

**29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, OCTOBER 20, 2024**

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## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

SECOND & FOURTH SUNDAYS  
1:15 PM ENG  
2:15 POLISH

Please arrange the date of baptism through the Rectory office after the birth of your child

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the Rectory for an appointment at least **six months** prior to the desired date.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAYS  
4:00 to 4:45 PM  
and  
THURSDAYS BEFORE FIRST FRIDAYS  
4:00 to 5:00 PM

Other times by appointment.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEKDAYS 7:00 AM  
SATURDAYS 8:00 AM  
SATURDAY EVENINGS  
VIGIL MASS 5:00 PM  
SUNDAYS  
8:00 & 9:15 AM  
10:30 AM (Polish)  
12:00 Noon

## RECTORY HOURS WEEKDAYS

9 AM to 12 Noon  
& 1 PM to 4 PM

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

TUES. 12 to 1 PM

MILLIONS OF MONICAS  
TUES. 1 to 2 PM

PL PRAYER GROUP  
W/ ADORATION  
2ND THURSDAYS 7 PM

LAY CARMELITE  
CHAPTER -1ST SAT.  
AFTER 8 AM MASS

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY  
1ST WEDNESDAYS 6:30 PM  
(APRIL, MAY, JUNE,  
SEPT., OCT. & NOV.)



### *Our Mission Statement*

*Lord, God, all creation is yours, and you call us to serve you by caring for the gifts that surround us. May the example of St. Isidore urge us to share our food with the hungry and to work for the salvation of mankind. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, your son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.  
Saint Isidore, Pray for Us.*

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2024

5:00 pm The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased  
+ Joseph & Marie Zielinski and Family  
+ John Vaccarelli / + Peter Kruszon  
+ Hannah C. Masters / + Thomas L. Clark  
+ Anthony Madonia / + Gregory L. Miley

### 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, OCT. 20, 2024

8:00 am + Anne Kruel  
9:15 am Living and Deceased Members of the Altar  
Rosary Society  
10:30 am + Jadwiga & Julian Bondarowicz  
(PL) + Ziggy Wilinski  
+ Wieslaw Luniewski (1st A)  
+ Zymunt, Teresa i Helena Luniewski  
+ Rev. Piotr Narkun / + Henryk Sokol  
+ Jadwiga Wasilewski & Family  
+ Jan i Alexandra Sokol  
+ Czeslawa & Stanislaw Zaniewski & Family  
O bogoslawniostwo Boze i Opieke Matki  
Przenajswietszej dla Edyty i Piotra  
Mioskowskich z Okazji 25 Rocznicy Slubu

12 Noon + Anthony Passarella

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2024

7:00 am + Robert Kaelin

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2024

7:00 am + Patricia Liebler

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2024

7:00 am + Julie and Philip Zotos  
Intentions of the Bonocore Family

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2024

7:00 am + Bruno Madzellan

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2024

7:00 am + Marguerite Parks

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024

8:00 am + Jan Harasimowicz & Fam. & Puchalski Fam.  
5:00 pm + Frank and Dana Columbus  
+ Catherine A. Densieski / + Maryann Matlak  
+ Jadwiga and Vincent Suchta

### 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, OCT. 27, 2024

8:00 am + Mark Robinson  
9:15 am + Lawrence Falabella  
10:30 am The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased  
(PL) Wedding Anniv. Blessings for John & Joanna  
Zaniewski and Blessings for their Family  
+ Stanislaw Andrychowska  
Birthday Blessings for Ignacy Wasilewski  
O Boze Blogoslawniostwo i zdrowie dla  
Eugenia i Pawel Golyski i ich dzieci  
+ Jadwiga i Jan Zawadzki  
+ Wladyslawa i Czeslaw Gwiazda  
12 Noon + Rosalina Vargas

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22, (22)/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Ps 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 13:1-9

Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-5

## PRAYER IN OCTOBER

English Rosary on Wednesdays at 7 PM  
Polish Rosary on Fridays at 7 PM

## FOOD PANTRY

With the holidays approaching, our pantry shelves are really low on food items. Needed:

Canned vegetables

Tuna / Soups

Side dishes

Fruit

Peanut Butter and Jelly

Beans

Marinara sauce

Thank you for helping us help others!

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### Tuesday, October 22, 2024

Adoration 12:00 PM—1:00 PM  
Millions of Monicas 1:00 PM—2:00 PM

### Wednesday, October 23, 2024

English Rosary 7 PM

### Friday, October 25, 2024

Polish Rosary 7 PM

## PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Miguel Angel Castrillon \* Nicholas Steinkamp \* Peter Pece \* Teresa Muenkel \* Ron Danowski \* Peter Kraljic \* Mary Mader \* Carson Whible \* Dave Zazeski \* Faye Anderson \* Hana Cutler \* James Gibson \* Jim Kenna \* Daryl Alec \* Paula George \* Christina Donovan \* John Giordano \* Harry Koehler \* Kathy D'Eletto \* Richard Francis Harrison II \* Ursula Mocniak \* Joan Zaleski \* Catherine and Charles J. Sehy \* Grazyna Pawlak \* Gillen Family \* Blythe Fickenwirth \* Irene Monahan \* Jody Breitfeller \* Benjamin Gonzalez \* Dominique Tirado \* Diana Pernicario \* Sammy \* Brodie \* Dolline Welch \* Cathleen Mickaliger \* Joseph Stepnoski \* James Kenna \* Douglas Clark \* Jan Suchta \* Justin \* Dakota Harmon \* Cole Faller \* Claire Latour \* Halikias Family \* Liana Forstein \* Rosemary & Daniel Ambrosini \* Thomas Ryall \* Anne Marie Donlon \* Dorothy Sousa \* Anthony Naglieri \* Thomas McEnany \* Mary Khulman \* Michael Alperti \* Roseanne Murphy \* Barbara Kozlowski \* James West \* Elizabeth Farruggia \* Kelly Wine \* Mary Van Duesen \* Thomas DeGirolamo \* William Berenger \* Daria Quarlena \* Eileen Borchart \* Sheila Nolan \* Tom Wisniewski III \* Jeffrey Clark \* James, George and Barbara Jaeger \* Ernest and Alex Aponte \* Helen Long \* Michael Miglionico \* Ralph Conforti \* The Barauskus Family \* Hope & Brittany Williams \* John Marion \* Emilia Andrychowski \* Augie & Georgianna Lucente \* Johanna Benthall \* Michelle Giaccone \* Gloria Keller \* Howard Seifert \* Ed Kennedy \* Kit Z. \* Dolores Contino \* Agnes Brown \* Krzysztof Olszowski \* Anders Ryden \* Kevin C. Cook \* Anita Costi \* Doriane Bay \* David Valone \* Brittany Schacor \* Karen and Kim Finocchiaro \* Eleanor Koller \* Grace Mary Schulteis \* Victor Sechyshyn \* George Angle \* Marta Andreotta \* Melissa Alexandra \* Christian Vidal \* Suzanne Thompson \* Anna Grefe \* Anthony Mannino \* Marcella Frisen \* The Huntley Family \* Theresa Puglia \* Brian Darmody \* Leigh Anne Brown \* Dan Modjeska \* Judy Zakorski \* Marie Miley \* Marcianna Stolarzewicz \* John Shuot \* Patrick Murphy \* Brian Crowley \* Louise Pampinello \* Barbara Fenn

Please keep all those serving in the military and their families in your thoughts and prayers especially:

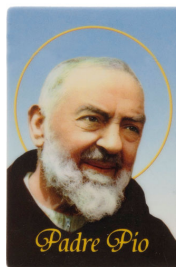
1st Lt. Nicholas Santorelli, Nicholas Pelosi,  
Christopher Drowns, Jeffrey Heppner, James Fleming,  
Thomas V. D'Auria, Mateusz  
Marzec, Andre DeRosa and Garrett Bracht

## MEMORIALIZE YOUR LOVED ONES

The Bread and Wine (\$25) and the Sanctuary Lamp (\$25) may be donated in memory of a deceased family member for the week.

In addition, the Missalettes (\$100) may be donated for a month in memory of a deceased person.

Flowers for the altar may also be donated in a loved one's memory (\$100).



## Padre Pio's Spiritual Direction

*"I know clearly that if there is any good in me it has all come from these supernatural blessings. I realize this is the source of my very firm determination to suffer everything with resignation and readiness without ever growing weary of suffering, although, I do it so imperfectly. I have a very firm resolution not to offend God, even venially. I would suffer death by fire a thousand times before consciously committing any kind of sin... If conversations just to pass the time are prolonged, and I am unable to get away from them, I have to struggle violently to stay, and they cause me great pain."*

*~To Fr. Benedetto  
November 1, 1913*

## OUR COLLECTIONS

**Today, October 20:** Sunday and World Missions  
**Next Week, October 27:** Sunday and Annual Harvest

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## FLOWERS ON OUR ALTAR

Donated by our Altar Rosary Society in honor of its living and deceased members.



## CALLING ALL CHILDREN... DRESS AS A SAINT

Sunday, November 3rd  
9:15 AM Mass

*"Don't be a monster, be a saint."*

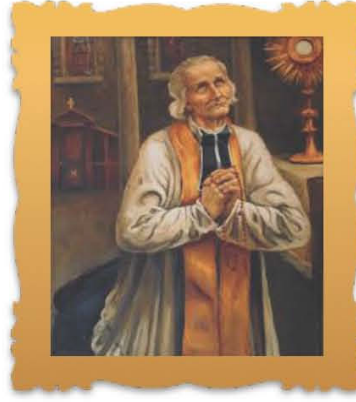


# *Parishes Praying for Priests*

## *+ United in Eucharistic Adoration +*

### **2024-25**

**Prayer for Priests**  
**On Tuesdays:**  
**October 29 2024 &**  
**April 29, 2025**



*Parishes of the Rockville Centre  
 Diocese are answering Our  
 Lady's Call to pray for our  
 Shepherds.*

*All are invited to adoration to  
 pray for our priests by name at  
 a parish listed.*

### **Eucharistic Adoration Open Hours at these Parishes**

Curé of Ars, <i>Merrick</i>	4 – 10 pm	St Christopher, <i>Baldwin</i>	5 – 9 pm
Holy Family, <i>Hicksville</i> (Adoration Chapel, Parish Ctr)	6 – 8 pm	St Frances de Chantal, <i>Wantagh</i>	12 – 2 pm
Holy Name of Jesus, <i>Woodbury</i>	6 – 10 pm	St Isidore, <i>Riverhead</i>	6 – 8 pm
Holy Name of Mary, <i>Valley Stream</i>	2 – 4 pm	St Joachim, <i>Cedarhurst</i>	3 – 5 pm
Maria Regina, <i>Seaford</i> ( <i>Maria Regina Chapel</i> )	4 – 8 pm	St John Nepomucene, <i>Bohemia</i>	5:30 – 8 pm
Our Holy Redeemer, <i>Freeport</i> Bilingual	6 – 9 pm	St John the Evangelist, Center <i>Moriches</i>	3 – 7 pm
Our Lady of Mercy, <i>Hicksville</i>	5:30 – 8:30 pm	St Peter of Alcantara, Port Washington (IHM Chapel)	6 – 9 pm
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, <i>Lindenhurst</i>	6:30 – 10 pm	St Mary of the Isle, <i>Long Beach</i>	10 – 1 pm
Our Lady of Poland, <i>Southampton</i>	8:30 – 10:30 am	St Rose of Lima, <i>Massapequa</i> (Father Graham Chapel)	5 – 9 pm
St Agnes Cathedral, <i>RVC</i> ( <i>Holy Cross Chapel</i> )	5 – 9 pm	St Rosalie, <i>Hampton Bays</i>	6 – 8 pm
St Barnabas the Apostle, <i>Bellmore</i>	5 – 7 pm	St Thomas the Apostle, West Hempstead (Lower Church)	4 – 7 pm
St Aidan, <i>Williston Park</i>	6:15 – 8:15 pm	St Thérèse of Lisieux, <i>Montauk</i>	5 – 7 pm
St Brigid, <i>Westbury</i>	1 – 5 pm	St Rocco, <i>Glen Cove</i>	6 – 9 pm

To lead this prayer evening in your parish, Call 516.458.0004 or email [PrayForPriestsDRVC@aol.com](mailto:PrayForPriestsDRVC@aol.com)

## MEDITATION OF THE DAY

### *How to Overcome Our Fear of Unworthiness*

(by Fr. Jean Du Coeur de Jesus d'Elbée)

I want to put you on guard right now against the danger of sensible love. How often I have heard the objection, *"I tell Jesus that I love Him, but I don't feel it. It seems to me that I'm not being sincere."* Not to doubt that you love Him when you feel cold and arid demands great faith, the forgetting of yourself, in a true understanding of sanctity. The greatest Saints passed through the dark night of the soul, painful periods of dryness. Yet in those hours of purification, they loved. **Love is not sensible piety. Never forget this distinction.**

Holiness is a disposition of the soul, of the heart, and, above all, of the will, toward God; the senses may play a role, but that is not necessary. Little Thérèse writes that dryness was her daily bread, but that she was nevertheless the happiest of creatures. She defined sanctity as *"a disposition of the heart which makes us humble and small in the arms of God, conscious of our weakness, and confident to the point of audacity and the goodness of our Father."* Love is the uniting of our will to the will of God. It is abandoning ourselves totally into His hands, as a habitual disposition, even if we feel nothing. When Jesus sees this disposition in our hearts, He looks on us as His cherished children. Is not a father very diligent toward his child? He finds excuses for his child's failings, and he admires the least of his good qualities. Jesus is like this with those who are His children, because they sincerely want to be such.

However persistently He repeats to us in the Gospel, *Fear not; It is I*, the fear is still there: *"If I go to Him, what will he ask of me? What will He require of me? I am afraid; I wouldn't want to hurt him, to wound Him. As for completely giving myself to Him, that is risking too much."* But it is just this fear that wounds Him. Saint Teresa of Avila observes that the Samaritan, the Canaanite woman, and Mary Magdalene were not dead to the world when they found Jesus. Saint Francis de Sales said, *"we must begin with love, continue with love, and end with love."* When a religious sister had told him, *"I wished to acquire love through humility,"* he replied, *"and I wish to acquire humility through love."*

### **Bible passages on Fear of unworthiness**

The Bible has many passages that address feelings of unworthiness, including:

Psalm 39:7 *"And now, O Lord, for what do I wait? My hope is in you"*. This verse suggests that our hope comes from trusting in the Lord.

1 Corinthians 15:9 *"For I am the least of the apostles, unworthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God."* The work that Paul did after his conversion could not erase his past and make him worthy to be called an apostle. He could not make himself good enough. And neither can we.

1 Corinthians 1:26-28 *"Brothers and sisters, consider your calling. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong."* This verse suggests that God chooses things that the world considers unimportant and uses them to bring down what the world considers important.

# HARVEST GATHERING

*We gather the fruits of our past which will joyfully feed us  
as we enter into the future...where the best is yet to come!*



**WHEN:** Saturday, October 26, 2024  
**WHERE:** St. John the Evangelist Church  
(cafeteria-handicap accessible)  
**TIME:** 9:30am-12:30pm  
**FOR:** All those possessing the wisdom of age!  
**COST:** \$15 (pay at the door)  
light brunch, raffles  
**RSVP:** by Sunday, October 20th  
to [rmd.word@gmail.com](mailto:rmd.word@gmail.com) or complete Response Form below

*Come celebrate the joys and challenges of “elderhood”  
with poems, discussion, song and prayer.*

*Presented by Two Pilgrims on the Way*

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## HARVEST GATHERING 2024 RESPONSE FORM

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**# OF GUESTS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Dietary restrictions** \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

*Please return this Response Form to the box in the vestibule  
OR drop it off at St. John's Rectory (Mon.-Thurs., 9am-4pm)  
OR email, [rmd.word@gmail.com](mailto:rmd.word@gmail.com), by 10/20.*