

# REGINA COELI / ST. PAUL

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## THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD- AUGUST 6, 2017

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### Welcome to the Parish Community of Regina Coeli/St. Paul's!

A warm welcome is extended to all who have come to Regina Coeli/St. Paul's this weekend to join together in this community of worship and praise to Almighty God. We are grateful to our faithful parishioners who come here every weekend and ask you to officially register if you have not. Also we welcome our neighbors and guests who visit us occasionally and want you to know that you are always welcome! If any of the below choices pertain to you, complete the information below and drop in the offertory basket or stop by the Rectory.

-----THANK YOU!-----

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Would like to register  Send me Catholic New York

Send Offertory Envelopes  Need to speak with a priest

Moving, remove from parish census



### MONDAY, AUGUST 7 - ST. SIXTUS II & COMPANIONS & ST. CAJETAN

9:00am Ginny Taylor

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 8 - ST. DOMINIC

9:00am Special Intention - Fr. Leo Prince

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 - ST. TERESA

### BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS

9:00am Anthony Kondysar

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

9:00am Marion Scudzinski

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 11 - ST. JOHN VIANNEY

9:00am Ed Zotyak

### Saturday, AUGUST 12 - The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

9:00am Living & Dec'd Members Moran & Egan Families

5:00pm Anna Teresa Conforti

### Sunday, AUGUST 13 - 19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30am Helen Fumasoli

9:00am Barbara Arentsen

9:30am Daniel Duffy, Jr.

11:30am Janet Marie Sandola



Intentions are available for each of the 6 candles that burn in The Adoration Chapel. The stipend for 1 week is \$25. If you would like to arrange for a candle intention, call the rectory office, and we will be happy to help you.

Week of AUGUST 7 - AUGUST 12

\*Special Intention - President Donald Trump

\*Special Intention - For the Unborn

\*Special Intention - The Stanton Family

Intentions Available for the above dates

**Please pray for all priests and deacons**

**Make a Difference In the World!**

**REVEREND RICHARD LaMORTE**

**It's Easy! Pray that young men in our Archdiocese will hear and answer God's call to the priesthood.**

**For more info contact Fr. Christopher Argano**

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## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

07/30/2017 \$7,769.97

*Thank you for your continued support of your Parish and all its efforts for the gospel.*



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Available times that need coverage:** Please call Joan @ 229.2983, Janet @ 229.5378 or Don @ 229.5920 if you can spend an hour with Our Lord. Hours needed: Tuesday, 12 Noon, Wednesday 11:00am . **Please note that the chapel will be available for prayer Mondays, 9:30am to 5:00pm and Tuesdays through Fridays, 7:00am to 5:00pm.**



Laura Ames	Ann Arata	Paul Becker
Jazmine Cappillino	Ray Choinsky	Kathy Clonan
Mitchell Dankirt	Crystal Dearborn	Pat Delissio
David Freer	John Frederichs	Rita Froehlich
Ollie Gorr	Ben Gould	Angelik Guthrie
Gail Helwig	Donnie Imperati	Laurie Jacobs
Patricia Kelly	Julie Kiander	Pat Laliberti
Bertha Lampson	Bonnie Laurino	Pamela Nollen
Audrey Marie Michael	Judith Petro	Thomas Petro
Aly Procktor	Joan Quigley	Mark Quirk
Rob Riveria	Bob Shore	Anne Slobodian
Harry Slobodian	Collum Tartter	Ann Vermehren
Fr. Peter Vianney	Clyde Wonderly	Danielle Flanagan

## Please pray for our loved ones serving in the Military...

Paul S. Davis, Army Reserve  
Christopher Delgado, Lieutenant, 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne, Army NC  
Vincent DeSantola, Pvt. Marines, North Carolina  
Staff Sargent Patrick E. Dixon, Hurlburt Field A.F.B., Florida  
Chris Kondysar, Hurlburt Field A.F.B., Florida  
Thomas summers, Major, Army, Camp Casey, Korea  
James Van Norstrand, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt., Army, Fort Benning, Ga.  
Kevin Woods, Colonel, US Army

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## Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord

In 2005, I purchased a beautiful icon of the Transfiguration of the Lord from a dealer in icons located in Washington, D.C. It was painted (or as an iconographer would say, "written") by a cloistered nun in Damascus, Syria in 1983. It possesses a noble simplicity, and more wood-toned in nature, as opposed to the richly gold-leaved icons of the Russian and Greek traditions. But the story behind how it ended up in my possession is rather sad. The icon was given to the icon dealer as a gift from a priest shortly after it was completed in Damascus. Tragically, the friendship between the priest and this icon merchant fizzled and she felt a need to dispossess the icon. I have had this icon for twelve years now and I greatly treasure it. But there is that sad reminder that had that friendship not been broken, the icon dealer would still have it as a tool for prayer and meditation. For me, this icon is a reminder of the necessity of friendship and how true Christian friendship "transfigures" us. The icon provides for me the opportunity to pray for people in my life that I have disappointed or have not provided necessary friendship and assistance in their time of need.

The Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord is such an important event in the church that it takes precedence in Sunday worship, and in this case, the beginning of the Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time. In our Gospel reading for this Sunday, Matthew 17: 1-9, Jesus takes Peter, James, and James' brother John to the top of Mount Tabor overlooking Samaria (an incredibly high mountain, difficult indeed to climb), and there, Jesus, flanked by Moses and Elijah is "transfigured" before their eyes. It is an incredible act of friendship on the part of Christ. Jesus knew full-well that the apostles would face serious questioning, uncertainty, persecution, and even death for His Name. So Jesus gave them a little glimpse of Heaven. In their hours of darkness, they could look back to that solicitous act of Jesus and know that to follow Him is all worth it.

Saint John Mary Vianney (+1859), echoing the words and sentiments of the many saints who preceded him described the holy Eucharist as the "closest manifestation of Heaven this side of Eternal Life." The Eucharist, Christ's Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, transforms us and gives us hope as we continue our pilgrimage here on earth

-Fr. Michael Morris

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a candidate for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, contact Bill Schneider, General Agent at 914-420-6836 or [william.schneider@kofc.org](mailto:william.schneider@kofc.org).

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## REGINA COELI AT THE FAIR

It's that time of year again! The sign-up sheets for volunteers can be found at the main entrances of both Regina Coeli and St. Paul's. Your help is **urgently** requested for this event – a major fundraiser for the parish for more than 40 years. Those who have helped us previously have found that it is a good opportunity to meet fellow parishioners and to do your part to help our parish while having a great time. Many families find it a wonderful opportunity to teach their children about the joys of volunteering while having a fund day (or evening) at the fair. There are three shifts per day August 22-27. All volunteers (age 12 and over) will receive an entry ticket to the fair on the day(s) they are working which will allow you to use the rest of the day before or after your scheduled shift to enjoy the fair itself. Children under 12 are welcome to come with their parents, but do not require a ticket to enter the fair, so please do not enter their names on the sheets. Thank you again for your support and we hope to see you at the Regina Coeli Steak-Out Booth this year. If you have any questions, please contact Pat Sheehan at 229-7193 (leave message) for more information.

### **HYDE PARK KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Used Clothing Drop-Off Shed, 1278 Rt. 9G,**

**Please bag & tie your donations.**

**RECEIPTS AVAILABLE.**

**All proceeds will be used to serve our community.**

**ROSARY PRAYER SERVICE** – Hosted by the Hyde Park Knights of Columbus as part of the Council's **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Rosary Program.** **At Regina Coeli Church, Immediately Following the July 29, 5:00pm Mass.**

### **The LEARNING CENTER @ REGINA COELI**

The Learning Center at Regina Coeli - WE ARE OPEN FOR THE SUMMER!! Summer Enrichment begins on July 10 – August 18, Monday to Thursday, 10:00 to 12:00 or 12:30 to 2:30. Tutoring still available from First Grade through High School and Adults. Summer Regents review!! Phone: 845-518-9056. WEBSITE: [thelearningcenterrcc.com](http://thelearningcenterrcc.com);  
Email: [info@TheLearningCenterAtReginaCoeli.org](mailto:info@TheLearningCenterAtReginaCoeli.org)

### ***Safety First***

A reminder to exercise vigilance during our times of prayer in the church. Thanks to Vector security, security cameras have been installed at all 3 entrances to the church, as well as at the rectory.

### **WELCOME FATHER THOMAS LUTZ!**

Please note that Father will not be a parochial vicar here and I am fully aware that his responsibilities of daily Mass and pastoral care at Lourdes will free him up to assist our parish only on Sundays. Father Lutz is no stranger to Hyde Park. A native of Poughkeepsie, Father Lutz's father was the long-time proprietor of a drugstore on 9G in East Park. Father Lutz has relatives, friends, and acquaintances here at Regina Coeli. Looks like a perfect fit! We will be seeing Father Lutz on Sunday's beginning in September. --Fr. Michael Morris

## ST. ISAAC JOGUES 1607-1646

Our single endeavor should be to give ourselves to the work and to be faithful to [God]. *From a letter of Isaac Jogues a month before he died.* He was born January 10, 1607 in Orleans, France & died October 18, 1646 in Ossernenon, Canada. He was a Jesuit priest, missionary, and one of the "North American Martyrs." Working among the native population in North America, he was captured by the Iroquois natives twice and was martyred the second time.

## Weekday Parking Concerns, Center for Physical Therapy

Our parish is blessed to have good neighbors in the Center for Physical Therapy across from the church on Harvey Street. We are most grateful that they allow parishioners to park in their lot on Saturday evenings and Sundays. However, it has been brought to the attention of the rectory that some of our parishioners park in the lot on weekdays for the 9:00 a.m. Mass. The Center has asked ever so kindly that we not use their parking lot on weekdays, in that the lot is essential for patients who may have mobility issues. Fortunately, Regina Coeli has a large parking lot on the south side of the church for use by parishioners.

## Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"This is my beloved Son...listen to Him..." Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and listen to God's Plan for your marriage. For more information or to register visit our website at [wmearchny.org](http://wmearchny.org) or call Peter & Sheila Oprysko at 201-561-9367

## REGINA COELI RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

For more information, call Kathie Depew @ 229-9139 or e-mail: [mrskdepew@reginacoelihp.org](mailto:mrskdepew@reginacoelihp.org)

**RCIA PROGRAM AT REGINA COELI CHURCH**...contact the Religious Education office at 229-9139 or leave a message for Deacon Mark @ 229-2134.

**BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY** at Regina Coeli -. If you or someone you know might benefit from such a meeting, or if you would like more information contact Deacon Peter Dalmer @ 229-2134 or Janet Swartvager @ 889-4756.

**REGINA COELI NURSING HOME MINISTRY** – People needed to bring the Good news to people living at home or in nursing homes. Generally Monday's and Saturday's...about 2-4 hours every three months. Please contact Deacon Peter at the rectory for more information and to volunteer.

**St. VINCENT DePAUL** - This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to "acknowledge the goodness of the Father" by providing assistance to many needy families in our community. Thank You! PLEASE CALL THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL AT 845-332-2013 SO THAT TOGETHER WE CAN HELP THOSE WHO ARE HUNGRY. **WE ARE SELLING DISCOUNT CARDS FOR Poughkeepsie FOR \$12. Contact us at 845-332-2013 for details.**

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