



# St. Hedwig's Church

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Floral Park, NY 11001  
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## Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### August 10, 2025

[www.liturgytools.net](http://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)

<b>ADMINISTRATOR</b>	Rev. Dr. Marcin Nabożny	(516) 354-0042	rectory@sthedwig.church
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## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

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

Saturday and Sunday:  
Office is closed



# MASS INTENTIONS

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 2025

*Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr*

05:00 pm +Giuseppina Donnaarumma by Anthony  
Donnaarumma

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 10, 2025

*NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*

07:00 am +Mildred Wilkinson by Carol and Peter Peise  
+Domiciano M. Villegas

08:00 am +Stanisława Siębor od Anety i Bogdana  
Berliński

09:30 am +Galasieski Family  
+Giulio Masalin by Wife and Family

11:00 am O Boże błogosławieństwo i potrzebne łaski w  
nauce dla Adriana Bilas od Rodziców i brata  
O Boże błogosławieństwo i potrzebne łaski w  
nauce dla Maksymiliana Janus od Babci  
+Eugenia i Roman Śleszyńscy od Córki  
+John Szmarz od Barbary i Stanleya  
Blaszkowski

06:30 pm +Florence Duch by Duch/Olszewski Family

## MONDAY, AUGUST 11, 2025

*Saint Clare, Virgin*

07:00 am For the deceased priests and deacons

08:00 am ++Z Rodziny Łapkiewicz od syna

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2025

*Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious*

07:00 am Msgr. Edward Wawerski

08:00 am +Kazimierz Trojanowski od żony i dzieci

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2025

*Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolitus, Priest, Martyr*

07:00 am +Mary Ann and Charles Giaimo  
+Domiciano M. Villegas by Wife Alice

08:00 am +Mikołaj Litkowiec od Dzieci

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 2025

*Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr*

07:00 am For God's blessing and health for Tessie  
before surgery

08:00 am +Czesława Litkowiec od Dzieci

06:00 pm +Fr. Peter Rozek

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 15, 2025

**Holy Day of Obligation**

**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

07:00 am In honor of Blessed Mother by Danielle  
Auguste

08:00 am +Kazimierz Trojanowski od żony i dzieci

09:00 am For Parishioners

06:00 pm For the Deceased Named on Our Votive  
Candles

07:30 pm Za parafian

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 2025

*Saint Stephen of Hungary*

07:00 am +Lilia Lomat Smith

08:00 am +Stanisław, Edward, Salomea, Franciszek i  
Sławomir

05:00 pm +Josephine Casano by Christine, Lavinio and  
Linda Timacio

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 17, 2025

*TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*

07:00 am +Johanna Duch by Duch/Olszewski Family

08:00 am +Józef Wyszynski od Rodziny Kurzyna

09:30 am +Barbara Schaefering by Joe and Rosemarie  
Sofield

+Mary Collins by Theresa and Ron and Patty

11:00 am O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla  
Małgosi i Uli od Jadwigi Czajkowskiej  
+John Szmarz od Marii Leśnik z Rodziną  
+John Szmarz od Barbary i Stanisława  
Blaszkowski

06:30 pm +Ed Sawicki by Family

I am the bread of  
life. He who comes  
to me will never  
hunger. —John 6:35



**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 13<sup>th</sup> 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

## SUPPORT OUR PROJECT

### *Renovation of our confessionals*

In this Holy Year 2025, celebrated under the theme "Pilgrims of Hope," we, as a parish community, wish to undertake a special initiative – the renovation of our confessionals.

Let this project be our thanksgiving offering for this special time of grace.

PAYPAL



VENMO



Proposed project

*Thanks for your support*

## WESPRZEJ NASZ PROJEKT

### *Odnowienie Konfesjonatów*

W Roku Świątym 2025, przeżywanym pod hasłem "Pielgrzymi Nadziei," chcemy jako wspólnota parafialna podjąć szczególną inicjatywę – projekt odnowienia konfesjonatów. Niech będzie on naszym wotum dziękczynnym za ten wyjątkowy czas łaski.

PAYPAL



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Wizualizacja projektu

*Dziękujemy za Wasze wsparcie*

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

Ava Bavaro, 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 and Mirosława D.

## WEEKLY MEMORIALS

Parishioners may request these memorials for one week in memory or in honor of a loved one for the donation of \$20.



### *Altar Bread and Wine*

In memory of the deceased priests and deacons of our diocese



### *Sanctuary Lights*

In memory of the deceased religious sisters and brothers



### *Altar Rose*

In memory of Barbara Schaefering

Contact Parish Office  
to order  
**votive candle**  
for your loved ones

## 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

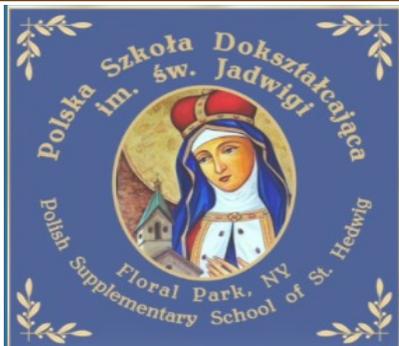
By Mail: St. Hedwig Church, 1 Depan Ave,  
Floral Park, NY 11001

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

## WEEKLY COLLECTION

**August 3, 2025**  
\$7,556.00

*God bless for your donations*



## Polska Szkoła Doksztalcajaca im. św. Jadwigi we Floral Park

- Szkoła należy do Centrali Szkół Doksztalcajacych 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  
INTERNETOWĄ:

[polskaszkołafloralpark.org](http://polskaszkołafloralpark.org)

- Kontakt: [psfloralpark@gmail.com](mailto:psfloralpark@gmail.com)
- Dyrektor: Emilia Boguszewska tel. 347 721 8048 (proszę zostawić wiadomość).

## Rozważanie na niedzielę

Dzisiaj, Ewangelia przypomina nam, abyśmy trwali w czuwaniu, «gdyż o godzinie, której się nie domyślicie, Syn Człowieczy przyjdzie» (Łk 12,40). Czuwać trzeba zawsze, powinniśmy żyć w ciągłym napięciu, “nie zasiedzeni”, jesteśmy pielgrzymami na tym świecie, który przemija, naszą prawdziwą ojczyzną jest niebo. I ku niemu zwraca się nasze życie; chcemy czy nie, nasza ziemská egzystencja jest projektem, którego ostatecznym celem jest spotkanie z Panem, i w tym spotkaniu «komu wiele dano, od tego wiele wymagać się będzie; a komu wiele zlecono, tym więcej od niego żądać będą» (Łk 12,48). Czy to właśnie ten moment nie jest najważniejszy w naszym życiu? Przeżyjmy życie w sposób inteligentny, odkryjmy prawdziwy skarb! Nie podążajmy za skarbami tego świata, jak czyni to wielu. Nie naśladujmy ich mentalności!

Według miary tego świata: jesteś wart tyle, ile masz! Osoby oceniane są według bogactwa jakie posiadają, jaką klasę czy kategorię społeczną reprezentują, jaki mają prestiż i jaką władzę. Wszystko to w oczach Boga nic nie jest warte! Wyobraź sobie, że dzisiaj stwierdzają u ciebie nieuleczalną chorobę, i że dają ci maksymalnie miesiąc życia,... co zrobisz ze swoimi pieniędzmi?, na co przyda ci się władza, prestiż, klasa społeczna? Na nic ci się nie przyda! Czy zdajesz sobie sprawę, że wszystko to, co na tym świecie jest tak cenne, w momencie prawdy nic nie jest warte? I wtedy patrzysz wstecz na swoje otoczenie, a hierarchia wartości całkowicie się zmienia: prawdziwie ważne stają się relacje z innymi, miłość, owo łagodne spojrzenie pokoju i zrozumienia: to one są prawdziwymi skarbami, których ty, przez bożki tego świata, nie dostrzegałeś.

A zatem miej ewangeliczną inteligencję, aby rozpoznać, gdzie jest prawdziwy skarb! Że bogactwo twojego serca nie znajduje się w bożkach tego świata, ale w miłości, pokoju, mądrości, i we wszystkich tych darach, których Bóg udziela swoim wybranym synom.

Źródło: *Evangelii.net*

## PAPIESKA INTENCJA NA SIERPIEŃ



### O umiejętność życia wspólnego

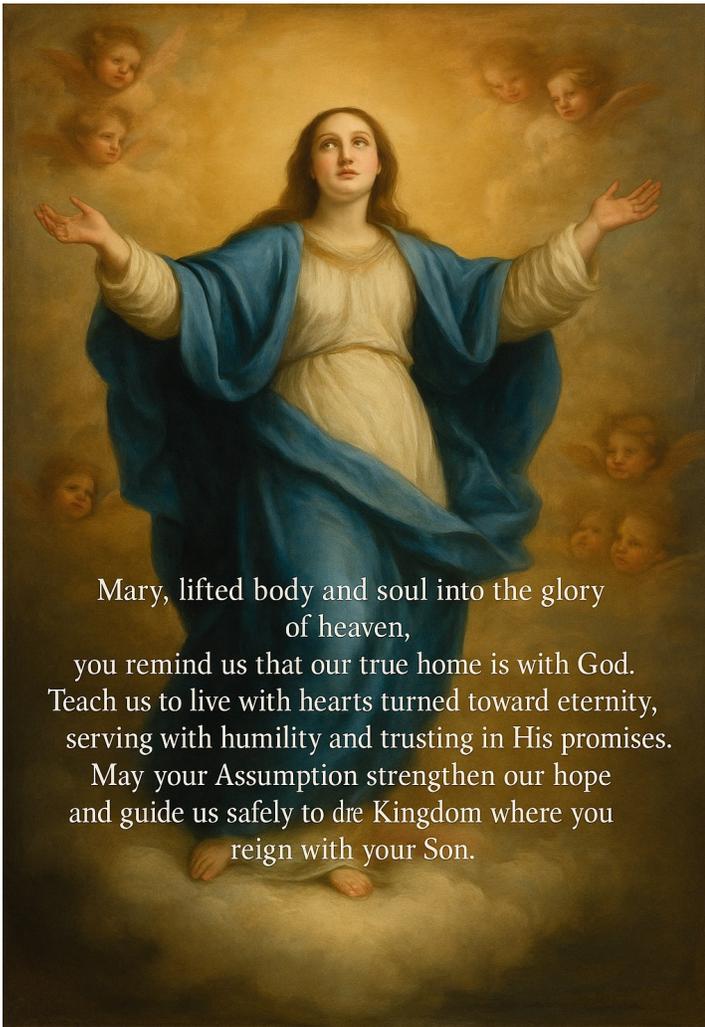
Módlmy się, aby społeczności, których współegzystencja wydaje się bardzo trudna, nie ulegały pokusie konfrontacji z powodów etnicznych, politycznych, religijnych czy ideologicznych.

## On the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary — August 15

During Holy Mass,  
we bless the first  
fruits of flowers  
and herbs.

We invite you to  
bring flowers on  
this day.





Mary, lifted body and soul into the glory of heaven,  
you remind us that our true home is with God.  
Teach us to live with hearts turned toward eternity,  
serving with humility and trusting in His promises.  
May your Assumption strengthen our hope  
and guide us safely to the Kingdom where you  
reign with your Son.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary reminds us of our ultimate hope: eternal life with God. In being assumed body and soul into heaven, Mary is a sign of what awaits all who remain faithful to Christ. Her Assumption is not only a singular privilege but also a promise. It tells us that the human body, created by God, is destined for glory when united with the soul in eternal life. Mary's life was marked by humility, obedience, and deep trust in God. From her "yes" at the Annunciation to her presence at the foot of the Cross, she remained open to God's will. Her Assumption is the final fruit of that faithfulness.

As we honor Mary on this feast, we are invited to imitate her example. Let us bring Christ into the world through our actions, our compassion, and our trust in God's plan. May Mary's Assumption strengthen our hope and draw our hearts closer to heaven.

## Have You Completed Your Sacraments? Considering the Catholic Faith?

Join our Order of Christian  
Initiation for Adults

**OCIA**

Whether you're unbaptized, baptized in another Christian tradition, or seeking to complete your sacraments, "OCIA" is a journey of faith, discovery, and belonging. This is a space for reflection, prayer, and coming home to the fullness of the Church.

Come as you are. Bring your questions, your story, and your desire for something

Classes begin in September at St. Hedwig's Church

To learn more or to register, call the parish office at (516) 354-0042 or email [dn.ivan@sthedwig.church](mailto:dn.ivan@sthedwig.church)



The rectory office will be closed for summer vacation until August 12. We will reopen on August 13.  
We wish everyone a happy and safe summer!

## SUNDAY REFLECTIONS

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Today, the Gospel reminds us and demands from us to always be wide-awake “ the Son of Man will come” (Lk 12:40). We have to always be on the alert; we have to live in tension, “disconnected”, for we are but pilgrims in a passing world, our true fatherland being in heaven. Our life must go towards there; whether we like it or not, our earthly existence is nothing but our projection towards our definite encounter with the Lord, and in this encounter “Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more” (Lk 12:48). Is this not the culminating moment of our life? Let us live our life more intelligently, and realize what our true values are! Stop searching this earth's treasures as so many actually do. Let us elude this mental attitude!

After our world's mentality, what we are worth depends upon what we have! People are valued by the money they have, by the social class and category they belong to and, by their prestige, their power. But all that, in God's eyes, is worth absolutely nothing! Suppose you find out today you have an incurable sickness, and you are given just a month to live..., what will you do with all your money? What good will all your power your prestige and your social class be? They will be good for nothing. You will then realize that all these assets everybody finds so valuable right here, when the time for you has finally come, will be worth nothing. And, if you then look back, you will see that all these values capsize: the true values are in the people around you, in their loving care, in that peaceful look of understanding; they all become the true values, the actual treasures that you —behind this world's gods— had always underestimated.

Try to have the evangelic intelligence to discern what your real treasures are! Don't let this world's gods be your heart's treasures; let them be love, true peace, wisdom and all the gifts God grants to his favorite sons, instead.

*From: Evangelii.net*

# THE SEARCH

Join us for a Bible study that invites your heart, your questions, and your faith into a journey of discovery.



**Mondays at 7:00PM**  
**Starting September 8th**  
**At St. Hedwig's Church**

*“You will seek me and find me,  
when you seek me with all you heart.*

Jeremiah 29:13

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Forming Catholics for *Life.*

# 2025

## Catholic Ministries Appeal

DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE

### HELP US TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

The Catholic Ministries Appeal enables our Church to continue to form our youth and adults in the faith, promote the dignity of life, provide quality education to our young people, feed the hungry, and foster vocations to the priesthood.

Your generosity helps to make all of this, and so much more, possible!

**GOAL:** \$31,000

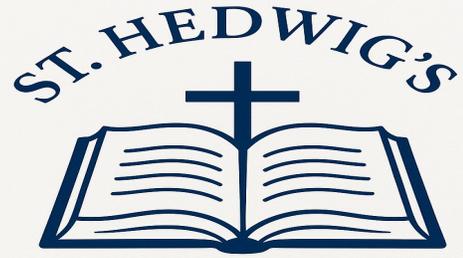
**Total Pledged:** \$24,505.00

**Percent:** 79.05%

**Under:** \$6,495.00

**Donors:** 97

# Thank You



FAITH AND FORMATION  
PROGRAM  
FLORAL PARK

Religious education registration for the 2025-2026 school year is now open. Families can register their children by clicking the link below or scanning the barcode:



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](http://www.sthedwig.church)



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This Facebook group is a gathering place for members and friends of St. Hedwig's Church. It is a source for announcements, news, resources, and information about our parish..

For more information scan the barcode below:

