

October 26, 2014
The Thirtieth Sunday in
Ordinary Time

Transfiguration of Jesus Catholic Church

Pastor

Fr. Roch Drozdzik
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Deacon

Deacon Mike Vandiver
910-285-4737

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 26- Sunday, November 2

Sunday Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18; The 1:5c-10; Mat 22:34-40
Monday Eph 4:32-5:8; PS 1; Luk 13: 10-17
Tuesday Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19; Luk 6:12-16
Wednesday Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145; Luk 13:22-30
Thursday Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144; Luk 13:31-35
Friday Eph 1:1-11; Ps 111; Luk 14:1-6
Saturday Rev 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24; Joh 3:1-3
Sunday Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23; Ro 5:5-11, 6:3-9; Joh 6:37-40

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).

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 – Liz Madden, Bill Suter, Mateo Bock Garcia, Clyde Pankcoe, Melissa James, 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 and we will list them in the bulletin.

Mass Intentions

Sat Oct 25—Repose of the soul of Suzanne Powers reqstd by Maureen & John McCarthy

Sun Oct 26— Repose of the soul of Kathy Deininger reqsted by Gary Deininger

Mon Oct 27

Wen Oct 28-

Thu Oct 29-

Fri Oct 30-

Sat Oct 31 –

Sun Nov 1 -repose of the soul of Kathy Deininger requested by Gary Deininger

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 "When God created each of us, He did so with precision and purpose, and He looks on each of us with love that cannot be outdone in intensity and tenderness."

-----2014 Respect Life Program flyer, USCCB, Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities.

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 26 (week 32)

I weigh three pounds now and will gain about a half pound each week until birth. It's really cramped now, so Hannah has assumed the fetal position. I can see, but I don't have 20/20 vision and I won't have 20/20 vision until I'm 7 to 9 years old – hopefully. Mom is pretty uncomfortable. Fatigue is her constant companion. Sleeping on her left side may help, as it will remove some pressure on the nerves and blood vessels in her back. "For you love all things that are and loathe nothing that you have made; for what you hated, you would not have fashioned." (Wisdom 11:24)

Sunday 10/26: Fr. Gregory Lowchy

Monday 10/27: Fr. Tim Meares

Tuesday 10/28: Fr. Alfred Russell, O.S.F.S.

Wednesday 10/29: Fr. Frederick Conoscenti

Thursday 10/30: Fr. Michael Kerin, G.H.M.

Friday 10/31: Fr. Maro Ortiz

Saturday 11/1: Pope Francis

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.



Our next discussion group gathering will be at 5:30 on Monday, November 10th at the Church Hall. We will be talking about the CD "I'm Not Being Fed" with dinner following. Please mark your calendar and join us. We would also appreciate your spreading the word and letting others know about the special evening of good clean fun and spirituality. I guarantee that if you come to this discussion you will



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

have a spiritual boost for the upcoming holidays. I hope and pray that you can attend.

Dates to Remember

October 28th Safe Environment Training

All people who are involved with the children of the parish need to be certified in Safe Environment. This would include: teachers, altar server trainers, Choir directors, and people who will be working on special projects with our children. Safe Environment Training is a three-hour session that is required by the Diocese of Raleigh. There will be Spanish and English presenters at the session. All parishioners are invited to attend. It will be held on October 28th in the Parish Hall. Please contact Huck Booz if you plan on attending at booztex@charter.net

October 30th Training session for lectors

There will be an up-date and training session for all people who are presently lectors and those who would like to become lectors. Students who are in the Confirmation preparation class are welcome to attend. This meeting will take place on October 30th at 6:30 in the Parish Hall.

October 31st All Saints Day Vigil Mass 7pm (Spanish)

November 1st All Saints Day Mass 9am (English)

This is not a Holy Day of Obligation, but it is still Observed.

November 1st Unity Mass and Pot Luck Supper

A Unity Mass for the Hispanic and English Communities will be held on Saturday, November 1st at a 5:30 Mass followed by a pot luck supper in the Parish Hall. Both communities will be joining together for a rewarding get together. Every parishioner is encouraged to participate in the evening. Think about what special dish you would love to share with the community.

November 2nd All Souls Day- Commemoration Day of All the Faithful Departed at 830am Mass

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. Sunday, November 2nd at 3:00 p.m. at the Basilica Shrine of St. Mary, 412 Ann Street, Wilmington.



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.

Plant Sale Johnson Nursery will be holding a special PLANT SALE on Saturday, November 1st. Half the proceeds will be donated to our Mission Church of Santa Clara in Magnolia. The sale will be held right at the nursery in Willard, NC from 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM.



St. Stanislaus Church To Celebrate 17th Annual Polish Festival

St. Stanislaus Church in Castle Hayne, NC will celebrate our 16th 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.

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.



The food pantry is still asking for donations. Our food donations to the pantry have been falling off as of lately. Just a reminder that you can bring can goods on any mass day and we will see that they get delivered to the food pantry.

The Annual Homeschool Mass with Bishop Michael Burbidge, will take place on December 5th, 2014 at St. Mary Mother of the Church in Garner, North Carolina. Mass will start at 10:30a.m. and a reception will follow in the church hall until 1pm. All homeschoolers and their families of the Diocese are invited to attend. Visit this web address for registration links and contact information:
<http://tiny.cc/HMBishop>

October 25/26-2014
Report of Fiscal First Quarter Results for Transfiguration of Jesus Parish Revenues: First Qtr. Offertory was **\$27,057**
Offertory Required to achieve Budget: \$29,475 **(-\$1,968)**
All Donations (incl. Flowers, maintenance, etc) were: \$6809
Budget: \$5825 (+\$984)
Total Revenues First Quarter: \$36,764*
Budget Requirement: \$\$38,882 (-\$2,118) or \$770/month
*Includes a net over budget of \$1400 from Bill Carone Car Raffle
*includes \$1,000 restricted donation for Rectory roof repair

Total Expenses, First Quarter: \$32,304** anticipated budget required: \$\$35,152 (+\$2,748)**

**does not include last payment of the Hot water heater at the Rectory

**does not include anticipated rectory roof repairs

**does not include \$935 per month for insurance (normally paid in full (August)

As we prepare to enter the Advent Season, let us reflect and pray on ways we can assist the Parish community. New envelopes will be distributed; could you afford to begin using envelopes, if you have not in the past? Our revenue deficiency could be solved by 20 new envelope users contributing \$5 per week (or 10 new contributions \$10 per week!! Could you raise your existing contributions in a meaningful way during 2015?

There are many ways to praise God and serve our Parish. We need many volunteers to assist in the variety of Ministries that keep us operational. Your time and talents are treasures to the Church and we thank our active volunteers. Perhaps you could serve by bring a future member to Church, bring your friends and family when they visit. Please pray for a way that you can increase your service in 2014-2015 and we thank those who have kept us moving forward since becoming a Parish!!

Respectfully submitted, Mark Hopkins, Chair For the Finance Council

Adult Couples, are you looking for a great ministry? The Diocese of Raleigh is looking for Adult Coordinators who want to help with the Search retreat for high school students. The couples need to be at least 25 years of age and be interested in becoming part of the Adult Volunteer Team for future Search retreats. The requirements for this program are:

- Attended Search in the past as a teen or as an adult (prefer).
- Both members have to be in good standing with the Catholic Church.
- Have a passion to serve the youth of our Diocese in this retreat.
- Be willing to receive the Safe Environment training required by the Diocese.

Each couple will be mentored by experienced couples through the full training process. If you are interested, write a short description telling us about yourself, your gifts and why you feel called to the retreat program. Please send this to Katherine Angulo at Katherine.Angulo@

Suzanne LaTaif Powers, of Bridgewater, Connecticut, died peacefully on October 22, 2014. Suzanne is survived by her husband, John J. Powers to whom she was married 51 years.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to The Lustgarten Foundation (www.lustgarten.org) or New Milford VNA & Hospice, 68 Park Lane, New Milford, CT, 06776 (www.newmilfordvna.org). - See more at: <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/newstimes/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=172903812#sthash.9iEOIhrr.dpup>

Information to be added to the bulletin must be emailed to 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 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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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 for the week of October 5
\$3032.00 received vs \$2350 budget required + \$682

Offertory for the week of October 12, 2014
\$1679.00 received vs \$2350.00 budget required. (- 671.00)

Offertory for the week of October 19, 2014
\$2023.00 received vs \$2350.00 budget required. (- \$227)

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)
- 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 or

www.facebook.com/TransfigurationCatholicChurch

Fellowship: Nancy Mercure, 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)
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