

CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

NEW SUMMER SCHEDULE:

Mondays-Thursdays: 10a.m. to 4p.m.

1-408-264-3600 / transfiguration@dsj.org

AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY: 1-408-264-3600

Or call DSJ Answering Service Hotline:

408-345-2445 for a priest.

Community Ministry "Clothes Closet"

Tuesday-Weds. -Thursday, 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Please call Parish Office to leave a message for

CMO: 1-408-264-3600 or for an appointment.

Website:

www.transfigurationsanjose.parishesonline.com

Here you will find copies of bulletins, links to the readings of the day, saint of the day, Faith Magazine, movie reviews and much more!

Online Giving: Sign-up by visiting our parish website. If you would like assistance with creating a new account or have questions regarding **Online Giving**, please contact the Parish Office.

eScrip: Simple, easy fundraising program that benefits our church. Visit www.escrip.com

Group Name: Transfiguration Catholic Community;
Group ID: 147106999

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PARISH BULLETIN: Announcement Aug.2nd bulletin are due EARLY via email by 5pm July 20th, to Judy Bateman at: jbateman@dsj.org Kindly put DATE of Bulletin article on your SUBJECT line. Submissions are as space allows.

CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday, Weds., Thursday: 8:45 a.m. in Chapel

FIRST FRIDAYS: 8:45 a.m.

(with Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction)

Holy Days Masses: TBA

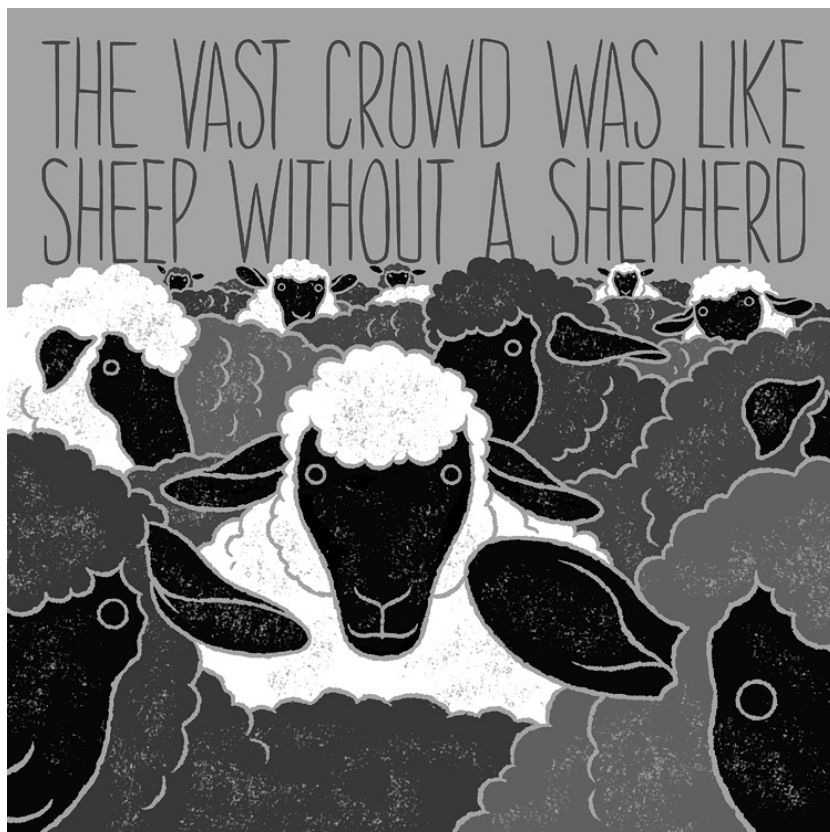
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm or by appointment

Please contact the Parish Office for information regarding the **Sacrament of Baptism, Sacraments of Initiation, Sacrament of Matrimony, or Anointing of the Sick.**

OUR WARMEST WELCOME TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US!

We invite you to register as a member! Registration forms can be found in the Narthex. Place your completed form in collection basket, mail it, or bring to Parish Office.



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The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ July 19, 2015

**CATECHETICAL MINISTRY FAITH FORMATION & EDUCATION
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Mark 6:30-34...Jesus takes on the role of shepherd to the crowds.

Even in their most debased moments, God looked lovingly on Israel. When leaders failed them, God promised them leaders who would carefully shepherd them. Jesus follows in this lineage of caring shepherds. We hear today that he cared for his disciples when they were weary and viewed the crowds who followed him with loving regard. God's promises are truly fulfilled in Jesus, who continues to care for and shepherd us. The Lord is, indeed, our shepherd.

LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN (LTWC) is a special celebration of the Word (during 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday mornings) created in accordance with the *Directory of Masses with Children*. It is "lectionary-based" for children ages 5-12 yrs. attending Mass with their parents/families. **NO REGISTRATION OR COST IS REQUIRED!** **LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN** is designed to include children in the liturgy and create a sense of belonging...to create a prayerful celebration simple enough that its message will be meaningful for them. The **Children's Liturgy of the Word** is meant to be a prayerful listening and response to Scripture...a means for the children's deeper involvement in the Mass because it is an offering on their level of understanding. In addition, it allows children to experience liturgy through ritual activity (*gestures, listening, responding, sharing, standing, processing*). **Liturgy of the Word for Children**, while focused on God's Presence in children's lives, allows respect for and understanding of children's loving relationship with God and a prayerfulness from the children's point of view. **(SPECIAL NOTE: Liturgy of the Word for Children essentially is worship, communal prayer. It is not meant to be confused with or take the place of ongoing Catechetical Ministry Faith Formation classes.)** If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact **Paula Ramos** (Director of Faith Formation) at: (408) 823-3522 or pramos@dsj.org

RCIA: RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Are you someone (*or do you know someone*) who has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Or, was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? **Church of the Transfiguration** offers the opportunity to come together to learn more about our Catholic faith through the **RCIA process (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**. You are welcome to participate with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm, accepting setting. For information, please contact **Fr. Tito Cartagena Jr., Pastor** at: (408) 264-3600 or tcartagenas@dsj.org

This year, the Church will celebrate **CATECHETICAL SUNDAY** on **September 20, 2015**, and will focus on the theme "**Safeguarding the Dignity of Every Human Person.**" Those whom the community has designated to serve as Catechists will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry (*by Fr. Tito*) during the **10:30 a.m. Liturgy**. This is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith.

ATTENTION: ALL LITURGICAL MINISTERS (*Altar Servers, Greeters, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers*) Soon, we will begin working on the **LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE** for the months of **SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER & NOVEMBER**. If there are any dates for which you **DO NOT** wish to be scheduled, please contact **Paula Ramos** by **Sunday, August 2nd** at: (408) 823-3522 or pramos@dsj.org

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES in the Diocese of San Jose:

Pre-need and at time of death. Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Los Altos & Calvary Cemetery, San Jose Visit website: www.ccdsj.org or Call 650-428-3730 We are here to serve you.

Information for Reporting Complaints or Allegations of Sexual Misconduct: Diocese of San Jose: Contact The Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults, 1150 North First Street, Suite 100, San Jose, CA 95112 Phone: 408-983-0113 Emergency Hotline: 408-983-0141 Email: protection@dsj.org Fax: 408-983-0147

MASS INTENTIONS

July 25, 2015:

5:00 PM: Paul Darius +

July 26, 2015:

9:00 AM: Cecelia Aranha +

10:30 AM: Federico Gallucci +



PRAYER INTENTIONS:

For Repose of the Souls of:
Dearly Departed Loved Ones

For the Sick & Recovering of our parish:

Yvonne Darius, Larry LaPointe,
& Eileen Mitchell

For the Family & Friends of our Parish:

Tony Alvarez, Anna Clara, Cameron Hawkins,
Gloria Helten, Allison Johnson, Kristen Marcolini,
Victoria Ramirez, McKenna Smith,
Erol Sunalp & Carol Uribe

(Names will appear for one month unless a call is received to extend the time or remove the name. Please contact Parish Office).

READINGS for July 26, 2015

First Reading — Elisha feeds a hundred people with twenty barley loaves (2 Kings 4:42-44).

Psalms — The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs (Psalm 145).

Second Reading — Paul urges the Ephesians to live in a manner worthy of the call they received (Ephesians 4:1-6).

Gospel — Jesus feeds a large crowd with five barley loaves and two fish (John 6:1-15).

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Please make a personal family decision to help us reach our weekly goal.

STEWARDSHIP UPDATES

July 12, 2015

NEW Collection Goal..... \$8,000.00

Please check back next weekend. Collection totals not available due to Bulletin Editor early submission deadline due to vacation schedule. Thank you.

Faith Beyond 2000 is a dynamic faith formation program for catechists and others, interested in gaining a better understanding of their faith. The program covers Catholic faith fundamental and uses up-to-date DVD material from Echoes of Faith Plus. It follows the Catechism of the Catholic Church and the guidelines for Catechist Certification in California. Faith Beyond 2000 consists of **11 sessions**—Attend all the sessions and receive a Certificate of Completion at the end, or attend only those sessions you wish. Contact Paula Ramos at 408-823-3522 or pramos@dsj.org

