



# St. Hedwig's Church

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APRIL 26  
2020



THIRD  
SUNDAY OF

## Easter

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on the way and how Jesus was made known to them in the breaking of bread.

LUKE 24:35

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### MASS SCHEDULE

#### DAILY MASSES:

7:00 AM (English)  
8:00 AM (Polish)  
9:00 AM (English)

#### SATURDAY EVENING MASS:

5:00 PM (English)

#### SUNDAY MASSES:

7:00 AM (English)  
8:00 AM (Polish)  
9:30 AM (English)  
11:00 AM (Polish)  
12:30 PM (English)  
6:30 PM (English)

#### EVE OF HOLY DAYS:

7:00 PM (English)

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7:00 AM (English)  
8:00 AM (Polish)  
9:00 AM (English)  
5:00 PM (English)  
7:30 PM (Polish)

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturdays: 4:00-5:00 PM  
Holy Days: Confessions before every Mass

**BAPTISMS:** Make arrangements at least 6 weeks ahead of time. Baptisms are held every Sunday at 11:00 AM (Polish) and 12:30 PM (English)

**MARRIAGES:** Arrangements to be made at least 6 months prior to the wedding date. No Marriages on Sunday after 5:00 PM & on Saturdays after 3:30 PM

**SICK CALLS:** Any time. Call cell (516) 776-5486

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**PASTOR EMERITUS** \_\_\_\_\_  
**DEACON** \_\_\_\_\_  
**SECRETARY** \_\_\_\_\_  
**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DIRECTOR** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

**Monday-Friday:**  
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM (secretary)  
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (priest on duty)

**Saturday:**  
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM (secretary)

**Sunday:** Office is closed

# MASS INTENTIONS

All intentions are prayed for during morning Masses without congregation (with closed doors)

## SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am +Jan Keller od Rodziny Parafiniuk  
09:00 am +John F. Dave and Deceased Family Members  
05:00 pm +Robert Cinerar by Ed and Ann Nawrocki

## SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am +Jan i Lydia Surdyka od Rodziny Cielepak  
08:00 am O Boże Błogosławieństwo dla Iwony i Piotra Koprowskich z Okazji 25-lecia Małżeństwa  
09:30 am Health and Blessings for Mary Grayson by Aunts  
11:00 am +Mieczysław Ulicki od Żony i Dzieci (7 Rocznicą Śmierci)  
11:00 am +Dariusz Konefał od Lucyny Zarkowskiej  
12:30 pm +Tom and Terry Fin and Son Tom by Hannah O'Driscoll  
06:30 pm Blessings, Health and Peace of Mind for our Pastor Peter Rozek and His Family by Florence and Jane Prokopiak

## MONDAY, APRIL 27, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am +Franciszka Grodzki od Jadwigi i Czesława Słoma  
09:00 am +Maria, Antonio and Frank Pagliaro by Candida

## TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2020

07:00 am Msgr. Edward Wawerski and Family by Florence and Jane Prokopiak  
08:00 am  
09:00 am +Gary Burchianti by Family

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am +Dariusz Konefał od Józefy Tatarynowicz  
09:00 am

## THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am +Eugenia Kurzyna od Rodziny  
09:00 am

## FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2020

07:00 am +John Bartorelli by Wife  
08:00 am  
09:00 am John F. Dave and Deceased Family Members  
07:30 pm Za Pokój na Swiecie od Polskiego Kółka Różańcowego

## SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am O Zdrowie i Błogosławieństwo Boże dla Jasia i Adasia od Rodziców  
09:00 am +John F. Dave and Deceased Family Members  
05:00 pm +Arthur Costellano by Ed and Ann Nawrocki

## SUNDAY, MAY 3, 2020

07:00 am  
08:00 am +Anastazja i Zygmunt Wisniewscy od Córci z Rodziną  
09:30 am +Christina i Marian Krolewski by Turon Family  
11:00 am +Franciszka Grodzki od Florence and Jane Prokopiak  
11:00 am +Dariusz Konefał od Lucyny Zarkowskiej  
12:30 pm +Birdie O'Sullivan by Hannah O'Driscoll  
06:30 pm

**FIRST FRIDAY:** 9:00 AM Mass in English and 7:30 PM Mass in Polish to the Sacred Heart of Jesus with Exposition, Adoration & Blessing. Confession 8:30 AM and 7:00 PM

**FIRST SATURDAY:** 7:30 AM Holy Rosary in Polish, 9:00 AM Mass in English with Exposition, Adoration & Blessing

**NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP:** Wednesday at 8:50 AM in English, Saturday at 8:20 AM in Polish

**NOVENA TO GOD THE FATHER:** Every first Sunday of the month after 12:30 PM Mass

**FATIMA DEVOTIONS:** Every 13th of the month at 7:00 PM from May to October

**GORZKIE ŻALE/LAMENTATIONS:** Lent, every Sunday at 3:00 PM

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Lent, Wednesday in English at 7:30 PM, Thursday in Italian at 8:00 PM, Friday at 7:30 PM in Polish

**LITANY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY:** May, Monday through Friday at 7:30 in Polish

**HOLY ROSARY:** Monday through Saturday after 9:00 AM Mass in English, First Friday at 7:00 PM in Polish, First Saturday at 7:30 AM in Polish, additionally October, Monday through Friday at 7:30 PM in Polish

**CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY:** Monday through Saturday after 9:00 AM Mass in English, First Saturday after 8:00 AM Mass in Polish



## LIST KSIĘDZA PROBOSZCZA



*Drodzy Parafianie i Przyjaciele Kościoła Św. Jadwigi:*

Za kilka dni rozpoczniemy miesiąc maj. Te 31 dni niech będą szczególnym okresem modlitwy do Boga za wstawiennictwem Maryi, Matki Jezusa Chrystusa. Módlmy się za cały świat ogarnięty pandemią, za tych którzy nami rządzą, za wszystkich, którzy troszczą się o chorych a szczególnie módlmy się za nasze rodziny i naszych bliskich. Odmawiajmy różaniec i osobiste modlitwy do Matki Bożej. W tym trudnym okresie niech nie zabraknie nadziei, że nauczymy się żyć w „nowym świecie” ale też nauczymy się jak szanować ten świat i ludzi. Przez ostatnie dekady przeżyaliśmy ogromny postęp naukowy a z drugiej strony mocno naruszyliśmy fundamenty naszej cywilizacji. Myślę, że obecny czas ma być refleksją nad „dziełem stworzenia” jakiego dokonał Bóg. Niech Maryja, Matka naszego Zmartwychwstałego Pana będzie patronką całej naszej ziemi.

*Wasz Proboszcz, Ks. Piotr*

## LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR



*Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Hedwig's Church:*

In a few days we will start the month of May. Let these 31 days be a special period of prayer to God through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ. Let us pray for the whole world in a pandemic, for those who rule us, for all who care for the sick, and especially for our families and our loved ones. Let us pray the rosary and personal prayers to the Mother of God. In this difficult period, let there be hope that we will learn to live in a "new world" but also learn how to respect this world and people. Over the past decades, we have experienced tremendous scientific progress and, on the other hand, have seriously violated the foundations of our civilization. I think that the present time is to be a reflection on the "work of creation" that God has accomplished. Let Mary, Mother of our Risen Lord, be the patron of all our land.

*Your Pastor, Fr. Peter*



### WEEKLY COLLECTION

**As of APRIL 21, 2020**

**\$5,695.00**

*God Bless for your donations*

### **Pray for the Sick, the Elderly and the Homebound**

Christine Brown, Lily Simon, Zarina Liwag, Sandra Jean Pierre, Thomas Vita, Fernand Arty, Baby Sigler, Alina Romanczuk, Rosemarie Hermann, Joe Emerson, Carol Nowakowski, and Dan Mahoney.

\*Please note: only family members may request a person to be placed on the sick list. Subsequently, they will be removed after 2 months. Please call the rectory if additional prayers are required.

# URGENT UPDATE

## ALL MASSES CANCELLED

1. All Masses (weekday and weekends) are cancelled effective immediately **through May 15th, 2020**. This includes liturgies, devotions. This includes all Holy Week and Easter Liturgies. However, these will be televised and available online
2. These restrictions also include all Confirmations, First Communion, Confessions, etc. When these events are rescheduled, they will be announced.
3. Our priests will offer private Masses (when the church is closed) for the Intentions that are mentioned in the Bulletin.
4. NO FUNERALS ARE PERMITTED AT THIS TIME
5. Baptisms are postponed.
6. Religious Education and Polish School classes are postponed **till May 15th, 2020**
7. No Rectory Office visits. Calls only: (516) 354-0042 (from 9 am –till 5pm)
8. Parishioners are encouraged to engage in personal and family prayer,( e.g. the Rosary) at home.
9. Please contact Fr. Peter at (516)776-5486 if there are any concerns about visiting and anointing of the sick at home, in nursing homes and hospitals.
10. The Catholic Faith Network (CFN) will provide televised and online daily Masses, including Holy Week and Easter Liturgies, as well as other devotional and spiritual programs. (Optimum channel 29/137, Verizon FiOS TV channel 296, and Spectrum channel 162/471.) CFN is also available on selected cable and satellite systems and through 24/7 live stream at CFNtv.org. You can also watch CFN on Roku, Apple TV, Amazon Fire TV, Android, or by downloading the CFN iOS mobile app at the app store by searching “Catholic Faith Network” or “CFN”.
11. Currently, our Catholic Schools are closed through May 15th, 2020, following the measures taken by Nassau and Suffolk public schools. However, we continue to monitor the situation and will adapt and update as needed. Our parish Religious Education programs will remain suspended until **May 15th, 2020**. Again, we continue to monitor the situation and will adapt and update as needed.
12. The administrative offices of the Diocese of Rockville Centre located in Rockville Centre and Massapequa Park will be closed until **May 15th, 2020**. These locations will be thoroughly cleaned during closure. All employees will be working remotely, with business being

conducted by email, telephonically or electronically, as best as possible. For the latest information visit [www.drvc.org](http://www.drvc.org).

### OFFERINGS TO ST. HEDWIG'S CHURCH

Thank you for your continued financial sacrifice for our parish. We are so grateful to all who have subscribed to online giving and to those who have mailed in their weekly envelopes. We realize that this situation has placed an emotional and financial burden on many of you. Please know that I remember you in my daily Mass intentions. This situation has also put a strain on our parish's budget and has the potential to impact our mission. If you are able, I ask that you please consider signing up for online giving or mailing in your weekly envelopes. A new “Text to Give” option has also been developed, enabling you to make a weekly donation to your parish on your smart phone. To access information regarding this innovative form of giving as well as our online giving program, please go to our parish website or call us, we will gladly walk you through the process. Please pray join me in praying for our first responders, our doctors and nurses, and all those in our Catholic ministries who are helping on the front lines. Thank you and may God bless you and your families.

### TEXT TO GIVE TO ST. HEDWIG'S CHURCH

Your parish is where we go to practice our faith and celebrate the gospel. It is where we gather in fellowship, both in times of joy and sorrow.

Now that our Masses have been cancelled and during these uncertain and challenging times, know that our Lord God is always present to you and your family. All Long Island parishioners are in a spiritual communion.

As we follow community guidelines to keep you safe at home, we have created an alternative way for you to give to your parish, via Text-to-Give.

**You can text your parish keyword**

**011parishstthedwig**

**To (516) 271-3338**

Thank you for your support of our parish  
and please stay well

Together we will get through this crisis.

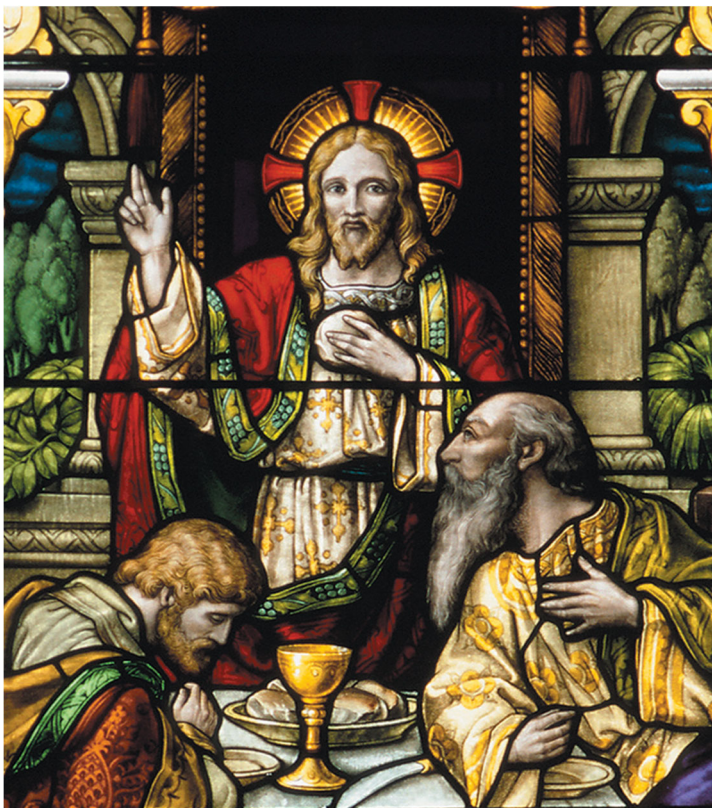


**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**+John Bartorelli**

*Eternal rest grant unto Him,  
O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon Him.*





Today's Gospel has some surprises for the disciples going to Emmaus. The first is that Luke tells us Jesus appeared to them, "but their eyes were prevented from recognizing him" (Luke 24:16). More likely, they were prevented by their lack of faith. They knew that Jesus had died, so this man who looked familiar couldn't be him. All they had heard was that Jesus' body was missing from the tomb.

That leads to the second point. They were amazed at how Jesus explained the scriptures. Even the disciples had not thought of them as predicting Jesus' suffering and death. Yet they seem to know the truth of what Jesus was saying. Their story can help us, too.

If you find you are not always able to see Jesus in the people or events of your life, you may need to stretch your faith. One way to do that is to discuss it with others. The two disciples were stretching their faith as they discussed what they had heard. Your faith will grow as you learn to express it. Another way to stretch your faith is to read and pray over the scriptures. Ask what God is trying to tell you in them. The disciples on the way to Emmaus began to see how Jesus fulfilled the promises found there.

Ask God to help you see Jesus in other people. Receive Jesus in Communion as often as you can (at least once a week). Trust him and expect to see Jesus both in people around you and in the changes that come into your life. The more you look for Jesus, the easier it is to see him.

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## AKTUALNOŚCI POLSKIEJ SZKOŁY

**Polska Szkoła Doksztalcająca im. Św. Jadwigi we Floral Park obchodzi swoje 60-lecie.** Jubileuszowa Gala odbędzie się w The Inn at New Hyde Park (214 Jericho Turnpike, New Hyde Park) w niedzielę, 31 Maja 2020 roku w godzinach 12.30-16.30. Grać będzie zespół Milano Next. Powięcej informacji i po rezerwacji proszę dzwonić do : Doroty (516) 851-0523 lub Gosi (718) 490-3993



## ST. HEDWIG'S FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM

The goal of participation in this program is to prepare oneself, as practicing Catholics, to receive the sacraments. Being Catholic is a lifelong endeavor and involves much more than receiving a select number of sacraments. It is a process that continues through one's life and ideally should reflect in one's daily life. Please come and join us.

**Contact: Krzysztof Gospodarzec, DRE 631-875-8413**  
**Visit us also on the parish website in the link of Faith Formation (Religious School) at:**  
[www.sthedwig.church](http://www.sthedwig.church)

## ST. HEDWIG'S EASTER FAIR POSTPONED

Due to the health concerns regarding coronavirus St. Hedwig's Easter Fair has been rescheduled. It will be ST. HEDWIG'S WELCOME BACK~ SUMMER CRAFT FAIR and will take place on **SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, JULY 11th and JULY 12th**. We apologize for the inconvenience.



Młode małżeństwo poszukuje opiekunki dla rocznego synka od sierpnia 2020. Praca 3-4 dni w tygodniu.  
 Kontakt Kasia: cell 7327102631,  
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