

OUR LADY OF OSTRABRAMA

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The kingdom of heaven
may be likened to a king
who gave a wedding feast*
for his son. – Jesus
(Matthew 22:2)

Many are invited, but few are chosen.

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 15, 2023

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading– Isaiah 25:6-10a: The LORD promises to provide abundantly for all and remove obstacles that blind nations. He will end death, comfort his people, and eradicate their disgrace. All will recognize and rejoice in God's salvation.

Responsorial Psalm – Psalms 23: *R. I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.* The LORD, as a caring shepherd, provides and protects. He leads in safety, offers comfort in danger, and honors in the presence of enemies. With the LORD's enduring kindness, one finds eternal refuge in His house.

Second Reading – Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20: Paul expresses contentment in all situations, whether in scarcity or plenty. Through Christ's strength, he remains resilient. He acknowledges the support of others and assures God's provision for their needs, praising God eternally.

Gospel –Matthew 22:1-14 or 22:1-10: Jesus shares a parable about a king who hosts a wedding feast for his son. Initially, invited guests refuse the invitation. After facing consequences, the king invites all, but emphasizes the importance of being appropriately prepared. Few truly qualify.



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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Daily: 8:30am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:30 pm

Sundays: 8:00 am, 9:30 am (Polish), 11:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 pm or any time by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Each Sunday during Mass at 11:00 am.
Call the Rectory to make an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Marriages are to be scheduled at least six months in advance by interview with a parish priest. Pre-Cana conferences are required.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Please call the Rectory to arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick and Communion to be brought to the home or hospital.

After 830am Mass on First Saturdays

DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: Last Thursday of the month 7pm; First Friday, 9:00 am;

Miraculous Medal Novena: Monday after 8:30 am Mass

Rosary 8am, Before daily Mass

PARISH REGISTRATION: Census cards are in the Rectory

Parish Outreach: Coordinator—Maria Fedele

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, October 14th

8:30am +John Sidor Jr from family

5:30pm +Felix Deerkoski

SUNDAY, October 15th

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary time

8:00am +Frank & Marie Apadula

9:30am (Polish) +Wtadystawa Misiukiewicz

11am (Family Mass) +Vincent Krupski

from family

MONDAY, October 16th

8:30am +John Olszewski from Fred & Carolyn
Lubanski

TUESDAY, October 17th

Saint Ignatius of Antioch

8:30am +Cynthia Stepnowsky

WEDNESDAY, October 18th

Saint Luke

NO MORNING MASS

THURSDAY, October 19th

Saints John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues

8:30am +The Koehler Family

FRIDAY, October 20th

8:30am + Helen P Krupski from Diane & Tony

SATURDAY, October 21st

8:30am +Parishioners & Benefactors

5:30pm +Peter Victoria; Joanne Goerler; Ed King;
& Sheila Zuhoski from Judy
Victoria

SUNDAY, October 22nd

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary time

8:00am +Jean Lubanski from Fred & Carolyn

Lubanski

9:30am (Polish) + Anete & Bruno Kern

11am (Family Mass) +Helen, Walter & Thomas
Krupski from family





Dressing for the Feast—Reflection by Scott Hahn

Our Lord’s parable in today’s Gospel is again a fairly straightforward outline of salvation history. God is the king, Jesus the bridegroom, the feast is the salvation and eternal life that Isaiah prophesies in today’s First Reading. The Israelites are those first invited to the feast by God’s servants, the prophets. For refusing repeated invitations and even killing His prophets, Israel has been punished, its city conquered by foreign armies.

Now, Jesus makes clear, God is sending new servants, His Apostles, to call not only Israelites, but all people—good and bad alike—to the feast of His kingdom. This an image of the Church. We have all been

called to this great feast of love in the Church.

As we sing in today’s Psalm, the Lord has led us to this feast, refreshing our souls in the waters of Baptism, spreading the table before us in the Eucharist. As Paul tells us in today’s Epistle, in the glorious riches of Christ we will find supplied whatever we need.

In the rich food of His body and the choice wine of His blood, we have a foretaste of the eternal banquet in the heavenly Jerusalem, when God will destroy death forever.

But are we dressed for the feast? Are we clothed in the garment of righteousness. Not all who have been called will be chosen for eternal life, Jesus warns. Let us be sure that we’re living in a manner worthy of the invitation we’ve received. Ultimately, we are all eligible for salvation, if we come to the feast of God properly “attired” with hearts of faith open to God’s word. So let’s party!

October is the month of the Rosary

Please join us for the rosary
Weekdays 8am
Friday 7pm in Polish
Saturday 5pm in English



A Mass of Remembrance

will be celebrated on the Eve of All Soul’s Day
Wednesday, November 1st at 6:30pm

A candle will be lit in front of the church for each member of our parish who passed away this year. Each family will also have an opportunity to place a white rose by the altar as a gesture of remembrance. Invitations will be sent to the families.

All are welcome!



Marriage Prep

Our next 2-day Pre-Cana weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington on November 4 & 5, 2023.

for information/registration: longisland.engagedencounter.com

Prayer Requests

Please Pray For: Lauren Uribe; Laurie Krom; Billy Hickox; Helen Puric; Israel; Victims of Abuse; the unemployed or under employed; Our Country; the end of abortion; all priests & deacons.

THEOLOGY 101:
With Father Roy Tvrdik
Wednesdays 3pm
followed by Mass at 4:30



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