# The Transfiguration of the Lord



Church of St. John the Evangelist

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#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday	31
4:00 PM	The Pennachio Family
5:30 PM	Eileen Martin
Sunday	August 1st 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 AM	Maria & Hugh Young
9:00 AM	Lucy Santucci
11:30 AM	Dennis Walsh
5:30 PM	Ronald Jedlicka
Monday	2 St. Eusebius of Vercelli
9:00 AM	Steven Bartoli
Noon	Ann & Joe Mooney
Tuesday	3
9:00 AM	Fred Dombek
Noon	For the People of the Parish
Wednesday	4 St. John Vianney
9:00 AM	Nancy Coyne
Noon	Michael Brennan
Thursday	5 Dedication of Basilica of St. Mary Major
9:00 AM	Baby Bryson Batt
Noon	Deceased members of the DeLuca Family
Friday	6 The Transfiguration of the Lord
9:00 AM	Kayla Crecco
Noon	Anthony McKeon
Saturday	7 St. Sixtus II
9:00 AM	Marion & Herb Hillery
4:00 PM	Domenico Zottola
5:30 PM	Mary Vece
Sunday	8 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 AM	Ronald Jedlicka
9:00 AM	Eileen Hoyt
11:30 AM	Elizabeth Barrett
5:30 PM	The Burke Family

#### While attending Mass at SJTE

## Unvaccinated parishioners are required to wear a mask, covering nose and mouth

Masks are optional for fully vaccinated.

No offertory procession; No Holy Water in Church; No Handshaking

In this parish, communion will be distributed in the hand only.

In this time of struggle, please be considerate and respectful to all.

#### **MEMORIAL OFFERINGS**

Bread & Wine For Single Men & Women

Sanctuary Lamp Richard & Myra Adamski

Altar Candles For Married Couples

Altar Flowers For Grandparents

#### Pray for our Deceased

Richard Kirzl FrederickZimmer Ann Zimmer Barbara A. Taylor William A. Heckett, Sr. Nancy Paciullo Patrick I. Hamill Santina T. Folchi

#### Pray for our Sick

Patricia Batt Baby Christian Courchaine Emily Frankfurter Joseph Porcelli Baby KJ Barry Baby Addison Intervallo Edna Heidt Muriel Lombardi Alex Luzzi Damian Frankfurter John & Sue Garabo William Tock Laura Chittenden Margret Fickeria Jack Benson Monroe Wiechman Baby James Connolly Frederick Porta

Maureen Mohammed Thomas Capozzi Jeanne LoPriore Fr. Patrick Curley Francis O'Hara Marion Heinzinger Nancy Hurley Joan Bloom Maria Menna Ann Baker Anne Scanlan Robert Zowaskey Andrew Yurko Fr. Brian C. Brennan Maria Porta

Franz Wolf

Joel Presworsky

Sr. Mary Anne Kinsella



#### Pray for our Military

Matthew Griffin, USN Joseph Monaco USAF Scott Air Force Base Ill Julie Mundy, USCG - Bahrain Ben Murphy, U.S. Marine Victor Prato, 82nd Airborne Division (Army) Gregory Lorenzini U.S. Navy, Virginia Justin Maguire, LTJG U.S. Navy - Bahrain Bryan Bennett, U.S. Navy, San Diego John Christopher Tucker, Navy, Submarine Matthew Jenkins, USN Nicholas D'Uso, Marines Michael DeSandre, 1st Lieutenant, Air Force Pilot. Nicholas Patrick Spadaccini, U.S. Army Nick Spiegler, U. S. Army Ryan D. Gorell LTJG USN Nurse, Africa Eric Gagne, U. S Navy Eyder Ferreira, U.S. Army John Michael Clifford, U.S. Marine Jacob DeLuca, U.S. Navy Jamie Maguire, ENS US Navy - Everett, WA Corporal Robert Firrincieli, U.S. Marines Michael E. Iadarola, Sgt. U.S. Marine in Afganistan Jack T. Hauprich, US Army Ranger Johnny Giustino, U.S. Army Catrina Babnik, U.S. Marine Michael White, United Sates Army Joshua Ymbras, United States Army Abraham J. Keogh, United States Army Gavin Kerr, U.S. Navy Brian Velazquez, U.S. Marine Matthew Mellon- U.S. Army-Kuwait.



#### Transfiguration of the Lord August 6<sup>th</sup>



Christian commemoration of the occasion upon which <u>Jesus</u> Christ took three of his disciples, Peter, James, and John, up on a mountain, where Moses and Elijah appeared and Jesus was transfigured,

his face and clothes becoming dazzlingly bright (Mark 9:2–13; Matthew 17:1–13; Luke 9:28–36).

The festival celebrates the revelation of the eternal glory of the Second Person of the Trinity,

which was normally veiled during Christ's life on earth. According to tradition, the event took place on Mount Tabor.

#### **Blood Drive**

Mahopac Fire House will host a blood drive on

Saturday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

from

10am to 4pm

(second floor)

There is a desperate need for blood at this time.

Please consider donating.

Fr. Caruso
will be on vacation
from
Monday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>
through
Friday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

#### Do Something Beautiful for God (Teachings of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta)



Let me tell you something: If you feel the weight of your sins, do not be afraid! He is a loving Father; God's mercy is greater than we can imagine.



Saint Michael, the Archangel,

Please guide and protect our Police Officers, Correction Officers, Firefighters, Emergency Personnel and First Responders

#### Prayer for our Troops

Almighty God and Father, hold our servicemen and women in your loving hands.

Protect them as they protect us.

Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time and need.

We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior.

Amen.

#### **Respect Life**

#### Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

may have prophesied about the times we are living in over 72 years ago.

On January 26, 1947, he asked in a radio broadcast

"Why is it that so few realize the seriousness of our present crisis?"

He then answered this question by stating

"Partly because men do not want to believe their own times are wicked, partly because it involves too much self-accusation, and principally because they have no standards outside of themselves by which to measure their times..."

"Only those who live by faith really know what is happening in the world. The great masses without faith are unconscious of the destructive processes going on." ... "The chaos of our times is the strongest negative argument that could ever be advanced for Christianity."

The Archbishop also stated that as for those who stand up for the faith, for prolife, for marriage,

"Evil must come to reject us, to despise us, to hate us, to persecute us, and then shall we define our loyalties, affirm our fidelities and state on whose side we stand."

He also reminds us that after "Our Divine Lord had pictured the catastrophes that would fall upon a morally disordered civilization... He did not say 'Fear', but when these signs begin to happen, stand erect and raise you heads because your redemption is at hand." (Luke 21:28)

Finally, Archbishop Sheen reveals that there is only one path out of the chaotic conditions. "The only way out of this crisis is spiritual, because the trouble is not in the way we keep our books, but in the way we keep our souls. The time is nearer than you think."

He then advises us to pray to St. Michael and to turn especially to Our Lady who said at Fatima,

"In the end, My Immaculate Heart will triumph."

Taken from the National Catholic Register.



#### God Bless The U.S.A. Song by Lee Greenwood

If tomorrow all the things were gone I worked for all my life And I had to start again With just my children and my wife I'd thank my lucky stars To be livin' here today 'Cause the flag still stands for freedom And they can't take that away And I'm proud to be an American Where at least I know I'm free And I won't forget the men who died Who gave that right to me And I'd gladly stand up Next to you and defend her still today 'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land God bless the USA From the lakes of Minnesota To the hills of Tennessee Across the plains of Texas From sea to shining sea From Detroit down to Houston And New York to L.A.

Well, there's pride in every American heart
And it's time we stand and say
That I'm proud to be an American
Where at least I know I'm free
And I won't forget the men who died
Who gave that right to me
And I'd gladly stand up
Next to you and defend her still today
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land (love this land)

God bless the USA
And I'm proud to be an American
Where at least I know I'm free
And I won't forget the men who died
Who gave that right to me
And I'd gladly stand up
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'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land (love this land)
God bless the USA

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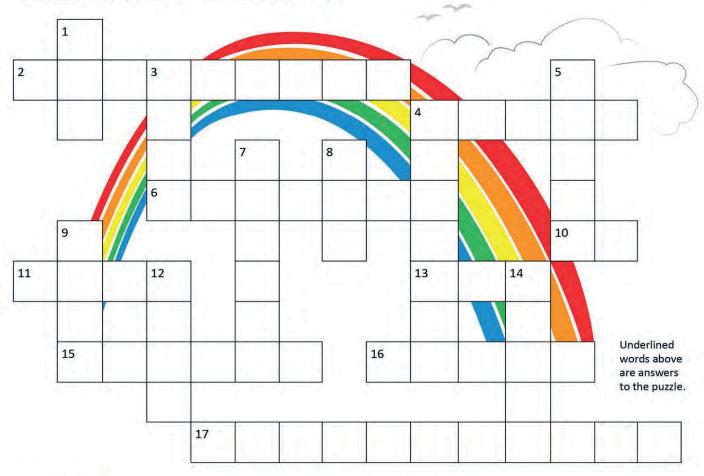
#### **Gospel Today**

#### Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | John 6:24-35

The people following Jesus are looking for miracles like the bread and fish they had to eat, but they are also looking for something to believe in. Jesus tells them the truth, to believe in the One sent by God, and says "I am the bread of life".

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They don't understand Jesus means <u>eternal</u> life, not food to sustain life. The people <u>near</u> Jesus are looking for a <u>sign</u>, like the <u>manna</u> "bread from <u>heaven</u>" their <u>forefathers</u> were given.



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1------ Jesus was sent by \_\_\_\_\_.
3------ Jesus is the bread of \_\_\_\_.
4------ We \_\_\_\_ in one God.
5----- Moses was given \_\_\_\_ , "bread from heaven".
7----- Many \_\_\_\_ were following Jesus.
8----- Jesus is the \_\_\_\_ sent by God.
9----- The people had eaten bread and \_\_\_\_.
12----- Not far, \_\_\_\_.
14------ Jesus says, "I tell you the \_\_\_\_".

#### **ACROSS**

2 People were Jesus.
4 Jesus says, "I am the of life".
6 Everlasting, or life.
10 Jesus says, "I".
11 The people are looking for a from God.
13 Hungry people
15 Manna was called "bread from".
16 The people were following
17 Their ate manna.

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