

Our Goal for Church
Windows Renovation is: \$50,000

Windows Renovation. Please, make a donation toward our church windows renovation. This is our next big project to fix broken windows and make our church better look. It was suggested by our Parish Committee to put extra \$10 a week toward this project. It will be very appreciated. Last time we received another \$40. Now we have \$28,871. Thank you for all your donations.

Happy Birthday to all our November birthday people! **\$28,871**

- 2 Father Pawel
- 3 Martin Kwatowski
- 6 Jodi Fortuna
- 22 Elaine Tatro
- 29 John Hollywood



We'd love to celebrate everyone's birthday. If you like please tell about your birthay date to Father Pawel or Bunny. Thank you.

If anyone at Holy Mother of the Rosary Parish wishes to contact Fr. Pawel or to add something to the Sunday Bulletin please call at Rectory 413-592-2032 or email at: paulus75_75@yahoo.com

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November 27, 2022



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Mass Intentions
November 27
 + Jerzy Lukaszewicz
 + Teresa Beczak
 From Monika and Fr. Pawel

November 29—Tuesday
 Advent Rorate Mass with Rosary
 Prayer at 4 PM

December 4
 1. + Benjamin Czekanski
 Requested by Robert and Richard Czekanski
 2. + Peter Socha
 Requested by Valeria Peters and Family

December 11
 + Theodore Kuchta
 Requested by Gary and Ronald Kuchta

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

1st Sunday of Advent

Welcome



For all Mass intentions please contact Fr. Pawel after Sunday Mass or anytime by phone or e-mail. If you want to have your intention on anniversary or birthday please let him note earlier. **First available date is: January 22, 2023. Now you can save Masses for 2023.**

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Helen Bozek - at home
Francis Galat - Vero at South Hadley, MA
John Hollywood - at home
Theresa Kwatowski - at home
Cyndi Michon - 18 Patrick St., Chicopee, MA 01020
Ellen Mierzewski - Ruth's House Assisted Living, 780 Converse St., Longmeadow, MA 01106
Valeria Peters - Arbors at Amherst, 130 University Dr. Amherst, MA 01002
Stanley Placzek - at home



**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.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Today is 1st Sunday of Advent. Beginning of New Liturgical Year. We will light first Candle of Hope on our Advent wreath. Hope is like a light shining in a dark place. As we look at the light of this candle we celebrate the hope we have in Jesus Christ. May it will be a part of our spiritual preparation for Christmas.**
- **PARISH COMMITTEE MEETING: Sunday, December 11, after Mass. We start promptly at 11:30 and wind up by 12:30. I know this is a very busy time of year for everyone!**
- **School of Christian Living for youth and kids will be held after Sunday Mass.**

- **Today WYPOMINKI will be read last time during Mass. Thank you to all for joining our November prayers for All Souls.**
- **The Healing Mass will be celebrated on Tuesdays at 4 PM. After Mass the Holy Rosary Prayer will be said. Please join us for this Mass and prayer. PLEASE NOTE: During Advent season we will celebrate special Advent Rorate Mass.**
- **Christmas Eve Mass will be celebrated on December 24 at 8:00 PM. Please join us for this important Christian Solemnity of the Nativity of Jesus Christ. Christmas Day, December 25 Mass will be at 10 AM.**

SUNDAY REFLECTION

The passage from Matthew we read today is rather straightforward. No one knows the precise time of the coming of the Lord in glory, so watchful waiting and vigilance are required. The passage speaks to the uselessness of looking for signs; there will be none. As a thief sneaks in during the night, so will the Lord's coming in glory be. The question for us as members of the Christian community, then, is how do we prepare for this? Today's passage speaks more about the manner of waiting, rather than the details of the preparation. Jesus compares the vigilance required of Christians to the vigilance of a homeowner who knows the plans of the thief. If one knows that the thief's action is imminent, one remains watchful. As Christians, we know that our Lord is coming even if we cannot know the precise timing. Jesus calls us to be watchful and vigilant, like the homeowner. If we become lax in our Christian living, we may be caught unprepared.