

*The People of God, called to form
the Christian Community of . . .*

THE CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

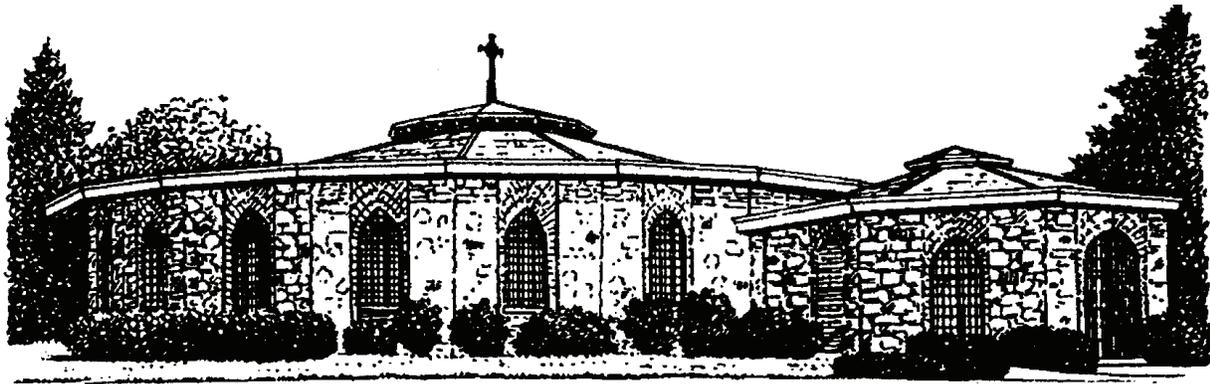
Tarrytown, New York 10591



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Transfiguration Parish is a community of Christian believers faithful to our Catholic tradition and a pilgrim people entrusted to the Carmelite Fathers. Through our participation in public worship we are nourished by the Word and the Body of the Lord. We are called to share what we have received by evangelization and by good works to those in need.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday, Evening: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm
Weekdays: Monday through Friday: 7:15 & 9:00 am (Day Chapel)
Weekends: Saturday morning: 9:00 am only
Holy Days of Obligation: 7:15 am, 9:00 am, 12:10 pm & 7:30 pm.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 pm
Other times by appointment

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Pre-Baptismal Instruction for Parents:

Held prior to Baptism (Call the Parish Office for schedules and further information)

Baptisms

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered on the last Sunday of each month at 1:30 pm except during Advent and Lent.

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

The Sacrament of Matrimony is celebrated for parishioners. The couple are to contact the priest at least six (6) months prior to the ceremony.

PRIORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday: 9:00 am to 7:00 pm
Friday: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Saturday: 2:00 pm to 6:30 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am to 1:30 pm
Closed on all holidays.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND MINISTRY TO THE SICK & ELDERLY

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing, expressing love of God and our Church for the sick, our shut-ins and the elderly. For the SERIOUSLY ILL and dying, contact the Priory. Communion will be brought on Sundays to the home of any person permanently or temporarily homebound.

CHRISTIAN HOSPITALITY

Welcome to the Transfiguration Community. Please register at the Priory. Registering and weekly participating are ways of acquiring a true sense of belonging to our parish community. A record of active membership is a necessary requirement for marriage in the Parish Church, testimonial letters for Baptismal/Confirmation sponsors. If you move or change address, please notify us.

COUNSELING

Know that we are ever ready to assist. Don't hesitate to call anytime for an appointment.
Dr. Frank Pastore 631-0045

Priory
268 So. Broadway
631-1672

Transfiguration School
Prospect Avenue
631-3737

Religious Ed. Center
Prospect Avenue
631-2380



SATURDAY, November 12, 2016

p.m. 5:00 Mary Mondell

SUNDAY, November 13, 2016

8:00 The Parishioners of Transfiguration
 10:00 Mr. & Mrs. Generio Piloco
 12:00 Bernard Gerrity

SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 7:15 The Bushrod Burns Family
 9:00 The Doyle & McGuire Families
 Tues. 7:15 Juan Maria Duran
 9:00 Ann Guastella
 Wed. 7:15 Kathleen & John Flanagan
 9:00 Marguerite Morris
 Thurs. 7:15 Nilda, Isaura, & Domingo Muniz
 9:00 Abad Ramirez
 Fri. 7:15 YaYa, Edwardo & Eddie Jr. Casanova
 9:00 James R. Kane
 Sat. 9:00 Rita Fitzpatrick
 PM 5:00 Mary Herlihy Masullo

SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

8:00 Anna Marie & Angelo Bua
 10:00 The Parishioners of Transfiguration
 12:00 George Disegni

READINGS, SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-9; 2 Thes 3:7-12;
 Lk 21:5-19
 Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43
 Tuesday: St. Albert the Great
 Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10
 Wednesday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude
 Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28
 Thursday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
 Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44
 Friday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of
 Ss. Peter and Paul in Rome;
 St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
 Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131;
 Lk 19:45-48 or (for the memorial of the
 Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31;
 Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary
 Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;
 Lk 20:27-40
 Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20;
 Lk 23:35-43

THE UBIQUITOUS BOILED DINNER: Growing up, one of the meals I most dreaded was a dish called *nilaga*, a Filipino dish which consists of a cheap and tough cut of meat boiled together with cabbage and root vegetables, and served with a side of mashed eggplant and garlic. To my youthful palate, such a dull dish could not compare with the *haute cuisine* of McDonald's burgers and fries or a pizza slice from Sbarro's, flavored with fat and loads of salt. Thankfully, I've grown up since then and I find that boiled dinner a wonderful comfort food and a break from a regular meal routine.

Furthermore, I've found the boiled dinner to be appoint of bonding between cultures, because it seems that everyone has their version of this simple and uncomplicated meal, whether the Irish boiled dinner, the Italian *bollito*, the Latin American *sancocho*, or the American corned beef and cabbage. Every culture has a similar dish that provided basic warmth and nutrition in a very humble way. The ingredients might vary a little, depending on the produce that is available locally, but the simple and warming effect remains the same.

Prayer can be like this sometimes. As Catholics, we have a long tradition that teaches us how to interact with God. We have beautiful liturgies, rituals that help us to appreciate and adore the Divine glory and the presence of Christ in the community and in the sacraments. We also have the rosary, the Office of readings, and other structured prayers that give us the words to say, and help to shape our thinking and belief.

At times, the Church also teaches us that simple, unadorned prayer is also good and necessary, no matter who we are. We all need some space to interact with God frankly and openly, as our Father and our friend. These types of prayers nourish us as well, and allow us to experience the warmth of God's presence in our lives as one who knows us intimately, and invites us to relate to Him in this humble and loving way. Indeed, St. Teresa of Avila herself teaches that prayer is "sharing between friends." One of the ways in which we can do this simply and humbly is to reflect on the words we say. The saint teaches us, for example, to reflect on the words of the "Our Father," because in those words taught to us by Jesus, God also reveals to us who He is and who He desires to be for us. In meditating on the words we direct to God, He speaks to us, as we speak to Him. Moreover, in praying in this humble way, we unite ourselves to the rest of the Church, especially those for whom prayer is a great struggle.

So take some time this week for some simple interaction, and allow yourself to be nourished by the warmth of God's loving presence and action in your prayer, that your prayer may, in turn, help to nourish the world.

THE YEAR OF MERCY: The weekend of November 19-20, we celebrate the last solemnity of the Church's liturgical year, the solemnity of our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. These dates also mark the end of the Year of Mercy proclaimed by Pope Francis. To mark the occasion, Fr. Viet and I are preparing a time of prayer. ON Saturday, November 19th, 3:00-4:00 PM, we will have a time of prayer and celebration in the church for the Lord's mercy. All are welcome to attend.



St. Vincent de Paul Society:

The collection of non-perishable food for our Thanksgiving delivery will take place at all Masses this weekend. It has been the custom to place the bags of food for the needy in the sanctuary as a sign of our parish's care for the poor at Thanksgiving. A portion of the food is donated also to the parishes of St. Simon Stock and St. Jerome in the Bronx. Also we place a basket in front of the steps for donations to help the needy purchase something extra for Thanksgiving. Part of this is also given to St. Simon Stock. We are sure that the parishioners will be generous in this Thanksgiving collection. Delivery will be made on Saturday morning, November 19th, after the 9:00 am Mass. We welcome volunteers to assist in the delivery. Our monthly meeting will be on Thursday, November 17 at 7:30 PM in the Deacon Jerry Blood conference room in the Parish Hall.



Transfiguration Seniors

- November 16th, Wednesday—VOLUNTEERS needed for set-up for Thanksgiving luncheon—9:30 AM in the Parish Hall
- Thursday, November 17th—Thanksgiving Luncheon 12 noon—Traditional menu—Parish Hall- \$15.00 per person
- **Sign up & remit all payments by November 10th**



Christmas Pageant Sign Up

We will be holding our annual Christmas Pageant sign up on Sunday, November 20th following the 10:00 AM Mass in the Parish Hall. Children in grades Pre-K and up are welcome to be part of one of Transfiguration's greatest traditions. The pageant is before the 5:00 PM Mass on Christmas Eve. Children who play instruments are encouraged to be part of this as well. If you have any questions please feel free to contact: Lee Anne Sullivan at robsullivan@optonline.net



**Transfiguration School
"Holiday Pie Sale"**

For those of you who missed the order deadline, there are extra pies available. Flavors include: Apple, Pumpkin, Coconut Cream, Brownie Bottom, and Cheesecake Pie among others. There is a limited number available so please email or text Linnae Latessa at Llatessa@aol.com or 914584-9438.

There will be a Coffee Hour today, following the 10:00 AM Mass in the Parish Hall. Our hosts will be Susan Facciola and Sheila McHale. All are invited to come and mingle with fellow



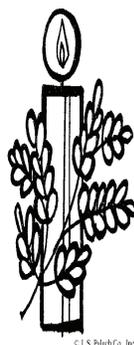
God's Plan for Giving

Collection of November 6, 2016
\$9167.00

Attendance—680 Envelopes-217

All Saints—November 1, 2016
\$1102 Envelopes-95

All Souls—November 2, 2016
\$1,022 Envelopes-93



The Sanctuary candle burning in the Church this week is in memory of The Burns Family req. by Barbara Burns

The Sanctuary candle burning in the Chapel this week is in the memory of Gerald Barbelet req. by Alice Blood & Family

The Shrine candles are burning this week is in the memory of Julianne Long req. by Helen Long

ADVENT: Advent wreaths, candles, calendars and other items will be on sale after the 10:00 Mass on November 20th. Let's make this Advent a special family time by bringing an Advent wreath home. This is a wonderful tradition that you are sure to love and keep as your prayer routine in preparation for Christmas.



Sunday Missals: Those who ordered can pick them up in the Parish Office. If you did not order a missal and would like one, the cost is \$3.50 A limited number are available.

Parish Twinning: Contributions forms for 2017 have been mailed out to past contributors. Please return by mid December of possible. Additional forms and information about the twinning program are available in the rack by the elevator.



HOLIDAY BAKE SALE

On Sunday, November 20th, Transfiguration Confirmation students will be hosting a *BAKE SALE*. The proceeds of the sale will go to the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Please support these young people who are trying to make a difference by purchasing some sweet treats.

BIBLE TRUTH

What you bring away from the Bible depends to some extent on what you carry to it.
—Oliver Wendell Holmes

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