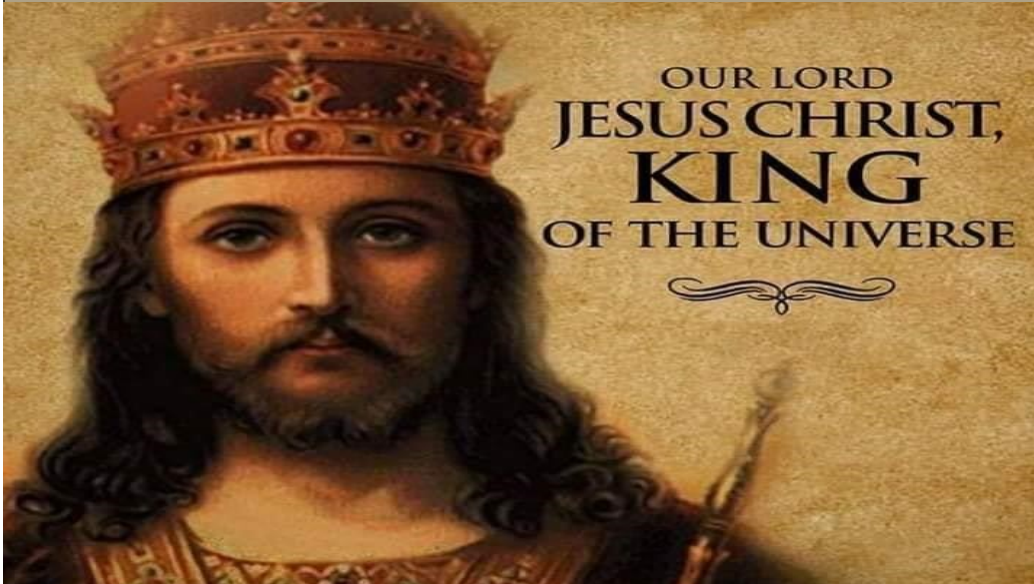




St. Hedwig's Church

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The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe



November 24, 2024

www.liturgytools.net

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays: 4:00-5:00 PM
First Friday: 6:30 PM-7:30 PM

BAPTISMS: Make arrangements at least 6 weeks ahead of time. Baptisms are held every Sunday at 11:00 AM (Polish) and 09:30 AM (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 3:00 PM

SICK CALLS: Call (516) 354-0042

MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY MASSES:

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

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)
6:30 PM (English)

EVE OF HOLY DAYS:

6:00 PM (English)

HOLY DAYS:

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

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RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday:
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Saturday and Sunday:
Office is closed



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 2024

05:00 pm +Antoni Kurzyna by Madigan Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,
KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

07:00 am For Parishioners

08:00 am O zdrowie i błogosławieństwo Boże w pracy dla Romana

+Piotr Tasiór

+Józefa i Paweł Kasak od Syna z Rodziną

09:30 am +Michał i Józefa Płaza by Stanley and Maria Konefał with Family

+Edward Kuczinski by Family

11:00 am O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla Emilii i Sofii od Rodziców

+Maria i Stanisław Morkis od Syna z Rodziną

+Bogdan Juniewicz od Rodziny

+Antoni Kurzyna od Alexandry Zelek

+Antoni Kurzyna od Rodziny Dreszel-Cacharani

+Ks. Piotr Rozek od Rodziny M. F. Kurzyna

+Jan Stachurski od Bożeny i Janusza Morkis

+Adam Wiśniewski

+Adam Wiśniewski od Zdzisławy

+Stanisława Siębor od Caroline Kowalczyk z Synem Edwinem

06:30 pm Corsaro and Giecewicz Families

+Angelo Solinas and Marie Falchi by Family

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2024

07:00 am +Anton Zemko by Tetro Family

08:00 am +Edward Mikol od Zofii i Tadeusza Matuszak

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2024

07:00 am +Florence and Melvin Duch by Duch/Olszewski Family

08:00 am +Ks. Piotr Rozek od Ani, Bożeny i Gavigo z Dziećmi

+Honorata i Władysław Machowscy od Córki z Rodziną

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2024

07:00 am For Parishioners

08:00 am +Jan Serafin od Ireny i Angelo Camelli

+Antoni Kurzyna od Andrzeja i Iwony Kiełbiowski

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2024

Thanksgiving Day

07:00 am Thankful for the friendship with Coleen Ferrara by Friends from Garibaldi-Meucci Museum

08:00 am +Za zmarłych z Rodziny Rychlak i Kowalenko

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2024

07:00 am For Parishioners

08:00 am +Jadwiga i Józef Modzelewski od Joli Trojanowskiej z Rodziną

07:30 pm Różaniec z wypominkami

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30 2024

Saint Andrew, Apostle

07:00 am For deceased members of our parish

08:00 am +Antoni Kurzyna od Joli Trojanowskiej z Rodziną

05:00 pm +Jane Prokopiak by Grodzki Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1 2024

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

07:00 am For Parishioners

08:00 am +Piotr Tasiór

+Danuta, Jan, Marek Zelkowski

+Stanisława Siębor od Rodziny Niedbała

09:30 am +Rosie Inayan by Goiri Family

+Christopher Sofield by Andrea and Joe Crupi

11:00 am O Boże błogosławieństwo i potrzebne łaski dla Andrzeja z okazji 90tych Urodzin i imienin od Żony

+Stanisława Siębor od Alexandry Zelek z Rodziną

+Maria i Jan Brzuszek oraz za zmarłych z Rodziny Brzuszek od Synowej z Rodziną

06:30 pm +Rose Valente by Family

FIRST FRIDAY: ALL DAY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT 8:30 AM TILL 7:30 PM, Rosary in Polish 7PM, Additional 7:30 PM Mass in Polish to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Confession 6:30 PM-7:30 PM

FIRST SATURDAY: 7:30 AM Rosary in Polish, Fr. Pio Mas at 7:30 PM

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP:

Saturday after 8:00 AM in Polish, and on the first Saturday of the month after 7:00 AM in English

NOVENA TO GOD THE FATHER: Every first Saturday of the month after 5:00 PM Mass

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

FATIMA DEVOTIONS: Every Tuesday at 8:00 PM in English and Italian

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

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: Monday through Saturday after 8:00 AM Mass in Polish

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION: Every Wednesday at 3 PM

SUNDAY REFLECTION

Today's Jesus Christ is presented to us as the King of the Universe. My attention has always been drawn by the emphasis the Bible attributes to the word "King" when applied to our Lord. "The Lord is king, robed with majesty" we sing in Psalm 93. "I am a king" (Jn 18:37), we have heard from Jesus' very lips. "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord." (Lk 19:38), people shouted when He was entering Jerusalem.

The word "King", applied to God and to Jesus Christ, does not certainly have the inferred meaning we give to it when speaking of the conventional monarchy, as we know it. Yet, in the popular language the word "king" does have a certain affinity with the Biblical language. For instance, when a mother is taking care of her baby and tells him: — You are the king of our home. What is she implying? Just a very simple thing: that her little baby is her number one priority and means everything to her. And when teenagers claim that so and so is the king of Rock, they actually mean there is no other one like him; similarly, as when they refer to the basketball king. Enter a teen-ager's room and you will probably see on his walls who are really his "kings". I believe these popular expressions very much resemble what we mean when we acclaim God as our King and help us to understand Jesus' assertion about his kingdom: "My kingship is not from here" (Jn 18:36).

For us Christians our King is our Lord, that is, the centre where the deepest feelings of our lives are going to. When in the Lord's Prayer we say "Your kingdom come", we mean we would like to see that more and more people could find the source of their happiness in God, while following the path He shows us, which is the path of the beatitudes. Let us therefore ask it with all our heart, for "wherever Jesus Christ is, there is our life and our kingdom" (St. Ambrose).

From:Evangeli.net

Pray for the Sick, the Elderly and the Homebound

Rosemarie Hermann, Joe Emerson, Vincenza Virdone, Michael Watts, Neida Ramos, Connie Dziomba, Theresa Gerzak, Donna Ragan, Anita Durane, Patty Hildebrandt, Lorraine Taylor, Robert Grayson, Lisa Kelleher, Joyce Kopko, Claudia Catalano, baby Madeline Griffin, Olivia.

WEEKLY MEMORIALS

Parishioners may request these memorials for one week in memory or in honor of a loved one for the donation of \$20. Please contact the parish office to schedule



Sanctuary Lights
for the week of November 24
in memory of
Fr. Piotr Rożek

Altar Bread and Wine
for the week of November 24
in memory of
Mmgr. Edward
Wawerski



The Altar Rose
for the week of November 24
in memory of
Ted Gerwatowski

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH

In these challenging times, special gratitude is expressed to those who are able to support St. Hedwig Parish

WAYS TO GIVE



Online donation: Visit our website or scan the QR code

By Mail: St. Hedwig Church, 1 Depan Ave,
Floral Park, NY 11001

In Person: At Mass during the collection or dropped off at
the rectory office

WEEKLY COLLECTION

November 17, 2024 Collection

\$ 7,122

God bless for your donations

APOSTOLAT POLSKI

ROZWAŻANIE NA NIEDZIELE

Dzisiaj, Jezus Chrystus objawia się nam jako Król Wszechświata. Zawsze zwracała moją uwagę emfaza, z jaką Biblia wypowiada imię "Król" odnośnie do Pana. «Pan króluje, oblókł się w majestat», śpiewamy w Psalmie 93. «Tak, jestem królem» (J 18,37), usłyszeliśmy z ust samego Jezusa. «Błogosławiony Król, który przychodzi w imię Pańskie» (Łk 19,38), wołał lud, kiedy On wjeżdżał do Jerozolimy.

Oczywiście określenie "Król" w odniesieniu do Boga i Jezusa Chrystusa nie odwołuje się do monarchii w sensie politycznym, jaki znamy. Lecz o ile istnieje pewna korelacja między językiem ludowym i biblijnym w słowie "król", kiedy matka piastująca niemowlę mówi do niego: —Jesteś królem tego domu, to co chce powiedzieć? Jest to coś bardzo prostego: dla niej to dzieciątko jest na pierwszym miejscu, i ono jest dla niej całym światem. Kiedy młodzież mówi o jakimś facecie, że jest królem rocka, to mówią, że nie ma nikogo porównywalnego do niego, tak samo jak mówią o królu koszykarzy. Wejdźcie do pokoju nastolatka i zobaczcie, jakich ma "królów". Te popularne określenia pokazują, co mamy na myśli nazywając Boga naszym Królem i pomagają zrozumieć owo potwierdzenie w Jezusie Jego Królestwa: «Królestwo moje nie jest z tego świata» (J 18,36).

Dla chrześcijan Królem jest nasz Pan Jezus, to znaczy centrum, w którym skupia się najgłębszy sens naszego życia. Kiedy mówimy Ojciec nasz, aby przyszło Jego Królestwo, wyrażamy swoje życzenie, aby wzrastała liczba ludzi, którzy w Bogu odnajdują źródło szczęścia i podejmują wysiłek, by podążać drogą, którą nam wyznaczył, drogą błogosławieństw. Prośmy z całego serca «gdziekolwiek jesteś Panie Jezu, tam będzie nasze życie i nasze Królestwo» (Święty Ambroży).

źródło: Evangelii.net

Sylwester 2025

Parafia Świętej Jadwigi
we Floral Park zaprasza na
zabawę w sali parafialnej
309 Jericho Tpke
Floral Park, NY 11001



DJ Marek

31 Grudnia 2024
8PM-2AM

\$150 za osobę

Gorąca kolacja, wiejski stół,
zimne i ciepłe napoje, deser,
butelka szampana i wódki na stół
inne alkohole do zakupu w barze

Bilety: Alicja
646 - 508 - 4624

KATECHIZM KOŚCIOŁA KATOLICKIEGO

Czy nauki przyrodnicze wykazują, że Stwórca jest zbyteczny?

Nie, zdanie „Bóg stworzył świat” to nie jest przestarzały pogląd w naukach przyrodniczych. Mamy tu do czynienia ze stwierdzeniem teologicznym, czyli stwierdzeniem boskiego sensu (theos - Bóg, logos - sens) i początku rzeczy. [282-289] Opis stworzenia nie jest przyrodniczym modelem wyjaśnienia początków świata. „Bóg stworzył świat” to stwierdzenie teologiczne, w którym chodzi o ukazanie stosunku świata do Boga. Bóg chciał świata, towarzyszy mu i udoskonali go. Bycie stworzonym to trwała właściwość rzeczy i elementarna prawda na ich temat.

PAPIESKIE INTENCJE APOSTOLSTWA

LISTOPAD

Za osoby, które straciły dzieci

Módlmy się za wszystkich rodziców, którzy oplakują śmierć swojego syna lub córki, aby znaleźli wsparcie we wspólnocie oraz zaznali pokoju i pocieszenia Ducha Świętego.



New Year's Eve 2025

Join St. Hedwig's Parish
for a celebration at
the parish hall
309 Jericho Tpke
Floral Park, NY 11001



DJ Marek

December 31, 2024
8PM - 2AM

\$150 per person

Country table, dinner, hot
and cold drinks, dessert,
bottle of champagne & vodka per table
cash bar available

Tickets: Alice

646 - 508 - 4624

TRIP TO WIND CREEK CASINO

Our next trip to Wind Creek Casino will be on
December 8. For more information and reservations,
please call Santy Pallisco at (516) 581-8262.

IT IS WITH GREAT JOY WE WELCOME TO ST. HEDWIG'S FAMILY



Elena Lola Melara

ST. HEDWIG'S FALL

lottery



MAIN PRIZE \$1,000

2 PRIZES \$500, 3 PRIZES \$200

*Drawing held on Saturday, December 21
after 5:00pm Mass*

Tickets sold after the Sunday Masses

Raised funds will be used for the needs of our Parish

Ticket price \$25 each

CATECHISM of the CATHOLIC CHURCH

Does science make the Creator superfluous?

No. The sentence "God created the world" is not an outmoded scientific statement. We are dealing here with a theo-logical statement, therefore a statement about the divine meaning (theos = God, logos = meaning) and origin of things. The creation account is not a scientific model for explaining the beginning of the world. "God created the world" is a theological statement that is concerned with the relation of the world to God. God willed the world; he sustains it and will perfect it. Being created is a lasting quality in things and an fundamental truth about them.

THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTIONS

NOVEMBER

For anyone who has lost a child

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.



Dear Beloved Parishioners and Friends of St. Hedwig's Church,

As we approach this season of Thanksgiving, I want to take a moment to express my deep gratitude for each one of you. We are truly blessed as a church family, and I give thanks to God for your faithfulness, your love for one another, and the ways you serve our community.

In this season, we are reminded that Thanksgiving is not just about a meal or a moment, but a heart posture—a time to reflect on the goodness of God, who provides for us in every way. From the abundance of food on our tables to the strength we find in one another, God is faithful. Let us not only give thanks for what we have, but also for who we are in Christ—beloved, redeemed, and called to be a light to the world.

May this season be a time of renewal for each of you. May you find joy in the little things, peace in your home, and comfort in knowing that God's grace surrounds us all. Let us remember that in times of plenty or want, we are held in His loving care.

As we gather with family and friends, let us also remember those who may be struggling, whether physically, emotionally, or spiritually. May we extend a hand of compassion, sharing the blessings we have received, so that others may experience God's love through our actions.

On behalf of the entire church staff, I wish you and your loved ones a blessed and joyful Thanksgiving. May God continue to pour out His blessings upon you and grant you a heart full of thanksgiving all year long.

With grateful heart,
Fr. Marcin

★ St. Hedwig's Church ★
Christmas
Craft Fair

★ Saturday November 23rd 10am-5pm ★
★ Sunday November 24th 10am-2pm ★

Vendors-Music-Baked Goods
Pictures with Santa (Sat 11-2 only)

Over 90 Raffle Baskets
\$100 Money and Scratch off Tree
50/50 Raffle

Free Admission

HOSTED BY ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY
ST. HEDWIG'S PARISH HALL
309 JERICHO TURNPIKE, FLORAL PARK,



THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Our Heavenly Father,
We are thankful for all Your blessings,
goodness and mercy on us.

We are thankful for all the people in
our lives who make our life meaningful
and beautiful. Thank You for watching
over us and getting us all here safely.
Let Your blessings be upon everyone
here today. May we be protected and
all our prayers be answered.

In Jesus mighty name.

Amen



**Polska Szkoła Doksztalcająca
im. św. Jadwigi we Floral Park**

- Szkoła należy do Centrali Szkół Doksztalcających i realizuje program nauczania dla szkół polonijnych.
- Wykwalifikowana kadra pedagogiczna prowadzi zajęcia dla grup wiekowych od 4-go roku życia do klasy 8.
- Lekcje odbywają się w soboty w godz. od 9:00 do 12:30.
- Uczymy języka polskiego, literatury i kultury polskiej, historii, geografii, a także polskich tradycji i obyczajów.
- Szkoła prowadzi kursy przygotowawczy do egzaminu LOTE, którego pomyślne zaliczenie daje uczniom kredyty do szkół amerykańskich oraz do Egzaminu Certyfikacyjnego z Języka Polskiego jako obcego, który umożliwia zdobycie certyfikatu.
- W szkole panuje ciepła, rodzinna atmosfera.
- Uczniowie biorą udział w licznych imprezach okolicznościowych, konkursach i spotkaniach z ciekawymi osobami.

**ZAPRASZAMY NA NASZĄ STRONĘ
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- Kontakt: psfloralpark@gmail.com

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.

We look for Volunteer Religious Catechists or Assistant Catechists in our church. Please call for more info to Director of Religious Education

Contact: Malgorzata Kurzyna DRE 516) 426 5696 or parish 516-354-0042, Visit us also on the parish website in the link of Faith Formation at: www.sthedwig.church

GOAL \$31,000.00
TOTAL PLEDGED \$33,440.00
PERCENT 107.87%
OVER \$2,440.00
DONORS 115
AVERAGE GIFT \$290.78

The Parish wishes to acknowledge with Gratitude the following Parishioners who recently pledged to the 2024 Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Mrs. Mary Hafner

Thank you!

Reaching the goal for the Catholic Ministries Appeal 2024 (CMA) is a tremendous achievement, and it's inspiring to see so many people come together to support this important cause. Your contribution, along with the support of others, helps ensure that the Church can continue its vital mission of serving the poor, spreading the Gospel, and fostering justice and peace around the world.

Thank you again for your involvement and for helping to make this year's appeal such a success. May God continue to bless your generosity and the fruits of the mission!

Parish will receive 20% of our parish goal, plus 80% of any additional payments over goal.