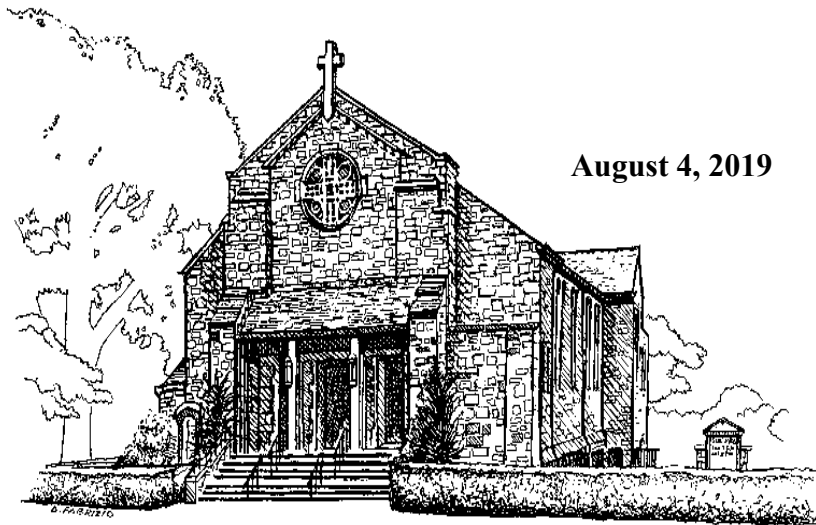


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August 4, 2019

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Mass Schedule

Masses for Sunday

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.,
& 5:00 p.m.

Weekdays

Monday to Friday: 6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days

6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 noon, and 7:30 p.m.

Devotions to Our Lady

Novena - Monday at 9:30 a.m.

Baptism

Celebrated every Sunday at 1:00 p.m. Please call the Rectory to make an appointment for Pre-Baptismal information

Penance

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:55 p.m.
All Other Times: On Request

Matrimony

The engaged couple is to inform the Parish priest usually one year prior to the celebration. A marriage preparation program is required.

Religious Education Program

Grades 5 & 6	Tuesday	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
Grades 3 & 4	Wednesday	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
Grades 7 & 8	Wednesday	7:00 - 8:15 p.m.
Grades 1 & 2	Thursday	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Meetings

Parish Council: Fourth Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Church Hall.

Finance Committee: Meets periodically.

Rosary Altar Society: First Wednesday of the month at 2:00 p.m. for the Rosary, and 2:30 p.m. meeting.

Legion of Mary: Meets every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

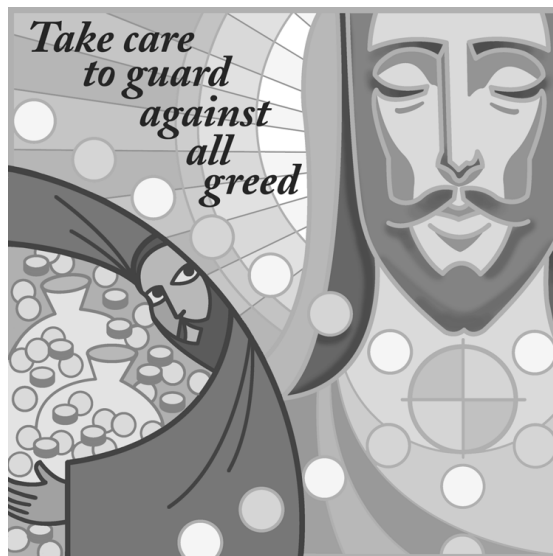
Folk Group: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays - 8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

St. Gregory's Choir: Friday - 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Respect Life: Second Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

August 4, 2019
Eighteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 8/3	5:00	p.m.	JOSEPH CARINO & MARY & JOHN NICHOLSON
SUN. 8/4	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	ALFRED & ROBERT GAUDELLI
	10:00	a.m.	ANTHONY PAGLIUGHI
	11:30	a.m.	MARY C. ERLANGER
	5:00	p.m.	GERARDO ROSSI
MON. 8/5	6:45	a.m.	FELICIA SORGE
	9:00	a.m.	MARIE CONNERS
TUES. 8/6	6:45	a.m.	CHICKIE & ROCKY SARLO
	9:00	a.m.	PASQUALE STINGONE & FAMILY
WED. 8/7	6:45	a.m.	JAMES, SALVATORE & NICK MINISHI
	9:00	a.m.	FRANK MIGLIACCIO
THU. 8/8	6:45	a.m.	EMIL ROSCIA
	9:00	a.m.	EMILIA & CORINO TAURO
FRI. 8/9	6:45	a.m.	PETJA MARIA KRONER
	9:00	a.m.	ELLEN RIORDAN & MARGARET DONOVAN
SAT. 8/10	9:00	a.m.	FLORENCE CARDONE
	5:00	p.m.	ANTHONY F. GIRONE, SR.
SUN. 8/11	7:00	a.m.	SALVATORE LOMBARDI
	8:30	a.m.	WILLIAM GRABLEY
	10:00	a.m.	CATHY MIGLIACCIO MADURI
	11:30	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	5:00	p.m.	AGGIE STONE



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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: is offered each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is not offered during June, July and August.** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will resume in September.

DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY The Rosary is prayed in the Church from Tuesday to Saturday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and also on Sunday, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Each Monday morning after the 9:00 a.m. Mass, a novena is held in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. The Rosary is prayed following the novena.

SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE St. Gregory the Great Parish Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, MA, will be on Thursday, August 22, 2019. The bus leaves at 8:00 a.m. from in front of St. Gregory the Great Church and returns approximately 6:00 p.m. A box lunch is included. Reservations must be made by August 15, 2019. Please call Lucille or Mary, Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at 914-835-0677, to make a reservation. There is no fee for this trip. For additional information, please take a copy of the itinerary which is in the back of the Church.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, July 28, 2019 was \$7,901.00. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

St. Gregory PREP is looking for volunteers to teach 6th grade students for the 2019/2020 session beginning in September. Classes meet on Tuesdays from 3:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Please contact Kara or Catherine at 835-3685 for more information.

CARDINAL'S APPEAL The Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal's update information. Our goal for the appeal is \$89,000.00. So far to date, we have received 220 gifts totaling \$82,244.00. Our balance is \$6,756.00. Please consider becoming a sustaining donor today. Make an online gift today and become a sustaining donor. Go to www.cardinalsappeal.org. Click on Donate, select "Recurring" or "One-time" gift, select Direct my gift to and find St. Gregory the Great, Harrison - Thank you for your generosity.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Apart from the period from Thanksgiving through Christmas, the summer is a favored time for family reunions. We trace family trees and recall our origins. Worship has a family tree as well, and the way we celebrate today has been influenced by various styles and customs through the centuries. We are Western Christians of the Latin Rite. By far, we are the most numerous Western Christians, but there are other ritual families as well. The Archdiocese of Milan in Italy follows the Ambrosian Rite, Toledo in Spain preserves the Mozarabic Rite and the Arab language, and Lyons in France is home to the Gallican Rite. Other liturgical families, such as the Celtic in Ireland and the Sarum in England, faded away after the Reformation. Until recent times, members of some ancient religious orders such as Carmelites and Trappists followed a pattern of Mass that varied slightly from the plan observed in Latin Rite parishes.

Isn't the Catholic Church the same everywhere? Not at all. It never has been! The existence of so many liturgical families in the West reminds us that unity, not uniformity, is what the Church seeks to achieve among her children. We are united in faith, but wonderfully diverse in rituals, ceremonies, languages, customs, and spirituality.

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Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Anthony F. Girone, Sr. and have been requested by his Wife and Sons.

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in memory of Anthony F. Girone, Sr. and have been requested by his Wife and Sons.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Luigi Perfeiti and have been requested by the Gori Family.

In Memory



The parish community of St. Gregory the Great extends its deepest sympathy to the loved ones on their loss

Gaetano Della Posta
Rosaria Mauro



III Kimberly LaRusso and Ronald Brown

II Alexandria Citarella and Jeffrey Arcara

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Sue Burger, Margaret C, Dennis Cantrell, Silvio Catalano, Anna Coppola, Matthew Coulter, Mark Davis, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Barrett Dorn, Brendan Dowd, David Fraioli & Family, Mary Gill, Isabel Hoch, Brody Ryscik, William Lawrence, Amanda Mora, Stephanie Merenda, Billy Minck, Paul Matturro, Joseph Opava, Sr., Joanne Opava, Bruce Page, Esther and Penny Pepe, Frank Radogna, Joel Rivera, Carol Sheridan, Lee Ann Thomas, Monica Toro, Robert Travers, Eliana Rose Valenti, Mark Valentino—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Vanity of vanities! All things are vanity! (Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23).

Psalm — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 90).

Second Reading — You too will appear with Christ your life in glory (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11).

Gospel — For though one may be rich, one's

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;
2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35;
Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22; Heb 11:1-2,
8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

Tuesday: The Transfiguration of the Lord

Wednesday: St. Sixtus II and Companions; St. Cajetan

Thursday: St. Dominic

Friday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Saturday: St. Lawrence



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*Teach us to number our days aright,
that we may gain wisdom of heart.*

— *Psalm 90:12*

Dear Padre August 4, 2019

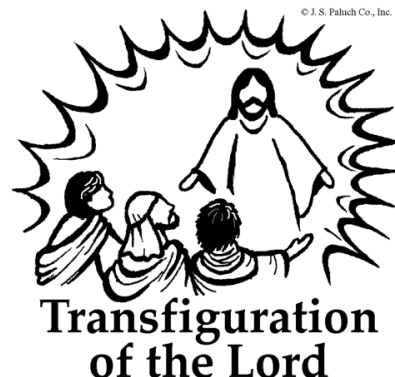
His disciples were lucky to glimpse Jesus as he was transfigured in glory. Do I have to die to see Jesus this way, or am I looking in the wrong places?

I think that what the disciples saw at Jesus' transfiguration was a radiant flash of Jesus' promise of eternal glory. His prayerful radiance, in a flash and for a moment, broke through their confusions, fears, doubts, and self-consciousness, illuminating him as the promise for which they longed.

Indeed, we also can sometimes find ourselves longing so much for spiritual clarity that we fail to see Jesus and his promise in the places he really is; that is, in those settings of suffering that call forth his compassion from us. Where should you look to see Jesus transfigured? Perhaps in that single moment when you visit someone who is sick and receive a smile of gratitude. Or when you help out at a food pantry and a child's enjoyment of your bounty brings a smile (or tear) to your face. Perhaps, too in that moment when, despite personal discomfort, you attend a wake or funeral and your presence radiates the promise of consolation even more than your words.

In fact, probably the best place to look is wherever and whenever you encounter someone vulnerable and your awkward self-consciousness is transfigured into generous, self-giving love. That is both Jesus' promise and his glory.

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