



# Holy Family Parish

Sacred Heart - St. Joseph - St. Ladislaus Churches, New Brunswick NJ  
a trauma-informed community

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## We worship:

The Lord's Day: 4:30pm Sat. Vigil at Sacred Heart

8:00am (English, St. Ladislaus)

9:00am (Polish, St. Joseph)

9:00am (Hungarian, St. Ladislaus)

10:00am (Spanish/English, Sacred Heart)

12:00pm (Spanish, St. Joseph)

7:00pm (Spanish, St. Joseph)

Weekdays: 7:00am Mon - Fri (St. Ladislaus)

8:00am Mon - Sat (Sacred Heart)

7:00pm: Tues. (St. Joseph, Spanish)

7:00pm Wed. (Sacred Heart, Spanish)



We welcome Most Reverend James F Checchio to Holy Family Parish for a pastoral visit and celebration of the 10 AM Mass on Sunday, February 16, 2025.

*Damos la bienvenida al Reverendísimo James F Checchio a la Parroquia de la Sagrada Familia para una visita pastoral y celebración de la Misa de las 10 AM el domingo 16 de febrero de 2025.*

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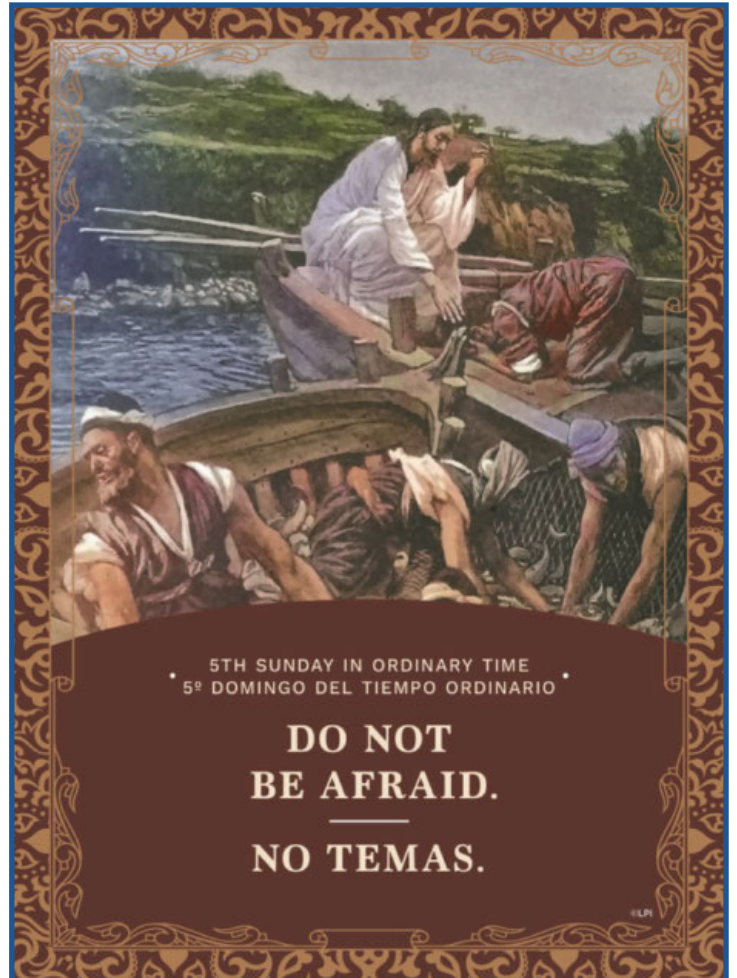
## **PARISH LEADERS**

PARISH TRUSTEES: Thomas Szallai, Carol Meszaros

FINANCE COUNCIL: Thomas Szallai, chair

PASTORAL COUNCIL: Marie Zach

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# MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, February 8 - Saint Jerome Emiliani,  
Saint Josephine Bakita, Virgin, BVM**

8:00 AM (SH) (English) - For the people  
4:30 PM (SH) - (English) - Robert Hosh

**Sunday, February 9 - Fifth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

8:00 AM (SL) - (English) - John Meszaron Sr.  
9:00 AM (SJ) - (Polish) - Za duszę św.p. Edwarda,  
Marii Kozłowski  
9:00 AM (SL) - (Hungarian) - Volgyi Itsvan & Gizella  
10:00 AM (SH) - (Bilingual) - Abahatdali Hoyos Lopez  
12:00 PM (SJ) - For the people  
7:00 PM (SJ) - (Spanish) - For the people

**Monday, February 10 - Saint Scholastica, Virgin**

7:00 AM (SL) - (English) - For the people  
8:00 AM (SH) - (English) - Christopher Kimmins

**Tuesday, February 11 - Weekday**

7:00 AM (SL) - (English) - Susan Schloder  
8:00 AM (SH) - (English) - Ilse L Kosik  
7:00 PM (SJ) - (Spanish) - For the people

**Wednesday, February 12 - Weekday**

7:00 AM (SL) - (English) - For the people  
8:00 AM (SH) - (English) - For the people  
7:00 PM (SH) (Spanish) - For the people

**Thursday, February 13 - Weekday**

7:00 AM (SL) - (English) - For the people  
8:00 AM (SH) - (English) - For the people

**Friday, February 14 - Weekday**

7:00 AM (SL) - (English) - For the people  
8:00 AM (SH) - (English) - Jane Dowling  
78th Birthday

**Saturday, February 15 - Weekday**

8:00 AM (SH) (English) - For the people  
4:30 PM (SH) - (English) - Jane Dowling

**Sunday, February 16 - Sixth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

8:00 AM (SL) - (English) - For the people  
9:00 AM (SJ) - (Polish) - Za duszę św.p. Jadwigi  
Pawłowskiej  
9:00 AM (SL) - (Hungarian) - Julius Leopold  
10:00 AM (SH) - (Bilingual) - Gabriella Baltierrez  
12:00 PM (SJ) - Por las Almas en el Purgatorio  
7:00 PM (SJ) - (Spanish) - Wilmer Reyes



## SACRAMENTS / SACRAMENTOS

For details regarding baptisms,  
quinceañeras, weddings,  
anointing of the sick, OCIA,  
& Family Faith Formation,  
please call the HFP  
Parish Center at  
(732) 545 - 1681 Ext 1002,  
Rocio Ramos.

## PRAYER LIST

**ONLY MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY  
can add names to this list of the sick:**



Brian Barry, Zofia Baginski  
Zofia Lesiak  
Thomas Leskowski  
Wtadystaw Prosciak  
Brian Ward, John Ward  
Amy Grau Binates  
Faith Santos Ortiz  
Deacon Nelson Torres



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**DIocese OF METUCHEN**  
*2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal*  
*Pilgrims of Hope*  
*Journeying Together in Faith, Hope & Charity*

The theme for the 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal is: ***Pilgrims of Hope: Journeying Together in Faith, Hope and Charity***

While the BAA supports many pastoral, educational and charitable ministries, the three marquee ministries being high-lighted this year are: Catholic Charities, Seminarian Formation and the Catholic Center at Rutgers University.

**BAA Kick-off Weekend – February 8/9, 2025**



**DIÓCESIS DE METUCHEN**  
*Campaña Anual del Obispo, 2025*  
*Peregrinos de Esperanza*  
*Caminando Juntos en la Fe, la Esperanza y la Caridad*

El tema de la Campaña Anual del Obispo, 2025 es: ***Peregrinos de Esperanza: Caminando Juntos en la Fe, la Esperanza y la Caridad***

Si bien la Campaña apoya muchos ministerios pastorales, educativos y caritativos; los tres ministerios que se destacan este año son: Caridades Católicas, Formación de Seminaristas, y el Centro Católico de la Universidad de Rutgers.

**Fin de Semana de Lanzamiento de la Campaña - 8 y 9 de febrero de 2025**



The Caritas Program will begin an empowerment group aimed at fostering a safe space for teenage girls in grades 9-12. Some of the topics covered will include self-esteem, body image, anxiety, depression, and more. **Sessions will be every Tuesday starting on February 18th from 4-5PM.** For more information or interest in registering, please call Nathalie at 732-545-1681 ext 1003 and leave a message. Thank you!



El Programa Caritas iniciará un grupo de empoderamiento cuyo objetivo es fomentar un espacio seguro para las adolescentes de 9.º a 12.º grado. Algunos de los temas que se tratarán incluirán la autoestima, la imagen corporal, la ansiedad, la depresión y más. **Las sesiones se realizarán todos los martes a partir del 18 de febrero de 4-5 PM.** Para obtener más información o si está interesada en registrarse, llame a Nathalie al 732-545-1681 ext. 1003 y deje un mensaje. Gracias!



**SAVE THE DATE FOR GIVE AWAY DAY**

It's time to clean out the closets for any items that may be needed by someone else. After the bitter cold, many people and children will need warm clothes, socks, hats and gloves. Children outgrow clothing and boots quickly and household goods and appliances in good working condition are always needed as well. If you have any extra clothes, home goods or appliances, please donate them for the next Give Away Day.

We are asking for your participation in making this day a success for SVDP. The next Giveaway Day will take place on **April 5th 2025 from 10am-12pm.** Please reach out to Nestor in the office for any donations. Thank you for your support!

**RESERVE LA FECHA PARA EL DÍA DE REGALOS**

Es hora de limpiar los armarios para guardar todos los artículos que puedan necesitar otras personas. Después del frío intenso, muchas personas y niños necesitarán ropa abrigada, calcetines, gorros y guantes. A los niños se les queda pequeña la ropa y las botas rápidamente, y siempre se necesitan artículos para el hogar y electrodomésticos en buenas condiciones. Si tiene ropa, artículos para el hogar o electrodomésticos adicionales, dónelos para el próximo Día de obsequios.

Le pedimos su participación para que este día sea un éxito para SVDP. El próximo Día de obsequios se llevará a cabo el **5 de abril de 2025 de 10 a. m. a 12 p. m.** Comuníquese con Nestor en la oficina para realizar cualquier donación. ¡Gracias por su apoyo!





**OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE**  
**5 Niedziela Zwykła**  
**9 lutego 2025 r.**

**Biskup Checchio** ogłosił **Apel Biskupa** na rok **2025**. Temat **„Pielgrzymi nadziei: podążamy razem w wierze, nadziei i miłości”** koresponduje z orędziem papieża Franciszka na Rok Jubileuszowy, który powinien być obchodzony „z głęboką wiarą, żywą nadzieją i czynną miłością”. Jest to przypomnienie, że jesteśmy wezwani do odkrywania nadziei w obecnych czasach i do dzielenia się tą nadzieją z innymi. Poprzez finansowe wsparcie duszpasterskich, edukacyjnych i charytatywnych przedsięwzięć naszej diecezji pomagamy najbardziej potrzebującym i szerzymy orędzie nadziei w Panu!

**Luty to miesiąc prasy katolickiej.** Dziękujemy za wsparcie finansowe na gazetę diecezji Metuchen, jaką jest „Catholic Spirit”.

Życzymy wszystkim wiele radości z przeżywanego wypoczynku niedzielnego oraz pomocy Bożej na cały nadchodzący tydzień.

**PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**February 9, 2025**

**Bishop Checchio** announced **2025 Bishop’s Appeal**. The theme - **“Pilgrims of Hope: Journeying Together in Faith, Hope and Charity”** corresponds with Pope Francis message for the Jubilee Year that should be celebrated, “with deep faith, lively hope and active charity.” It is a reminder that we are called to discover hope in current times and to be the instruments of hope for others. One tangible way to accomplish this is by giving to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. Through our shared support of Diocese pastoral, educational and charitable ministries, we are assisting those most in need and spreading the message of hope in the Lord!

**February is Catholic Press Month.** Thank you for your continuous support of “Catholic Spirit”, which is the official Newspaper of the Diocese of Metuchen.

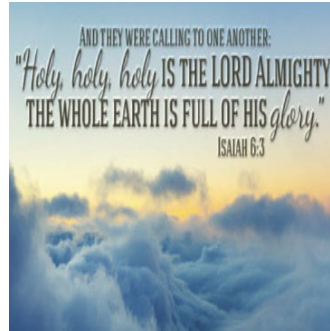
We wish you many blessings for today, and for the coming week!



**SAINT LADISLAUS CHURCH**  
**@ HOLY FAMILY PARISH**  
*A Sunday Reflection*  
by *István Horváth*

## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts!  
All the earth is filled with His glory!” Is 6:3**



The seraphim flew over to Isaiah and touched his mouth with the burning ember from the altar of God and said, “See, now that this has touched your lips, your wickedness is removed, your sin forgiven.” **Is 6:6-7**

Jesus, knowing that His hour had come to pass from this world to go to the Father, and removing His outer garments and tying a towel about His waist, then pouring water into a basin washed His Disciples feet saying, “Do you realize what I have done for you? As I have done for you, you should also do [with each other]. Amen, amen, I say to you, no slave is greater than his master nor any messenger greater than the one who sent him. I say to you, whoever receives *the one* I send receives *me*, and whoever receives *me* receives *the one* Who sent *me*” **Jn 13:1-20**

Truly, God gives signs to his followers that: baptism washes away Original Sin, the sin of Adam and Eve, and reveals to us the Spirit of God. But even more revealing is the fact that Isaiah, the great prophet of the Old Testament had first to be cleansed of wickedness and sin of his words. If that is true, then it reveals to us, we too can all be saints and prophets, if we want to be. Yes, if we want to be. We have to want it. That is how free will works. We have to want to be in Jesus and with the Father. This is the meaning of Jesus washing the Disciples feet: if you humble yourself to the Son, you will receive the inheritance of the Father through the Son’s blood sacrifice on the cross. By subjugating your will to the will of the Son and thereby the Father, you will become holy and your words prophetic and your actions saintly: a Gospel of true love from the Father of all creation, Jesus Christ.

**“They left everything and followed Him.” Lk 5:11**



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