

Bulletin – Parish News

Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish

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February 28, 2010. First Sunday of Lent.

The Rev. Gregory Mludzik, Pastor.

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We all know the classic story of the dedicated family man who exclaims to his wife: “Honey, please do not ask me anymore whether I love you. I told you so when we got married ten years ago. I provide for the family and pay all the bills, including the notes on the new refrigerator and the mink I gave you for Christmas...” All this shows that he loves her. Is that not enough? The fact is that it is not! His wife wants to hear that he loves her over and over again, and he needs to say it. If this is not done, these two people will drift apart and jeopardize their marriage. Your relationship with God is that of a sacred partnership which has clearly marital overtones. Of course, no comparison is adequate. God does not feel unhappy when you do not encounter him directly in prayer or fail to say that you love him and appreciate what he is doing for you. But you need to do so! And if you do not, you will drift away from him, regardless of your charity to others. Today’s Scripture readings deal with persons conversing with God. Their examples may inspire us.

Questions for reflection

As the sun was about to set, a trance fell upon Abram, and a deep, terrifying darkness enveloped him.

- When has “the fear of God” served well or badly in your life?

Their god is their belly and their glory is in their shame. I am talking about those set upon the things of this world.

- How have your ideas of God changed over your life so far?

Then from the cloud came a voice which said, “This is my Son, my chosen one. Listen to him.”

- Name three occasions today when God might have been trying to get your attention, and why.

HOLY MASSES

Sunday, February 28, 2010. Second Sunday of Lent.

9:00am Holy Mass for all parishioners.

11:00am Msza Św. za duszę śp. Anna i Czesław Puscian zam. Rodzina, śp. Zygryde Zielinska zam. córka Mariola Zielinska i syn Wiesław Zielinski, śp. Celestyn Jurkowski zam. brat Franciszek Jurkowski.

Sunday, March 07, 2010. Third Sunday of Lent.

9:00am Holy Mass for Mary Vuz req. by Kaiser and Vuz families.

11:00am Polska Msza Św. za parafian.

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Responsorial Psalm for today is: **The Lord is my light and my salvation.**

On Sunday February 28, 2010 newly elected parish committee members will take the Oath.

Wednesday March 03, 2010. Stations of the Cross at 7:00PM

Droga Krzyżowa w środe o godzinie 7:00PM

The Women's Guild is now selling Easter candy. Order forms can be found downstairs or from any guild member. Orders due 03.01.10

Pierogi Sale Sat. 03,06, 2010. Volunteers are needed for Thursday, 03, 04, 2010 from 7:00pm and Friday 03.05,2010 and Sat. 03, 06, 2010 to help prepare pierogis. Start time is 8:00AM for both days. You can place your order with Linda Zulkowski after church or by calling 201-7919272 on or before 03.01, 2010

Spaghetti Dinner sponsored by ANS Society will be held on Saturday March 13, 2010. Dinner is served between 4 - 6pm. Price \$8.00 adults, children \$4.00.

Tricky Tray sponsored by The Church of Transfiguration, Wallington, NJ, Wednesday, April 28, 2010 Landmark II East Rutherford ; doors open 6:00pm, auction begins 7:00pm. \$35 admission includes: three course dinner, dessert plus one sheet of regular chances. Advance admission tickets sales only. Tickets must be purchased by April 11, 2010. Contact Dawn Wassman for tickets and express packs at 201-463-1512.

Parish Sunday offering envelopes for 2010 are on the desk in the church hall. If you have not picked yours up, please do so.

Please pray for all the sick and shut-ins especially for: Barbara Nowicki, Caren Lagerstrom, Joseph Zavatsky, Edwin Zulkowski, Blanche Forrester, Jean Manowiecki, Edmund Satulla, Bp. Anthony Rysz, Bp. John Swantek, Fr. Senior Eugeniusz Stelmach, Julia Paluszek, Theodore Ciulac, Catherin Zglobicki, Jennie Corrigan, Frank Kusniesz, Wanda and Andrew Closterman, and all in need of our prayers.

Let us pray... God of wonder and abundance, in every hour you shower us with blessings, presence, and insight. Open our minds to imagine you. Open our hearts to love you. Open our lives to receive you, more each day. Amen.

Sacrament of Baptism: Arrangements should be made at least two weeks prior to the ceremony.
Sacrament of Matrimony: Arrangement should be made at least six months in advance. Contact the Pastor before setting a date or making final plans.

Emergencies, Sickness and Death should be reported to the rectory office immediately.

Welcome to Our Visitors - We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! Please introduce yourself to the Pastor after Mass, please write your names in the guest book located in the vestibule of the church. Please remember that you are always welcome to join us in worship at Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish.

The BULLETINS for the month of February are donated by Kaiser family in memory of Alice Zandarski & Vincent Massimo.

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