OUR LADY OF OSTRABRAMA

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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 earlier to 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.

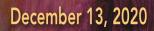
VISITATION OF THE SICK: Please call the Rectory to arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick and Communion to be brought to the home.

DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: Every Saturday 9am-10am; First Friday, 9:00 am

Miraculous Medal Novena: Monday after Mass at 8:30 am Rosary in community we pray before daily Mass

PARISH REGISTRATION: A census card can be obtained in the Rectory.



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Rejoice always. Pray without ceasing. In all circumstances give thanks, for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, December 12th

Our Lady of Guadalupe 8:30am Helen Condzelle 5:30pm +Gayle Patchell; Fr Bruno Swiatocha

SUNDAY, December 13th

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT -GAUDETE (REJOICE) SUNDAY

8:00am +Henry & Theresa Zimnoski; Frank McBride
9:30am(Polish) +Julia, Emil, & Arkadiusz Zmijewscy
11:00am (Family Mass) +For Parishioners & Benefactors

MONDAY, December 14th St John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor of the Church 8:30am +Eileen McGreen

TUESDAY, December 15th 8:30am +Genevieve & Thaddeus Shelton

WEDNESDAY, December 16th NO MASS

THURSDAY, December 17h 8:30am +Living & Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society

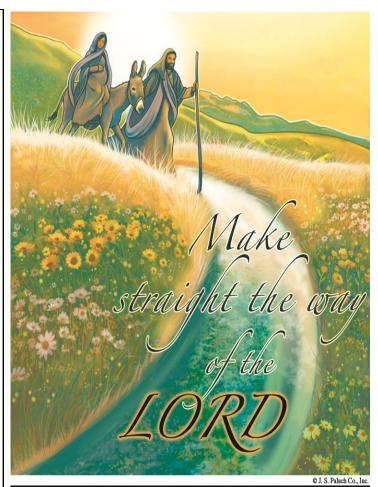
FRIDAY, December 18th 8:30am +Mary Veronica Walsh 7:00pm CONFESSION

<u>SATURDAY, December 19th</u>
8:30am For Family
5:30pm +Alexander Sydlowski, Sr; Richard Allen; & Fr Bruno Swiatocha

SUNDAY, December 20th

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00am +Cynthia Stepnowsky 9:30am(Polish) + Lukasz Pasko & Danuta Szpak 11am (Family Mass) + Matthew Mc Green



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — As a garden makes its growth spring up, so will God make justice spring up before all the nations (Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11). **Psalm** — My soul rejoices in my God

(Luke 1:46-50, 53-54).

Second Reading — Do not quench the Spirit. Do not despise prophetic utterances. Test everything; retain what is good (1 Thessalonians 5:16-24).

Gospel — I am the voice of one crying out in the desert, make straight the way of the Lord (John 1:6-8, 19-28).

<u>****Parish Council Meeting****</u> December 14, 7pm ALL ARE WELCOME

FINANCIAL CORNER

For Sunday December 6, 2020

- Sunday Collection: \$2,711
- Poor Box/Candles: \$75
- Flowers: **\$130**
- TOTAL COLLECTIONS: \$2,916

Thank you for your concern for our church and for your generosity!



CHRISTMAS MASSES ARE NOW BY RESERVATION ONLY!! Christmas Eve

2pm 4pm Pageant and Family Mass (This Mass is Full) 5:30pm Midnight Mass

<u>Christmas Day</u> 8am 9:30 am 11 am

To make a reservation please call Sue Stype (516) 987-6066 or email stolatolo@gmail.com. Please consider coming to the 2pm Christmas Eve Mass or Christmas day Masses which are traditionally less crowded—especially those in the parish who are elderly.

PLEASE—HELP IS NEEDED WITH: 1)USHERING (to help people find their assigned seats AND to hand out bulletins After Mass) and 2)CLEANING!!!

> <u>Confession</u> <u>for the parish</u> <u>Friday</u> <u>December 18, 7pm</u>

<u>***Religious Education***</u> NEXT FAMILY MASS Sunday, January 3, 11am

<u>Third Sunday of Advent</u>

The readings this week bear a certain similarity to those of last week—we hear a prophecy from Isaiah that is reiterated by John the Baptist in Mark's Gospel—but today the focus is different. Last week John told us to repent. Today he is the light leading us to God. Today is also known as "Gaudete (Rejoice) Sunday," as the reading from First Thessalonians commands us to "Rejoice in the Lord always." We are to rejoice. Right now. Combined with last Sunday, this seems like a mixed message. "Which is it? Repenting or Rejoicing?" But John is telling us that one leads to the other. As we prepare for the coming of our Savior we must first repent and then rejoice.

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The Little Ones

There came a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came as a witness, to testify about the Light, so that all might believe through him. He was not the Light, but he came to testify about the Light.