

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

# THE CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

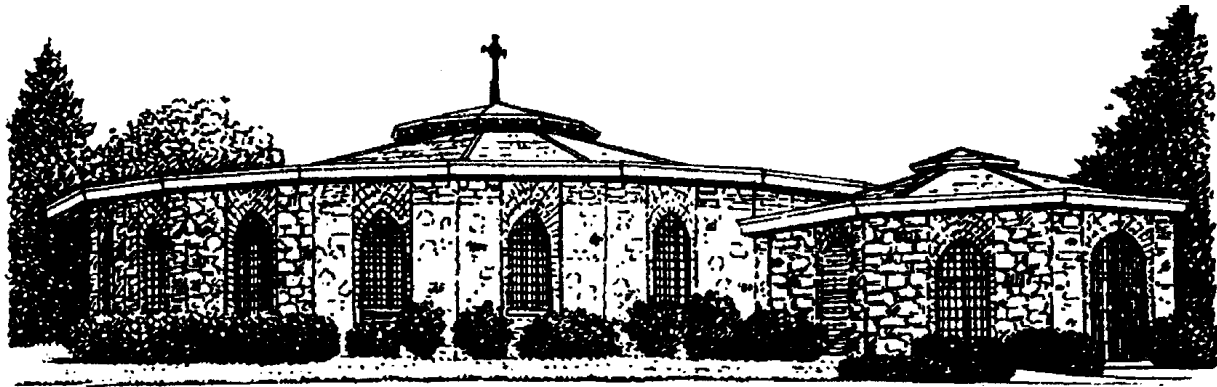
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*Transfiguration Parish is a community of Christian believers faithful to our Catholic tradition and a pilgrim people entrusted to the Carmelite Fathers. Through our participation in public worship we are nourished by the Word and the Body of the Lord. 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 (Day Chapel)  
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 9:00 am to 7:00 pm, Tuesday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
Wednesday & Thursday 9:00 am to 7:00 pm  
Friday: 9:00 am to 1:00 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.

**Priory**  
268 So. Broadway  
631-1672

**Transfiguration School**  
Prospect Avenue  
631-3737

**Religious Ed. Center**  
Prospect Avenue  
631-2380



# Weekly Offering



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## God's Plan for Giving

May 27, 2018

\$7,824.00

Attendance—667 Envelopes—

### Church Maintenance

\$2,150.00 Envelopes—

*Next weeks second collection will be for:  
School Building Maintenance*

## READINGS, SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ  
Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116:12-13, 15-18;  
Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26
- Monday: Ninth Week in Ordinary Time  
2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-16; Mk 12:1-12
- Tuesday: St. Boniface  
2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2-4, 10, 14, 16;  
Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday: St. Norbert  
2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2;  
Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14;  
Mk 12:28b-34
- Friday: Most Sacred Heart of Jesus  
Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-6;  
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
- Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed  
Virgin Mary  
2 Tm 4:1-8; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 2:41-51
- Sunday: Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-8;  
2 Cor 4:13 — 5:1; Mk 3:20-35

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — This is the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you (Exodus 24:3-8).

**Psalm** — I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord (Psalm 116).

**Second Reading** — Christ is the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 9:11-15).

**Gospel** — This is my body. This is my blood of the covenant (Mark 14:12-16, 22-26).

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## THE START

It's the start that stops most people.  
—Anonymous

### SATURDAY—June 2, 2018

5:00 Marguerite McGlynn req. by the Fiore family

### SUNDAY— June 3, 2018

- 8:00 Maureen Coster req. by Eileen Wiseman
- 10:00 Jean Donnelly req. by Anita O'Connor & family
- 12:00 Anne Colucci req. by Charles Barbara & Mary Margaret Ralph

### MONDAY

- 7:15 Margaret Josephine Neidhardt req. by Ann Marie & Michael Variano
- 9:00 Angela DiBiase req. by Josephine Tucci

### TUESDAY

- 7:15 The Parishioners of Transfiguration
- 9:00 In honor of St. Anthony req. by a parishioner

### WEDNESDAY

- 7:15 Vincenzina Ruggiero req. by Patty & Jim
- 9:00 Angela DiBiase req. by Josephine Tucci

### THURSDAY

- 7:15 A Special Intention req. by Chiara
- 9:00 Ralph W. Savage III req. by the Rooney family

### FRIDAY

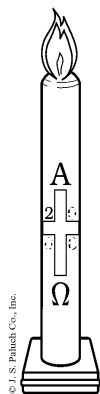
- 7:15 Mary Lester req. by Peter Downey
- 9:00 Grace Carroll req. by Jean Dunnagan

### SATURDAY

- 9:00 Irene Selkaitis req. by Karen Stanhope
- 5:00 Dorothy & James Muldoon req. by Joyce Hufnagel

### SUNDAY

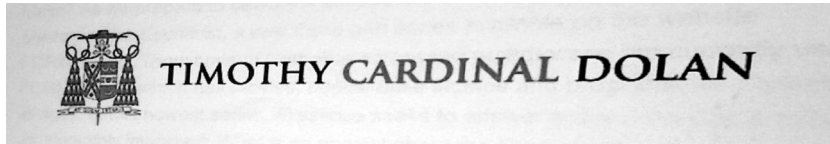
- 8:00 For the deceased members of the W.I. class of 1957 req. by Norma Zaichek & Fran Carlini
- 10:00 John Prescott req. by Mark Prescott
- 12:00 Anne Coluci req. by Cathy & Gail



The Sanctuary candle burning in the Church this week is for Brenda Norton (living) req. by Dolares Burns

The Sanctuary candle burning in the Chapel this week is in the memory of Regina Amszynski req. by Cee Browne

The Shrine candles are burning this week in memory of Richard Saponara req. by Joyce Saponara



May 29, 2018

Month of Our Lady

Dear friends in the Lord:

This Sunday we will celebrate the beautiful feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, *Corpus Christi*, where in a special way we honor the Real Presence of Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist. Allow me to tell you about a series that may shed light on this incredible mystery of our faith and make Mass even more meaningful: *Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist*, available on FORMED.org.

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You might have heard that the Church describes the Eucharist as the “source and summit” of the Christian life. Have you ever wondered what that really means? Do you want to deepen your experience of God’s presence when you receive Him at Mass? As we prepare to celebrate *Corpus Christi*, I invite you to view *Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist*, a new three-part series available on the website FORMED.org. Thousands of Catholics across the archdiocese are currently using FORMED.org, which has movies, books, bible studies and programs for Catholics of all ages. In this newest series, *Presence* seeks to answer a question that is simple, yet incredibly important: What is so special about the Eucharist?

Many parishioners in the archdiocese have already begun watching *Presence*, and the response has been overwhelmingly positive. If you have not yet signed up, don’t worry! All you need to do is send an email to [formed@archny.org](mailto:formed@archny.org) with the name of your parish and you will receive assistance. Hopefully, you will take this opportunity to grow in understanding just how much God loves you, and how His loving presence is available to you in such a special way at each and every Mass.

With prayerful best wishes, I am,

Faithfully in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads '+ Tim. Card. Dolan'.

Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan

Archbishop of New York

## Vacation Bible School Water Adventure July 9-27

Week 1: *Rolling River Rampage*-July 9-July 13th  
St Teresa of Avila—914-631-0720

Week 2: *Shipwrecked; Rescued by Jesus*—July 16h –July 20th  
Immaculate Conception, Sleepy Hollow—914-631-0441

Week 3: *Splash Canyon* –July 23rd—July 27th  
Transfiguration—914-631-1672



For more information please call Nancy Nelson 914-631-2380. You can find registration and volunteer forms in the Church foyer.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

#### OUR MILITARY:

Anthony Correia, Nick O'Kelly

**OUR SICK:** Justin Baker, Robert Currie,  
Vincent Donnelly, William Duggan,  
Ann Duggan Baker, Troy Edwards,  
Sharon Lynch, Marie Minuck,  
Michael Mohoney, Diane O'Connell,  
Carmen Rodriguez, Richard Sicardo, Jr. ,  
Cromwell Smith, Evelyn Trufflo,  
Carina Yacovone-Neves

For our parishioners suffering from depression and those who are dealing with addictions

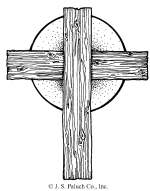
**OUR DECEASED:** Brian E. Adams,  
Adelina Aversano, Barbara Goss,  
Mary Lester, Barbara Muldoon

*If you would like to include others in this prayer list, please contact the priory office. Names will remain on the list for two weeks, or according to need.*

### TRANSFIGURATION PRAYER SHAWL

**MINISTRY**...will hold their June Meeting on Wednesday, June 6, at 6 pm in the Deacon Jerry Blood Conference Room at 6 pm. Prayer Shawls give comfort, warmth, love and peace to those in need or in thanksgiving. Do you know anyone who would benefit from our outreach? If so, please leave a message at the Priory Office, contact Alice Blood 631-5951 or Pat Nyarady 631-5007, or join us at our meeting. Please find details of the ministry at [www.shawlministry.com](http://www.shawlministry.com).

Sunday Missals for 2018/2019: Order your Sunday Missal for next year now. Deadline for ordering is July 15. Order forms are in the rack by the elevator. Cost: \$3.50. Missals are helpful for the homebound and for preparing for Sunday Mass.



The **2019 Mass Intention Book** will be opening on Monday, June 18th. The offering for the Mass intention is \$15.00.



**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, June 3, 2018**

The cup of salvation I will take up, and I will call upon the name of the LORD.

— *Psalm 116:13*

## Summer Enrichment Program

Transfiguration School will be offering a 6 week Summer Enrichment Program starting June 25, 2018 for children entering PreK3 – 2<sup>nd</sup>. This program is a combination of sports (tennis, gymnastics, basketball and volleyball) arts and crafts, baking, and outdoor-fun with a little academics on the side.

Please call Transfiguration School at 914-631-3737 to request a Registration Form

## Transfiguration School

The 2018-2019 Registration for Transfiguration School is ongoing. We offer an academically sound and faith-filled Catholic education for students in PK3 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade. Developing each child's potential infusing Catholic values and providing a solid foundation of academics adhering to New York Common Core standards are our objective. Our PreK3 & PreK4 programs are full day. Tuition is more affordable than ever, with expanded scholarships and financial assistance. To find out more about a Catholic education can help put your child on the path to a bright future, please visit us online at [www.CatholicSchoolsNY.org](http://www.CatholicSchoolsNY.org), or to arrange a tour, please call the school at 914-631-3737.

## **PRECIOUS BLOOD**

On this solemnity we focus our attention on the Body and Blood of Christ. We listen to the story of the renewal of the old covenant, which Moses sealed by splashing the blood of animals on the altar of sacrifice, as well as on the people. Jesus, whose blood is the blood of the new covenant, shed that precious blood on the cross, saving us from sin and promising us everlasting life. Blood is the life source that courses through our bodies. The precious blood of Christ is the life source for our spirits. Today may we, like the psalmist, offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Lord, whose Body and Blood strengthen us to bring the Good News to everyone we meet. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

## **CHARITY**

Charity is that with which no one is lost, and without which no one is saved.



## **Transfiguration Seniors Club**

**Thursday, June 21st** at 1:00 pm:

*Ice Cream Social*

Guests \$3.00- Please sign up!

## **TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

The origins of today's solemnity lie in thirteenth-century Belgium. In those days, people seldom received Holy Communion, and never from the chalice. A nun in a troubled convent, Juliana of Liège, devoted her life to stirring up love for the Eucharist, lobbying for a feast day to honor the Blessed Sacrament with Masses and processions.

Juliana may have been inspired by the Ascension Day processions in nearby Bruges. Crusaders brought a treasure home to Bruges from Constantinople in 1204: a reliquary said to contain a cloth from Joseph of Arimathea with which he had helped prepare the body of Jesus for burial. The stain on the cloth was said to be the holy blood itself, and so the people of Bruges built a great basilica to house the relic. Bruges became a great center of pilgrimage because of this treasure, and the procession of the Holy Blood is still one of the greatest festivals in Belgium today. The bishop carries the relic through the narrow streets, and the people wear medieval costumes and act out scenes from the Bible.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** One of the most undervalued sacraments is that of anointing of the sick. This sacrament has its origins in the letter of James, wherein the apostle advises the sick to see the priest. We offer this sacrament for all those who will undergo serious health tests, or become seriously ill, or have a serious change in their health status. Please see the priests at any time after Mass or during office hours in order to receive this sacrament.

**\*\*Don't forget to buy Stop & Shop Gift Cards and C-Town Certificates from the Priory Office before going food shopping. Our Church earns 5% of all that are sold!\*\***

INFORMATION SHEET

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