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Readings for Sunday, November 26th, 2017

Ezchiel 34: 11-12,15-17

Psalm 23:1-2,2-3,5-6

1 Corinthian 15: 20-26,28

Matthew 25:31-46

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism is celebrated the fourth Sunday of each month at 1:30 pm. Registration by appointment only. Please bring the child's birth certificate to the registration and God-parent's updated copies of their Baptismal, Communion and Confirmation certificates. You will also be asked to register as a member of our Church.

Sacrament of Holy Matrimony

Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. Please phone the Rectory for an appointment with a priest. For complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese, please visit www.pre-cana.org.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 4:00 pm to 4:50 pm
Other times by appointment with a priest

Sacrament of Anointing Of The Sick

Anointing of the Sick is celebrated upon request

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

If you are an adult interested in completing your initiation into the Catholic Church, through reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, or Eucharist, please contact Religious Education Office.

Welcome to Our Parish

Please mark one:

- I would like to **register** as a member of this Church. Please register me, and yes, send me envelopes.
- Please contact me about **Religion Education** for my child or becoming a Catholic.
- Please update my information.

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Name of all family members: _____

Address: _____

Apt. # _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please fill out this form completely and deposit in the collection basket or bring to the rectory .

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The Parish of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal is a Roman Catholic community of the disciples of Jesus Christ called together by the Holy Spirit to worship and serve God our Father. Alert to the promptings of the Holy Spirit, we proclaim our Faith and enrich our members spiritually through the Sacred Liturgy as we educate them in our Religious Tradition. Cherishing the heritage we have received from dedicated clergy, religious, and parishioners who came before us, we encourage one another to place our gifts at the service of the Kingdom of God as good stewards. As men and women of diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds we welcome everyone as we invite new members to join our parish family. We strive to provide an atmosphere of acceptance in which each member feels recognized and valued, as we cooperate with our neighbors in the community to promote the common good. Together we face the future with our hope anchored in Jesus Christ who is the same yesterday, today, and forever.



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Come Join Us

Weekday Masses

Monday-Saturday: 8:30am

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: English - 8:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:45 pm

Polish - 9:00 am

Italian - 11:45 am

Miraculous Medal Devotion

Tuesday and Saturday after the 8:30am Mass

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(718) 456-3275

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Religious Education Classes

Wednesday

Grades 1 thru 5 - 2:15 - 3:30 pm

Grade 6 - 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Grade 7 & 8 - Parish Confirmation Program
7 pm-8 pm

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Sanctuary Lamp \$35.00

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Altar Flowers \$100.00

Mass Intention \$20.00

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY	November 25th
5:00	Josef Hoge (B)
SUNDAY	November 26th
8:00	Albert Rall Jr.
9:00 (P)	Za zm. Kazimierza Wyzga 3 rocznicę śmierci & O Boże błogosławieństwo i opiekę Matki Bożej dla księdza Jarosława i dla wszystkich kapłanów na całym świecie
10:30	Alois & Josefa Ostermann
11:45 (I)	Giuseppa & Salvatore Caporaso, Catherina & Sebastiano Provenzano, Vincenzo Porcaro
12:45	Robert Hoffmire
MONDAY	November 27th
8:30	Ramona Mercedes Hernandez
TUESDAY	November 28th
8:30	Viola family
WEDNESDAY	November 29th
8:30	In celebration of Anne and John Doran 54th Wedding Anniversary
THURSDAY	November 30th
8:30	Giuseppe, Maria, Crocifissa & Sabastiano DiMaggio
FRIDAY	December 1st -First Friday
8:30	Epifania Melendez
7:00pm (P)	Za zm. Józefa Rząsa
SATURDAY	December 2nd
8:30	Virginia Duarte
5:00	Giuseppe Biscari
SUNDAY	December 3rd
8:00	Msgr. George M. Schuster
9:00 (P)	Za zm. Helenę Baran 13 rocznicę śmierci & O Boże błog. dla Viktori z okazji 14 urodzin
10:30	Msgr. George M. Schuster
11:45 (I)	Vincenzo Porcaro
12:45	Frank & Anna Hoegler

THIS WEEK AT O.L.M.M.**Sunday, November 26th**

No scheduled activities

Monday, November 27th

JPPII Center - RCIA - 7pm-8pm

(use Bleecker St. door)

PH - Sports - 5pm-9:30pm

Tuesday, November 28th

PH - Sports - 5pm-6:30pm

Wednesday, November 29th

JPPII Center - Rel. Ed. - 7pm-8pm -

Confirmation Class

JPPII Center - Rel. Ed. -

Grades 1-5 - 2:15pm-3:30pm and

Grade 6 - 4pm-5pm

PH - Sports - 5pm-9:30pm

Thursday, November 30th

C - Polish Choir Practice 6:30pm-7:30pm

C - English Choir Practice 7:35pm-8:45pm

PH - NDCA - Setup - Evening with Santa

Friday, December 1st - First Friday

C - IFA - Adoration - 10:30am-11:30am

C - 8:30am - NDCA - Student Council Ceremony following the 8:30am Mass

PH - NDCA - Evening with Santa - 3pm-10pm

Saturday, December 2nd

C - 2:30pm-4pm - Divine Mercy Prayer Service St. John Paul II Center - 12pm-3pm - Advent

Reflection and Prayer

PH - Sports - 9am-6pm

Sunday, December 3rd

PH - Sports - 1pm-4pm

C - 10:30am Mass - Msgr. Schuster's plaque unveiling

**Feast of the Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**Friday, December 8th, Mass will be celebrated for the Holyday of Obligation at 8:30am and 7:30pm.**Financial Report Week of 11/19/2017**

Due to early submission, this weeks Financial Report will appear in the next bulletin.



Please remember in your prayers all the deceased members of our parish family.

ALTAR BREAD, WINE AND CANDLES this week were donated in loving memory of **the deceased members of the Kern family**

ALTAR SANCTUARY LAMP will burn this week in loving memory of **all parishioners**

ALTAR FLOWERS this week were donated in loving memory of **all parishioners during Advent.**

A Chalice for Advent

Year of Vocations - 2017

The Vocation Committee of our parish announces a spiritual gift in Advent for one week for any family who registers. A Chalice and prayer card will be presented to a family either at the 5:00pm Mass (Saturday evening) or at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on (Sunday), who wishes to have it in their home for one week and join in prayer for blessings on their families and pray for an increase of vocations.

It will then be returned at the same Mass the following Saturday/Sunday at the same time, to be given to the next family who has signed up for the following week. In the four weeks of Advent, the Chalice will have traveled throughout the parish in the course of this holy season bringing blessings and peace to all.

To register, please stop by or call the Religious Education Office and submit your name for a particular week. The Chalice is limited to one family each given week. Please stop by as soon as possible. The Chalice will be awarded on a first come, first serve basis.

See dates available below:

- **Sunday, Dec. 03** - 1st Sunday of Advent
- **Sunday, Dec. 10** - 2nd Sunday of Advent
- **Sunday, Dec. 17** - 3rd Sunday of Advent
- **Sunday, Dec. 24** - 4th Sunday of Advent

Divine Mercy Devotion Prayer Service

Saturday, December 2th, 2:30pm-4pm

Please join us in church, when we meet for the Divine Mercy Devotion Prayer Service at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church. We will chant the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy and pray the Holy Rosary. Come and pray with us.

Join the Choir for Christmas

Polish Choir Practice 6:30pm-7:30pm
English Choir Practice 7:35pm-8:45pm
Thursdays in the choir loft



If you would like to sing at the **Christmas Masses** with the OLMM choir, you need only attend rehearsals during Advent. Email galendegraf@gmail.com for details or simply attend a rehearsal.

Advent Reconciliation Monday

Monday, December 18, 2017

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated in the Church on Monday, December 18, for anyone wishing confession. The times for confession will be **after the 8:30am Mass** in the morning **and in the evening from 7pm-8pm.**

The basic requirement for a good confession is to have the intention of returning to God like the "prodigal son" and to acknowledge our sins with true sorrow before the priest.

Advent Reflection and Prayer

Saturday, December 2nd, 2017, 12pm-3pm
St. John Paul II Center



Lunch included: \$15/person. Come join us for some quiet time. Register with the Religious Education Office, Mary.

**Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church
Calling All Families**

Sunday, December 10, 2017

At the 10:30 A.M. Family Mass

**As We Celebrate the Closing of our 100th
Centennial Anniversary**

With the Most Rev. Nicholas DiMarzio

Bishop of Brooklyn



All children are expected to attend and will receive a special blessing from Bishop DiMarzio

Following Mass, there will be light refreshments in the Parish Hall; use the entrance on 61st and Bleecker Street. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

In Memoriam - Msgr. George Michael Schuster

On December 3, 2017 we will celebrate the first anniversary of Msgr. George M. Schuster's passing from this life into the Kingdom of the Father.

Msgr. Schuster was the fifth pastor assigned by the bishop to administrate and care for the spiritual and pastoral welfare of the people of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish. To many of us and personally me his passing is greatly felt.

Upon my arrival, I noticed in the church, bronze plaques at the entrance depicting the previous four pastors and the dates of their administration and specific information pertaining to their time spent in our parish. I did not want the year of our Centennial, nor of Msgr. Schuster's anniversary to go by without well due recognition of one who spent more than twenty years serving both as pastor and pastor emeritus at OLM.

On Sunday December 3rd of this year, which marks Msgr. Schuster's passing, at the 10:30am Mass, we will unveil a bronze plaque in his memory. I hope that many of you will be present for this liturgy.

Fr. Anthony

Our Centennial Celebration - Dinner Dance - Saturday, November 4th



UROCZYSTOŚĆ CHRYSZTUSA KRÓLA WSZECHŚWIATA - XXXIV NIEDZIELA ZWYKŁA

Spowiedz Święta:

Sobota 4:00 PM – 4:45 PM w j. Angielskim

Niedziela 8:15 AM – 8:45AM w j. Polskim

Chrzty: Chrzest należy zgłosić w kancelarii przed ustaleniem daty przyjęcia

Oboje rodzice są zobowiązani do obecności podczas rejestracji. Proszę dostarczyć dziecka świadectwo urodzenia a także świadectwa chrztu, pierwszej komuni świętej i bierzmowania obojga rodziców chrzestnych

Przynależność do parafii: Do parafii należą Ci, którzy się do niej zapisali.

Tylko parafianom wystawiamy zaświadczenie do chrztu i bierzmowania

Słowo na Niedzielę

Czytania na niedzielę 26 listopada 2017

PIERWSZE CZYTANIE: Ez 34,11–12.15–17

DRUGIE CZYTANIE: 1 Kor 15,20–26.28

EWANGELIA: Mt 25,31–46

Medytacja nad Słowem

Odejdźcie ode Mnie, przekłęci. Pozwoliłem sobie w dzisiejszą uroczystość Chrystusa Króla przytoczyć akurat to zdanie z Ewangelii dlatego, że czasami nam się wydaje, że słowa Jezusa są pełne łagodności, miłosierdzia, dobroci i przez to są miękkie, dla wszystkich dostępne, a tymczasem Jezus potrafił wypowiadać słowa twarde i ostre. Ale trzeba się zastanowić, do kogo wypowiada takie słowa. Czy do tych, którzy ważą swoje życie na tej dziwnej wadze grzechu, to znaczy na takiej wadze, która mówi, czy już jestem w grzechu, czy jeszcze nie, czy do tych, którzy próbują swoje relacje z Bogiem oprzeć na łatwym rozróżnieniu: zgrzeszyłem, nie zgrzeszyłem, łaska uświęcająca, stan grzechu śmiertelnego. Nie. Jezus mówi odejdźcie do tych, którzy nie są pełni miłości miłosiernej. I to jest wielka nauka dla nas. Nie możemy swojej relacji z Bogiem układać na dwóch płaszczyznach. Jestem już w grzechu czy jeszcze nie. Możesz nie być w grzechu, możesz

wypełnić całe prawo, ale równocześnie możesz nie wypełniać uczynków miłosierdzia i wtedy Bóg powie ci, abyś odszedł Mu sprzed oczu. Nie daj Boże! Kochajmy tych, którzy są wokół nas, bądźmy miłośnikami, bo jałmużna i dobroć zmyślają nasze grzechy!

Panie, Twoje królestwo przychodzi niepostrzeżenie, lecz mogę doświadczyć jego obecności w napotkanym człowieku. Daj mi serce gotowe przyjąć każdego potrzebującego brata, by w Nim zobaczyć Ciebie i razem z Tobą królować na wieki.

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Pierwszy Piątek Miesiąca 1 grudnia

Sakrament Pokuty od godz. **5:45PM – 6:45PM**

w j. Polskim

W Pierwszy Piątek Miesiąca jest wystawiony Najświętszy-Sakrament:**5:45PM-7:00PM**
(prywatna adoracja)

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SRODA (13 XII)	GODZ 19:00
CZWARTEK (14 XII)	GODZ 19:00
PIATEK (15 XII)	GODZ 19:00

Spowiedz święta każdego dnia o godz. 18:00
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