



Transfiguration Parish

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**“Lord, It is wonderful
for us to be here...”**

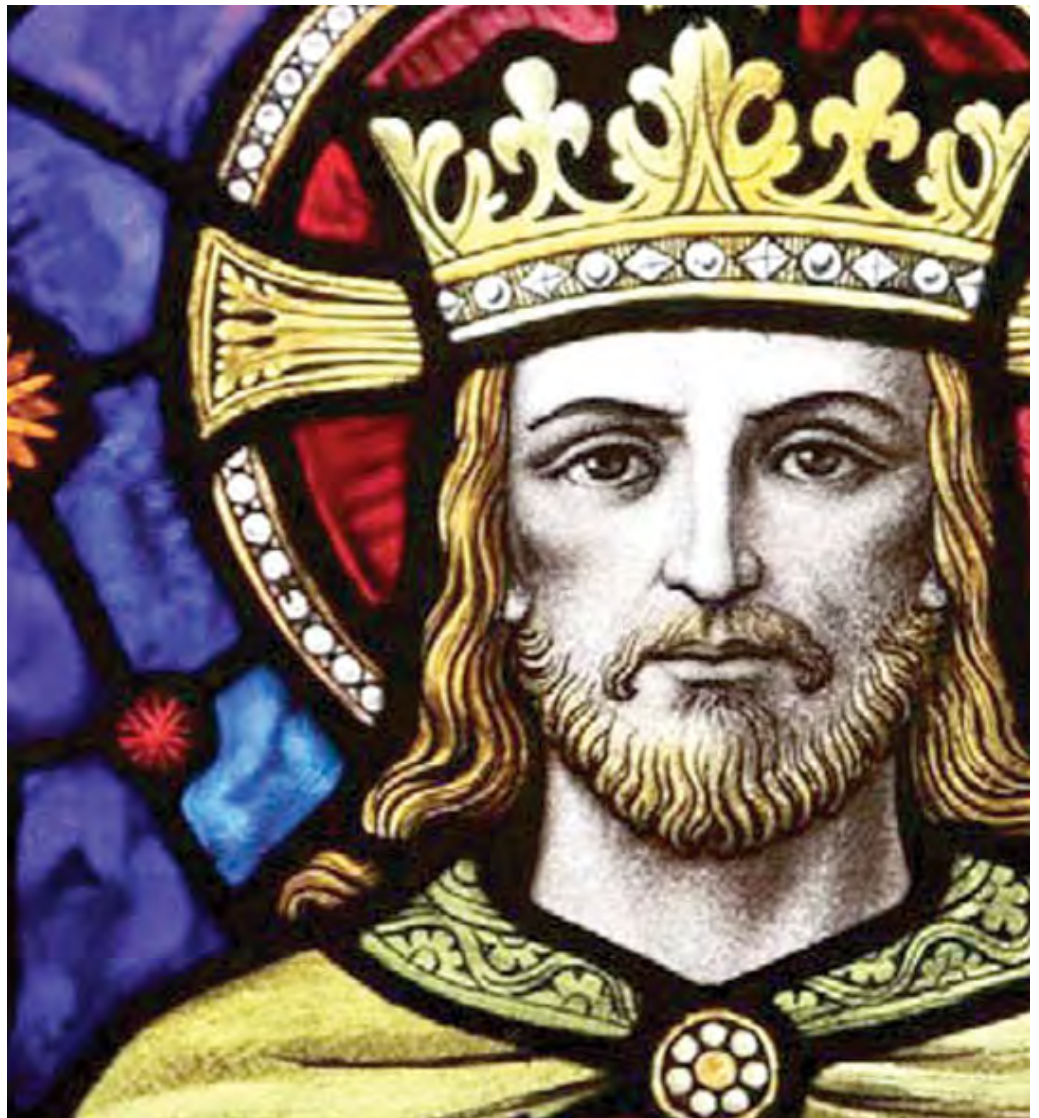
—Matthew 17:4

Stick together. Love each other, and together: look to Jesus in prayer.



Parish Mission Statement

We are people
called to build a
Catholic Faith
Community by
seeking Christ
and *sharing* His
Gospel through
**Prayer,
Education,
Service and
Social
Activities.**



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MASS TIMES

HORARIO DE MISAS

GODZINY MSZY ŚW.

SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday: —4:00pm (*English*)

—6:00pm (*Español*)

Sunday: —8:00am (*English*)

—10:00am (*English*)

—12:30pm (*Po Polsku*)

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

8:00am (*English*) Tue*, Wed, Thu*, Fri

* NO HOMILY

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

8:00am (*English*) Monday & Saturday

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Mass of Anticipation:

—7:00pm (*Español*)

Holy Day:

—8:00am (*English*)

—10:00am (*English*)

(school months only)

—7:00pm (*English & Polish*)

Memorial Day & Thanksgiving

—9:00am (*English*)

School Masses (school months only)

Thursday at 9:15am (Elementary School)

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

INTENCIONES Y LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

MSZE ŚW. W TYGODNIU

Monday, November 25 - Weekday

✠ DN 1: 1-6, 8-20 / LK 21: 1-4

Tuesday, November 26 - Weekday

✠ DN 2: 31-45 / LK 21: 5-11

8:00 am The Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, November 27 - Weekday

✠ DN 5: 1-6,13-14,16-17, 23-28 / LK 21: 12-19

8:00 am For Vocations

Thursday, November 28 -Weekday (Thanksgiving Day)

✠ DN 6: 12-28 / LK 21: 20-28

9:00 am For a peaceful Holiday Season
† David Mooney

Friday, November 29—Weekday

✠ DN 7: 2-14 / LK 21: 29-33

8:00 am Those Experiencing a crisis of faith

Saturday, November 30 - St. Andrew

✠ ROM 10: 9-18 / MT 4: 18-22

Sunday, December 1-First Sunday of Advent

✠ ROM 13: 11-14 / MT 24: 37-44

4:00 pm Those affected by terrorist actions

6:00 pm Those living with chronic pain

8:00 am † Shirley Johnstone

10:00 am † Albert, Ethel & Patricia Wagner

12:30 pm For community unity

Prayer List for the sick

OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

MODLITWA ZA CHORYCH

•Darlen Alacorn •Helen Blair •Dennis Bechtel •Mitchell Bienkowski •Joann Bienkowski •Charles Buntentbach •Tony Bogdanowski •Raymond Brefeld •Ken Blaszak •Otilio Cantor •Mitchell Cardenas •Barbara Civik •Kathy Campbell •Peggy & Tony Chrusciel •Carol Calcitrai •Constance Cotsiomitis •Rob Cissel •Jerry Danko •Patsy Daniels •Peter Davis & Family •Mary C. Dennehy •Elizabeth Delgarn •Lillian D'Angelo •Tim Dorsey •Helen Fritz •Phyllis Finnegan •Linda Flynn •Maria Grimm •Woody Glaser •Scott Glennon •Anita J. Glennon •Rose Gilligan •Mia Geheren •Margo Guido •Crystal Hoff •Desiree Hoff •Dorothy Hoff •Phyllis Heck •Pattie Healy •Marilyn Howell •Beverly Hill •Baby Thoeniz Hawkins •Del Hasse •Kim Ingwersen •Janet & Jay Johnson •Helen Jakubek •Gerald Justen •Linda Korona •Richard Kruger •Michael Krolczyk •John James Kapcia •Ted Korda •Ave Rae Loth •Drew Luedtke •Evan Lockner •Donna Lesczynski •Rose Liberio •Susan Liberio •Maria Concepcion Lopez •Christopher Mamoser •Don Martel •Haydee Morin •Erin Marbach •Deann Meagher •Ron Murphy •Michelle Meindle •Jack Mack •Dorie McCay •Bill Mott •Kendra Mott •Lynn Mueller •Mary Jane Niles •Lynn Napoli •Joseph Nehnevaj •Betty Obenaugh •Bill Opsal •Judy Reilly •Dc. Feliks Pezowicz •Georgia Pastrik •Rae Poklenkowski •Cathy Polnau •Sharon Powderly •Pablo Paniagua •Dorothy Race •LaVerne Richards •James Rubino Sr •Audrey Raclaw •Sue & Ron Rosaves •Mary Ann Rubino •Jeremiah Riordan •Teodoro StaRosa •Debbie Spada •Gary Scherer •Ken Scherer •Ellen Sherwin •Rev Piotr Samborski •Jerome Salvino •Jay Schafer •Maurren Sullivan •Bill Scholla •James Stuart Stockwell •Ed & Jan Stepek •Diane Thelen •James Tomlinson •Alexandra Tapia •Elijah Villareal •John Wilson •Alba Wolk •Gerald Walters Jr. •Daisy Walters •John Wilson •Dee Wolf •Eileen Wood •Tom Yacullo •Dee Zimmermann •Rick Zimmermann

All in service to our country
For those in detention Centers

Please Call office to renew prayer list names.

Pray for the Faithful Departed

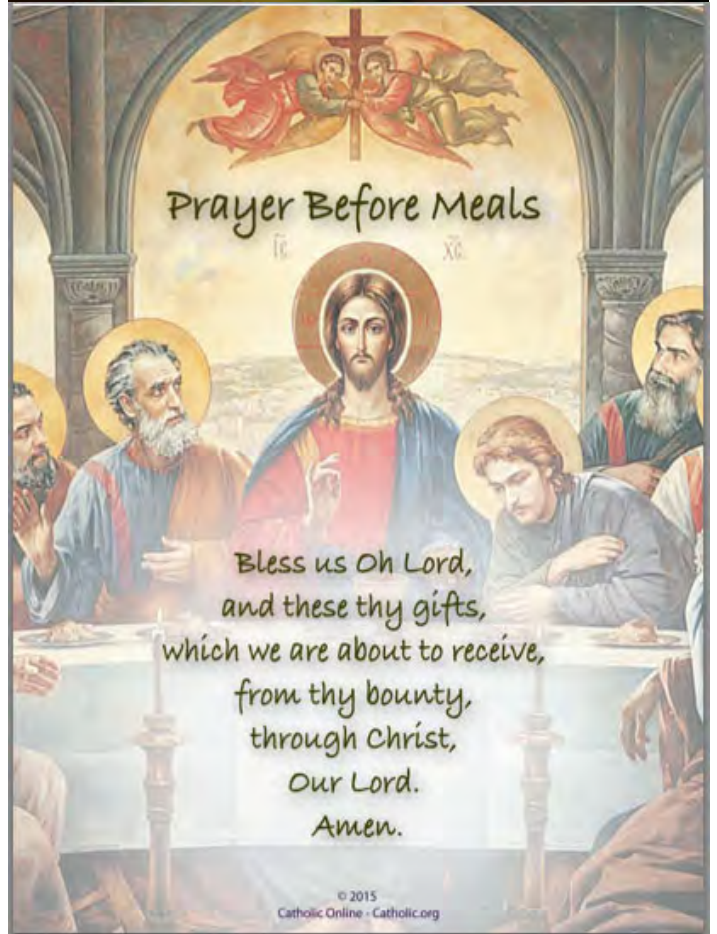
OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS

MÓDLMY SIĘ ZA TYCH CO ODESZLI

"Come, you who are blessed by my father, says the Lord, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

Mary Lou Slove
Ted Kuroski

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord. And Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.
AMEN



Our Lord Jesus Christ , King of the Universe

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I

— 2 SM 5:1-3

In those days, all the tribes of Israel came to David in Hebron and said: "Here we are, your bone and your flesh. In days past, when Saul was our king, it was you who led the Israelites out and brought them back. And the LORD said to you, 'You shall shepherd my people Israel and shall be commander of Israel.'" When all the elders of Israel came to David in Hebron, King David made an agreement with them there before the LORD, and they anointed him king of Israel.

Psalm 122: Let Us Go Rejoicing #68 (1, 2, 3)

READING II

— COL 1:12-20

Brothers and sisters: Let us give thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light. He delivered us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things he himself might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile all things for him, making peace by the blood of his cross through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven.

GOSPEL

— LK 23:35-43

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself." Above him there was an inscription that read, "This is the King of the Jews." Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us." The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply, "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS

General Intention

Pope's November's Intentions: Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

- 4:00 pm :** † Catherine & Patrick Gaughan
† Edward Lucas
- 6:00 pm :** † Mariano Leyva
† Maria Sacramento Marinez
- 8:00 am :** † Theresa Solimini
† Charlotte Bellina
- 10:00 am :** † Brian Mooney
† Jane Hirsch
† Bob Finnegan
† Orlando Morin
† Albert, Ethel, & Patricia Wagner
- 12:30 pm :** † Tadeusz Kulkuak

Daily Mass Intentions are available for anyone who would like their intentions to be remembered at Mass. Intentions are available for those who have died or for someone who is living. Stop by the Parish Office or call us to obtain a date and time. (847) 526—2400



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UNMATCHED IN POWER AND MAJESTY, JESUS SHOWS MERCY AND LOVE TO THOSE MOST IN NEED.

Even in our time, when democracy and equality are held in high regard, kings connote the idea of majesty, power and absolute authority. Fairy tales, cartoons and modern television specials about aristocrats of old seem to draw out our fascination with earlier times, when kings ruled their nations and received unquestioned loyalty.

We see some of that splendor in today's second reading as we celebrate the Feast of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Indeed, the majesty of kings and queens of old is magnified several degrees as we contemplate Jesus, *the image of the invisible God*, who was present at creation, through whom all things were created, and who is filled with divinity. When we think of how vast our universe is – and we're learning more and more of its unbelievable size – we can only begin to fathom the majesty of Jesus, King of that Universe.

Yet the other readings move us to reflect on another aspect of kingship – service to the people and mercy to those in need. In the first reading, as the Israelites anoint David as King of Israel, they recognize not only his success in battle but his call by God to shepherd his people. The Israelites welcome David as king because of his care for them – the same care he gave to the sheep in his father's flock before God called him to kingship.

Jesus shows an even greater depth of care for his people. Enthroned on the cross – his only earthly throne to date – Jesus dies for love of God's people, to bring salvation and everlasting life to them. Even more, a short time before his agonizing death, he turns to the dying thief crucified next

to him with merciful words of assurance: *Today you will be with me in Paradise*. Jesus shows us his identity as a serene, humble and loving King and God in his last moments on earth – the kind of King that we as Christians can joyfully give our own lives to. Jesus' majesty as the eternal God and King is matched by his love – a love that drove him to a horrible death for our salvation.

What does this incredible King call us to? How can we serve Jesus, whose power and glory as God are matched only by the depth of his love? As Christians, we are baptized into his service – each called to serve Jesus and his kingdom in a unique way, according to our particular gifts, temperament and life circumstances. As King and as shepherd of our souls, Jesus calls us step by step into his service. He reveals our call, our role in his kingdom, from one moment to the next – if we take the time to pray and listen to his voice.

HEART OF THE MATTER: TIME FOR REFLECTION AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

First Reading: 2Samuel 5:1-3

Compare Jesus and David as shepherds, anointed ones, and kings. What is the difference between their kingships? On the cross Jesus was publicly proclaimed King, in the three spoken languages of the area (Hebrew, Latin and Greek). Does this relate to God's plan to bring all nations together in Jesus?

Second Reading: Colossians 1:12-20

"For him all the fullness was pleased to dwell." What does fullness mean to you in this context? Do you see part of such a fullness in this or that neighbor? What part do you want to dwell in you? Think of all the places you find goodness. Are they sacred? What is the goodness and beauty in your life saying to you about God?

"He is the image of the invisible God. All things in heaven and earth were created in him, through him and for him." How can we heal, in him, the wounds of the environment?

Gospel: Luke 23:35-43

From the beginning of his life to his last act, Jesus revealed himself as Mercy. What does that mean to you? What does his assurance to the good thief confirm?

This Week at Transfiguration*CALENDARIO SEMANAL**KALENDARZ TYGODNIOWY***Sunday, November 24**

St. Vincent DePaul Giving Tree-Vestibule / Second Collection
CCHD

7:30 am KC Wreath Sale-Portico
8:00 am NO RCIA
8:00 am AA Meeting –Youth House
8:45 am SOR-Classes end w/ 10:00 am mass-Classrooms
8:50 am Movie Showing-MR3
2:00 pm Sacramental Prep-Baptism (English)-MR1

Monday, November 25

6:30 am Journeymen Prayer Group—MR1
8:00 am Communion Service-CH
12:00 pm Early Dismissal-Parent / Teacher Conferences
6:00 pm LOTW Faith Sharing-Spa. Min. Ofc.
7:00 pm Spanish Prayer Group—CH

Tuesday, November 26

7:30 am Confessions-CH
No School Parent Teacher Conferences
6:00 pm Frassati Athletics-PLC
7:00 pm Mat for the Homeless-OWC
7:00 pm Finance Council-MR3
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, November 27

7:30 pm Confessions-CH
6:30 pm Youth Ministry –Youth House
6:30 pm Confessions
6:45 pm Spanish RCIA-Spanish Ministry House

Thursday, November 28 (Parish Office Closed)

7:30 am Confessions-CH
9:00 am Thanksgiving Mass
10:00 am Open House-Rectory
5:00 pm NO WW
7:00 pm NO Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 29 (Parish Office Closed)

7:30 am Confessions-CH
6:00 pm Music-Mandolin & Guitar Rehearsal-CH
7:00 pm Luz del Mundo Post Retreat- MR 1 & 2
7:00 pm Escuela de la Cruz (men) -Youth House
7:00 pm Music-Coro Hispano –CH

Saturday, November 30

St. Vincent DePaul Giving Tree-Vestibule
8:00 am Communion Service
8:30 am Spanish Retreat-Ministers of Communion-Ch & Café
5:00 pm Confessions in church
5:00 pm KC Wreath Sale Order pickup

Parish Announcements*ANNUNCIOS PARROQUIALES**OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE***Second Collection TODAY:**

Catholic Campaign for Human Development this weekend November 23 and 24 ,2019

Parish (Calendars):

Calendars are available in the Gathering Place take one of your language of choice available in English , Spanish and Polish

Parish (Thanksgiving Mass):

You are cordially invited to the Thanksgiving Mass at 9:00 am on November 28 in church. An Open House at the Rectory will take place immediately following. Feel free to bring a sweet or breakfast item to share.

Parish (Memory Altar):

Please plan to pick up your photo and memorabilia from the Memory Altar no Later than November 24. This will help greatly with getting the Transfiguration Parish ready for advent thank you.

Parish Office:

Parish Office will be closed on Thursday , November 28 and Friday November 29 for the Thanksgiving Holiday. All offices reopen on Monday, December 2 at normal times. From our Family to Yours Happy Thanksgiving.

Lector Workbooks:

English Lector workbooks are available to pick up in the Gathering Place. They are labeled with your name. Please take your copy today.

KC Wreath Order Pickup:

If you pre-ordered greenery from the Knights of Columbus, please pick up your items after the masses this weekend. Thank you for your support!

Parish Mailing:

Watch your mail for our annual letter which will detail all the Advent devotions, activities and events. We encourage you to take part in as many offerings as we await the Birth of Our Savior.

School of Religion :

School of Religion will have new office hours starting on December 1,2019 the times are as follows:
Sunday's -8:00 am to 11:00 am
Monday, Tuesday , Thursday , Friday –10:00 am to 12:00 pm (noon)
Wednesday's-10:00 am to 12:00 pm / 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Bulletin:

Early Bulletin Deadlines are as follows:
Bulletin for December 22,2019 due on December 13,2019
Bulletin for December 29,2019 due on December 19,2019
Bulletin for January 5,2020 due on December 27,2019

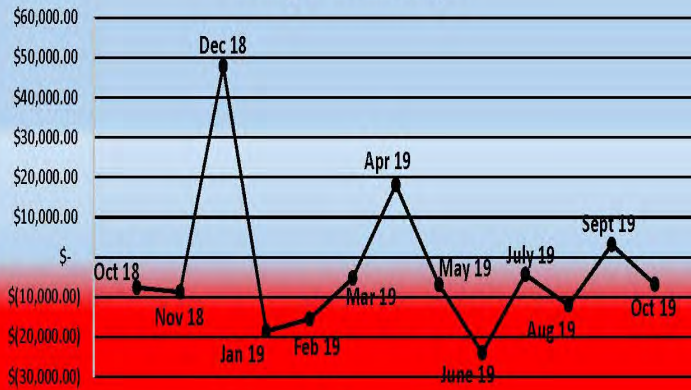
Oct 2019 Summary

TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME	
\$	58,451.62
TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES	
\$	65,291.14
TOTAL MONTHLY SAVINGS	
\$	(6,839.52)

October Financial Analysis



Rolling 13 Month Analysis



October 2019 Net Income Percentage

-12%

Monthly Income

Monthly Income	Actuals
Sunday/Holy Day Collections	\$ 49,657.53
Christmas Collection	\$ -
Easter Collection	\$ -
RE Tuition	\$ 3,967.50
RE Fees	\$ 150.00
Rental Income	\$ 300.00
Fundraising Net Income	\$ -
Interest Income	\$ 71.99
Auxiliary Groups	\$ 0.14
Miscellaneous Income	\$ 2,594.24
Second Collections	\$ 1,710.22
Totals	\$ 58,451.62

Monthly Expenses

Monthly Expenses	Actuals
Salaries	\$ 23,383.35
Health Insurance - Employer Paid	\$ 3,255.00
Employer FICA	\$ 1,494.44
Fringe Benefits	\$ 1,008.92
Professional Growth/Ministerial	\$ 4,056.99
Books & Supplies, Non-Liturgical	\$ 1,200.50
Administrative Expenses	\$ 1,287.21
Transportation	\$ -
Food Service & Meals	\$ 2,586.27
Telephone	\$ 240.02
Heating Fuel	\$ 301.07
Electricity	\$ 709.81
Other Utilities	\$ 1,000.63
Maintenance & Building Repairs	\$ 4,924.42
Interest Expense	\$ 144.59
Altar & Liturgical Supplies	\$ 1,559.38
Furnishings & Equipment	\$ -
Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 6,351.00
PRMAA Assessment	\$ 2,223.00
Property/Casualty Insurance	\$ 1,560.40
Auto Insurance/Priest Owned Vehicle	\$ -
Miscellaneous/School Support	\$ 6,294.64
Second Collections	\$ 1,709.50
Totals	\$ 65,291.14

#1 holiday hack:

When you shop at smile.amazon.com, Amazon donates.

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Stewardship

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another."

1 Peter 4:10

Thanksgiving DAY MASS

November 28, 2019
9:00am

Join us for some fellowship
right after the Liturgy at
the **RECTORY**

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Breakfast with Santa

Sunday, December 15, 2019
8:00am — 12:00pm

At Transfiguration Parish
Life Center

SAVE THE DATE!



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION Holy Day Mass Schedule

Monday, December 9, 2019
8:00 am — English

Monday, December 9, 2019
7:00 pm — Po polsku

This year is not a Holy Day of Obligation



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE BALL — Banquet/Dancing —

Saturday, December 7, 2019
After the Spanish Mass

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Thursday, December 12, 2019
Mass of the Roses at 7:00pm

Christ the King

In the Gospel Reading, Christ is crucified. The rulers who caused this crucifixion feel no compassion. They add to his misery by mocking his mission: he saved others; himself he cannot save. One of the two thieves crucified with him mocks him too: hey, Christ, save yourself and us!

Christ the King says nothing. He just hangs there, nailed to the wood of the cross.

What the other thief says is astonishing. He rebukes the first thief, the one mocking Jesus, in the strongest possible way. "Have you no fear of God?" he says.

If you leaned over the edge of your chair and saw a giant python inching its way across your floor, you would leap sky high, wouldn't you? You wouldn't be making any mocking jokes right then, would you? The good thief wants to get the same reaction out of the bad mocking thief. Only it isn't a python that is meant to give the bad thief a reality check. It's the awesome power of the living God.

But how about a reality check for the good thief? Look at where Christ the King is! What's to fear about the God who lets his King be killed this way?

The whole earth is soaked with the tears of the suffering; and broken humanity is like the flotsam and jetsam everywhere on the ocean of history. What's to fear about God? Where is he? On the cross—that is the answer.

God is love and all the power of God is there in the love shown by Christ's painful death. To save us, and to bring us to himself in heaven, God will suffer even the torment of death on the cross. Love that is willing to suffer is greater than power that is able to coerce, and that powerful love is there on the cross.

Someone habituated to mockery should fear this power. Sooner or later, the consuming fire of God's love will burn away his mockery's pretense at insouciance.

But someone who fears God because God loves him will find Christ in the way the good thief did. Sooner or later, he will hear Christ say to him, "This day you will be with me in paradise." Then he will know the victory of Christ the King, and he will be victorious with Christ.

**AUTHOR
ELEONORE STUMP**

Mass Moments

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Taking a closer look at... the Gospel and the Homily

Last week we explored the first and second scripture readings and the Responsorial Psalm of the Liturgy of the Word. These help us get better acquainted with the world in which God speaks our story.

Our conversation with God now continues as we hear directly from Jesus in the **Gospel** proclamation. The Gospels come from Matthew, Mark, Luke or John and tell of the events in Jesus' life, death and resurrection. For this we stand, and sing Alleluia, which literally means 'Praise the Lord'. The Deacon or Priest, in procession, reverently brings the book of the gospels to the sacred space of the Ambo. Why is this important? In this moment, the deacon or priest is standing in the person of Christ. We honor God for making his Word present to us in the Gospels and to welcome Jesus present in the Word. Just before we hear the Gospel, as we say 'Glory to you Lord', we make the sign of the cross on our foreheads, our lips, and our hearts. In this sign, we are praying to keep the Gospel in our thoughts, our words and our hearts.

We respond to the Gospel with praise to the Lord and take a seat so we may digest God's message about to be unpacked in the **Homily**. According to Bishop Robert Barron, the bible is a weird & wild book and we need time and a good guide to move us through the biblical world. The priest or deacon, as homilist, is called to be that guide in the best way he is able. He doesn't speak on his own behalf but as an extension of the Gospel, a guide to help us place ourselves into the gospel; to help us ask a question from our own experience and uncover the answer in the Gospel message.

The Homily also becomes a link between the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist which follows. As we come to understand how we fit in the story of our salvation, we are more prepared to live in faith and give our whole life in sacrifice to our loving God.

Next week we will take a closer look at the Creed; our shared statement of faith in the Liturgy of the Word.

For simple explanations on the parts of the Liturgy of the Word, visit: <http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/the-mass/order-of-mass/liturgy-of-the-word/index.cfm> OR for a deeper discussion of the purpose of the Homily, visit: <https://clarionherald.org/2012/02/07/what-is-the-purpose-of-the-homily-at-sunday-mass/> OR for the biblical connection to the Alleluia, visit Rev 19: 1,3,4,6 in your bible!



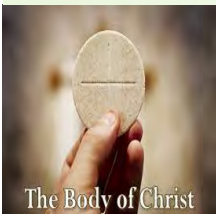
TRANSFIGURATION MINISTRY OF PRAYER

We know that life can be challenging and the only thing that may help to get you back to center is Prayer. We believe very strongly in the power of Prayer. This belief and knowing comes from seeing or hearing about the many demonstrations or testimonies in the lives of people around the world.

At the end of weekend Masses the Transfiguration Ministry of Prayer will be in the front of the Church to pray for you or someone you love and care for.

Please know that each Minister of Transfiguration Ministry of Prayer commits to holding your intentions in the light of Christ, standing in Truth, Principle and Love. Prayer is the tool we use to know the truth. It is not about begging or pleading for something to happen to change the conditions in life. It is about aligning ourselves with the all good of God that surrounds us at all times.

Every request we receive is treated with love, compassion, respect and dignity.



Ministers of care

Caring for one another...

Our church is a family and we consider our community a part of that family. We strive to care for and encourage those both within and beyond our walls. Our care ministry brings the Holy Eucharist to our people to hospital, nursing homes and family homes. By taking some time to bring the Holy Eucharist we show God's love and we assure our interest in their spiritual life.

Do you have a desire to bring
Holy Communion to your neighbor?

Contact Jim Fijalkiewicz: (847) 526-7101 or Ellen Sherwin:
(847) 254-4782 to see how you can help out.



Sacristan Committee

Liturgy

November 25 - December 2, 2019
Carolyn Cox & Barb Yank

December 2-9, 2019
Joellen Gasschler & Priscilla Padavic

Monday, November 25, 2019
Lorrie Guaghan & Mary Eltges

Monday, December 2, 2019
Arlene Meyer & Jim Fijalkiewicz



What is RCIA?

RCIA prepares unbaptized adults for the sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist and to be in full communion with the Catholic Church.

RCIA is also for adults who have been baptized but have not completed their sacraments of initiation.

RCIA is for anyone who would like to learn more about their Catholic faith.

The journey begins in September and continues through May each Sunday after 10:00 a.m. Mass (10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.) in the Parish Offices.

Anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith is welcome to contact Vicki Peloquin at (847) 997-7350.

Parishioners...prayerfully consider becoming part of the RCIA Team as a sponsor, catechist, or to assist with hospitality. Call Vicki Peloquin (847) 997-7350 if you are interested.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

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SAVE THE DATE

Dear Parents with First Communion candidates. We have scheduled **Tuesday, December 3, and Wednesday, December 4, 2019, at 7:00 PM in the Church**, for the children to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please mark your personal calendars with this important date.

GUARDE LA FECHA

Estimados Familias con candidatos para la Primera Comunión. Hemos recerbado el **martes 3 y el miércoles 4 de diciembre de 2019, a las 7:00 PM en la Iglesia**. Los candidatos recibirá el Sacramento de la Reconciliación, por favor marque sus calendarios personales con esta fecha importante.

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Call Parish Office at 847-526-2400 ext. 222.



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Respect Life

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you...before you were born I consecrated you..." Jeremiah 1:4-10

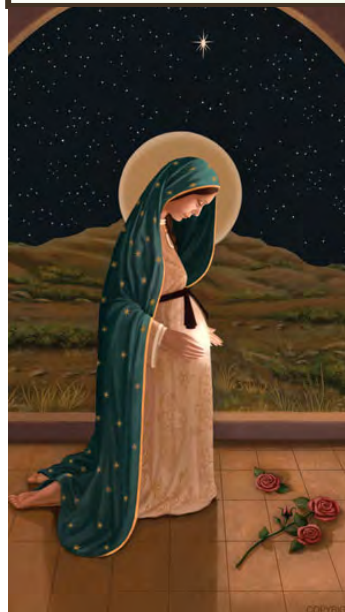
Spiritually Adopted Baby – Week 37

Please pray that our baby, who is not yet born, will receive the gift of Life. As we follow our unborn baby to birth, this is what's going on in the womb during week 37.

"Um, it's getting a little crowded in here. I think it's about time I get out, don't you think? I am just getting chubbier every day, which means there is less and less room for me to move around. My fingernails and toenails have grown to the ends of my fingers and everything else here is about the same. My mommy seems to be spending a lot of time resting now. I think she's ready for my arrival, too. I wonder when the BIG DAY will arrive! Please pray for me....."

**Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much.
I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby whom I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion. Amen.**

For more info on Respect Life Ministry, call
Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz, 847-526-7101



Hail Mary,
Full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among
women,
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now,
and at the hour of our
death.
Amen.

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7:30am to 7:55am

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Viernes Primero—FIRST FRIDAY—Pierwszy Piątek

During morning mass

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Santo Rosario

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Hora Santa HOLY HOUR Święta Godzina

Miércoles—**WEDNESDAYS**—Środa

6:30PM to 8:30PM

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Viernes Primero—FIRST FRIDAY— Pierwszy Piątek

ADORATION: 8:30AM to 1:40PM—3:00PM to 6:55PM

HOLY ROSARY: 6:00 PM (TRILINGUAL)

ADORATION: 3:00 PM to 6:55 PM

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: 6:30 PM (TRILINGUAL)

BENEDICTION: 6:55 PM

EVENING MASS: 7:00 PM (ENGLISH)

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Mother of the Church,

teach to all those the Master calls
to say a joyful “yes”
as you did at the Annunciation.

Amen.

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All Archdiocesan employees, catechists and those volunteers that come in regular contact with the children of our schools and community are required to have a CANTS form on file with our office and DCFS as well as a Code of Conduct Acknowledgment. The CANTS form is required to be completed annually, the Code of Conduct Acknowledgment is required once. Employees and catechists are also required to have attended a live awareness session conducted by a certified Virtus Training Facilitator in the Archdiocese of Chicago. If you have not completed the required document(s) for this year or need the Virtus Training, contact Teri Herchenbach for Frassati Catholic Academy or Kathie Blaszkak for Transfiguration Parish.

All announcements must be submitted to the bulletin for publication 10 days prior to the bulletin date. Email to: bulletin@transfigurationwauconda.com
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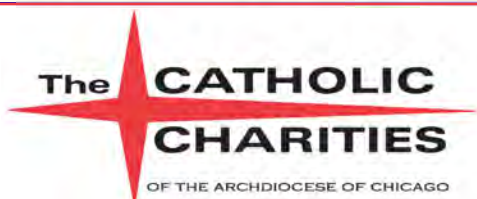
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PRESIDER, DEACON, Host Ministers	Cup Ministers	Altar Servers	Greeter, Lector, Commentator & Music Ministry
4:00 pm English Language Mass SATURDAY			
Fr. Piotr <u>Bill Barron</u> Lorrie Gaughan <u>Vicki Peloquin</u>	Beata Dempsey <i>Volunteer Needed</i> Mike Keane Clare Keane	Joan Vazquez Gesselle Vazquez	G1: Volunteer Needed G2: Volunteer Needed L1: Susan Spychala L2: Carolyn Huner
6:00 pm Spanish Language Mass			
Fr. Juan Jésus Ortiz Marina Ortiz <u>Leslie Medellín</u>	DC. JOSE <u>Beto Medellín</u> Esther Reyes Javier Reyes	Francisco Cabral Ana Cabral Eduardo Cirilo Ian Hernandez Orozco	L1: Luis Cabrera Ps: Luis Cabrera L2: Jorge Reyes Petitions: DC. Jose
8:00 am English Language Mass SUNDAY			
Fr. Piotr <u>Mary Bray</u> Vincent Lazaro Karen Lazaro	DC. Chris Fisher Dave Jakubek Tina Jakubek <u>Kathleen O'Day</u>	Andrea Lazaro Jonah Lazaro	G1: Linda Murphy G2: Margie Scholla L1: Harold Bray L2: Jeanne Blair
10:00 am English Language Mass			
Fr. Juan Pablo Kathie Blaszak <u>Marilyn Downes</u> Mary Eltges John Omiatek Mary Schwartz	DC. Chris Fisher Leif Ceniza Carolyn Cox <u>Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz</u> Ken Michaels Jill Ryan	Micaela Ackerson Daniel Fisher	G1: Volunteer Needed G2: Volunteer Needed L1: Marty Napoli L2: Debbie Aylward
12:30 pm Polish Language Mass			
Fr. Piotr Josette Pezowicz Beata Dempsey Krystyna Talaga Gienia Kalinowski		Karol Nowak Mikolaj Wierzbicki Julianna Janicki	C: Zofia Decowska L1: Artur DREWNO L2: Tadeusz Magiera

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