

GOSPEL MEDITATION

When you look at the conduct of your father, or your friend, or your boss, if that person is being sinful, then you need to see clearly that he is. But what you see when he is evil is not all there is to him. There is what he was in the past, the small boy his mother loved, for example. He wasn't always the sinner he is now. And, then there is what he could become.

Maybe like Paul, who once was the chief of sinners, your sinning friend could become glorious in the service of the Lord in the future.

So, see clearly the evil in your neighbor now, but remember that what you see is not all there is to him. Like the Lord in the readings, have mercy on him, for the sake of all the rest of him, the person that he once was and the person that he can still be. (Eleonore Stump)

Already in the school!

The time of vacation has come to a close. Summer is over! We have started a new scholastic year. This a new time and a new opportunity for us to accept the challenges that this new school time will present to us. Let us try our best to be above our present condition and let us say it loud: Here I am to be the best I can be! We wish all students, parents, guardians and teachers a very successful year and we assure you of our prayers.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Dear parishioners and friends let me propose to you to have a prayer that goes beyond the limitations of some particular names. Let us try to be more universal and include in that prayer all the people that suffering in the world for many different causes, a prayer that is constantly present in our daily life. That God may deliver all people in need at this moment from all suffering in mind, body and spirit.



We pray to our Blessed Mother Mary for all our parishioners, friends, and family suffering with illnesses.

MEMORIAL

MASSES

We can never say that we have prayed enough for our beloved ones... let us not put ourselves in a condition to have regrets not to have said more prayers for our blessed departed.

For those who want to honor their deceased loved ones, Memorial Mass services are available for booking on Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays at 7:00pm. Please call the Parish office at (416) 247-0513.

IWENE TANSI IGBO CHAPLAINCY

Mass: Every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the Month

The Daughters of the Holy Spirit Meeting:

Fellowship: 2nd Friday of every month

COLLECTION

Thank you for your generosity. The regular collection for the week September 5 was: \$6,006.00

Please remember Transfiguration of Our Lord Church in your last will and testament.

THE OUTREACH PROGRAM

The Outreach program will be collecting men's new underwear, socks, jeans, warm gloves, winter hats and scarves, towels, men's deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, body lotion, bar soap/body wash, shampoo, razors, shaving cream, Advil, Ensure / Boost, canned food, coffee, tea, rice, vitamins, Vicks Vapo-Rub, and Neo Citran.

GENERAL MEETING FOR ALL THOSE VOLUNTEERING IN ALL OF THE MINISTRIES AND GROUPS IN TRANSFIGURATION PARISH

As all of you know, a new Pastor, Fr Carlos, and a new Associate Pastor, Fr. Jomon, have been appointed to our parish. We would like all those who volunteer in the parish to come to a general meeting to project the way ahead of Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish and to start working towards the Organizational Chart of the Pastoral Work in the parish and the beginning of the Pastoral Executive Council. The meeting will take place on Saturday, September 17th, 2022 at 10:30 AM. Kindly attend the 9:30 AM Mass after which we will start the meeting with coffee and at noon we will share pizza together. Please contact the respective coordinator of your ministry to let them know of your participation so we can properly coordinate food. Thank you.

BUNDLE SUNDAY

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be holding a Bundle Sunday on the weekend of Sept 17th & 18th, 2022.

Volunteers and the truck will be in the Church parking lot to receive your donations. Please note that we do not accept baby or other furniture, appliances, books, mattresses, dishes, construction materials or video tapes.

Thank you for your support.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS - RCIA

The RCIA is a process of being introduced to important aspects of Catholic beliefs and practices. It gradually builds a faith based, loving relationship with God. Adults wishing to become Catholic and Catholics wishing to complete their Sacraments are invited to please contact the Parish Office for information.

REGISTRATION FOR SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR 2021/2022

We are preparing the registration process for 2022/2023 school year for the Sacramental Programs. This is for any

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

students in Gr.2 and above interested in First Reconciliation and First Communion and any students in Gr.7 and above interested in Confirmation. All children who wish to receive the sacraments are required to attend catechism classes facilitated by our parish.

Please visit our parish office or ask to the Ushers for the registration form at the end of Sunday masses.

MEDITAZIONE SUL VANGELO

Il padre, vedendolo partire «*per un paese lontano*», già si era detto pronto ad aspettarlo, ad oltranza: “Se non tardi - bisbigliò al figlio senza alzare la voce - ti aspetterò per tutta la vita. Son tuo padre”. Quella casa, al figlio più giovane, gli stava stretta: “Questa casa è una prigione!” sembra di sentirlo rinfacciare al padre, alla madre. “Sappi che questa casa non è un albergo” gli rispondeva con il ghigno il fratello più grande, quello tutto casa-e-chiesa. Fu per questo che un giorno sbattè la porta e se ne andò: voleva essere re di se stesso, la misura del suo vivere, l'assoluto. Il padre acconsentì: a casa sua aveva sempre insegnato che non ci può essere gioia senza libertà. Libertà anche d'andarsene a zonzo, a sperperare quella libertà che a casa, un giorno, si accorgerà era la più bella. (Don Marco Pozza)

COLLETTA SETTIMANALE

Grazie per la vostra generosità. La colletta regolare della settimana 21 Agosto e' stata \$6,006. oo grazie ancora per il vostro contributo per aiutare con le spese della chiesa. Ultimamente abbiamo fatto dei lavoretti di manutenzione che richiedono delle spese...Dio ti premia.

ADORATORI



I veri adoratori mi adoreranno in spirit e verità. Da le tante ore vostre di fronte a la TV. dategli al Signore una di esse.

La nostra cappella di adorazione è aperta 24 ore al giorno, questa è una bella devozione nella nostra parrocchia.

E-mail: translord45@gmail.com

PADRE HO PECCATO CONTRO IL CIELO E CONTRO DI TE!

La chiesa ha aggiornato gli orari delle confessioni. Ora offriamo la confessione dalle 16:30 alle 17:15 ogni Sabato in chiesa. Quando pecciamo, ci priviamo della grazia di Dio. E così facendo, rendiamo ancora più facile peccare ancora. L'unico modo per uscire da questo ciclo discendente è riconoscere i nostri peccati, pentirsene e chiedere perdono a Dio è comprometerci a fare il meglio. MISS

CONFRATERNITÀ MARIA SANTISSIMA DELLE GRAZIE

A tutti quelli che hanno partecipato alle celebrazioni di Maria Santissima delle Grazie: vogliamo esprimere il più sentito ringraziamento. E' stata una festa bellissima che ci incoraggia a seguire questa bella tradizione che ci unisce alle nostre vere radici italiane. Carmine Iannetta, Presidente

MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONI DELLE MESSE

Sunday September 11 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:45 am † Pro Populo; Mass for all the living & deceased members of Transfiguration of Our Lord Church
9:00 am † Maria Francesca Bombardieri
† Filippo & Betina Marinaro and deceased family members
10:30 am † Leo, Nella & Joe Galea
12:00 pm † Nella & Joe Galea
† Candida Di Marino
7:00 pm † Sandy Van Bergen, Nella & Joe Galea

Monday September 12 The Most Holy Name of Mary

- 9:30 am Living & Deceased Members of the Zamida Family

Tuesday September 13 Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

- 9:30 am A Thanksgiving Mass
The Zamida Family & Deceased Family Members
† Rosaria Fantini
† Francesco & Filomena Salvatore
† Nicola & Maria Salvatore

Wednesday September 14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

- 9:30 am Special Blessing for Lucia Macri
7:00 pm Memorial Mass

Thursday September 15 Our Lady of Sorrows

- 9:30 am † Raphael Sabido
† Rafal Glodowski & Deceased Family Members
† Maria Kaczmariska & Deceased Family Members
6:30 pm Wedding Rehearsal

Friday September 16 Saints Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

- 9:30 am

Saturday September 17 Saint Robert Bellamine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, BVM

- 9:30 am
10:30 am General Ministry Meeting (Parish Hall) & Decoration for Wedding (Church)
12 Noon Wedding
4:30 pm Confession
5:30 pm

Sunday September 18 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:45 am † Pro Populo; Mass for all the living & deceased members of Transfiguration of Our Lord Church
Thanksgiving Mass for Matthew, Natasha, Ariana, Dorian Cimicata & Susie Cimicata & families
9:00 am † Armando Nemi
10:30 am † Agata Colalillo
12:00 pm † John, Rosario, Lina Colosimo, Ciriaco, Vito Grieco, Mario Bellisario
7:00 pm

THERE IS A PROMISE OF MARRIAGE BETWEEN:

Brian Andrade & Melissa Trelle

