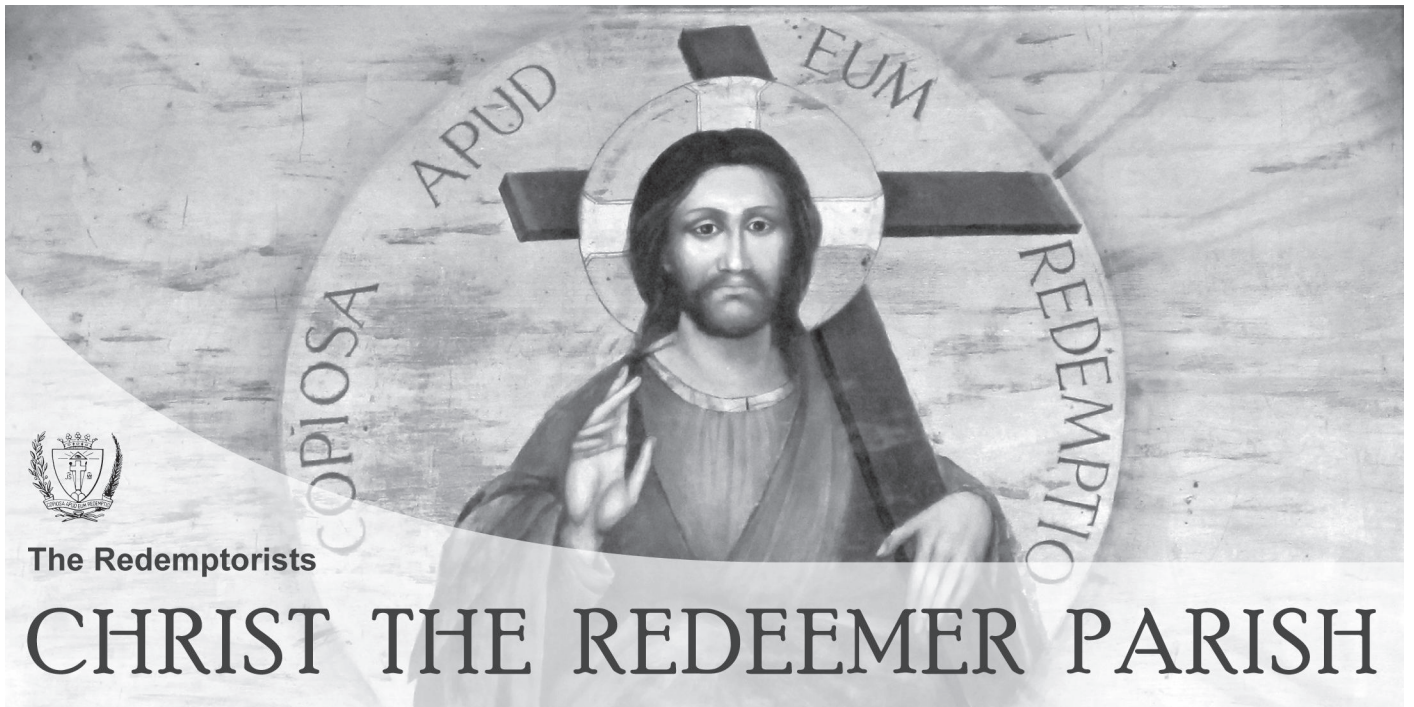


December 21, 2014

Fourth Sunday of Advent



The Redemptorists

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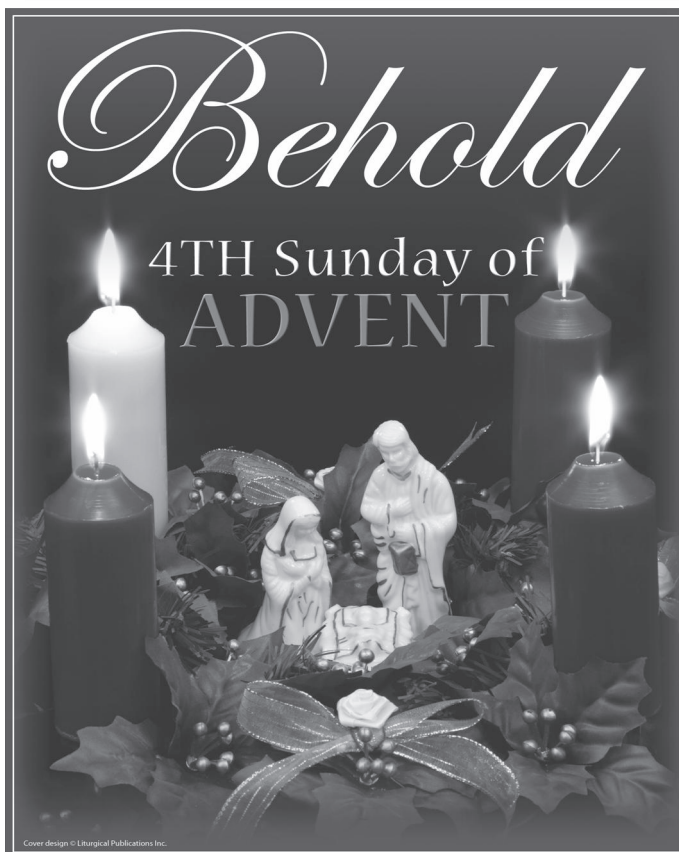
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Ann Straszewski, Office Business Manager
Maribeth Thomaszfski, Cemetery Business Manager
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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Christ the King Worship Site

Monday - 7:30 – 8:30 AM & Tuesday 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Sacred Heart Worship Site

Saturday - 8:30 – 9:00 AM - Our Lady of Częstochowa Chapel

CONFESSIONS

(English & Polish)

Christ the King Worship Site

Monday – Friday – 6:30AM; Saturdays – 3:30PM

Sacred Heart Worship Site

Wednesdays & First Friday—6:30 to 7:00PM

Saturdays – 11:30AM to 12:30PM and 4:45 to 5:45PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00AM to 4:00PM.
Office closed on Thursdays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 22 (Poniedziałek)

- CTK - 7:00AM †Kevin J. Patrick r/o mother, Eileen
SH - 8:00AM Health of Ryan McKee r/o mother & family
SH - 11:00AM †Antoinette Galluccio (Anniv.) r/o daughter, Louise
CTK - 12:00PM Recitation of the Rosary & Divine Mercy Devotions

Tuesday, December 23 (Wtorek) – John Kanty

- CTK - 7:00AM †Anna Beaver r/o son-in-law, Ed
SH - 8:00AM †Geraldine Fetzko r/o Peterson Family
SH - 11:00AM Mass and OLPH Novena in English

Wednesday, December 24 (Środa) – Christmas Eve

- SH - 4:00PM Christmas Liturgy for children & parents
CTK - 9:00PM Midnight Mass in English (For All Parishioners)
SH - 12:00AM Midnight Mass in Polish (For All Parishioners)

Thursday, December 25 (Czwartek) Christmas Day

- SH - 7:00AM For All Parishioners
CTK - 8:30AM For All Parishioners
SH - 8:30AM For All Parishioners
SH - 10:00AM For All Parishioners
CTK - 10:30AM For All Parishioners
SH - 11:30AM For All Parishioners

Friday, December 26 (Piątek) - Stephen

- CTK - 7:00AM †Genevieve Honchar r/o daughter
SH - 11:00AM †Francis & Theresa Fiduk r/o John & Charlotte Snow
SH - 11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotion in English
SH - 7:00PM †Jan Rocko r/o Rich & Tracy Gruszewski

Saturday, December 27 (Sobota) - John

- SH - 8:00AM †Anthony Rogalski r/o Carmen & Walter Collins
SH - 11:00AM †Vincent Zujkowski r/o wife & children
CTK - 4:30PM †Deceased Members of the Kocay & Niezgoda Families r/o Anne, Mary Carol Bernadette
SH - 6:00PM †Vincent Kozlowski Jr. r/o sister

Sunday, December 28 (Niedziela) – The Holy Family

- SH - 7:00AM †Leon & Jerzy Golebiewski r/o Golebiewski & Rosinski Families
CTK - 8:30AM In Thanksgiving r/o Joe & Helen Tomko
SH - 8:30AM †Rose, Maria & Frank Stadler r/o Stephen Stadler
SH - 10:00AM †Leo & Sophia Dzialo r/o Krystyna & Robert Steiger
CTK - 10:30AM †Edward Hart r/o wife & family
SH - 11:30AM †Living & Deceased Members of the Blessed Virgin Mary Society

The Sanctuary Lamp in Sacred Heart will burn this week for the repose of the soul of **Kevin Patrick** at the request of his sister Kathleen.

The Altar Bread & Wine in Sacred Heart is consecrated this week in memory of **Lucille, Roger & Lori White** at the request of their family.

The Sanctuary Lamp in Christ the King will burn this week for the repose of the soul of **Charles Schlenker** at the request of Mary Sue Schlenker.

The Altar Bread & Wine in Christ the King is consecrated this week in memory of the **Kocay & Niezgoda Families** at the request of Anne, Mary Carol & Bernadette.

The Main Altar candles in Christ the King will burn for the repose of the soul of **Betty Ann Bridy** at the request of her husband, Henry Bridy.



"For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Christ and Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find an infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in

a manger." - Lk 2:11-12

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

A woman, short of years but abundant in wisdom, hears the call of God through an angel and all of creation waits for her response. The story of the Annunciation in this Sunday's Gospel places on a major stage the relationship humanity has with God the Father. His love for us is so great he would seek to become like us in the Incarnation, and then by his death and resurrection save us from death so that we may live forever with him. The entire cosmic plan hinges on the response of one girl.

Have you ever had to make a decision that would entirely change your life and the lives of those around you? Has God ever asked you to risk it all for the kingdom? Maybe the question came in the form of a loved one's death. Perhaps a cross-country move or a job change was the request. Confronting the reality of the call made your stomach ache and your head spin. What was your response?

As this Advent draws to a close, and a new calendar year lies just beyond your Christmas tree, let us pray that when the call comes we may respond as mature disciples. Age does not define maturity. Neither does experience. Maturity is defined by how we respond to God in those most challenging of moments. This Christmas, may a young girl in a far off land lead us to an infant Child who one day will most certainly ask us a question that will shake us to our core, and may our answer echo hers, "yes."



Christmas Blessings

The Grace and Peace of Our Newborn Lord and Savior Jesus Christ be with you!

In the birth of our Lord, the Word of God has come among us. This has happened not out of a debt of obligation owed to us but because of Love. A love which does not admit to exclusion. No more are we to be judged by what we have or can do but simply by our response to God's gift to us. In our community we see what this response means. Our community continues to grow. Our heritage is learned and respected. More and more people are choosing to share their talents: the Gospel is preached and lived, families are welcomed, the old find comfort, and we are at peace with one another.

The greatest gift of this season has already been given – God the Father has shared his Son. During this Christmas Season in particular we have the opportunity to better appreciate God's gift to us. First, let us do that in thanksgiving. We are thankful for the gift of one another and our faith. Second, we appreciate this gift in prayer. May God continue to watch over us and bless us. And finally, we appreciate this gift by living lives accountable to the Lord. Faith and the life given us in Jesus is to be the center of our lives.

At this time we want to thank all of you for your care and love of the Lord and your parish. This is a wonderful parish to be a member of. I thank you for that. May God continue to bless you and watch over all you do.

In the Peace of our Newborn Savior.

Fr. Stan, Fr. Slawek & Fr. Marcin

KOLEDA

THE ANNUAL BLESSING OF HOMES (KOLEDA) WILL BEGIN ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 2015 from 9:30 AM to Noon and from 1 PM to 5 PM. *Should you not be at home when the priest visits, he will leave a message in your door. If you would like to reschedule or if you prefer to schedule an appointment to have your home blessed, please call the parish office. If you live outside of Manville you must call the parish office to have your home blessed.*



Chwała Nowonarodzonego Zbawiciela niech będzie z Wami wszystkimi!

Z narodzeniem Pana Słowo Boże przyszło do nas na ziemię. Stało się to z miłości do nas. Z miłości, która nie zna granic. Z miłości, której orzeczeniem nie jest to co posiadamy, lecz jaką odpowiedź damy Bogu za Jego dar dla ludzkości. W naszej wspólnocie parafialnej dajemy tą odpowiedź Bogu poprzez fakt, że jako parafia rozwijamy się i żyjemy życiem Bożym. Wyciągając wnioski z naszej przeszłości i przynależności narodowej okazujemy sobie wzajemny szacunek. Coraz więcej parafian dzieli się swoimi talentami z innymi, nasze rodziny żyją Ewangelia Chrystusa i stają się poprzez to radośniejsze, a ci, którzy są już w podeszłym wieku znajdują opiekę i spokój. Stajemy się przykładem chrześcijańskiej wspólnoty ludzi wierzących w Chrystusa.

Otrzymaliśmy największy dar. Bóg dał nam swojego Syna. W okresie Świąt Bożego Narodzenia mamy obowiązek podziękować Bogu za Jego dar. Złożmy podziękowanie za Siostry i Braci w Chrystusie, za dar wiary, za dar modlitwy. Niech Dobry Bóg nam wszystkim błogosławi i darzy opieką, a Chrystus niech staje się naczelną wartością naszego życia.

Jako Duszpasterze tutejszej parafii, pragniemy podziękować wszystkim, którzy kochają Chrystusa i naszą wspólnotę parafialną. Parafia Najświętszego Serca Pana Jezusa w Manville jest wspólną wspólnotą i powinniśmy być dumni z przynależności do niej. Niech dobry Bóg darzy was obfitym błogosławieństwem na nadchodzące Święta i Nowy Rok.

W Chrystusie Odkupicielu,

O. Stanisław Slaby, O. Sławomir Romanowski i O. Marcin Kubik

KOLEDA

Podtrzymując tradycję lat poprzednich, również w nadchodzącym okresie Świąt Bożego narodzenia błogosławić będziemy domy naszych parafian. Kolędę ropocznimy od czwartek 5 stycznia w godzinach od 9:30 – 12:00 i od 13:00 do 17:00. Jeśli ktoś z parafian nie może być w domu w tych godzinach prosimy o telefoniczny kontakt z biurem parafialnym i ustalenie dogodnego terminu kolędy.

DECEMBER

TODAY, DECEMBER 21



THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE ENTIRE WEEK. In case of an emergency, please call 908-725-0072.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23

ENGLISH CHOIR PRACTICE – Sacred Heart Church – 7:30PM.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24

PLEASE NOTE: THERE ARE NO MORNING MASSES TODAY.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25



May the blessings of this Holy Season be yours in abundance.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

Niedziela, 21 grudnia

CZWARTA NIEDZIELA ADWENTU

BIURO PARAFIALNE BĘDZIE NIECZYNNE PRZEZ CAŁY TYDZIEŃ. W RAZIE KONIECZNOŚCI PROSZĘ DZWONIĆ POD NASTĘPUJĄCY NR TEL. 908 725 0072.

Środa, 24 grudnia

UWAGA: NIE MA MSZY ŚW. O 7:00 W CHRIST THE KING ORAZ 8:00 W SACRED HEART RANO !!!

Czwartek, 25 grudnia



Niech błogosławieństwo Bożej Dzieciny spłynie na Was w obfitości, w tym świętym czasie.

OPLATEK RADIA MARYJA odbędzie się w niedzielę, 18 stycznia 2015 w szkole Christ the King. Bilety do nabycia po Mszach św. i w biurze parafialnym do 12 stycznia. Zapraszamy!



Thank you to all our parishioners and friends who participated in our Giving Trees at both worship sites and the Holy Name Society Toy Drive. The response and your generosity were overwhelming. A special thank you to our Angel Helpers, who sorted, packed and delivered the gifts and gift certificates to our less fortunate parishioners and friends. I know that many had a much better Christmas and were touched by your generosity and love. May our Lord God and Loving Father bless you all! Thank you again!!!

Fr. Stan

The Caritas Ministry would like to thank the students of Roosevelt and ABIS schools for their donation of 4,027 pounds of food for the needy.

Wedding Banns

I & II. Jonathan Graham & Nastazya Bolek



1ST ANNIVERSARY OF
CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH
January 3, 2015

Mass of Thanksgiving
5PM at Sacred Heart Church
Dinner at Christ the King School
following the Mass.

Tickets are \$10 for adults & \$5 for children under 12.



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Mae Abrams, Toni Antonelli, Mary Bogdan, Cecelia Bok, John Bontempo, Shawn Brickley, Lorraine Burkoski, Steve Bush, Bill Caswell, Margaret Cebula, Chester

Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Vincent Chiusano, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, John Dombey, Dorothy Dinsmore, Mary Evancho, Joseph Fallon, Helen Fedor, Helen Gazo, Julia Gekosky, Dorothy Gluch, Maryann Hughes, Stefanie Incao, Raul Jaime, Joanna Jasantek, Estelle Kaminski, Stephen Kenosky, Deb Knitowski, Dennis Koslowski, Theresa Kraska, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Janice Lalley, Cheyenne Licardi, Josephine Martens, Joe Matisak, Gerry McCormick, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Adeline Morgan, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Dolores Novicky, Robert Petsko, Skip Picciano, Marie Piorkowski, Steven Pirello, Mark Pschar, Normand Rivard, Jenny Rodgers, Donna Roman, Jerry Russell, Jr., John Scanlon, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaight, Victoria Soika, Andy Soltis, Albert Stanski, Zdzislaw Szczepanski, Rose Tabbitt, Virginia Tamburini, William Tomaszfski, Joe Tomko, Marilyn Trilone, Beverly Ulicny, Pauline Vantaggi, Helen Vrael, Natalie Walkoviak, Cindy Weigel, Raymond Wisniewski, Joann Zielinski, Carl Zujkowski, Maria Zurawiecki, and Regina Zydalis.

**God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name.
Amen.**



Our Men and Women in the Service

Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially

- Captain Christopher Bartok*
- PFC Jacob R. Caswell USMC*
- Staff Sargeant Francis Fiduk III*
- Pvt. Christopher Foley*
- PFC Joshua Hussey*
- Captain James A. Jablonski Jr.*
- Gunnery Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC*
- PFC Joshua Rivard*
- Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.*
- PFC Steven Ubry*
- CMA Mark J. Walyga*
- PFC Brian J. Zarnowski*

Please let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!



**CHRIST THE KING
SCHOOL NEWS**

Phone: 908-526-1339 Fax: 908-526-3541
Christine Benson, Principal
Donna Peltack, Secretary
Karen Koloski, Business Manager – 908-231-1330

SHOP WITH SCRIP GIFT CARDS

The Scrip Program has begun. If you need an order form please contact the school. Checks are made payable to CTK HSA and can be dropped in the weekly collection basket – mark the envelope “SCHOOL”. If you have any questions please contact Suzanne Hanlon at semburtis@aol.com

BOX TOP LABELS/CAMPBELL LABELS

Please save your box top labels as well as Campbell’s labels. At Christ the King Church please drop them in the box provided. At Sacred Heart Church, for the time being, please drop them in the weekly collection basket marked SCHOOL. Thank You!!!

DISCOUNT SHOPPER CARDS

On sale for \$10 – shop local businesses and get a discount. Please contact the school to purchase a card.

CALENDAR RAFFLE

The ever popular Calendar Raffle tickets are now on sale. The raffle runs from January to April and once a week a lucky winner has the chance to take home \$400.00. You have 12 chances to win for only \$20.00 per ticket because each ticket is entered into all the drawings. Please call the school 908-526-1339 or 908-231-1330 if you would like to purchase a ticket.



TIME IS RUNNING OUT!!! If you haven't purchased your mega raffle ticket yet, please do so as soon as possible. They are available at the parish office and after Sunday Masses. To date there have been 350 tickets sold.

Thank you for participating in this fundraiser.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Report of Sunday Offerings in Support of our Parish

The Christ the Redeemer collection for the weekend of
December 14, 2014

Weekly budget needed:

CtR Parish	\$ 16,000.00
CtK School	\$ 9,000.00
Total	\$ 25,000.00

Weekly Collection:

Offertory	\$ 8,050.00
Christ the King School	\$ 2,189.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 2,741.00
Children's donations	\$ 102.00
Total	\$ 13,082.00

Budget vs. Collection:

Surplus/(Deficit) \$ (11,918.00)

Year to Date Offertory Collections

July 2014 through June, 2015 Financial Year

Twelve-month budget:	\$1,300,000.00
Weekly Collections YTD	\$ 282,084.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$(1,017,916.00)

Thank you for your generosity and support.
May God bless you. Fr. Stan

"Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!" – LUKE 1:28

Faith is a gift from God. During this Christmas season take time in silence and pray to God. Thank Him for all the gifts He has given you. Try to set aside any anger or resentment you have and really open your heart to receive the gift of God's grace.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

LEKCJE KATECHEZY

**THERE WILL BE NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
CLASSES THIS WEEK. CLASSES WILL RESUME
ON JANUARY 6TH.**

**W tym tygodniu
lekcji religii nie będzie.**

PARISH CALENDARS

Within the next week or so, parishioners will be delivering our new Parish Calendars to all the parishioners in Manville. For our out of town parishioners, the calendars will be available in the vestibule beginning this weekend.

W ciągu następnego tygodnia, wyznaczone osoby będą dostarczać nowy parafialny kalendarz na Rok 2015 dla wszystkich naszych parafian w Manville. Dla parafian spoza Manville kalendarz będzie dostępny od IV Niedzieli Adwentu w przedsionku kościoła.

OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO SACRED HEART CHURCH

My Good Deed was when I:

took care of mommy.	Emily
helped decorate for Christmas.	Alina, Logan, Hunter, Hailey & Nick
baked with my mom.	Victoria
helped wash the dishes.	Madison
took the recycling out.	Christian
cleaned the living room.	Evan
made a birthday card for a friend.	Karol
cleaned the attic.	Joseph
played with my sister.	Jayla & Christopher
helped my mom lift my desk.	Siobhan
helped my mom lift my sister's desk.	Michael
did my homework.	Dominik & Karol
helped my mom.	Robert
helped carry in the groceries.	Michael
took my dog on a walk and it was snowing.	Veronica
played nice with my friend.	Dylan
made a new friend at school.	Jonas
walked the dog.	Abby & Veronica
helped dad clean.	Theodore
helped my friend with a math problem.	Natalia & Julia
helped my daddy clean the house.	Nicholas
helped my grandma put up the outside Christmas lights.	Alina
helped my mom clean the bathroom.	Natalie
helped mommy set up for our Christmas party.	Nino & Armondo
helped my brother fasten his seatbelt.	Adam
helped my grandpa clean his office.	Jaden
made a stocking for my cousin.	Sophia
helped make dinner.	Rebecca
watched my baby cousin.	Bella
helped.	Emily
helped my parents.	Victoria
helped mom with the laundry.	Rocco
did the dishes.	Olivia, Madison & Julia
cleaned my sisters crayons from the floor.	Gabriel
cleaned up my books.	Christopher

Remember to put your first and last name and your grade on your envelopes.