# June 15, 2014 The Most Holy Trinity

# Transfiguration of Jesus Catholic Church

#### **Pastor**

Fr. Alex González 910-285-1876

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Deacon Rev. Robert Price 910-285-7426

#### Mass Schedule:

Mondays – no mass Tuesdays -- 5:30 pm Wednesdays -- no mass (mass in Magnolia at St. Clara) Thursdays -- 8:30 am Fridays -- 9 am Saturdays at 5 pm (English) and 7 pm (Spanish) Sundays at 8:30 am See Bulletin for possible changes

#### Adoration:

Thursday after Mass until 6:00 p.m.

#### Reconciliation:

Thursday after Mass and Saturday before Mass or by appointment

## Fr. Alex Office Hours:

Thursday: 9:30-11am or feel free also to set an appointment by email.

# Mass Intentions and Mass Cards

Geri Cullen 910-285-7334

#### Parish Council Chair:

Huck Booz

### Financial Council Chair:

Mark Hopkins



#### **Our Mission**

To love and know more profoundly our Catholic Faith, worship the Lord, minister to our members and to further spread our faith in the community.

#### Sunday, June 15- Sunday, June 22

Sunday Exo 34:4b-6, 8-9; Ps Dn 3; Cor 13: 11-13; Joh 3:16-18 Monday King 21: 1-16; PS 5; Mat 5:38-42 Tuesday King 21:17-29; Ps 51; Mat 5:43-48 Wednesday King 2: 1, 6-14; Ps 31; Mat 6:1-6b, 16-18 Thursday Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97; Mat 6:7-15 Friday King 11: 1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132; Mat 6:19-23 Saturday Chro 24:17-25; Ps 89; Mat 6:24-34 Sunday Due 8:2-3, 14b-16b; Ps 147; Cor 10:16-17; Joh 6:51-58



#### **Important Information**

<u>Parish Registration</u>: Welcome to our parish. New members are asked to call the Parish office to register. Current parishioners who relocate are requested to inform us of your move. To **update your registration information**, please contact Elaine Masinick (<u>emasininck@gmail.com</u>).

If you know of anyone who is ill, bereaved, or celebrating a significant anniversary, please contact **Pat Swinson at 285-5996** so she can send a card from the parish to the family. Pat will need the name, address and information on the occasion in order to do so.

**Homebound Ministry**: If you know of someone who is homebound and would like to receive the Holy Eucharist, please contact Deacon at 285-7426.

<u>In need of a Priest:</u> Father Alex can be contacted at 910-285-1876 should you have an emergency or any life and death situation that requires a priest.

#### **Sacraments**

<u>Baptism</u>: Parents must attend 2 preparation classes prior to having your child baptized. Please schedule an appointment with Father Alex or with Deacon Price to discuss this procedure.

<u>Marriage:</u> The marriage preparation program for the Diocese of Raleigh takes six months. Call the parish office to schedule an appointment with Father Alex.

<u>Sacrament of Penance:</u> Thursday after Mass, Saturday before Mass or by appointment. Anointing of the Sick: Please call Father Alex if anyone is in need of this sacrament

*Prayer List* – Jay McCann, Amparo Cruz de Gonzalez, Noel Nunnermacker, Louise Lynch, Bill Norris, Shirley Northcott, J.L. Price, Dewayne Price, Janet Johnson, The Gerard Callahan family, Alex Powell, Corey Bock, The James Wetzel family, and all members of the military especially those in harm's way.

At the beginning of each month, The Prayer List will start a new prayer list. If someone, friend or family is sick, please let us know by emailing <a href="mailto:eileenhirshkind@aol.com">eileenhirshkind@aol.com</a> and we will list them in the bulletin.

#### **Mass Intentions**

Sat Jun 14– Repose of the soul of Katie Clark requested by Julie & Mike Couch Sun Jun 15 - Repose of the soul of Stacia Siengo requested by Karen Mackey

Mon Jun 16

Tue Jun 17-Wen Jun 18-

Thu Jun 19-

Fri Jun 20-

Sat Jun 21 - Repose of the soul of Kenneth Reed requested by Donna & Ed Schulz Sun Jun 22 - Repose of the soul of Jack Ladish, Birthday Rememberance requested by K.C.Ladish

John 11:25-26: Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in me will never die"

#### **RESPECT LIFE -**

"That special power of loving that belongs to a woman is seen most clearly when she becomes a mother. Motherhood is the gift of God to women. How grateful we must be to God for this wonderful gift that brings such joy to the whole world, women and men alike! Yet we can destroy this gift of motherhood, especially by the evil of abortion, but also by thinking that other things like jobs or positions are more important than loving, than giving oneself to others. No job, no plans, no possessions, no idea of 'freedom' can take the place of love. So anything that destroys God's gift of motherhood destroys His most precious gift to women--the ability to love as a woman."

----Blessed Mother Theresa, Letter to the Fourth World Conference on Women, Beijing, 1995

**Fetal Development of Hannah** Tradition teaches us Christ was conceived on the Feast of the Annunciation. We will watch the parallel development of "Hannah" in the womb beginning on March 25 (Feast of the Annunciation) until December 25.

Fetal Development of Hannah June 15 (week 13) Hannah now sleeps and exercises the muscles energetically. She is able to turn her head, curl her toes, make a fist and open and close her mouth while breathing the amniotic fluid to help develop the respiratory system. While Hannah is active, she is very small, weighing about one ounce. "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you," (Jer. 1: 5)

Pray for Our Priests:

Sunday 6/15: Fr. Francis Maloney Monday 6/16: Fr. Robert Kus Tuesday 6/17: Fr. Paul Parkerson Wednesday 6/18: Fr. Steven Carlson Thursday 6/19: Fr. William Walsh, O.S.F.S.

Friday 6/20: Fr. Alberto Dominco Saturday 6/21: Fr. Patrick Keane

Please pray for all our seminarians as the go on summer assignments. Also remember in your prayers our newly ordained priest: Fr. Michael Burbeck.



#### Flower Donation:



#### Sanctuary candle in memory/honor of:

Donating Flowers and Sanctuary Candles to decorate our Altar and Church is a great way to honor our beloved ones!

Envelopes are available in the vestibule to schedule flower and candle donations

#### Prayer for Priests by St. Therese de Lisieux

O Jesus, Eternal Priest, keep you priest, Fr. (name the priest), within the shelter of Your Sacred Heart, where none may touch him.

Keep unstained his anointed hands, which daily touch Your Sacred Body. Keep unsullied his lips, daily purpled with Your Precious Blood.

Keep pure and unearthly his heart sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood. Let Your holy love surround him and shield him from the world's contagion. Bless his labors with abundant fruit and may the souls to whom he ministers be his joy and consolation here and in heaven his beautiful and everlasting crown. Amen.

**HONORING**: The parish will be honoring Deacon Robert Price on the occasion of his retirement and saying a fond farewell to Father Alex on June 22nd at the River Room in the River Landing Country Club. *A* 

complete buffet brunch will be served at a cost of \$12 for adults and \$5 for children twelve and under. In order to provide an accurate count of attendees, we need your RSVP by June 10th at the latest. We can accept cash or checks made out to Transfiguration of Jesus Church. Please join us in showing our appreciation to Deacon Price for his many years of service to our parish. We will meet you at the Brunch at 10am.

Parish Council: We are happy to announce that Geri Cullen and Gary Deininger have been elected to the Parish Council. We will continue to have a great team although our past members will be missed. Please join me in thanking our outgoing members, Tom Wilder and Bob Sivori. A special thanks to Dick Smith for organizing the election process.

**BirthChoice**: There are Baby Bottles available in the rear of the church. Please help out the Knights of Columbus project benefitting Birthchoice and Project Rachel by taking a bottle and returning it by the end of June with some coins or a check made out to Birthchoice. The Birthchoice facility in Raleigh offers free medical assistance including free Ultrasounds to expecting mothers.

Summer Reading Volunteers The summer reading program is looking for more volunteers to help in tutoring local children. Reading is the foundation that will allow the children to succeed in life and come to know Christ. The program takes place two days a week at the Presbyterian Church. They will train volunteer before sessions begin. If anyone can help please contact Pat Barrow for more information.

plbarrow3@gmail.com

Also, if you know of any children that could be helped by the reading program let us know. We should get them into the program.



The *Fortnight for Freedom: Freedom to Serve* will take place from June 21 to July 4, 2014, a time when our liturgical calendar

celebrates a series of great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of persecution by political power—St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher, St. John the Baptist, SS. Peter and Paul, and the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome. The theme of this year's Fortnight focuses on the freedom to serve the poor and vulnerable in accord with human dignity and the Church's teaching.

Bishop Burbidge invites the Faithful to participate in Fortnight for Freedom All are invited to join with Bishop Burbidge in the celebration of Mass during the Fortnight for Freedom on Thursday, June 26 at 6:00 pm at St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church in Cary. A reception/picnic sponsored by the Knights of Columbus will follow the service. The Mass is an opportunity to participate in the 14-day Diocesan observance of the Fortnight for Freedom focusing on prayer, education and peaceful public action to protect our right to religious liberty. In addition, please bring baby formula and diapers as a donation to Catholic Charities in honor of the theme of this year's Fortnight which includes a dimension of service. More information and educational resources on the Fortnight for Freedom can be found at www.dioceseofraleigh.org.

#### LIGHTHOUSE

You are all invited to be part of an opportunity to continue to strengthen your faith. There is a committee of many that has been listening to the Lighthouse CDs. The committee is headed up by Sheila Bartoldi. We are excited to tell you that through these efforts and a meeting of discussion we have made a discovery that even the leadership of Lighthouse has been enlightened. We have been able to put the CD teachings into a ranking of green, yellow, red according to how we best believe they should be listened to. We have returned many CDs and ordered those that best meet our needs. We will select a CD each month to discuss and have a brief summary at Mass as well.

The first CD for discussion is on July 7th at 5:30 in the Parish Hall with fellowship following. The CD is titled "The Best Version of Yourself". Do not miss this great opportunity to share your thoughts at a group discussion.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP This year the Diocese is offering a four-day Catholic summer camp for our middle school students grades 6th, 7th and 8th -- an enriching and exciting way to spend the summer learning more about their faith. Campers will make new friends, get a feel for adventures, meet great speakers and have fun becoming an active member of our church. This event is located at Camp Dixie in Fayetteville. For registrations and more information please check the calendar of events. Deadline extended until June 15, 2014. For more information: http://www.dioceseofraleigh.org/how/youth/middle-school.aspx



HUNGRY HEART? Want to awaken your DESIRE....embrace your DESIGN.....reach your DESTINY?? Renowned Theology of the Body speaker & author of "Fill These Hearts" CHRISTOPHER WEST will offer the COR Seminar on Saturday July 26 which blends Live music, Videos,

and Presentations about the teachings of Saint John Paul II. Join us on the journey of redemption and healing to build a culture of Life & true Love! This special event has limited seating at St. Michael's in Cary, NC where Bishop Burbidge will celebrate a special Mass that morning. Get your tickets before it's sold out from your Parish volunteer or online for a flat fee at <a href="http://tiny.cc/COR-726">http://tiny.cc/COR-726</a>; Group discount available! If any questions, contact local Event leaders at COR4RALEIGH@gmail.com or (919) 589-COR4.

Happy Father's Day: Benedict XVI spoke about the meaning of God as Father. He acknowledged that "it is not always easy to talk about fatherhood" in a world where many children grow up without a reliable or loving father. For them, "imagining God as a father becomes problematic." And yet God has revealed Himself in Scripture, and most fully in the Person of Jesus, as "a Father who never abandons his children, a loving Father who supports, helps, welcomes, pardons and saves with a faithfulness that surpasses by far that of men and women, opening onto dimensions of eternity."

Men who are fathers receive the high calling of reflecting God's fatherhood to their children. Faithful, loving fatherhood is a precious gift, and Father's Day is an opportunity to thank fathers for their irreplaceable presence. For those who lack an earthly father's love, Pope Benedict reminds us that "the love of God the Father never fails, he does not tire of us; it is a love that gives to the end, even to the sacrifice of his Son."

Information to be added to the bulletin must be emailed to <a href="mailto:eileenhirshkind@aol.com">eileenhirshkind@aol.com</a> by Tuesday 10pm to appear in the upcoming bulletin. If you would like to receive an email copy, please visit <a href="www.catholicweb.com">www.catholicweb.com</a> or email



eileenhirshkind@aol.com

Being a Knight of Columbus is all about giving back to your community and building bonds of brotherhood. If you would like to be a part of our efforts to support our parish and our local community contact Gary Deininger, Grand Knight 665-1071

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#### Worship: Rosanna Hirshkind (285-8647)

- --Adoration: Pat Gasparini (285-4727), Donna Schulz (285-0711)
- --Altar Guild: Tish Vandiver (285-4737), Barbara Crecco (665-1231)
- --Altar Servers: Peter Huemiller (385-6281)
- --Extraordinary Ministers, Lectors, Ushers: Rosanna Hirshkind (285-8647)
- --Magnificat: Kathy Lord (285-8008) --Music: Lara Capparuccia (910-324-5540)

#### Faith Formation (Adult & Children): Fran Braks (665-1092)

#### Pastoral Care: Deacon Price (285-7426)

- --Bereavement & Hospitality: Kathy Lord (285-8008), Julie Couch (665-1068)
- -- Greetings: Pat Swinson (285-5996)
- --Vocation Liaison: Annie Barnhill (abarnhill27@gmail.com)
- --Homebound Eucharistic Ministry: Deacon Robert Price (285-7426)
- -- Prayer Shawl: Delores Huemiller (385-7891)
- --Prayer Tree: Geri Cullen (285-7334), Lita Hopkins (285-2830), Cheryl Partyka (285-6661)

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#### Fellowship: Nancy Mercure, <a href="mailto:nancy">nanamerc@centurylink.net(285-4172)</a>

- --First Sunday Breakfast: ,Melissa James (271-8221), Lillian Jimenez (665-1022), Judy Matthews (289-1738)
- -- Feast of the Transfiguration
- --Heritage Month Feast
- -- Christmas Concert & Dinner:

#### Works of Mercy: Mike Vandiver (285-4737)

- --Community: Feed Our Hungry Children, Julia Callahan (285-0503)
- -- Knights of Columbus: Gary Deininger, Grand Knight 665-1071
- --Prison Ministry in Pender County: Deacon Robert Price (285-7426)
- --Kitchen of Blessings: Peter Huemiller (385-6281)

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June 15, 2014			
Fiscal Year 7/1 through 6/8/2014			
STEWARDSHIP	BUDGET	Actual Weekly	Difference
	REQUIRED		YTD
Weekly Offertory	\$ 2,750	\$2,835	
YTD Offertory	\$ 132,800	\$ 134,707	\$1,902