

November 3, 2024



**Sunday Mass**  
**10:00 AM**

# Holy Mother of the Rosary



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Chicopee, MA 01013  
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**Bulletin**  
*of the National Catholic Parish*  
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**Our Goal for Church**  
Windows Renovation is: \$50,000

**Dear Parishioners and Friends,**  
Please consider making a donation towards our church windows renovation. This is our big project aimed at fixing broken windows and enhancing the appearance of our church. The Parish Committee suggests adding an extra \$10 per week towards this endeavor. Your contribution will be greatly appreciated. Our total is \$35,515. Thank you for your continued support.

- Happy Birthday!!!**
- To All Born in November**
- 2 Father Pawel**
  - 3 Martin Kwatowski**
  - 6 Jodi Fortuna**
  - 22 Elaine Tatro**
  - 29 John Hollywood**

**\$35,515**



We'd love to celebrate everyone's birthday. If you'd like, please share your birthday date with Father Pawel or Bunny. Thank you.

\$50,000
\$47,500
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\$12,500
\$10,000
\$7,500
\$5,000
\$2,500
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If anyone at Holy Mother of the Rosary Parish wishes to contact Fr. Pawel or add something to the Sunday Bulletin, please call the Rectory at 413-592-2032 or email paulus75\_75@yahoo.com before Saturday.

**Mass Intentions**  
**November 3**

**1. + Walter Rzeszutek**  
*Requested by Geri LaValley*

**2. + John Owczarski**  
*Requested by Marlene Owczarski and Family*

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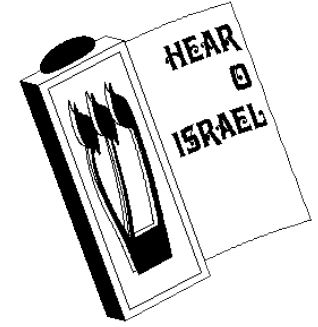
**November 10**  
+ Esther Kuchta  
*Requested by Ronald and Gary Kuchta*

**November 17**  
+ Karen Dragon  
*Requested by Emily and Walter Dragon*

**November 25**  
+ Jerzy Lukaszewicz  
*9th Annivesary*

Parish website: hmrpnc.org  
Facebook: facebook.com/hmrpnc

**31st Sunday**  
**In Ordinary Time**



For all Mass intentions, please contact Fr. Pawel after Sunday Mass or at any time by phone or email. If you would like to have your intention recognized on an anniversary or birthday, please inform him in advance. **The first available date is January 5, 2024.**

### **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

**Fr. Sen. Joseph Soltysiak**

**Walter Dragon** - at home

**John Hollywood** - at home

**Theresa Kwatowski** - at home

**Cyndi Michon** - 18 Patrick St., Chicopee, MA 01020

**Valeria Peters** - Arbors at Amherst, 130 University Dr. Amherst, MA 01002



### **PLEASE SAY A SPECIAL PRAYER AND SEND A CARD PASTORAL CARE AT HOME AND HOSPITAL**

*If you have a family member at hospital or home unable to take part in Mass and Sacraments, please notify Father Pawel as soon as possible to set the day and time for pastoral visit. In case of emergency you can call Fr. Pawel at any time to ask for visit.*

### **REFLECTION FOR SUNDAY**

Today's readings remind us of the centrality of love in our faith. Jesus teaches that the greatest commandment is to love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength. This call challenges us to examine what truly occupies our hearts. Are we making time for God amidst our busy lives?

Loving God invites us into a deeper relationship with Him, one that transforms us from within. Furthermore, Jesus commands us to love our neighbors as ourselves. This is not just a suggestion but a vital expression of our faith. In a world often divided, our acts of love can serve as powerful witnesses to God's grace.

As we reflect this week, let's think of specific ways to embody this love—through acts of kindness, understanding, or service. It's essential to recognize that love requires action, not just sentiment. Let us strive to make love our guiding principle in all interactions. In doing so, we reflect the very essence of Christ in our lives.

### **PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- The Eastern Diocese Virtual Bible Study is scheduled on **second Thursday of the month at 7 PM**. This new study series is entitled „Know Your Faith - Grown in Christ.” Prior to that meeting please contact Bp Paul Sobiechowski at revpauls@yahoo.com or Karen Sobiechowski at ksobiechowski@yahoo.com in order to receive Zoom link.
- If you would like to have All Souls prayers offered for your loved ones during all Sundays of November, please submit a list of their names to Fr. Pawel.
- The Eastern Diocese United Choirs and its Board are being reestablished to unite our Diocesan church music ministries. If you would like to join the board or participate in future events, please sign up on the sheet available in the church hall.
- Polish Film Screenings at Elms College. Celebrate Polish Heritage Month with exciting film screening at **Alumnae Library Theater, Elms College**, sponsored by the Kosciuszko Foundation of New England. **November 3, 2:00 PM: Czerwone Maki (Red Poppies)** – A 2024 film on the Polish II Corps' heroic role in the Battle of Monte Cassino. Don't miss these powerful story!

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### **November 2024 - Pray with us each Wednesday at noon:**

**Almighty God, speak to our hearts whenever courage fades. Sustain us with an unyielding trust and steadfast faith, so that we may not be afraid to profess or defend our faith in You. May we stand with the same courage and perseverance of Your holy martyrs as we face the challenges placed before us. Renew us with Your unfailing love and fill us with hope in Your eternal purpose. Enlighten us to look beyond the temporary things of this world to You, the Source of all courage. We ask this through Your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

**Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. Amen.**