

October 12, 2014  
The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

# Transfiguration of Jesus Catholic Church

## Pastor

Fr. Roch Drozdzik  
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## Deacon

Deacon Mike Vandiver  
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## 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. Roch 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, October 12- Sunday, October 19

Sunday Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23; Phi 4:12-14, 19-20; Mat 22:1-14  
Monday Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1; PS 113; Luk 11: 29-32  
Tuesday Gal 5:1-6; Ps 119; Luk 11:37-41  
Wednesday Gal 5:18-25; Ps 1; Luk 11:42-46  
Thursday Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98; Luk 11:47-54  
Friday Eph 1:11-14; Ps 33; Luk 12:1-7  
Saturday Tim 4:10-17b; Ps 145; Luk 10:1-9  
Sunday Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96; The 1:1-5b; Mat 22:15-21

The  
Word  
of God

## Important Information

Parish Registration: 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 ([emasininck@gmail.com](mailto:emasininck@gmail.com)).

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 Mike at 285-4737.

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

## Sacraments

Baptism: Parents must attend 2 preparation classes prior to having your child baptized. Please schedule an appointment with Father Roch or with Deacon Mike to discuss this procedure.

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

Sacrament of Penance: Thursday after Mass, Saturday before Mass or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call Father Roch if anyone is in need of this sacrament

**Prayer List** – Mateo Bock Garcia, Clyde Pankcoe, Melissa James, Augie Jiminez, Charlene Conrad, Mayela Cajar, Richard Favret, Carol Suter, Barbara Hatcher, Faye Sellers, Suzanne Powers, Chelsea Doane, Bill Norris, Shirley Northcott, 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 [eileenhirshkind@aol.com](mailto:eileenhirshkind@aol.com) and we will list them in the bulletin.

### Mass Intentions

Sat Oct 11–  
Sun Oct 12–  
Mon Oct 13  
Tue Oct 14–  
Wen Oct 15–  
Thu Oct 16–  
Fri Oct 17–  
Sat Oct 18 –  
Sun Oct 19 -

*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"*

Contact Geri Cullen to schedule Mass Intentions 910-285-7334

**RESPECT LIFE** "To defend and promote life, to show reverence and love for it, is a task which God entrusts to every man...."

----Pope John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*, 42

**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 October 5 (week 29)** I am about 14 inches tall now and growing really fast. I try to stretch out, and Mom can feel me move about. You could hear my heartbeat if you put your ear on my mother's tummy.

If Hannah were born now, Hannah would have an 85% chance of survival because her lungs have been getting stronger. "Rejoice always. Pray without ceasing. In all circumstances give thanks, for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus." (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

Sunday 10/12: Fr. Jaime Perrez

Monday 10/13: Fr. Chesco Garcia-Gonzalez

Tuesday 10/14: Fr. Jack Kelly, O.S.F.S.

Wednesday 10/15: Fr. John Raharjo

Thursday 10/16: Fr. William McConville, O.F.M.

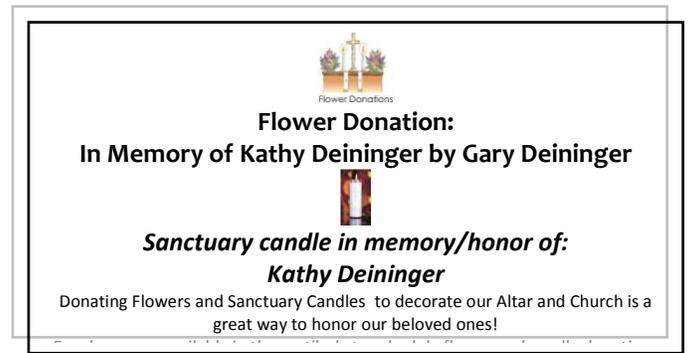
Friday 10/17: Fr. John Durbin

Saturday 10/18: Fr. Walter Ospina-Briceno

### 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.

**Altar Servers Meeting:** There will be an altar servers meeting on October 16th at 6:30 in the Parish Hall. This is for current and all new servers. We invite those who are interested in serving notify Peter Huemiller.



**Faith Formation:** Much has been happening in the Religious Education classes. There will be a training session for students who have expressed an interest in becoming altar servers. The training session will take place on October 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 at the Church. There will be pizza and cold drinks shared at a social after the training. A training session for students who would like to become lectors is in the process of being organized.

The first Sunday of each month, the students will be participating in the Mass as lectors, altar servers, greeters, and taking up the collection. This Mass is always followed by a breakfast in the Church Hall. Hopefully, all parishioners will come to the breakfast and meet these exceptional students. All people are asked to bring their special breakfast food to share with everyone.

The Confirmation students are required to complete 10 hours of Community Service for each year that they are in the program. You should be seeing these students working around the Church on special projects and in neighborhoods helping neighbors that need some assistance. If you know of any organization or person who could use the help of some able-bodied students, please e-mail Fran Braks at [franbraks@charter.net](mailto:franbraks@charter.net).

We can always use extra help for the program. Please consider becoming a teacher in the program, a sub for the classes, or help in supervising a special activity. Please contact Fran Braks if you are willing to help. The next class for all students is October 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Invitation:** You are cordially invited to attend a recital by cellist Dr. Robert Nosow and pianist Lara Capparuccia featuring music of Brahms, Chopin, Faure, and Saint-Saens. The recital will be presented twice: Saturday, October 11th at 7:00 p.m. at Northwoods Methodist Church, 1528 Gum Branch Rd, Jacksonville; and Sunday, November 2nd at 3:00 p.m. at the Basilica Shrine of St. Mary, 412 Ann Street, Wilmington.

**Coming next Saturday! It's almost here!** Catholic Convocation is Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at St. Michael Catholic Church in Cary! If you missed the October 10<sup>th</sup> registration deadline, you can still register at the door for this great \$50 bargain. There's something to deepen everyone's love of Jesus Christ in the many great workshops presenting **God's Holy Family: Rooted in Love, Sent to Serve**. Come and join us!

**Search for Christian Maturity** is a peer-led retreat for 10th-12th graders that encourages participants to seek and find Christ in them and in one another. Through a series of witness talks and activities prepared and given by a team of high school youth, you'll have the opportunity to look at your faith and life in a new way. Some participants have a strong faith while others are questioning God's existence. Wherever you stand in your faith journey, we encourage you to join us Oct. 17-19 or Nov. 14-16 for an experience that will be long remembered! Visit [searchretreat.wordpress.com](http://searchretreat.wordpress.com) for registration information or call Doug Smith at 252-321-2132 with questions.



WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES  
REGISTRATION opens this fall! Celebrate with the universal Church family at the

World Meeting of Families (WMF), Sept. 22-27, 2015 in Philadelphia. Over 152 nations are expected to gather for this Family Congress, packed with workshops, activities and an explosion of cultural enrichment throughout the city.

**IMPORTANT:** Watch daily for online registration this fall for at <http://www.worldmeeting2015.org> to secure your space! All families will need to register individually through the WMOF website according to the WMF organizers. Hotel rooms will be available to those who register first. Weekend rates will surely climb if there is an official announcement of the Pope's visit.

Sunday, October 19th, 2014

"Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." Have we worked to make our marriage of God, or is it of the worldly things? Come and learn how to bring God into your marriage. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** are Nov 7-9, 2014 in Atlantic Beach, NC and Feb 6-8, 2015 in Asheville, NC. Early sign up is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: <http://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at [applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org](mailto:applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org) or 704-315-2144.



Many of us manage marriage as a series of choices between his desires and her desires, between "peace at any price" and "letting it all hang out." Because they move us to extremes, these options don't bring us together. With The Third Option, you can learn how to break through the clutter of past baggage and misunderstandings and build an effective, loving relationship.

The Third Option is:

- A skills-based group program
- 16 session cycle; couples can begin participation at any time during the cycle
- Helpful for any marriage – from brink of divorce to solid ground
- Both spouses do not need to attend
- Educational focus rather than counseling

The Third Option is sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Raleigh and offered at the following churches:

St. Andrew the Apostle, CARE Bldg Rm 211, contact Cathy Rusin 919-362-0685, 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month.  
St. Francis of Assisi, Anthony Hall, Rms 405 and 406, contact Jason Lillis 919-847-8201 x244, 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month



### St. Stanislaus Church To Celebrate 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Polish Festival

St. Stanislaus Church in Castle Hayne, NC will celebrate our 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Polish Festival on **Saturday, November 1, 2014** from **11:00 AM to 5:00 PM** on the church grounds in Castle Hayne. Admission is free and there is plenty of parking on the church property.

Festival patrons can look forward to genuine Polish foods including kielbasa, stuffed cabbage, pierogi, potato pancakes, Polish beer, brewed by the Front Street Brewery, and desserts. We also offer a variety of hand crafted items and Polish souvenirs for sale. The Chardon Polka Band from Ohio will delight everyone with crowd favorite music that is sure to have you toe-tapping and dancing non-stop. For the young folks, there are always lots of games and activities. Festival goers are invited to try their luck on the raffle, the grand prize is \$2,000. cash with a second prize of \$1,000. and a third prize of \$500. There is something for everyone! St. Stanislaus Church is located at 4849 Castle Hayne Road (Hwy 133) in Castle Hayne. The parking lot entrance is on Marathon Ave. For more information ,please call 910 675-2336 or visit our website: [ststanislauscatholic.org](http://ststanislauscatholic.org).

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Information to be added to the bulletin must be emailed to [eileenhirshkind@aol.com](mailto:eileenhirshkind@aol.com) by Tuesday 10pm to appear in the upcoming bulletin. If you would like to receive an email copy, please visit [www.catholicweb.com](http://www.catholicweb.com) or email [eileenhirshkind@aol.com](mailto:eileenhirshkind@aol.com)

#### OUR MINISTRIES

##### Liturgist: 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, Greeters: Rosanna Hirshkind (285-8647)
- Magnificat: Kathy Lord (271-4660)
- Music: Lara Capparuccia (910-324-5540)

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

- Lighthouse CD info, Sheila Bartoldi 285-5702

##### Pastoral Care: Deacon Mike (285-4737)

- Bereavement & Hospitality: Kathy Lord (271-4660), Julie Couch (665-1068)
- Greetings: Pat Swinson (285-5996)
- Vocation Liaison: Annie Barnhill ([abarnhill27@gmail.com](mailto:abarnhill27@gmail.com))
- Homebound Eucharistic Ministry: Deacon Mike Vandiver (285-4737)
- Prayer Shawl: Delores Huemiller (385-7891)
- Prayer Tree: Geri Cullen (285-7334), Lita Hopkins (285-2830), Cheryl Partyka (285-6661)

Hispanic: Luis Galan (271-4200) or [luisgalan\\_r@hotmail.com](mailto:luisgalan_r@hotmail.com) or [www.facebook.com/TransfigurationCatholicChurch](http://www.facebook.com/TransfigurationCatholicChurch)

##### Fellowship: Nancy Mercure, [nanamerc@centurylink.net](mailto:nanamerc@centurylink.net) (285-4172)

- 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)

##### Administration: Huck Booz (285-5250)

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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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The weekly format for reporting in the Bulletin will be:

Offertory as of: month/day/year (posted)

Offertory: MTD Year to date: (fiscal) Required: YTD(+/-)

SEPT Jul/Aug/Sept/ \$2350xwks / ( )

We will show Special collections, National Collections, Maintenance and Donations, Monthly.

Example: The Bill Carone Car (Mustang) raffle has generated over \$ 3,000 in revenue versus a revenue budget of \$1500

Thank you!

Offertory week of Sept 21  
\$1581 vs \$2350 budget required -\$769

Offertory week of Sept. 28  
\$1994 vs \$2350 budget required - \$356

Offertory for the week of October 5  
\$3032.00 received vs \$2350 budget required + \$682