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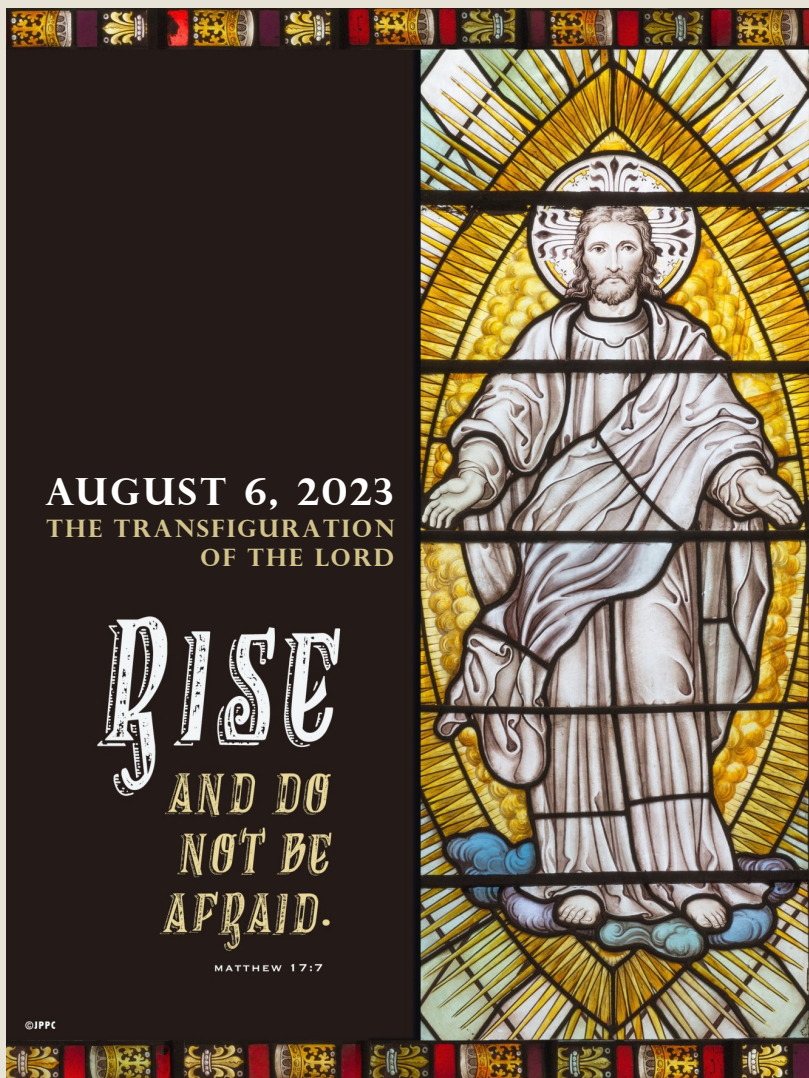
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AUGUST 6, 2023
THE TRANSFIGURATION
OF THE LORD

RISE
AND DO
NOT BE
AFRAID.

MATTHEW 17:7

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm
7:00 pm in Spanish
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12:00 pm and 7:00 pm
2:00 pm in Korean

10:00 am in German
(Archbishop Stepinac HS
Chapel, White Plains, NY)

Reconciliation

Saturday in Sacristy
3:45 pm - 4:30 pm

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday
7:00 am and 12:10 pm
Saturday: 8:30 am

Holy Day Masses

When on a work day
Vigil: 7:00 pm,
Day: 7:00 am and 12:10 pm

Adoration

Friday
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART
HARTSDALE, NEW YORK 10530

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Last Week's COLLECTION ©JPPC

July 2, 2023 Collection - \$9,365
July 9, 2023 Collection - \$6,440
July 16, 2023 Collection - \$7,765
July 23, 2023 Collection - \$7,292

Parish Reserve Fund - \$3,833
Diocesan Home Mission/Latin America - \$1,654
Propagation of the Faith - \$4,185
Black & Native Home Missions - \$1,677
Air Conditioning - \$1,909



On Saturday, August 12, 2023, the Salesians of Don Bosco will be holding the 2023 Rise Up Festival from 2pm - 10pm (rain or shine). The festival will celebrate the Assumption of the Blessed Mother Mary, with Cardinal Timothy Dolan, Archbishop of New York. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets for an open-air concert, worship (Mass and Adoration), games, exhibitions, food for purchase, and the gift shop. The evening ends with fireworks on the upper field. The Marian Shrine is located at 174 Filors Lane, Stony Point, New York. There is no charge to attend this event but free donations are accepted. For details about the festival's schedule please go to: www.marianshrine.org/events or call: 845-947-2200.



2024 Mass Intentions

The mass book for 2024 is now open. At this time we cannot take intentions over the phone. Please stop by the rectory Mon-Fri 9am-4pm, email shchartsdale@gmail.com, or place your intentions in the collection basket. Masses are \$15 each, payable by cash or check made out to Church of the Sacred Heart. We will reserve masses on a first come first serve basis.

Marian Garden & Memorial Bricks

We've begun construction on a new Marian Memorial Garden in front of the convent building. We expect construction to be finished by September.

Personalized memorial bricks will line the walkway leading to the statue of the Blessed Mother. This is a great way to pay tribute to your loved ones, both living and deceased. These bricks can be purchased using the form found in the vestibule of the church.

August's Devotion The Immaculate Heart of Mary

O Mary, Virgin most powerful and Mother of mercy, Queen of Heaven and Refuge of sinners, we consecrate ourselves to thine Immaculate Heart.

We consecrate to thee our very being and our whole life; all that we have, all that we love, all that we are. To thee we give our bodies, our hearts and our souls; to thee we give our homes, our families, our country. We desire that all that is in us and around us may belong to thee, and may share in the benefits of thy motherly benediction. And that this act of consecration may be truly efficacious and lasting, we renew this day at thy feet the promises of our Baptism and our first Holy Communion.

We pledge ourselves to profess courageously and at all times the truths of our holy Faith, and to live as befits Catholics who are duly submissive to all the directions of the Pope and the Bishops in communion with him. We pledge ourselves to keep the commandments of God and His Church, in particular to keep holy the Lord's Day. We likewise pledge ourselves to make the consoling practices of the Christian religion, and above all, Holy Communion, an integral part of our lives, in so far as we shall be able so to do.

Finally, we promise thee, O glorious Mother of God and loving Mother of men, to devote ourselves whole-heartedly to the service of thy blessed cult, in order to hasten and assure, through the sovereignty of thine Immaculate Heart, the coming of the kingdom of the Sacred Heart of thine adorable Son, in our own hearts and in those of all men, in our country and in all the world, as in heaven. so on earth. Amen.

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*Masses For
The Week*



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Saturday, August 5:

- 8:30 Paolo Errigo (A)(+)
5:00 Catherine Bryceland (+)
7:00 Special Intentions

Sunday, August 6: The Transfiguration of the Lord

- 8:00 Bertita Rojas (+)
10:00 Sixto Ancheta (+)
12:00 The Deceased Members of the Victorio &
Quiñones Families
2:00 **Korean Mass**
7:00 Mary, Carmela & Carl Raso (+)

Monday, August 7:

- 7:00 Ismael Quiñones & Family (L)
12:10 Katherine LeBlanc (+)

Tuesday, August 8: Saint Dominic

- 7:00 Ines Ramos (+)
12:10 Michael Fasano (+)(A)

Wednesday, August 9:

- 7:00 Johnson Family (L)
12:10 Vivian Agosto (+)(A)

Thursday, August 10: Saint Lawrence

- 7:00 Akhavan Family (L)
12:10 Jose Maristela (+)

Friday, August 11: Saint Clare

- 7:00 Stephen & Grace Olumese (+)(A)
12:10 Frank Schilero (+)(B)

Saturday, August 12:

- 8:30 Rosito Diamante (A)
5:00 Dina Fiorina (+)(A)
7:00 Jeronimo Ruiz & Maria D. Rodrigues (+)

Sunday, August 13:

- 8:00 Franco Scaccia (+)
10:00 Timothy Donovan (+)
12:00 Elise Maistre & Joseph Maistre (L)(B)
2:00 **Korean Mass**
7:00 Conchita DeFeo (+)(B)

Pray
For The Sick



Alexandra Laurent, Lianna Amendola,
Enilda Reynoso, Genevieve Colletti,
Cerelina Luistro, Jane Vicari,
Barbara Cautero, Frances Molloy,
Michael Comar, Margaret Gaughan,
Benjamin Ortiz, Ricardo Ruiz,
Felix Santana, Alex Eccles,
Nicholas Eccles, Miguel Rodriguez, Sr.,
Mike Kennedy, Evangelina Gonzalez Garcia,
Vicky Neidigh, Xavier Francis,
Louis Accurti, Baby Edward Bento,
Geshika Chirinos, Carmel O'Sullivan,
Jacquelyn Graziano, Marie Ruvo,
Ramon Anover, Dawn Ann Donnerton,
Geraldine Towey, Matthew Coughlin,
Louise Fursich, MaryLou Allgaier,
Frank Allgaier, Mary McGarry,
Dean S. Travalino, Erica Torres,
Robert De Jour, Theresa Leuzzi,
Michael Keehan, Peter Hunce,
Linda Muoio, Koshi Cherian,
Adele Giottron, and Vicki Giottron

Pray
For The
Deceased



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, benefactors, relatives, for those who are most forgotten and for those who recently died, especially:

Catherine Bryceland,
Caroline Muccio, Joseph Sheridan,
Catherine Glaab, and Victoria Ferretti

We extend our deepest condolences to everyone who has lost a loved one.

May God grant you peace and comfort!

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REFLECTION

by Leonard N. Peterson

I have long been a fan of the movies. This despite the fact that I have not been to see one in a theater since before Covid struck. Cable TV provides my supply. The techniques used to tell their stories have advanced from an earlier era when movie illusions were called “trick photography.” That has since evolved to something called “CGI,” or “Computer Generated Imagery.”

Now we realize that such things as the crowds hooting and hollering in the Roman Colosseum are not live movie extras but computer produced images. Same goes for scenes where two great armies crossing the wide valley between them with a clash of clubs and swords are not really there. You can see how the movie studios save lots in salary money. No “extras” needed for such scenes.

When it comes to today’s feast of the “Transfiguration” of Jesus, we dare not think of such cinematic trickery as might be used to portray it for the big screen. We risk this if we get too caught up in what I might call the “thinginess” of this supernatural event. Here we have a gospel scene where that special trio of Peter, James and John get a glimpse of heaven. The hallmarks of divine activity are all present: a mountain top, a cloud, and a Voice from heaven.

Christ in brilliant divine splendor converses with the long buried Moses and Elijah. His body is not the same one easily seen by the Apostles on the roads they traveled together on the dusty roads of Galilee and Judea, Yet it is the same person Jesus, whom they called “Master.”

We remember that this Gospel scene is proclaimed by the Churriguera at the start of Lent. It has aspects of a pep rally then, encouraging us to do our Lenten penances with a clear purpose of amendment. That image easily comes to my mind from years of attendance at a Friday afternoon high school rally before a big weekend game.

In a similar way, we need the Lord’s encouragement as we do battle with the prevailing culture all around us. Our Christian faith has been for quite a while the object of so much scorn and sarcasm that we need reminders of who it is we honor and follow. You could call it a “Clash of the 2 H’s”, namely “Hope vs the Headlines”.

Peter, James and John will soon feel this same tension in their days, albeit without newspapers. When they walked down the mountain after that spectacular vision, they did so with a very natural Jesus into the valley of human confusion that still exists right outside our churches. They had their mission then. We have ours now. Tell the world about Jesus, His Word and His ways.

On this late summer Sunday, aware of our task, it seems helpful to note what somebody wrote, namely that “judging from the way some people behave these days, they must think hell is air-conditioned!”



Pope Francis’ August Intention: For World Youth Day

Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this intention each month.

For the month of August we pray that the 37th World Youth Day in Lisbon, taking place August 1-6, will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

“Mary arose and went with haste” (Lk 1:39) is the bible quote chosen by Pope Francis as the motto of this year’s World Youth Day. The biblical phrase opens the account of the Visitation. During their conversation of the Annunciation, the angel also tells Mary that her older cousin, thought to be sterile, is pregnant. It is then that Mary sets out for Ain Karim, a village near Jerusalem where Elizabeth lived and was awaiting the birth of John, who would become Saint John the Baptist.

Mary of Nazareth is the great figure of the Christian journey. She teaches us to say yes to God. In the biblical episode of the Visitation, the action of standing up presents Mary as both a woman of charity and a missionary woman. Leaving in haste represents the attitude depicted in Pope Francis’ indications for WYD Lisbon 2023: “May young people’s evangelization be active and missionary, for this is how they will recognize and witness the presence of the living Christ.”

Let us join together with Catholics around the world to pray the official prayer for World Youth Day Lisbon 2023:

**Our Lady of the Visitation,
you who left in haste
towards the mountain to meet Elizabeth,
lead us also to meet all those who await us
to deliver them the living Gospel:
Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord!
We will go in a hurry, with no distraction or delay,
but with readiness and joy.
We will go peacefully,
because those who take Christ take peace,
and wellbeing is the best wellbeing.
Our Lady of the Visitation,
with your inspiration, this World Youth Day
will be the mutual celebration of the Christ we take,
as You once did.
Make it a time of testimony and sharing,
fraternization, and giving thanks,
each of us looking for the others who always wait.
With you, we will continue on this path of gathering,
so that our world will gather as well,
in fraternity, justice and peace.
Help us, Our Lady of the Visitation,
to bring Christ to everyone, obeying the Father,
in the love of the Spirit!**

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Saint Dominic: August 8

Saint Dominic was born in Spain in 1170 to a noble family. His mother, Blessed Joan of Aza, was a holy woman who, according to legend, dreamed of a dog leaping from her womb with a torch in its mouth. The animal seemed to set the earth on fire. The name Dominic is a play on the words “Domini Canis” meaning, “The Lord’s Dog” in Latin.

Also according to legend, Dominic experienced an apparition of the Virgin Mary in 1214, in which she gave him the Rosary.

In 1215, he was granted permission to form the Dominican Order, dubbed “The Order of Preachers (OP)” with their headquarters in the basilica of Santa Sabina in Rome, which still stands to this day. The group follows a synthesis of contemplative life and active ministry. They carry on Dominic’s mission of mercy, scholarship, and evangelization.

Saints from the Dominican Order: St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Catherine of Siena, and St. Martin de Porres.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Monday: Nm 11:4b-15 | Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 | Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13 | Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13 | Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35 | Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23 | Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: 2 Cor 9:6-10 | Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9 | Jn 12:24-26

Friday: Dt 4:32-40 | Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16, 21 | Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dt 6:4-13 | Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47, 51 | Mt 17:14-20

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a | Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 | Rom 9:1-5 | Mt 14:22-33

Saint Lawrence: August 10

Saint Lawrence was a Roman deacon under Pope Saint Sixtus II in 258 A.D. After Emperor Valerian charged Christians of “hatred of the human race,” he issued an edict to the Senate that all Christian clergy were to be arrested and executed. However, he gave Lawrence a chance to save himself if he only, “rendered to Caesar what is his” and brought the riches the Church was reportedly hoarding.

After three days, Lawrence showed up with a great number of poor, blind, lame, orphaned, and widowed Christians. “These,” he said, “are the treasure of the Church.”

Lawrence was sentenced to death by being stretched across a gridiron over coals. The legend states that after some time he looked up at his persecutors and said, “It is well done. Turn me over!”

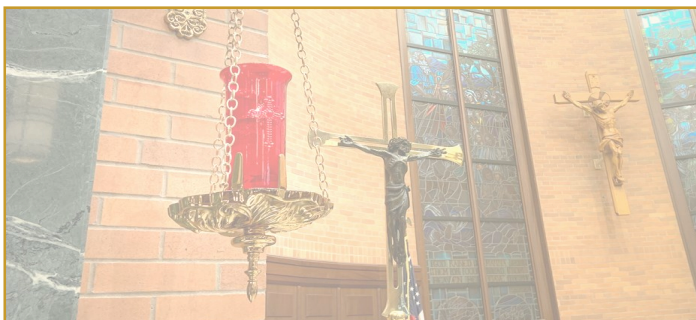
Saint Lawrence Outside of the Walls was built over his remains. It is one of the Seven Pilgrim Churches of Rome.

Saint Clare: August 11



Saint Clare of Assisi is the patron saint of eye disease, goldsmiths, laundry, and...television!

How did a saint who lived 700 years before its invention become its patroness? Because when she was very ill she could not attend mass. However, miraculously, she was reported able to see and hear it on the wall in her room. In 1958 Pope Pius XII designated her the patroness of this now common technology.



The Sanctuary Lamp is dedicated during the month of August in Loving Memory of
The Deceased Members of the Gemora & Savilla Families



The Altar Bread is dedicated during the month of August for
The Living & Deceased Members of the Mani & Bosco Families

The Altar Wine is dedicated during the month of August in Loving Memory of
Stephen & Grace Olumese