

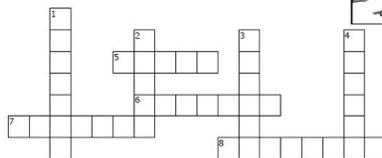
Our Goal for Church Ceiling is: \$31,700

Thank you for all donations toward the church ceiling. Last time we received another \$245 of donation from our parishioners and friends. Today we have \$24,813. Our goal is \$31,700. If you want to support your parish need by donation for the ceiling it will be very appreciated. Thank you for all your donations. May God bless you.

Here we are as of today: \$24,813 (Ceiling)

Company Is Coming

A voice of one calling in the desert, "Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him. Luke 3:4b (NIV)



ACROSS

5. Having an irregular, course, or shaggy surface
6. Having bends, curves, or angles.
7. To grant a pardon for sin.
8. Having no bends or curves.

DOWN

1. To make things ore oneself ready.
2. What we use to speak.
3. To turn away from one's sins.
4. Having a surface free from roughness

REPENT	PREPARE	FORGIVE	STRAIGHT
CROOKED	VOICE	ROUGH	SMOOTH

Gas Conv. Goal is: \$15,100

Thank you for all donations toward gas conversion in our church and in the rectory. Today we have \$1,560. Our goal is \$15,100. If you want to support your parish need by donation for gas conversion it will be very appreciated. Thank you for all your donations. May God bless you.

Dear Parishioners!

As you are aware at times, individuals are motivated to donate monies to help the church financially or earmark amounts for a specific purpose. This may be due to their own wishes or at times in memory of a loved one. Below are few suggestions that would help Holy Mother of the Rosary.

- Heating conversion
- Ceiling
- Cemetery
- Vestment renewal and refreshment.

Thank you for all donations. May God bless you.

Here we are as of today: \$1,560 (Gas Conversion)

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 or email at paulus75_75@yahoo.com

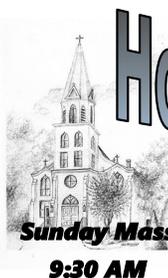
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CEILING FUND

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December 6, 2015



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Mass Intentions

December 6
+ Peter Socha
Requested by Valeria Peters, Dorothy Stachelski and Edward Socha

December 13
+ Lidia Galat
Requested by Frank Galat

December 20
+ Robert Garon
+ Andy Placzek
Requested by Stanley and Nancy Placzek

December 24-25 - Christmas Eve/Day
For All Parishioners

December 27
+ Theodore and Esther Kuchta
Requested by Ronald Kuchta and Gary Kuchta

January 1—New Year (Friday)
Mass at 9:30 AM

January 3
+ Janina Curylo
Requested by Christine Curylo

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. You can request a Mass Intention or reserve a dates in next year 2016. Now first available intention is on February 7, 2016.

WORD OF GOD

2nd Sunday of Advent

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Baruch (5:1-9)

Jerusalem, take off your robe of mourning and misery; put on the splendor of glory from God forever: wrapped in the cloak of justice from God, bear on your head the mitre that displays the glory of the eternal name. For God will show all the earth your splendor: you will be named by God forever the peace of justice, the glory of God's worship. Up, Jerusalem! stand upon the heights; look to the east and see your children gathered from the east and the west at the word of the Holy One, rejoicing that they are remembered by God. Led away on foot by their enemies they left you: but God will bring them back to you borne aloft in glory as on royal thrones. For God has commanded that every lofty mountain be made low, and that the age-old depths and gorges be filled to level ground, that Israel may advance secure in the glory of God. The forests and every fragrant kind of tree have overshadowed Israel at God's command; for God is leading Israel in joy by the light of his glory, with his mercy and justice for company.

This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL:

Priest: A man named John was sent from God. He came for testimony, to testify to the light, so that all might believe through Him.

All: He was not the light, but came to testify to the light.

A Reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Philippians (1:4-6,8-11)

Brothers and sisters:

I pray always with joy in my every prayer for all of you, because of your partnership for the gospel from the first day until now. I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work in you will continue to complete it until the day of Christ Jesus. God is my witness, how I long for all of you with the affection of Christ Jesus. And this is my prayer: that your love may increase ever more and more in knowledge and every kind of perception, to discern what is of value, so that you may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God.

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

ALLELUIA

Priest: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Priest: Show us, Lord, Your love; grand us Your salvation.

All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke (21:25-28,34-36)

All: Glory be to You Lord.

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Tiberius Caesar, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was tetrarch of Galilee, and his brother Philip tetrarch of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias was tetrarch of Abilene, during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John the son of Zechariah in the desert. John went throughout the whole region of the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah: A voice of one crying out in the desert: "Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths. Every valley shall be filled and every mountain and hill shall be made low. The winding roads shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth, and all flesh shall see the salvation of God."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise be to You Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Helen Swol - New England Health Center - 61 Old Amherst Road, P.O. Box 466, Sunderland, MA 01375

Edward Kijak - Wilimansett West Rehab Chicopee St., Chicopee, MA 01013

Elaine Cuzzone - Birch Manor, 44 New Lombard Rd, Chicopee, MA 01020

Joan Malek - 111 Daniel Shays Highway Unit 18, Belchertown, MA 01007

Joseph Janick - 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.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **PIEROGI PICK-UP** — Please pick up your pierogi orders by **December 6**. No more orders can be taken at this time. Any questions please ask **Bunny**. Thank you.
- **Parish Committee Meeting** will be held on **Monday, December 7 at 6 PM**.
- On every first Sunday of the month children will have opportunity to receive a Sacrament of private Confession.
- **School of Christian Living** will be on every **Sunday at 8:45AM**.
- **HMR Crafters** will be held on Tuesday from 9 AM till 1 PM
- **United Women Society** will meet always on First Sunday of each month after Mass.

I want to say Thank-You to all for your prayers for my father Jerzy Lukaszewicz, for your words, cards and for all. To all who attend the Tuesday Mass and to all who prayed privately, to all who helped me in the church and in the parish hall on that day, to all of you I want to say: Thank-You and may God bless you.

Father Pawel and Family.

Happy Birthday to all our DECEMBER birthday people!

- 2 Tyler Mulville
- 12 Emily Oxley
- 25 Stanley Placzek
- 25 Darryn Roy
- 25 Sue Ducharme
- 26 Steven Grabiec
- 26 Devon Dempsey
- 29 Dolores Lak

We'd love to celebrate everyone's birthday. Please take a moment to fill in your day on the form next to your weekly bulletin. Hand it to Father Pawel or Bunny. Thank you.

