

# OUR LADY OF OSTRABRAMA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

3000 DEPOT LANE, CUTCHOGUE, NY 11935



## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 23, 2022



# THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME,

because he has anointed me  
to bring glad tidings to the poor.

LUKE 4:18

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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:** 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

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

## **MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

### **SATURDAY,** **January 22nd**

***Day Of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children***



**8:30am +**

**5:30pm +**Irene Sawastenowicz

### **SUNDAY, January 23rd**

***Third Sunday in Ordinary Time***

**8:00am +** 12th anniversary of the death of Lukasz Pasko

**9:30am (Polish) +**Andrzej Moczulski

**11am (Family Mass) +**Alberta V. Jaeger

### **MONDAY, January 24th**

***Saint Francis de Sales***

**8:30am +**Ted Lubanski

### **TUESDAY, January 25th**

***Conversion of Saint Paul***

**8:30am +**For all Priests

### **WEDNESDAY, January 26th**

**No Mass**

### **THURSDAY, January 27th**

***Saint Fabian & Saint Sebastian***

**8:30am +**

### **FRIDAY, January 28th**

***Saint Thomas Aquinas***

**8:30am +**For all Priests

### **SATURDAY, January 29th**

**8:30am +**Doug Moran and family

**5:30pm +**Edna Sydlowski

### **SUNDAY, January 30th**

***Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

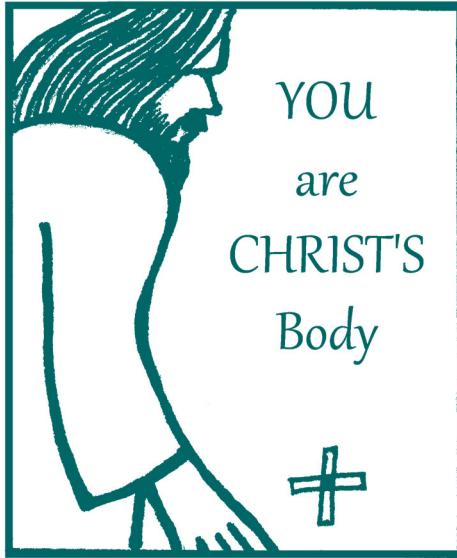
**8:00am +**Theodor Stepnowsky

**9:30am (Polish) +**

**11am (Family Mass) +**Jean Zuhoski

### **Prayer Requests**

Let us Pray for our Sick &  
for those who have asked for our prayers:  
**Lisa Zuhoski Eastwood; Ewa von Borne;**  
**Jean Zahra; Our Country; Our Priests; end**  
**of Abortion**



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### Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Community is important. Community is essential. Community is crucial. This message is the foundation of today's readings from Nehemiah, Corinthians, and Luke. Ezra's reading of the scroll is done in front of the community, including—a radical act at the time—women, and children old enough to understand, groups usually not counted among those hearing God's promise proclaimed. Community is important. The mystical Body of Christ, like the human body, functions best and most fully when all members are playing the role for which they were meant. Community is essential. God's word is fulfilled when the community has heard it, and witnessed it. In Luke, the baptism and desert trials of Jesus lead to the synagogue scene, which will then lead Jesus to his public ministry of proclaiming the reign of God. He eventually will journey to Jerusalem and his crucifixion. Community is crucial.

### ONE CHRIST, ONE BODY

Last week's reading from Corinthians concerned the one Spirit who gives

many gifts, yet is the source of our unity. Paul continues this theme today using the image of the body, whose different members each have an important and distinct role to play. The Spirit of baptism forms that one mystical Body of Christ. The Spirit of baptism fills the many members, but unites them always as one. The Spirit of baptism is on each member, as it was for Jesus in the synagogue at Nazareth. That Spirit of our baptism anoints each of us as a member of Christ's Body to be glad tidings, proclaim liberty, bring clearer vision, lift the oppressed, to announce God's reign to all. As different members of Christ's Body, we are each called upon to do this in our own way. We may face opposition or rejection, as Jesus did, but we can always turn again in faith to the Spirit of our baptism who is still with us.

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### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Ezra read from the book of the law of God to the assembled people. They understood and accepted the law (Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10).

**Psalm** — Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life (Psalm 19).

**Second Reading** — As the body with its many parts is still one body, so it is with Christ (1 Corinthians 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]).

**Gospel** — While attending worship in the Nazarene synagogue, Jesus reads from the prophet Isaiah and declares himself to be the fulfillment of the prophecy (Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21).



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### The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



It seemed fitting for me as well, having investigated everything carefully from the beginning, to write it out for you in consecutive order, most excellent Theophilus; so that you may know the exact truth about the things you have been taught. Lk 1:3-4

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### PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Almighty ever-living God,  
direct our actions according to your good pleasure,  
that in the name of your beloved Son  
we may abound in good works.  
AMEN

### THEOLOGY 101: CHURCH HISTORY

*Presented by Father Roy Tvardik*

Wednesdays 3pm followed by Mass at 4:30  
Everyone welcome for class, Mass or both  
Our Lady of Ostrabrama Parish Hall

### FINANCIAL CORNER

- Sunday January 16, 2022: \$3532
  - Dues: \$375
  - Christmas Gift: \$1125
- TOTAL : \$5102**

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