INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, MARCH 4

9:30 AM † Frank Mareno 11:00 AM † Waleria Slipec

rq.rodzina Mojek

MONDAY, MARCH 5

7:30 AM For Parishioners

TUESDAY, MARCH 6

7:00 PM O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla Diane LaRose oraz opiekę Matki

Bożej dla całej rodziny LaRose

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

7:30 AM My fellow parishioners

for praying for me. rq.Ruth Metzler

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

† Giuseppina Minnuto † Maria Miceli 7:30 AM

† Giuseppa Ravizzone

rq. Rosa Amico

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

7:00 PM W dniu urodzin o zdrowie i Boże

błogosławieństwo dla Zofii

SATURDAY, MARCH 10

7:30 AM 5:30 PM † Giovani Martino

† Felipa Gavina rq.John Comas

SUNDAY, MARCH 11

9:30 AM

† Alfreda Sztyler rq.Krzciuk Family

11:00 AM

† † Helena i Jan Ziarnik

LECTORS

Sat. Mar. 3-5:30 PM

Marcie Prasnal

Sun. Mar. 4 – 9:30 AM

Richard Cerbo

Sun. Mar. 4-11:00 AM Bozena Kotula & Karolina Kotula

Sat. Mar. 10-5:30 PM John Comas

Sun. Mar. 11-9:30 AM Richard Cerbo

Sun. Mar.11-11:00 AM

Marzanna Kopacz & Grzegorz Bubienko

Sanctuary Lamp Candles

This week sanctuary lamps have been offered in memory of: Blonarowicz & Sobolewski

Blok & Cichanowski Jan Gier Wozniel Family

Wieczyste Lampki

Wieczyste lampki w tym tygodniu zostały ofiarowane za spokój dusz: Blonarowicz i Sobolewski Blok i Cichanowski Jan Gier Z rodziny Wozniel



All of our deceased parishioners and friends. We also ask your prayers of comfort for our sick and confined parishioners and friends:

Jean & Frank Bernardo, Philip Burghardt, Robert Alfaro, Rose Pira, Ed Koennemenn, Jane & Bill Zehnder, Dorothy Walker, Patrick Patskin, Darlene & Jack Wilman, Elizabeth Malangone, †Teresa Miras, Eieen & Michael Murphy, Benjamin Narciso, Niku Rudgarnia, Kelly Smyth, Marie Demarest, Jacek Strządała, Regina Pfaff, Kazimierz Brodka, Christine Novak, Ethelda Burton, Kathy Sarao, Theresa Demirest Gina, Michael, Renee Foca, Karolina Stachniuk, Franciszek Szczecha, †Donna DiCarlo, Damian Marek, Anna Mattessich, Fr. Pawel Georgette Pianteri. Br Marek, Mark Metzler, Arlene Nowakowski, Barbara Revis, Marzanna Kopacz, Ashley Hascup, Jessica Santos, Ashley & Barbara, †Bernie Zoch, †Stella Lubie, Ruth Metzler, Franck, Lukasz Bandur, † Helen Sanchez

If you wish to include someone in this list, please call the rectory office at (201) 440-3224.

COLLECTIONS / KOLEKTY February 25 / 25 Lutego

First collection: \$ 923 Second collection: \$ 864

HOLY

Our sececond collection this week is for Novena of St. Joseph Our second collection next week is for: Peter's Pence

Druga kolekta w tym tygodniu przeznaczona jest na: Novena do Św. Józefa Druga kolekta w przyszłym tygodniu jest na: **Peter's Pence**

MAY GOD REWARD YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

4 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 (29) Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42 (28) Pss III

5 Mon Lenten Weekday 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Lk 4:24-30 (237)

6 Tue Lenten Weekday Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35 (238)

7 Wed Lenten Weekday Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19 (239)

8 Thu Lenten Weekday Saint John of God, Religious Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23 (240)

9 Fri Lenten Weekday Saint Frances of Rome, Religious Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34 (241)

10 Sat Lenten Weekday Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14 (242)



Saint John of God's Story

Having given up active Christian belief while a soldier, John was 40 before the depth of his sinfulness began to dawn on him. He decided to give the rest of his life to God's service, and headed at once for Africa where he hoped to free captive Christians and, possibly, be martyred.

He was soon advised that his desire for martyrdom was not spiritually well based, and returned to Spain and the relatively prosaic activity of a religious goods store. Yet he was still not settled. Moved initially by a sermon of Saint John of Avila, he one day engaged in a public beating of himself, begging mercy and wildly repenting for his past life.

Committed to a mental hospital for these actions, John was visited by Saint John, who advised him to be more actively involved in tending to the needs of others rather than in enduring personal hardships. John gained peace of heart, and shortly after left the hospital to begin work among the poor.

He established a house where he wisely tended to the needs of the sick poor, at first doing his own begging. But, excited by the saint's great work and inspired by his devotion, many people began to back him up with money and provisions. Among them were the archbishop and marguis of Tarifa.

Behind John's outward acts of total concern and love for Christ's sick poor was a deep interior prayer life which was reflected in his spirit of humility. These qualities attracted helpers who, 20 years after John's death, formed the Brothers Hospitallers, now a worldwide religious order.

John became ill after 10 years of service, but tried to disguise his ill health. He began to put the hospital's administrative work into order and appointed a leader for his helpers. He died under the care of a spiritual friend and admirer, Lady Ana Ossorio. Reflection

The utter humility of John of God, which led to a totally selfless dedication to others, is most impressive. Here is a man who realized his nothingness in the face of God. The Lord blessed him with the gifts of prudence, patience, courage, enthusiasm, and the ability to influence and inspire others. He saw that in his early life he had turned away from the Lord, and, moved to receive his mercy, John began his new commitment to love others in openness to God's love.

Saint John of God is the Patron Saint of:

Booksellers

Firefighters

Heart Patients

Hospitals

Nurses

Printers

NEWS & ANNOUCEMENT

Friday at 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Dear parishioners, I would like to inform you that last week a new Chasuble was purchased for our church. If any parishioner would like to contribute to the cost of the new Chasuble for the parish, we would be very grateful.

I would also like to thank the Faustinian's for the new alba for our pastor, which was also purchased this week.

Thank you to Halina and Arkadiusz Szczachor for their donation of \$1200 for the statue of the Resurrected Christ.

This week our former parishioner Teodozja Przyborowska left for eternity. Funeral Mass was celebrated last Tuesday and we ask you to remember Teodozja in your prayers. Eternal rest, grant unto her o Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May she rest in peace. Amen.



Please visit our website: www.stjosephsnj.org

INFORMACJE I OGŁOSZENIA

W piątek, o godzinie 6:30 pm nabożeństwo Drogi Krzyżowej.

W niedziele po Mszy św. O 11:00 odśpiewamy "Gorzkie Żale".

Rekolekcje parafialne rozpoczynamy w Niedzielę Palmową a kończymy nauką dla dzieci w Wielką Środę.

Drodzy parafianie, pragnę poinformować, że w minionym tygodniu został zakupiony nowy ornat. Koszt to 300\$.Gdyby ktoś z parafian chciał pokryć koszt tego ornatu dla parafii, bylibyśmy bardzo wdzięczni.

Pragnę również podziękować Faustynkom za ofiary na nową albę dla mnie, która również w tym tygodniu została zakupiona.



Pragnę podziękować państwu Halinie i Arkadiuszowi Szczachor za ofiarę na figurę Chrystusa Zmartwychwstałego w wysokości 1200\$.

W tym tygodniu do wieczności odeszła nasza była parafianka Teodozja Przyborowska. Msza pogrzebowa była celebrowana w miniony wtorek. Prosimy o Teodozji pamiętać w modlitwach.

Wieczny odpoczynek racz jej dać Panie a światłość wiekuista niechaj Jej świeci.

Zapraszamy na naszą stronę: www..stjosephsnj.org



■ MARCH 4, 2018 ■ Third Sunday of Lent

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Holy Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday:

7:30 AM (English)

Tuesday, Novena to St. Joseph:

7:00 PM (Polish)

Friday, Divine Mercy Novena:

7:00 PM (Polish)

First Friday:

7:30AM (English) & 7:00 PM (Polish)

Saturday:

7:30 AM (English) & 5:30 PM Vigil Holy Mass

(English) **Sunday:**

9:30 ÅM (English) & 11:00 AM (Polish)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Tuesdays from 6:00 PM

Confessions:

before and after Holy Mass

Sacrament of Baptism:

Sunday after Holy Mass at 11:00 AM.

Arrange at parish office.

Marriage:

please contact the Rectory Office 6 months in advance.

Rectory Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 9:00AM to 2:00PM

If you or someone in your family is unable to come to church and would like to receive the sacraments of Penance, Eucharist, and/or Anointing of the Sick, please call Fr. Wlodzimierz at (201) 440-3224.



God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might have eternal life.

Jn 3:16

Tak bowiem Bóg umiłował świat, że Syna swego Jednorodzonego dał, aby każdy, kto w Niego wierzy, nie zginął, ale miał życie wieczne. Jan 3:16