

The Transfiguration of the Lord

August 6, 2017

Mass Intentions



Scheduled Masses for the week of August 6, 2017

- Sat. 5:00pm Matthew DeFilippis
Sun. 7:30am Florence McHale
9:00am Rosina & Francesco Antonio Comito
10:30am Kevin Kehoe
12:00pm People of the Parish
5:00pm Ed Picot
- Mon. 8:00am Salvatore Magistro
9:00am Giovanna Salvi
- Tues. 8:00am Robert Fitzsimmons
9:00am Antonia Rocchio
- Wed. 8:00am Margaret I. Quin
9:00am Michael Renna
- Thurs. 8:00am Rita Lalli & Terry Mulligan
9:00am Frank Abatino
- Fri. 8:00am John Michael Falzone, Sr.
9:00am Grandma Monico & DelPrescio
- Sat. 9:00am Felice Della Rocca

Scheduled Masses for Sunday, August 13, 2017

- Sat. 5:00pm Paul Braun
Sun. 7:30am Bill Henchy
9:00am Thomas Moore
10:30am Ronald Alley
12:00pm Kathleen M. & John F. McDonnell
5:00pm Mellea & Cartuloro Family

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit
in memory of ***Dorothy Donovan.***

The Bread and Wine
are offered in loving memory of
Paul Renza.

A Note from Fr. Quealy

More facts about the 1500s:

Baths consisted of a big tub filled with hot water. The man of the house had the privilege of the nice clean water, then all the other sons and men, then the women and finally the children. Last of all the babies. By then the water was so dirty you could actually lose someone in it. Hence the saying, 'Don't throw the baby out with the bath water.'

God bless,
Fr. Quealy

Scripture Readings for the Week

- Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9
Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Mt 14:13-21
Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13; Mt 14:22-36 or
15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35;
Mt 15:21-28
Thursday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday: Dt 6:4-13; Mt 17:14-20

Calling All Golfers – Monday, Oct. 2, 2017 19th Annual Divine Compassion Golf Classic

Please show your support for the Sisters of the Divine Compassion at their annual golf outing on Monday October 2nd at Fenway Golf Club in Scarsdale **honoring Fr. Thomas Collins**, President of Archbishop Stepinac High School. Single golfers \$400; foursomes \$1,600 and many sponsorship opportunities are available. For information, please contact Beth O'Keeffe Cleary at ecleary@divinecompassion.org or 914-798-1140.

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***"We effectively do good when we do it without seeking reward and in the concrete situations of everyday life."***  
Pope Francis 8/1/17

Pray for the Sick and Deceased

Lord our God, you give us strength and support in our frailty; turn with kindness toward:

*Pamela Ann Stackpole, Ann Grazioli, Paul Dunning, Joy Stingone, Larry Corum, Yolanda Perez, Jacqueline Gallagher, Sophia Napoli, James Cody, Susan Fugarino, Roselle Williams, Lorraine Collins, Robert Robine, Michelle Delamonico, Jane Cotone, Lt. Col. Beau Riely, Robert M. Woods, Patricia Gallagher, Dr. Fred Kriegel, Nick Bilangino, Vincent Soccodato, Damon Amadio, Daren Letterman, Anna Coppola, Americo Coppola, Frankie Delosso, Joseph Goldman, Maria R. Leite, Isabella Borga, Elaine Calcagni, Gianna Colao, Frances Cappello, Marie Robine, Dean Otto, Richard A. Grace, Mary Barile, Albina Milani Bianco, Alex Jones, Betsy Myers, Ann Baker, Frank Tarone, Tony Cestone, Nancy DeCrescenzo, Rachel Coffey, Diane Kitson, Jon Podell, Joe Venables and Lidio Quaranta.*

We pray for all who have died, especially Laurel Holzer, may they rest in peace.

Pray for our Military

Please fill out this form for anyone in your family presently serving in the armed forces and return it to the rectory.

Name/Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Lord, protect: *Spec. Shayne Cipolla, Lt. Nicholas Selk, USN, SSG Anthony DiStefano, Lt. Col. James F. Corrigan, Jr., Lt. Col. Isaac Rademacher, Lt. Scott Childers, Col. James Frawley, LTC. Jim Riely, LTC. Beau Riely, PFC Zachery Basso, USMC, Col. Joseph A. Tirone, Cpt. Matt Woods, Pvt. Barry Marquez, Sgt. Travis Cipolla, Lt. Patrick Casey, Brian D. Martinez, USMC, Cpt. Daniel Wallet, Petty Officer 2<sup>nd</sup> Class David Aponte, Lt. Col. C. Brian Valentino, Corporal Joseph P. DeFreitas, Pvt. Woody Stogel, Cpl. Christian Magnacca, Major David J. Zallo, Capt. Frank A. Rhodes, USN, AR Robert M. Martinez, Specialist Mark R. Martino, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Michael Racicot, USMC, SSG Derrick Castleberry, Pvt. Victoria Janaskie and Lt. Kevin J. Barry, Jr.*

Please notify the rectory when any of the above names should be removed from this list.

**Capuchin Youth Leadership Training, Aug. 25-27, '17**

“Join the thousands of teens CYFM has helped become more confident in themselves and skilled in public speaking, communicating effectively and more.” “Be prepared to be transformed into the person God is calling you to be!” Fee is \$125 per person which includes lodging, meals and materials; application and non-refundable \$60 deposit due by 8/22/17. Find more information on the web: cyfm.org or call 845-424-3609

**This Week's Events:**

**▲ Wednesday, 8/9:**

-Centering Prayer meets in the cry room after the 9am Mass

**▲ Thursday, 8/10:**

-Knitters meet in the community room at 9:30am  
Hat count: 6,469

-Centering Prayer meets in the cry room at 3pm

The first collection on Sunday, July 30, 2017 was \$8,099 and the second collection for the Propagation of the Faith was \$3,790 and will remain open for your donations for another week.

Thank you to all for your support of our parish.

The second collection today is for our Religious Education program.

**Liturgical Assignments for August 12/13**

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| Sat. 5:00pm | John Noonan                        |
|             | EM: J. Tomechko, P. Pascale        |
| Sun. 7:30am | L: J. McHale                       |
|             | EM: M. Panzarella, M. Martin       |
| 9:00am      | L: L. Marrero                      |
|             | EM: M. Punzalan, D. Devine         |
| 10:30am     | L: P. Limpert                      |
|             | EM: B. Flocks, M. Leone, J. Reilly |
| 12:00pm     | L: T. Pratella                     |
|             | EM: M. Fitzgerald, J. Ryan         |
| 5:00pm      | L: P. Kappil                       |
|             | EM: Jim Noonan, T. Lane            |

**The Marianist Family Retreat Center in Cape May Point, New Jersey** holds week-long summer Family Retreats starting Mondays through the end of August.

The cost for the week is \$215 per person ages 8yrs+, \$140 for ages 2-7 and under 2 yrs free. “Join together with other families to form a Christ-centered community for the week. Mass and other family liturgies are complemented by skits, presentations, family sharing, peer group discussions, sunset beach walks and other activities. Scheduled recreation and free time (4-5 hours daily) with ocean swimming (beach is ½ block from retreat house).” To sign-up or for more information visit [www.capemaymarianits.org](http://www.capemaymarianits.org) or call 609-884-3829.

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Tiger Basketball Camp will be held August 14-17 from 8:30am-2pm for grades 3rd through 8th at Immaculate Conception Church in Tuckahoe. Cost is \$200. Contact Coach Kiers via email: mikekiers528@gmail.com or text (914) 720-5238 for more information.

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

First Reading: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

Daniel depicts God as a judge with many people standing before him. He also describes a man who came to him, and was given power over all other people. This power is described as everlasting and never to be destroyed.

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-19

Peter discusses how the disciples witnessed Jesus being honored and spoken to by God, fulfilling all the prophecies. He also reminds us that these prophecies were God's words, delivered through a person moved by the Holy Spirit.

Gospel: Mt 17:1-9

Jesus took three of his disciples to a high mountain, where Elijah and Moses appeared and spoke to him. Peter suggested they make three tents, one each for Jesus, Moses and Elijah. While he spoke, a voice came from a cloud saying, "This is my Son, the beloved one; listen to him." The disciples became very afraid and fell to their knees. Jesus told them to rise and not to be afraid. As they looked up, they saw only Jesus. As they left the mountain, Jesus warned the disciples not to mention this until he had risen from the dead. Although they did not understand, they obeyed.

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## A PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY *by Rev. William J. Reilly*

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"Beloved: We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of Our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty... We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven while we were with him on the holy mountain."

Jesus selected the three apostles, allowing them to catch a glimpse of His divinity. The scene – a mountain, where God met Moses, where Jesus gave the beatitudes in His sermon, provides the backdrop for this special revelation.

The voice, echoing the words spoken at the Jordan at His baptism, reveals the special relationship of Jesus with the Father. Peter is witness to it all.

'This is my Son, my beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' May the words spoken on this occasion be a mantra for us, reflecting God's care and love for us. We are His beloved and He is pleased as we strive to live our Christian lives. And like the three, may we open our eyes and see no one but Jesus.

## O.L.S. Religious Education News

### • Registration for 2017-2018

Registration for the 2017-2018 Religious Education school year was **due on July 1<sup>st</sup>**. Forms received after July 1<sup>st</sup> are subject to a \$25.00 late fee. Please remember class availability is on a first come, first serve basis. Questions: Contact the Religious Ed Office via email: [olsreled@optonline.net](mailto:olsreled@optonline.net) or 914-949-3896

### Please Note:

(1) **You must be a registered member of O.L.S.** to enroll your child in our Religious Education program  
(2) **Religious Education classes are held on Sundays.** When signing up for fall, winter and spring activities (i.e., sports, dance, etc.) please make all involved aware of your child's prior commitment to attend Religious Education and Holy Mass on Sunday mornings.

### • **Religious Education Teachers, Teen Assistants and Special Education Assistants are needed.**

*Are you willing to share your faith with our children?*

No experience necessary! Please come and join an amazing group of people who may not have planned to be teaching disciples of Jesus, but accepted His call. In turn they have enriched the lives of the children they shepherd as well as enhancing their own spiritual life.

*If you think...*

- I don't know enough about my faith to teach
- That's something other people do, not me
- It will take too much time...

Please contact Jen at [olsreled@optonline.net](mailto:olsreled@optonline.net) or call the Religious Ed office at 914-949-3896.

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Disturbing the Peace is a new documentary about the Palestinian-Israeli divide and a new movement 'Combatants for Peace' that has emerged from military personnel on both sides. The film will be showcased at the **Markyknoll Fathers & Brothers in Ossining on Sunday, September 10th from 2-5pm**. A discussion will follow led by Dr. Yehezkel Landau, an Israeli-American citizen, interfaith educator and leadership trainer, author & consultant. For more than 35 years he has promoted Jewish-Christian-Muslim engagement & Israeli-Palestinian peace-building. This film is a first in a series hosted by local individuals interested in fostering an understanding of current world issues from a spiritual perspective. **The event is free. Seating is very limited. RSVP is required.** For information and to RSVP, contact Rev. John Krysko at (914) 741-5133 or via email: john@c-foam.org (web: Maryknollsociety.org)

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