

OUR LADY OF OSTRABRAMA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
3000 DEPOT LANE, CUTCHOGUE, NY 11935

December 4, 2022

SECOND SUNDAY

of
Advent

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John the Baptist appeared, preaching in the desert of Judea and saying,
“Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!”

Matthew 3:1



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CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST - MASS

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

Saturday Evenings: 5:30 pm

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

Holy Days Vigil Mass: 7:00 pm

Day: 8:30 am; 7:00 pm (Polish)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION :

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 pm or at other times 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 (online trainings are invalid).

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: During Mass at 8:30 am on First Saturday of the Month.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Please call the Rectory to arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick and Communion to be brought to the home.

DEVOTIONS:

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

Miraculous Medal Novena: Monday after Mass at 8:30 am

Rosary in community we pray before daily Mass

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

FIRST SATURDAY, December 3rd

8:30am +Parishioners & Benefactors

5:30pm +Carolyn Sidor

SUNDAY, December 4th

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00am + Peter Victoria from Laurie & Jack Steiner

9:30am (Polish) +Jolanta Pijanowska from friends

11am (Family Mass) +Genevieve & Thaddeus Shelton from family

MONDAY, December 5th

8:30am +The Koehler Family

TUESDAY, December 6th

8:30am +Parishioners & Benefactors

WEDNESDAY, December 7th

7pm Vigil Mass

THURSDAY, December 8th

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:30am +Troy Baydale from John & Sue Stype

7:00pm



FRIDAY, December 9th

St. Juan Diego

8:30am +

SATURDAY, December 10th

Our Lady of Loreto

8:30am +Samuel Constant

5:30pm +Gladys Deerkoski

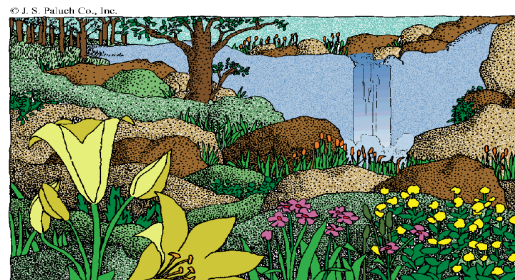
SUNDAY, December 11th

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00am + Joanne Goehler from Larry, Carolee & TJ Behr

9:30am (Polish) +Jon Ficek from Carolyn & Fred Lubanski

11am (Family Mass) +Genevieve & Thaddeus Shelton from family



The Kingdom of Heaven Is at Hand.



OUR FASCINATING FAITH - The Immaculate Conception (December 8)

December 8 we celebrate the patronal solemnity of the United States and the greatest of Mary's Advent festivals. On that day we remember Mary's conception in the womb of her mother (and nine months later, on September 8, we celebrate Mary's birth). In this liturgy, we affirm our belief that God prepared Mary to be the mother of the son of God by allowing her a share, from the moment of her conception, in the salvation that would be won for all by Christ.

Five mothers make their presence felt on December 8. The first is Eve, the mother of all the living. The second is Mary's mother, who conceived, brought to birth, and nurtured an "immaculate" daughter who would become the mother of the Word made Flesh. The third is Elizabeth, who conceived her son John "in her old age." The fourth, of course, is Mary herself. Finally, the letter to the Ephesians and the texts of the Mass for this feast remind us that the Church has been "chosen" to be a spiritual mother. We pray: "The image of the Virgin is found in your Church . . . Trace in our actions the lines of her love, in our hearts her readiness of faith."

In this Advent time, we are called, as Mary was, to make room for Christ in our hearts. What will it take, what will be the cost for us to become, as Mary became, real "bearers of the Word?" Let us be open to the intercession of Mary on our behalf, that we may become more and more like her beloved Son. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS **First Reading** - He shall bring justice for the afflicted; the earth shall overflow with the knowledge of the LORD; (Isaiah 11:1-10); **Psalm** - Peace and justice will come in the day of the Lord (Psalm 72); **Second Reading** - Glorify God by living in harmony with one another, welcoming each other as Christ welcomed you (Romans 15:4-9); **Gospel** - Produce good fruit worthy of your baptism; repent, for the reign of God is near (Matthew 3:1-12).

SACRED HEART ROSARY SOCIETY
Christmas Party
December 13
Please call Hene to register 516-381-7923

FINANCIAL CORNER

- Sunday November 20 2022: \$ 2929
- Poor Box/Candles: \$163; Flowers: \$160
- Campaign for Human Development: \$241

Thank you for your Generosity

WORDS OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE TO JUAN DIEGO

"Let not your heart be disturbed. Do not fear that sickness, nor any other sickness or anguish. Am I not here, who is your Mother? Are you not under my protection? Am I not your health? Are you not happily within my fold? What else do you wish? Do not grieve nor be disturbed by anything."



Holy Name Society
Annual Raffle
\$20/ticket
On sale after mass

ADVENT
Reflection & Prayer
With Sr Pat Duffy, OP
December 11, 130-3pm

Advent Reflections with Bishop Andrzej
Via Zoom
Friday, December 9, 16,23 10am
Please Suzanne to register 516-744-6850

CANDLELIT CHRISTMAS CONCERT
East End Women's choir
Kamilla Ozman, Director / William Roslak, Organist



December 16,
Westhampton Presbyterian Church 7pm
December 18,
Our Lady of Ostrabrama 5pm

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