

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.

Now we have **\$28,871**. Thank you for all your donations.

Happy Birthday to all our December birthday people!

2 Tyler Mulville

12 Emily Oxley

25 Stanley Placzek

25 Darryn Roy

26 Devon Dempsey

26 Mariann Tirrell

29 Dolores Lak

30 Scott Caney

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



\$28,871

\$50,000
\$47,500
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\$42,500
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\$12,500
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\$5,000
\$2,500
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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



Holy Mother of the Rosary

December 24-25, 2022

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Solemnity of the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ

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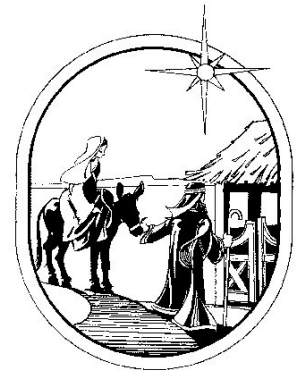
Rev. Pawel Lukaszewicz, Pastor
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Service at the Creche

Procession: O come, O Come, Emmanuel

O come, O come, Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here,
Until the Son of God appear.

**Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to Thee, O Israel!**



Bethlehem

O come, Desire of nations bind
All peoples in one heart and mind;
Bid envy, strife, and quarrels cease;
Fill the whole world with heaven's peace.

**Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to Thee, O Israel!**

Priest: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

PEOPLE: WHO MADE HEAVEN AND EARTH.

People: O Lord, hear our prayer.

PEOPLE: AND LET OUR CRY COME TO YOU.

Priest: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: AND ALSO WITH YOU.

Priest: Let us pray: Almighty God, Who on that wond'rous night sent forth Your Salvation, being manifested in the person of Your Son, Jesus Christ, look upon Your faithful people gathered in Your Church tonight, commemorating the Nativity of our Lord in the stable of Bethlehem. Grant, we humble beseech You, that the Savior of the World might be born again in the hearts and souls of all peoples of the world. Unto You we sing and give praise and honor and glory: and we ask You to instill in us godliness and holy love; strengthen our faith and grant us Your True Peace—that peace which we can find only in You. We ask You through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PEOPLE: AMEN.

Silent Night - Cicha Noc

Silent Night, Holy Night!	Cicha noc! Święta noc!
All is calm, all is bright	Pokój niesie ludziom wszem,
'Round yon Virgin Mother and Child	A u żłobka Matka Święta,
Holy infant so tender and mild,	Czuwa sama uśmiechnięta
Sleep in heavenly peace,	Nad Dzieciątka snem!
Sleep in heavenly peace.	Nad Dzieciątka snem!

Priest: Lord have mercy,

PEOPLE: CHRIST HAVE MERCY, LORD HAVE MERCY.

OUR FATHER, HAIL MARY, GLORY BE...

Priest: Let us pray: O Lord Jesus Christ, True Light that lights every man: O Holy Christ Child, Who today will come into the hearts of all who sincerely love You, grant that we may be able to understand the message of Your enlightening Word, and that following Your example and teachings in our daily lives, we may attain the Eternal Light of Heaven. Who lives and reigns forever and ever.

PEOPLE: AMEN.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- School of Christian Living for youth and kids will be held after Sunday Mass. No school on Christmas Day and New Year Day.
- Tuesday Mass will be canceled. We will start these Masses again when will be the end of Winter.

Reflection for Nativity of the Lord

The story of Jesus' birth, which begins with a reference to Caesar Augustus, concludes with the shepherds, people looked down on by most of society, visiting the infant. As the angels return to heaven, the shepherds decide to go see "this thing" that has happened in Bethlehem. Their visit confirms everything the angels had told them about the birth of the Savior and Messiah. They then spoke publicly about all they had seen, to the great astonishment of all who heard. Mary ponders all this in her heart, and the shepherds return to their fields praising God. What had been told to them really happened. This account does not tell us very much about the infant Jesus because Luke's concern is that God's action of sending a savior be publicly proclaimed. As Paul says before King Agrippa in Acts of the Apostles 26:26, "None of this was done in a corner." The picture is simple, two parents and an infant in a stable. But the reality is great, God's salvation offered to all.

Act of Spiritual Communion

(Please say it privately, if you are not receiving Communion today)

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. In flame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior. Amen.

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

Farher Pawel will visit people who are in nursing homes on every 1st Friday of the month. If you or your family member want to be on this visitation list please let him know.

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.

THE CHRISTMAS WAFER „OPŁATEK” MEANING

The Christmas wafer symbolizes the unity of the family, which many consider to be the main pillar of society. According to beliefs, the bond of unity should exist between family members. The father is seen as the link in the unbroken chain of One Body, One Bread, One Christ, and One Church, while other family members join him in this eternal procession. The wafer also symbolizes forgiveness and reconciliation.



Wśród Nocnej Ciszy - In Midnight Silence

Wśród nocnej ciszy głos się rozchodzi;
Wstańcie pasterze, Bóg się wam rodzi
Czem prędzej się wybierajcie,
Do Betlejem pospieszajcie,
Przywitać Pana, Przywitać Pana.

In midnight silence came a voice so clear;
Rise, O ye shepherds, Christ your Lord, is here
Leave your flocks, forsake your watchings,
In a manger wrapped in swaddlings,
Ye shall find your Lord, Ye shall find your Lord.



Recessional: Pojdzmy Wszyscy Do Stajenki - Let Us Hasten

Pojdźmy wszyscy do stajenki,
do Jezusa I Panienki,
Powitajmy Maleńkiego
I Maryję Matkę Jego
Powitajmy Maleńkiego
I Maryję Matkę Jego.

Let us hasten to the manger,
Welcoming the Holy Savior.
Waken now from slumber, brother,
Bow before the Child and mother,
Waken now from slumber, brother,
Bow before the Child and mother.



Mass Intentions

***December 24 - Christmas Eve 8PM
Mass for All Parishioners***

***December 25 - Christmas Day 10AM
Mass for All Parishioners***

*January 1 - New Year - Sunday
For God's Blessing in New Year 2023. For
Peace on Earth. For All Parishioners.*

*January 8
+ Janina Curylo and David Curylo
Requested by Christine Curylo*

*January 15
+ Kasimir and Mary Osinski Requested by Jo-
Ann Osinski and Caroline Kielb*

*January 22
+ **Mass Intention Available***

*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. Now first available intention is on
January 22, 2023. Save dates for 2023.*

Christmas Season Schedule

Sunday, December 25-Christmas Day Mass-10:00 AM

Sunday, January 1, 2023 - New Year Mass - 10:00 AM

MERRY
CHRISTMAS

Dear Parishioners and Friends!

*May a Christmas star shine into
your hearts and burn in your spirits
bright. May Jesus' peace bless you
and bring true joy to you tonight.*

May God bless you.

Merry Christmas!

Wesołych Świąt Bożego Narodzenia!

*Father Pawel Lukaszewicz and
Family*