



Transfiguration Parish

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

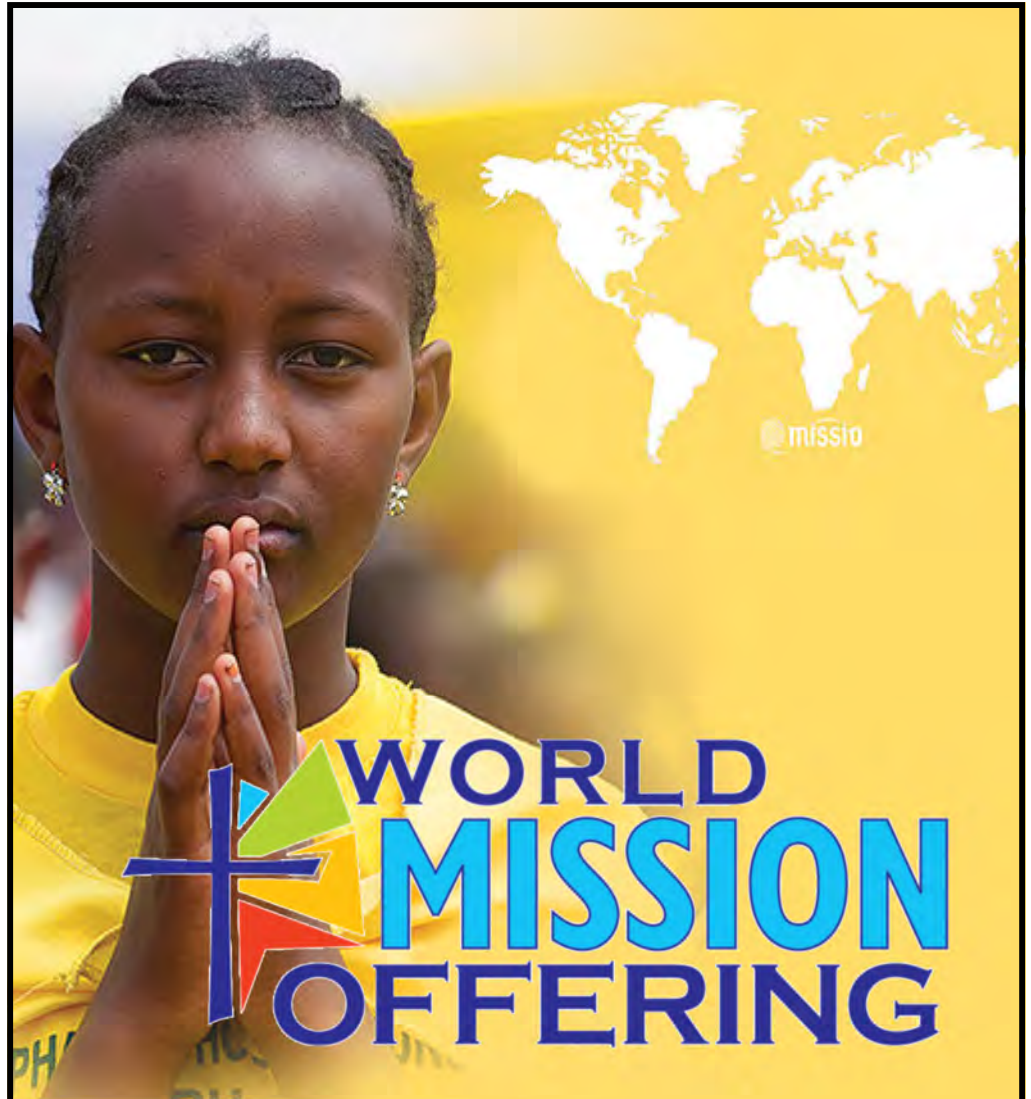
—Matthew 17:4

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, October 21– Weekday ✘ Rom 4: 20-25 / Lk.12: 13-21

Tuesday, October 22 - St. John Paul II

✘ Rom 5: 12,15b, 17-19, 20b-21 / Lk 12: 35-38

8:00 am † Julia Gilleran

Wednesday, October 23–St. John of Capistrano ✘ Rom 6: 12-18 / Lk 12: 39-48

8:00 am † Ralph Baumheckel

Thursday, October 24– St. Anthony Mary Claret ✘ Rom 6: 19-23 / Lk 12: 49-53

8:00 am The Souls in Purgatory
9:15 am Frassati Students. Faculty & their families

Friday, October 25– Weekday ✘ Rom 7: 18-25a / Lk 12: 54-59

8:00 am Leaders of all nations

Saturday, October 26–Weekday ✘ Rom 8: 1-11 / Lk 13: 1-9

Sunday, October 27– Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

✘ Sir 35: 12-14, 16-18 / 2 Tm 4: 6-8, 16-18 / Lk 18: 9-14

4:00 pm All those in service to our country

6:00 pm For an end to war

8:00 am Arlene Furlara

10:00 am † Albert, Ethel & Patricia Wagner

12:30 pm Those who have no one to pray for them

Prayer List for the sick

OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

MODLITWA ZA CHORYCH

▪ Bill Barber ▪ Dennis Bechtel ▪ Mitchell Bienkowski ▪ Joann Bienkowski ▪ Raymond Brefeld ▪ Helen Blair ▪ Tony Bogdanowski ▪ Charles Buntenbach ▪ Carol Calcitrai ▪ Milton Chapa ▪ Otilio Cantor ▪ Cathy Cambell ▪ Mitchell Cardenas ▪ Peggy & Tony Chrusciel ▪ Constance Cotsiomitis ▪ Lillian D'Angelo ▪ Patsy Daniels ▪ Peter Davis & Family ▪ Valerie Davis ▪ Mary C. Dennehy ▪ Tim Dorsey ▪ Elizabeth Delgarn ▪ Phyllis Finnegan ▪ Vera Foley ▪ Helen Fritz ▪ Linda Flynn ▪ Rose Gilligan ▪ Woody Glaser ▪ Anita J. Glennon ▪ Scott Glennon ▪ Maria Grimm ▪ Phyllis Heck ▪ Crystal Hoff ▪ Desiree Hoff ▪ Dorothy Hoff ▪ Marilyn Howell ▪ Christian Henky ▪ Kim Ingwersen ▪ Helen Jakubek ▪ Gerard Justen ▪ John James Kapcia ▪ Ruth Kalchik ▪ Kalchik Family ▪ Michael Krolczyk ▪ Linda Korona ▪ Ted Korda ▪ Donna Lesczynski ▪ Susan Liberio ▪ Maria Concepcion Lopez ▪ Ava Rae Loth ▪ Evan Lockner ▪ Christopher Mamoser ▪ Don Martel ▪ Erin Marbach ▪ Michelle Meindle ▪ Haydee Morin ▪ Kendra Mott ▪ Bill Mott ▪ Lynn Napoli ▪ Doug Niggemann ▪ Mary Jane Niles ▪ Joseph Nehnevaj ▪ Pablo Paniagua ▪ Georgia Pastirik ▪ Dc. Feliks Pezowicz ▪ Rae Poklenkowski ▪ Cathy Polnau ▪ Sharon Powderly ▪ Dorothy Race ▪ Audrey Raclaw ▪ Judy Reilly ▪ Sue & Ron Rosaves ▪ LaVerne Richards ▪ Jeremiah Riordan ▪ James Rubino, Sr. ▪ Mary Ann Rubino ▪ Jay Schafer ▪ Gary Scherer ▪ Ken Scherer ▪ Bill Scholla ▪ Ellen Sherwin ▪ Debbie Spada ▪ Teodoro StaRosa ▪ Mickey Stahl ▪ Ed & Jan Stepek ▪ Lenore Speciale ▪ Diane Thelen ▪ James Tomlinson ▪ Elijah Villareal ▪ Daisy Walters ▪ Gerald Walters, Jr. ▪ John Wilson ▪ Dee Wolf ▪ Eileen Wood ▪ Alba Wolk ▪ Dee Zimmermann ▪ Rick Zimmermann ▪ *All in Service to our Country and for all in detention centers or those being deported.*

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."

Helen Kozlowski
Ileana Downs
George Tedeski

**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.**



...they ought always
to pray
and not lose
heart...when
the Son
of Man comes,
will he find
faith on earth?
-Luke 18:1&8

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I — EX 17:8-13

In those days, Amalek came and waged war against Israel. Moses, therefore, said to Joshua, "Pick out certain men, and tomorrow go out and engage Amalek in battle. I will be standing on top of the hill with the staff of God in my hand." So Joshua did as Moses told him: he engaged Amalek in battle after Moses had climbed to the top of the hill with Aaron and Hur. As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight, but when he let his hands rest, Amalek had the better of the fight. Moses' hands, however, grew tired; so they put a rock in place for him to sit on. Meanwhile Aaron and Hur supported his hands, one on one side and one on the other, so that his hands remained steady till sunset. And Joshua mowed down Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.

PSALM 121: *Our Help Is from the Lord #67*

READING II — 2 TM 3:14-4:2

Beloved: Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed, because you know from whom you learned it, and that from infancy you have known the sacred Scriptures, which are capable of giving you wisdom for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that one who belongs to God may be competent, equipped for every good work. I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingly power: proclaim the word; be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient; convince, reprimand, encourage through all patience and teaching.

GOSPEL — LK 18:1-8

Jesus told his disciples a parable about the necessity for them to pray always without becoming weary. He said, "There was a judge in a certain town who neither feared God nor respected any human being. And a widow in that town used to come to him and say, 'Render a just decision for me against my adversary.' For a long time the judge was unwilling, but eventually he thought, 'While it is true that I neither fear God nor respect any human being, because this widow keeps bothering me I shall deliver a just decision for her lest she finally come and strike me.'" The Lord said, "Pay attention to what the dishonest judge says. Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS

General Intention

Pope's Monthly Intentions: A Missionary "Spring" in the Church That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary "spring" in the Church.

- 4:00 pm** - † Dc. Marion Omiatek
 † Mario Bertolani
 † Janie Glaser / † Gerald Walters
 † Julia Gilleran / † Ita Torres
- 6:00 pm** - † Juan Manuel Carrera Hernandez
- 8:00 am** - † Theresa Solimini / † Frank Pucci
 † Leonora Barra
- 10:00 am** - † Albert, Ethel & Patricia Wagner
 † Walter Joseph Bedtke / Connie Wright
 † Dc. Marion Omiatek
- 12:30 pm** - Leaders of foreign Nations

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



Stick together. Love each other, and together: Look to Jesus in Prayer.

OUR DOGGEDNESS AND STAYING POWER WILL KEEP US FAITHFUL TO GOD'S WAYS.

The three readings today bring to mind the meaning of persistence. As long as Moses kept his hands raised, eventually, with the help of Aaron and Hur, Joshua and the Israelites prevailed over Amalek and his men. Saint Paul reminds Timothy to remain faithful to what [he has] learned and believed. In the Gospel, Jesus uses the parable of the persistent widow to remind his disciples about the necessity for them to pray always without becoming weary.

What does it mean to be persistent? According to the dictionary, it is the "firm or obstinate continuance in a course of action in spite of difficulty or opposition." Some synonyms for this "obstinate continuance" include: perseverance, tenacity, endurance, and two rather fun expressions: doggedness and staying power. Let us think about those last two synonyms with regard to our relationship with God.

There is no doubt that when thinking about how God relates to us, doggedness, and staying power are apt descriptions. God created us and pursued us in love endlessly: He never diverts from this path. He loved us into being, and his love is what sustains us. From our existence, to the daily efforts we expend, God is our source of being. The entirety of Scripture attests to this.

When it comes to our relationship with God, however, we might ask ourselves if we can use these same descriptions. We certainly have the opportunity to do so. The sacramental graces we receive give us the power to persist in prayer, and our participation with that grace enables us to do so. The gift of faith allows us to trust that God will provide for us not just in answer to our prayer, but even in the act of praying for something, as he provided Aaron and Hur to assist Moses. Hope assures that our doggedness and staying power will be rewarded in eternity with Christ. How could we choose

anything other than doggedness and staying power as the foundation for our relationship with God!

United by our baptism we are stronger together, and our unceasing prayer for our needs and the needs of the world really do have an effect. Here in this assembly we are united in Eucharist – in the body and blood of our Lord, in the person of Jesus Christ, the son of God. Here together we have the doggedness and the staying power to face whatever obstacles might tempt us or drag us away from our purpose in this life. For each of us is a beloved child of the Father, journeying to be one with the Father in the eternal kingdom of heaven.

As followers of Jesus Christ, we cannot resort to quick fixes. Quick fixes may work for a leaky tire, but eventually the tire will need to be replaced if we want to drive on it for a long journey. And it is a long and sometimes arduous journey we are on. Together, the journey is safer than if we venture out on our own. For together we lift each other up whenever necessary. Let us not ignore the voice of God reminding us to pray always without becoming weary. And may this Eucharist we receive help us follow that command.

HEART OF THE MATTER: TIME FOR REFLECTION AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13

Could Moses have kept his hands raised without the help of his companions? Can you relate to this story in any way? Can you let friends help you when you can't manage it by yourself? And whom do you support spiritually?

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

What task does Paul lay on you in this reading? What instruction book does he give you to carry out the task? Is it "inconvenient" sometimes to proclaim the word of God by being patient and encouraging? Is proclaiming the Word of God central to all the activities of the Church? To your parish? To your life? How do you proclaim the Word of God in your work? In your life?

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

What does Jesus' injunction, "Pray always ..." mean to you? Do you think Jesus means only prayers of petition? What does Jesus want to make clear to you about petitioning God? Why does God want us 'to cry out day and night' to the Lord? Doesn't he already know our needs?"

This Week at Transfiguration*CALENDARIO SEMANAL**KALENDARZ TYGODNIOWY***Sunday, October 20***Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses**LOTW Retreat - NO RCIA**Second Collection World Mission Sunday**KC Wreath Sale _ order begin*

8:00 am AA Meeting (closed)-Youth House

2:30 pm English Baptisms-CH 3 families

Monday, October 21*Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses**LOTW Retreat*

3:30 pm Frassati Athletics-PLC

6:30 am Journeymen Prayer Group—MR1

6:00 pm LOTW Faith Sharing-Spa. Min. Ofc.

7:00 pm Spanish Prayer Group—CH

Tuesday, October 22*Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses*

7:30 am Confessions-CH

5:30 pm Frassati Athletics-PLC

7:00 pm Mats for the Homeless-OWC

7:00 pm Bingo Planning - MR3

Wednesday, October 23*Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses*

7:30 am Confessions-CH

4:45 pm SOR Classes –Classrooms

5:30 pm Frassati Athletics -PLC

6:30 pm Confessions (Eng.-SPA.-POL.) -CH

6:30 pm Vocations Holy Hour-CH(7-8) Gath PL (8-9)

6:30 pm Youth Ministry-Youth House

6:45 pm SOR Classes– Classrooms

7:00 pm SOR Classes-Classrooms

Thursday, October 24*Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses*

7:30 am Confessions-CH

9:30 am SOR Classes-Classrooms

5:00 pm Weight Watchers– MR1&2

5:30 pm Frassati VB-Tournament-PLC

6:00 pm Rosary Making –Spanish Ministry Office

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal –CH

Friday, October 25*Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses*

7:30 am Confessions-CH

3:30 pm FCA Dance-Café

5:30 pm Frassati VB-Tournament-PLC

6:00 pm Music-Mandolin & Guitar Rehearsal-CH

7:00 pm Escuela de la Cruz (men) -Youth House

7:00 pm Music-Coro Hispano –CH

Saturday, October 26*Respect Life Month –Rosaries prayed after masses*

8:00 am Frassati VB-Tournament-PLC

8:30 am LOTW small group Faith Sharing –Youth House

2:00 pm Baptismal Prep Class (Spanish)- MR3

4:30 pm SOR classes end with 6:00 pm mass– Classrooms

5:00 pm Confessions in church

5:30 pm Frassati VB-Tournament-PLC

8:00 pm Adoration (Spanish Men) -CH

Parish Announcements*ANNUNCIOS PARROQUIALES**OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE***1. Second Collection:**

A second collection will be taken this weekend for World Mission Sunday. Envelopes are in the vestibule for your use.

2. Ministry Appreciation Responses Due:

Any person that serves as a minister or volunteers in any way at Transfiguration is invited to the Ministry Appreciation Dinner on Tuesday, October 29 at 5:30 pm in the Parish Life Center. In order to properly plan for food, please call the Parish Office at 847-526-2400 or email parish@transfigurationwauconda.com with your name and number of volunteers that are attending. We need your response no later than Monday, October 21.

3. All Souls Day Mass:

The Feast of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) falls on a Saturday. The mass of the day will be celebrated at 8:00 am only. An opportunity will be given to speak the names you would like remembered during the intercessions at that mass as well as the evening masses. As in years past, we will have a Memory Altar that you are invited to bring a small picture or memory item for display during the month of November. Be sure to label your item and watch for announcements to pick them up near the end of November.

4. Book of the Names of the Dead:

A binder to enter the names of deceased loved ones is in the Gathering Place. If the individual had services through Transfiguration, it is not necessary to add their names. If you added a name in a previous year, please do not add it again. The names will be added to our Book of the Names of the Dead that is displayed throughout the month of November.

5. ALL SOULS DAY OFFERING:

Help all souls of the Purgatory get to Heaven. In preparation for All Souls Day, we invite you to take a offering envelope to remember your loved ones in the Masses celebrated on All Souls Day. At Transfiguration we will honor your loved ones all year as we place the offering envelopes in the altar.

6. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALLOWEEN CANDY:

Once again, the members of Transfiguration's Knights of Columbus are selling Tootsie Rolls for Halloween. These are the same large-sized Tootsie Rolls they hand out during their September Drive benefitting people with Intellectual Disabilities. Ask any of the Knights after mass if you are interested. Prices are \$5 for a sleeve of 50, or \$30 for a case of 300.

STEWARDSHIP

SOMOS DISCIPULOS COMPROMETIDOS
DZIELENIE SIĘ DARAMI

"...proclaim the word, be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient..." 2 TIMOTHY 4:2

It is not always convenient to be a good steward, especially when all the temptations of our busy and materialistic world get in the way. Now add our own pride and ego into the equation and living a stewardship lifestyle may be downright uncomfortable! Remember, God didn't call us to be comfortable. He called us to be faithful.



"... proclama la palabra, sé persistente sea conveniente o inconveniente ..." 2 TIMOTEO 4: 2

No siempre es conveniente ser un buen administrador, especialmente cuando todas las tentaciones de nuestro mundo ocupado y materialista se interponen en el camino. ¡Ahora agreguemos nuestro propio orgullo y ego a la ecuación y vivir un estilo de vida de corresponsabilidad puede ser completamente incómodo! Recuerde, Dios no nos llamó para estar cómodos. Nos llamó a ser fieles.



WEEKLY OFFERING

OFRENDA SEMANAL
OFIARA TYGODNIOWA

SUNDAY, October 13, 2019

| YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET | THIS YEAR |
|---|---------------|
| Presupuesto Anual: Budżet na Ten Rok: | (\$ 9,467.37) |
| SUNDAY COLLECTION: | |
| Ofrenda Dominical: Niedzielną Ofiarą: | \$ 8,429.77 |
| GIVECENTRAL (44 Contributors) | |
| Ofrenda Dominical Electronica: GiveCentral Ofiara: | \$ 3,202.00 |
| THIS WEEK LAST YEAR: | |
| Ofrenda Dominical hace un Año: Ten Sam Tydzień Zeszły Rok: | \$ 12,923.12 |
| NO. OF ENVELOPES THIS YEAR | |
| Sobres usados este Año: Liczba Kopert Ten Rok: | 241 |
| NO. OF ENVELOPES LAST YEAR | |
| Sobres usados hace un Año: Liczba Kopert Zeszły Rok: | 269 |

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Ministry Appreciation Day

Dear Parish Ministers and Volunteers, you are invited for a

MASCARADE DINNER NIGHT

10 • 29 • 19

Tuesday | 5:30 PM

Transfiguration Parish Life Center
316 West Mill Street, Wauconda, IL 60084

Last day to RSVP by October 21
Kathleen Blaszak | 847—526-2400
parish@transfigurationwauconda.com



Nov.
1

All Saints Day

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

- 7:00PM (Español) - Oct. 31, 2019

MASS OF THE DAY

- 8:00am (English)
- 10:00am (English) - School Mass
- 7:00pm (English and Polish)

Nov.
2-3

All Souls Day

At all weekend Masses

Bring a picture of your loved one(s) for the
Memory Altar of the Dead.

Nov.
28

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Thursday, November 28, 2019
Mass: 9:00 am

Dec.
8

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION
SAVE DATE FOR MASS TIMES

All Scripture is Inspired by God

The Second Reading says that "all Scripture is inspired by God and useful" for training in righteousness. And this line sounds wonderful until it bumps up against the First Reading. In the First Reading, Moses avails himself of the special power of God to help Joshua destroy the Amalekites in a war.

This story about the Amalekites is a good example of Scriptural stories that prompt outrage in many contemporary readers. It presents God as helping the Israelites to slaughter their enemies. Why shouldn't we reject this story as morally repellent? And if we do, then what happens to the line that all Scripture is inspired of God

Well, here is one way to accept the story of the Amalekites as part of God's inspired revelation.

The process of dying can be an important part of the journey of spiritual healing,

Human beings are meant to live in everlasting joyful union with their Creator, who loves them. But it is possible for human beings instead to become seriously spiritually sick. If that sickness is bad enough, it is possible for people to become the living dead, still functioning in some sense but spiritually dead, lost to love and union forever.

To ward off this worst thing for human beings, a loving God will go to great lengths.

So will we. Just think about what we will let our children suffer in hospitals in the hope of healing them, and you will see the point. God will endure even appalling suffering on the part of the human beings he loves if that suffering holds a chance of a spiritual cure.

In fact, the process of dying can be an important part of the journey of spiritual healing, as anyone knows who has worked with the dying in hospitals.

Maybe the terrible things that happen when a people loses a war are like this too. Think about it this way: would Germany have been better off if it had won the Second World War? Wasn't it a blessing for the Germans that they lost it?

And so we can think about the First Reading this way. God's love encompasses the Amalekites, too. His great love for them, his hope for their salvation, underlies his willingness to let them suffer even the terrible devastation that comes to them in the loss of the war with the Israelites.

And that is the beginning of an explanation for why it is possible to accept even the First Reading as divinely inspired Scripture.

AUTHOR
ELEONORE STUMP

Mass Moments

Momentos de Misa

Masowe chwile

Taking a closer look at... the Gloria

Today's focus is on the Moment at Mass when we all come together in praise to God with the hymn, the Gloria, an ancient prayer of the universal church with roots in the third century. It celebrates the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ into our midst, and our praise to God for this great gift. The lyrics from this musical arrangement begin: "*Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to people of good will.*"

These opening words were originally sung from the Heaven's by the angels on the night of Christ's birth in Bethlehem, as relayed in the Gospel of Luke. We continue this sung prayer with a series of praise and adoration acclamations, pointing, in awe, to our beliefs in God's glory. The Gloria declares the relationship of the trinity as it concludes with "*... you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.*"

When we sing these ancient words from the heart, we harmoniously offer a great prayer of praise to God. You are invited to listen more closely, as together we sing and pray this most beautiful prayer at Mass, and feel your heart wonder in our most awesome God.

It is amazing that, up to this point, we have barely begun the Mass and already so much has taken place. Next week we will take a closer look at the "opening prayer," and the final piece of the Introductory Rite of our Catholic Mass.

For a simple explanation of the Gloria, visit: <http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/the-mass/order-of-mass/introductory-rites/index.cfm> OR for a history of the Gloria, visit: <https://epicpew.com/gloria-history-mass-hymn/> OR to find out when we don't sing the Gloria at Sunday Mass, visit: <https://aleteia.org/2019/03/01/why-are-the-gloria-and-alleluia-omitted-during-lent/>

All announcements must be submitted to the bulletin for publication 10 days prior to the bulletin date.

Email to: bulletin@transfigurationwauconda.com

Please submit requests to speak at Mass one month in advance. All requests will be approved by the Pastor.



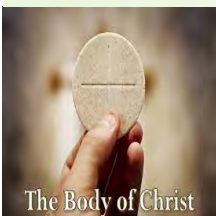
TRANSFIGURATION MINISTRY OF PRAYER

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

The Body of Christ

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

October 21-28, 2019

Joellen Gaschler & Priscilla Padavic

October 28-November 4, 2019

Jennifer Monday

Hospital Schedule

Monday, October 21, 2019

Dolores Brumm & Mary Eltges

Monday, October 28, 2019

Josette Pezowicz & Fijalkiewics



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.

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IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!! NEWSPAPERS NEEDED!

The School of Religion is accepting donations of clean newspapers (no glossies) for our upcoming Confirmation Retreat. Please bring your newspapers to the church Gathering Place or the School of Religion office before November 5th.

¡NECESITAMOS PERIÓDICOS!

La Escuela de Religión está aceptando donaciones de periódicos limpios (sin brillo) para nuestro próximo Retiro de Confirmación. Por favor traiga sus periódicos a la Sala de Reunion de la Iglesia, o traigalos a la oficina de la Escuela de Religión antes del 5 de Noviembre.



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MIDDLE FINGER
FOR OUR GOVERNORS

As it is the tallest finger, it reminds us of our leaders, the governors and those who have authority.

RING FINGER
FOR THE SICK AND WEAKEST

It is our weakest finger. It reminds us to pray for the weakest, the sick or those plagued by problems.

THE THUMB
FOR THE ONES WE LOVE

Start praying for those who are closest to you. They are the easiest to remember.

THE PINKY
PRAY FOR YOURSELF

The smallest finger-should remind you to pray for your own needs when you are done praying for the other four groups,

THE 5 FINGER PRAYER

BY POPE FRANCIS

SOURCE:



Veterans Exiting Homelessness: Move-In Essentials

In conjunction with a national veteran's organization (Military Outreach USA), on the **weekend of November 10 & 11**, we will be collecting the following household items:

Personal Hygiene: bath soap, shaving cream, deodorant, combs, hair brush, nail clipper, toothpaste, toothbrush, sunscreen, Chapstick

Kitchen & Cleaning: trash can, Windex, Pine Sol, dishwashing liquid, dishcloth, sponge, mop, bucket, broom, dustpan, paper towels

Bathroom: toilet paper, wash cloth, plunger, toilet bowl cleaner, toilet brush, bath towels, shower curtain

Miscellaneous: smoke detector battery, flashlight with batteries, wall calendar, appointment book, garbage bags, laundry basket, hamper, laundry detergent, aluminum foil, diapers, light bulbs

These Move-In Essentials provide a Veteran exiting homelessness with the basics needed as they transition to their new, permanent residence.

These items are needed on a continuing basis.



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 31

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 31.

“I finally made my move this week and turned my body over. It was tough, but I did it! It is important that I am upside down now so that when the time comes for me to make my entrance into the world I’ll be ready to go. My lungs have started to secrete a liquid that will help my lungs fully expand when I take my first breath of air. I can’t WAIT for my birthday. Please keep praying 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

Do you want to make a *Difference*?

Make a Difference Day is the largest national day of community service and is a celebration of neighbors helping neighbors.



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We will be standing at Jewel/Osco and Island Foods on October 26th collecting food and or monetary donations for the Wauconda Food Pantry.

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If you are interested, please call Mary at 847-220-3948

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During morning mass

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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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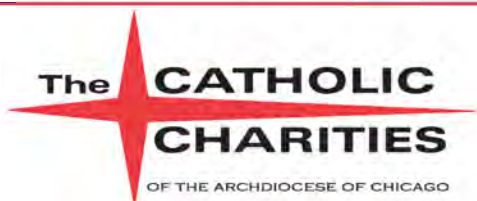
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Thank you for ministering at our weekly worship. Your attentive participation enhances the celebration for everyone.

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|---|---|--|--|
| 4:00 pm English Language Mass SATURDAY | | | |
| Fr. Juan Pablo <u>Bill Barron</u> Beata Dempsey <u>Janie Piccolo</u> | Mike Keane Lorrie Gaughan Clare Keane <i>Volunteer Needed</i> | Fiona Ackerson Micaela Ackerson | G1: Volunteer Needed G2: Volunteer Needed L1: Vicki Peloquin L2: Estelle Williams |
| 6:00 pm Spanish Language Mass | | | |
| Fr. Jesus Haro Esther Reyes Javier Reyes <u>Lucy Medellin</u> | DC. JOSE Beto Medellin Valentina Sangabriel Jazmín Santiago | Francisco Cabral Ana Cabral Eduardo Cirilo Ian Hernandez Orozco | L1: Tahiz Hernandez Ps: Tahiz Hernandez L2: Luis Cabrera Petitions: Luis Cabrera |
| 8:00 am English Language Mass SUNDAY | | | |
| Fr. Juan Pablo Jeanne Blair <u>Kathleen O'Day</u> <u>Sheila Wolverton</u> | Dc. Chris Fisher Tom Lahman Josephine Chiovari Alicia DeLa Fuente | Eleanor Rebmann Stanley Rebmann | G1: Linda Murphy G2: Margie Scholla L1: Carolyn Huner L2: Deb Lezon |
| 10:00 am English Language Mass | | | |
| Fr. Piotr Carolyn Cox <u>John Omiatek</u> Magen Robison Nancy Slupski <u>John Wallor</u> | Dc. Chris Fisher Leif Ceniza Mona Engelking Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz Bev McKeown Paula Watson | Daniel Fisher Noah Kovarik | G1: Volunteer Needed G2: Volunteer Needed L1: Kathie Blaszak L2: Ken Michaels |
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