

November

During the month of November we will celebrate all of the Masses for our deceased brothers and sisters.

Please take an **All Souls Envelope** and write the names of your loved ones and place it on the basket in front of the altar. These envelopes are available at the back of the church or in the parish office. Your loved ones will be remembered in a special way during each Mass on the month of November.

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MASS OF HOPE

On Friday, November 23rd at 7:00 p.m., we will have a special Mass in honour of all the faithful departed of our parish with a special mention of those who have passed away this year. Relatives of those who have died since November 2017 until present (and whose funeral Mass was held in our parish), are encouraged to participate in the celebration by placing a small picture of their loved one on the altar and a candle will also be lit during the Mass.

Special Note: If the funeral Mass of your loved one was not held in our parish and you would like to add their name, please contact the church office so that their name can be added to the special list.

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Please remember the following people in your prayers:

- Theresa Burns, Pat G., Jara Menjivon,
- Noemy Pereira, Clint Viegas,
- Samuel Cordeiro, Arthur Ruston,
- Avio Carboni, Maloie Morta,
- Susan Gonsalves, Charlotte Pazder,
- Bud Radeczy, Raphael Colaco

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN (RCIC)

Children in the public school system who have not been baptized and wish to receive the sacrament of First Communion need to enroll in the RCIC program for 1 year prior to receiving the sacrament. Please call the parish office and make an appointment with Fr. George.

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The Outreach program will be collecting men's new underwear, socks, vaseline, baby oil, kleenex, toothpaste, toothbrushes razors, & shaving cream. Please place your donated items in the blue box in the waiting room of the parish office.

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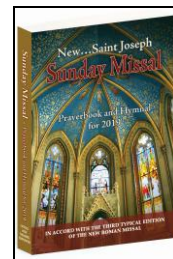
"FORMED" AVAILABLE AT TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH

FORMED is a web-based digital platform, designed to help adults to grow in their faith and in their lives. "Formed" is FREE to all parishioners & your families.

Register at FORMED.org

Code MF473B

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The 2019 Sunday Missals will be available in the parish office next weekend at a cost of \$5.00 per book.

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Transfiguration of Our Lord CWL Membership Drive continues. All women in the Parish age 16 and over are invited & encouraged to join. Become a voice for Catholic Values. Paid Memberships received before Tuesday December 11, 2018 are eligible for the free Membership Draw. The cost is \$25.00. You can complete the following, put it in an envelope & leave it in the Parish Office or bring it to our next General Meeting.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____

The Next General Meeting will be Thursday November 15, 2018 @ 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

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CWL Poinsettia Sale coming soon.

Watch the bulletin for details.

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SHEPHERD'S TRUST

As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. As we celebrate the 176th anniversary of our Archdiocese, we honour the men who have been instruments of the "Foundations of our Faith". Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds' Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 17th / 18th, 2018.

Envelopes will be distributed next weekend, November 10th / 11th, 2018. This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it represents a very tangible gesture of thanks for the blessings we have received. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



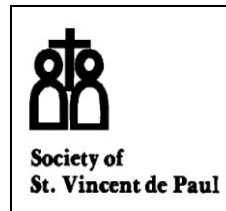
At all Masses on this weekend of Nov. 3rd and 4th envelopes will be handed out for our annual Christmas collection.

Last year at Christmas we helped 112 families (169 adults and 211 children). The collection also helps us through the summer months when the poor box receipts are at their lowest and the need the greatest. Income Tax receipts will be mailed out for donations of \$10.00 and over.

Please include your name, address and envelope number if you have one.

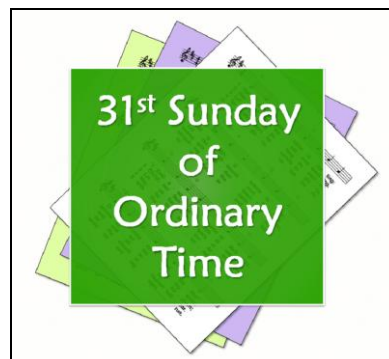
Cheque's should be made out to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul/Transfiguration.

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If you would like to sponsor a family for Christmas, please call the parish office and leave your name and phone number and a member of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will get in touch with you.

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Youth News



Held bi-weekly on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month for Grades 5 to 8 on Fridays from 7 – 9 p.m. until June.

The program engages with the youth through snacks, games, skits, teachings, small group discussions and much more.

Sign up at the Parish Office.

If you have any questions, please visit transchurch.ca/edge/

Dates:

- November 16 – Yes Mother
- December 7 – Christmas Social
- January 18 – The Pursuit of Happiness
- February 1 – The Return

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Held bi-weekly on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month for Grades 9 to 12 on Fridays from 6:30 – 9 p.m. until June. Free registration includes dinner and a Life Teen t-shirt. For more info and to sign up please visit transchurch.ca/life-teen/

First 4 dates:

- November 9 – Life: Is this it?
- November 23 – Jesus: Who is He?
- November 30 – December 2 – Winter Retreat @YMCA Cedar Glen
- December 14 – Christmas Social

If you would like to get involved or have any questions about our Youth Ministry programs, schedule, or volunteering, please contact our Youth Minister, Ivan Skoko at transyouthministry@gmail.com or 416-247-0513.