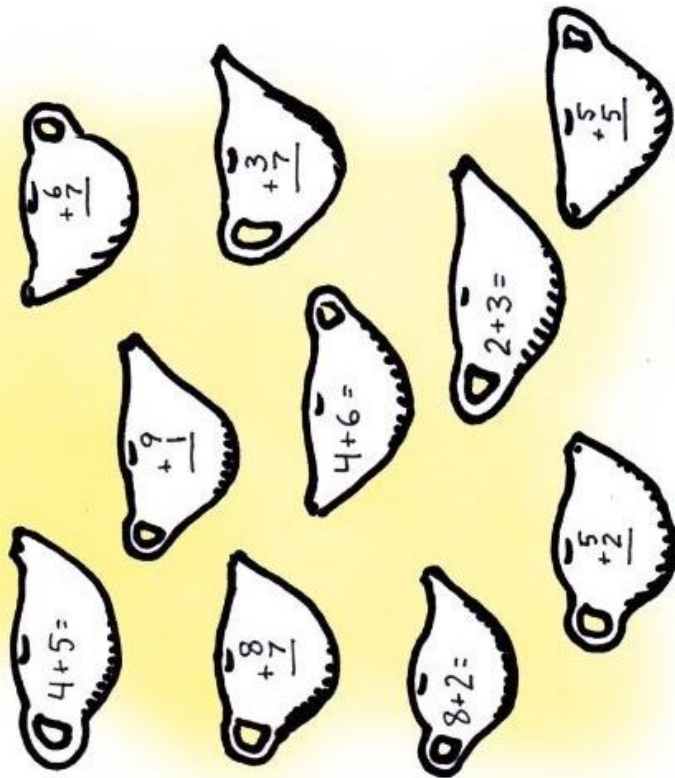
The oil of the bridesmaids is like the grace in our souls. We need to make sure that our soul always has sanctifying grace, which we need to get into Heaven. We lose that grace when we do a serious sin. That is why if we ever commit a serious sin, we should go to confession as soon as we can so that we will always have grace and be ready for when we die.



Answer to front puzzle: 5 had extra oil. Answer to Word-find: My soul thirsts for Thee.  
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# The Kids' Bulletin

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 November 12th, 2023



In today's parable, ten bridesmaids are waiting with their lamps. How many of them brought extra oil? Colour in the ones that equal 10 to find out the answer!



# Saint Elizabeth of Hungary November 17

ELIZABETH WAS THE DAUGHTER OF THE KING AND QUEEN OF HUNGARY IN 1200'S. SHE GREW UP LOVING GOD AND DOING LITTLE PENANCES.

HER PARENTS ARRANGED FOR HER TO MARRY THE DUKE OF THURINGIA IN GERMANY. HE WAS A GOOD HUSBAND.

THEY BOTH LOVED GOD AND WERE GENEROUS TO THE POOR AND SICK.

I have been asked to join the Crusade.

THEY HAD THREE CHILDREN, BUT HER HUSBAND HAD TO LEAVE ON A CRUSADE.

HE DIED ON THE WAY FROM DISEASE. POOR ELIZABETH WAS A WIDOW AT THE AGE OF 21.

The world with all its joys is dead to me!

SHE STARTED HOSPITALS, BUT HER HUSBAND'S RELATIVES WERE CRUEL TO HER AND REFUSED TO GIVE HER ENOUGH MONEY.

This is hardly enough to live on!

SO ELIZABETH JOINED THE FRANCISCAN ORDER AND SPENT THE REST OF HER SHORT LIFE IN PRAYER AND CARE FOR THE POOR. SHE DIED AT THE AGE OF 24.

I'm not feeling well...

SAINTE ELIZABETH DID NOT LET BEING RICH AND IMPORTANT IN THE WORLD GET IN THE WAY OF LOVING GOD AND OTHERS. SHE USED HER MONEY AND TIME TO CARE FOR THE POOR AND SICK, AND WHEN SHE HAD NO MONEY SHE STILL CARED FOR THEM. CAN YOU PRAY FOR THE POOR AND SICK PEOPLE TODAY?

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# Psalm 63 Word-Find

P A R C H E D P O W E R  
M W Y S B A N Q U E T W  
O I T H I R S T O S U L T I  
S L I P S T O W A R D S H  
A L T H E I G L O R Y I O  
N A M L E N O I R S T W U  
C A G A L Z E S M O U S E R T  
T U B L I F E S H A N D S E R T  
A R I C H E S G O O D R E S S  
Y H E E K I N D N E S S

See if you can find all the words in CAPITALS in this part of today's Psalm. The leftover letters will spell out a little prayer to God when you write them in the blanks at the end.



O GOD, you are my God whom I SEEK; for you my FLESH PINES and my soul THIRSTS like the EARTH, PARCHED and WITHOUT WATER.

Thus have I GAZED TOWARD you in the SANCTUARY to see your POWER and your GLORY, for your KINDNESS is a greater GOOD than LIFE; my lips shall glorify you.

Thus WILL I BLESS you while I LIVE; lifting up my HANDS, I will CALL upon your NAME. As with the RICHES of a BANQUET shall my SOUL be satisfied, and with exultant LIPS my MOUTH shall praise you.



# HELLO from ART-onia



Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal R.C. Church  
62-81 60th Place  
Ridgewood, NY 11385

*invites for*

## **Deanery Eucharistic Day of Prayer**

**Saturday**

**November 18, 2023**

10:00 AM - School Hall  
(61st and Bleecker Street,  
parking available)

10:30 AM - Speaker  
Msgr. Joseph Malagrecia

11:00 AM - Separate language  
group discussion

12:00 PM - Lunch  
(bring your own)

1:00 PM - Adoration and  
Benediction

