

FROM THE SERMONS OF POPE ST. LEO THE GREAT

On the Transfiguration

The Lord taketh chosen witnesses, and in their presence, revealeth His glory. That form of body which He had in common with other men, He so transfigured with light, that His Face did shine as the sun, and His raiment became exceeding white as snow. Of this metamorphosis the chief work was to remove from the hearts of the disciples the stumbling at the Cross. Before their eyes was unveiled the splendour of His hidden majesty, that the lowliness of His freely-chosen suffering might not confound their faith. But none the less was there here laid by the Providence of God a solid foundation for the hope of the Holy Church, whereby the whole body of Christ should know with what a change it is yet to be honoured. The members of that body whose Head hath already been transfigured in light may promise themselves a share in His glory.

For the strengthening the Apostles and bringing them forward into all knowledge, there appeared unto them Moses and Elias that is, the Law and the Prophets talking with Him. Before five witnesses did His glorification take place, as though to fulfill that which is written: At the mouth of two witnesses, or at the mouth of three witnesses, shall the matter be established. Deut. xix. 15. What can be more certain, what can be better attested than this matter, which is proclaimed by the trumpets of both the Old and the New Testaments, and concerning which the witness of ancient testimony uniteth with the teaching of the Gospel? The pages of either Covenant strengthen one another, and the brightness of open glory maketh manifest and distinct Him Whom the former prophecies had promised under the veil of mysteries.

The unveiling of such mysteries roused the mind of the Apostle Peter to an outburst of longing for the things eternal, which despised and disdained the things worldly and earthly overflowing with gladness at the vision, he yearned to dwell with Jesus there, where the revelation of His glory had rejoiced him. And so he said Master, it is good for us to be here if Thou wilt, let us make here three tabernacles, one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias. To this proposal the Lord answered nothing, this signifying, that what Peter wished was not wrong, but out of place, since the world could not be saved but by the death of Christ. And the Lord's example was to call the faith of believers to this, that albeit we are behoven to have no doubts concerning the promise of eternal blessedness, yet we are to understand that, amid the trials of this life, we are to seek for endurance before glory.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR AND MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE 8AM MASSES THIS WEEK

♦ Sunday, August 6, 8:00am, 11:00am, 4:00pm: Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ

Intention: For the Maravelli Family by David and Carol Najdusak

♦ Monday, August 7, 8:00am: St. Cajetan, Confessor; St. Donatus

Intention: For Loretta Katzin † by David and Carol Najdusak

♦ Tuesday, August 8, 8:00am: St. John Mary Vianney, Confessor; Ss Cyriacus, Largus, & Smaragdus

Intention: For Tim Tinnirello by Mary Elizabeth

♦ Wednesday, August 9, 8:00am: Vigil of St. Laurence; St. Romanus

Intention: Priest's Intention

♦ Thursday, August 10, 8:00am: St. Laurence, Martyr

Intention: For the Katzin Family by David and Carol Najdusak

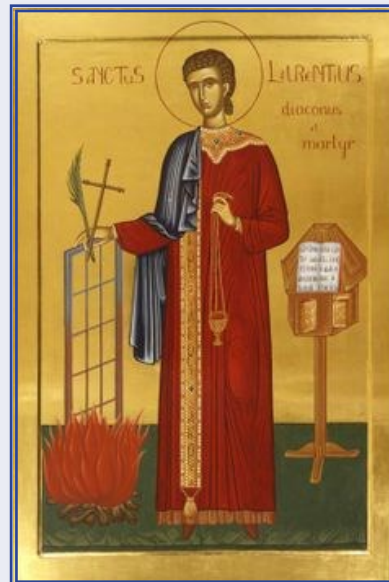
♦ Friday, August 11, 8:00am, 6:00pm: Feria; Ss Tiburtius & Susanna

Intention: For Annie Wanen by Jerry Ondik

♦ Saturday, August 12, 8:00am: St. Clare, Virgin

Intention: For Donette Wanen † by Jerry Ondik

♦ Sunday, August 13, 8:00am, 11:00am, 4:00pm: Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

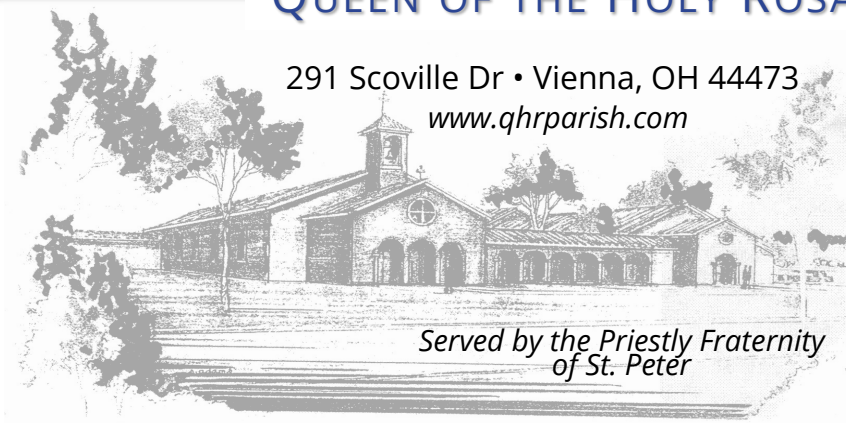


The 11am Mass each Sunday is offered for the parish.

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The Priestly Fraternity of St Peter (Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri - FSSP) is a Society of Apostolic Life of Pontifical Right founded in 1988. The Fraternity operates seminaries in Denton, Nebraska and Wigratzbad, Germany. Presently, the FSSP has approximately 350 priestly members and more than 120 seminarians.



HOLY MASS:

Monday – Saturday: 8:00am

Sunday: 8:00am, 11:00am & 4:00pm

Fridays additionally: 6:00pm

Holy Days as Announced

CONFESSION:

Monday - Saturday: 7:30am-7:50am

Friday (additional) 5:30pm-5:50pm

Saturday (additional) 8:40am-9:00am

Sunday: 7:15am-7:50am; 10:15am-10:50am & 3:30pm-3:50pm

BLESSING OF SACRAMENTALS:

Following Mass on the 4th Sunday of every month or by request

ALTAR SERVER PRACTICE:

First Fridays from 9-10 am

BENEDICTION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Fridays: 8:40 am

First Fridays: 6:40 pm

During Lent: Stations of the Cross

First Saturdays: 8:40 am

Benediction follows Mass on the 1st Sunday of every month

ADDITIONAL DEVOTIONS:

• Miraculous Medal Novena: *Wednesdays following Mass*

• Perpetual Novena to the Divine Infant of Prague: *Thursdays following Mass*

• Exposition, Litany of Loreto, Act of Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary: *1st Saturdays following Mass*

Please see back of bulletin for this week's Mass Schedule and Intentions

WELCOME VISITORS AND NEW PARISHIONERS!

Interested in becoming a parishioner?

Registration cards are located at the church entrances. Return your card to the church office.

Not a Catholic and interested in becoming one?

Please let Father know.

Is someone you know sick or in need of the Sacraments?

Please call Fr. Fongemie to arrange a visit.

AUGUST 6, 2023 TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD JESUS

COLLECTIONS

• Offertory July 30: \$8,047.38

92 Contributions

Average Contribution: \$87.47

8:00 am: \$3,937.38

11:00 am: \$3,249

4:00 pm: \$721

Online: \$140

• Building and Maintenance July 30: \$150

• Second Collection Today is for the Missionary Society of St. Paul

Text GIVE to 330-886-4204 to make secure online payments.

You may also use the QR code above or visit <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/qhrvienna>.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Today we are visited by Fr. Valentine Iheanacho MSP. Fr. Iheanacho will be speaking to us at Mass about the work of the Missionary Society of St. Paul. The second collection will be taken up in support of their efforts. Welcome to our parish, Fr. Iheanacho!

• **The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** is on Tuesday, August 15. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times will be 8am, 12pm, and a sung Mass at 7pm.

• **Public Rosary Rally** in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary: Saturday, August 19. Prayers will begin at noon. We will park at the bottom of the Michael's parking lot in the Eastwood Mall area. We will pray in the grassy area adjacent to the parking lot, facing Shaker Blvd SE. See signs posted with map for clarity.

• **Married Couples Evening:** Saturday, August 26, 4-7pm. Sign-up sheets are located at the church entrances.

• **Pilgrimage of Restoration:** Friday, September 29-Sunday, October 1. Join chaplain Fr. Favole, FSSP, Fr. Houck, and hundreds of other pilgrims on a journey through majestic Adirondack forests sanctified by the blood of the North American Martyrs to the Shrine of Our Lady's Martyrs at Auriesville, NY. To register and for more information, go to www.pilgrimage-for-restoration.org/registration, see the parish bulletin board, or contact Fr. Houck.

• **Adult Catechism** is held in the Confirmation Classroom after the 11 am Mass on Sundays. These classes are principally intended for those new to the Faith, but all are welcome.

• **The QHR Homeschool Social Group** meets on First Fridays in the hall after 8am Mass. For more information call Sara Perts at 614-706-3107.

• **Altar Server practice** takes place on First Fridays after morning Mass.

• **There are 400 Club tickets** available for purchase. Return your tickets by today to be entered to win \$100 in our August drawing. For more information about the 400 Club and the annual dinner on December 9, please call the office.

• **Join us for coffee and donuts** following the morning Masses on Sundays!

• We are in need of an organist for the 11am Mass. For more information, please call Alex Bonnette at (330) 367-9790

• The 38th Annual Warren Italian-American Heritage Festival is August 10-13 at Courthouse Square in Warren. For more information, visit www.warrenitalianfestival.com

• The 18th Annual Mahoning Valley Slovak Fest is Sunday, August 13 at St. Matthias Church Grounds on Shady Run Rd. For more info call 330-788-5082

• Honor your loved ones and support the church by purchasing a memorial brick for our Holy Innocents Memorial Walk. Bricks are \$50 and are engraved with up to 14 characters per line, 3 lines per brick. Memorial Bricks create a loving tribute for years to come! Order forms are available at the entrances.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please pray for the sick, our deceased parishioners, and those who are not able to receive the sacraments.

Bill Rossi, Kathy Lutsek, Barb Sarko, Mike Vesco, Anita Hunter, Leonard Nethers, Dr. Damiani, Eugenia Sanders, Daniel Corrado, Janice Reardon, Louise Glassburner, Paula Conti, and for everyone on the church's prayer list.

If you are home-bound, please let Fr. Fongemie know how you are doing. If your absence is a prolonged one or if your illness is serious, he will try to visit.

CANDLES FOR THIS WEEK

These candles are available weekly for your intentions. The Sanctuary Lamp is \$10. Others are \$4 each

- **Sanctuary:** Special Intention by Norene Halvonik
- **St. Pio:** For a private intention by Natalija Kutlesa
- **St. Francis:** For the Glaser Family by Karen Glaser
- **Blessed Mother:** Josephine Patterson and Virginia White
- **Holy Innocents:** Barbara Sarko

LEGION OF MARY

Meetings: Tuesdays 6:30pm in large classroom

The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholics who serve the Church and their neighbor on a voluntary basis in over 170 countries. The object of the Legion of Mary is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active co-operation in Mary's and the Church's work.

MASS PROPERS

INTROIT: Your lightening illumined the world; the earth quivered and quaked. How lovely is Your dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts! My soul yearns and pines for the courts of the Lord.

COLLECT: O God, Who in the glorious Transfiguration of Your only-begotten Son strengthened the mysteries of faith by the testimony of the fathers, and, by the voice coming down in a shining cloud, miraculously betokened the complete adoption of Your children, mercifully grant that we be made co-heirs with that King of glory, and sharers in that same glory.

LESSON: (2 Pet. 1:16-19) Beloved: We were not following fictitious tales when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of His grandeur. For He received from God the Father honor and glory, when from out the majestic glory a voice came down to Him, speaking thus: This is My beloved Son in Whom I am well pleased. And this voice we ourselves heard borne from heaven when we were with Him on the holy mount. And we have the word of prophecy, surer still, to which you do well to attend, as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts.

GRADUAL: Fairer in beauty are You than the sons of men; grace is poured out upon Your lips. My heart overflows with a goodly theme; as I sing my ode to the King. Alleluia, alleluia. He is the refulgence of eternal light, the spotless mirror, and the image of His goodness. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: (Matt 17:1-9) At that time, Jesus took Peter, James and his brother John, and led them up a high mountain by themselves, and was transfigured before them. And His face shone as the sun, and His garments became white as snow. And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elias talking together with Him. Then Peter addressed Jesus, saying, Lord, it is good for us to be here. If You will, let us set up three tents here, one for You, one for Moses, and one for Elias. As he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and behold, a voice out of the cloud said, This is My beloved Son, in Whom I am well pleased; hear Him. And on hearing it the disciples fell on their faces and were exceedingly afraid. And Jesus came near and touched them, and said to them, Arise, and do not be afraid. But lifting up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only. And as they were coming down from the mountain, Jesus cautioned them, saying, Tell the vision to no one, till the Son of Man has risen from the dead.

OFFERTORY: Wealth and riches shall be in His house; His generosity shall endure forever. Alleluia.

SECRET: Hallow our offerings, we beseech You, O Lord, through the glorious Transfiguration of Your only-begotten Son, and cleanse us from the stains of our sins by the light of that same revelation.

COMMUNION: Tell the vision you have seen to no one, till the Son of Man has risen from the dead.

POST COMMUNION: Grant, we beseech You, almighty God, that by the understanding of our minds made pure, we may grasp the mystery of the Transfiguration of Your only-begotten Son, which we celebrate by these solemn rites.



Music for today's 11:00 am Mass

- Processional Hymn: Faith of Our Fathers, Blue Book, #214
- Kyrie and Gloria: Missa Orbis Factor, XI Blue Book, pp25-27
- Credo: Credo I, Blue Book, p 32-34
- Offertory: Ubi Caritas et Amor, Blue Book, #213

- Sanctus, Agnus Dei, and Ite Missa Est: Missa Orbis Factor, XI Blue Book, pp27-28
- Communion: Panis Angelicus, Kevin-Allen, #8
- Recessional: Praise to the Lord, White Book, #452

