



Transfiguration of Jesus Catholic Church

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On the HORIZON

April 6/7, 2024

PPC Nominations

April 7, 2024

9:30 AM

Parish Breakfast

April 13 – May 12

Baby Bottle Campaign

April 24, 2024

6:30 PM

Confirmation
Bishop Zarama

April 27/28, 2024

Election of PPC

Second Sunday of Easter

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's reading from the Gospel of John is proclaimed on the Second Sunday of Easter in each of the lectionary cycles. This fact alone should alert us to the significance of the encounters with the resurrected Jesus that are described in this reading. This Gospel combines two scenes: Jesus' appearance to his disciples after his Resurrection and Jesus' dialogue with Thomas, the disciple who doubted.

Part of the mystery of Jesus' Resurrection is that he appeared to his disciples not as a spirit, but in bodily form. We do not know, however, exactly what this form looked like. Earlier in John's Gospel, when Mary of Magdala first encountered the risen Jesus, she did not recognize him until he spoke to her. In Luke's Gospel, the disciples walking along the road to Emmaus did not recognize Jesus until he broke bread with them. We know from readings such as today's that in his resurrected form, Jesus was not bound by matter; he appeared to the disciples inside a home even though the door was locked. Yet the disciples could still touch the marks of his Crucifixion.

In today's Gospel, Jesus greets his disciples with the gift of peace. Jesus then commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun; as Jesus was sent by God, so Jesus sends his disciples. He gives his disciples the gift of the Holy Spirit so that they will be able to accomplish this task. Jesus' words to his disciples also highlight the integral connection between the forgiveness of sins and the gift of the Holy Spirit. With the grace of the Holy Spirit, we can share forgiveness and reconciliation with others.

Thomas, the doubting disciple in today's reading, represents the reality of the Church that comes after this first community of witnesses to Jesus. All but the first disciples of Jesus must believe without seeing. Like Thomas, we may doubt the news that Jesus, who was crucified and buried, appeared to his disciples. Our human nature seeks hard evidence that the Jesus who appeared to his disciples after his death is indeed the same Jesus who was crucified. Thomas is given the opportunity to be our representative in obtaining this evidence. He gives witness to us that the Jesus who was raised is the same Jesus who died. Through the gift of the Holy Spirit, we are among those who are blessed, for we have not seen and yet believe.

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Our Mission

To love and know more profoundly our Catholic faith, worship the Lord, minister to our members and to further spread our faith in the community.

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Donna Schulz - 910-285-0711

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Office Hours

Mon. 9-12 PM

Tue. Day-off

Wed. 9-12, PM in Sta. Clara

Thur. 9-12, 4-6PM

Fri. 9-12, 4-6PM

Call to make an appointment

Adoration

Mon. 6:00 – 7:00 PM

Thurs. 9:30-10:30 AM

Reconciliation

Thur. during Holy Hour

Sat. 4:30 PM or by appointment

Weekend Mass Schedule

Transfiguration of Jesus

Saturday 5:00 PM English

Sunday 8:30 AM English

10:30 AM Spanish

Santa Clara Mission

1:00 PM Spanish

Weekday Masses

Mon, Thurs-Fri 9:00 AM (Eng.)

Mon 7:00 PM (Esp.)

Wed (Santa Clara) 7:00 PM (Esp.)

The Pope's Monthly Intention (April)

For the role of women

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Prayer Tree Requests should be sent to all three committee members. This is to ensure that no prayer request goes unanswered. Also, please make sure that permission is given by the person or family needing prayer, to send out the request.

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Dear Jesus, we turn to You in the time of illness. O dearest Comforter alleviate our worry with your gentle love. We place our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge whatsoever you do, you do for the love of us.

Divine Mercy Sunday 8 AM Praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet



Holy God, Holy Mighty One,
Holy Immortal One,
have mercy on us
and on the world.

Parish Ministries & Committees

Easter Flower Offering

In Memory

Mary and John Nizamoff
 Anna and Michael Rea
 Marcella and Vincent Keeney
 Vincent Keeney, Jr.
 Richard Keeney
 Sean Keeney
 Dorothea and George Rothamel

Finance Committee (Monthly Financials)

	Feb. Budget	Feb. Actuals	Feb. Expense
Offertory	\$13,790	\$16,813	
Maintenance	\$2,420	\$2,845	
		(\$85.88)	\$18,463.74
Totals	\$28,455	\$19,572.12	\$1,108.38

Parish Pastoral Council

Nomination Weekend

This weekend, April 7 and 8, nomination forms for Parish Council will be distributed after the masses. I invite you to participate in this process of selecting new members for the Parish Pastoral Council whose task is to advise the pastor. Completed nomination forms can be emailed to Cheryl Homan and Karen Mackey at cherylhoman1@hotmail.com and kbmackey2@aol.com OR they can be given to one of the greeters at one of the weekend masses. **The deadline for submission of nomination forms is Sunday, April 14, 2024.** Self-nominations are encouraged and will be accepted as well. Thank you for your participation

Human Life & Dignity



Knights of Columbus of Transfiguration



To our dear Knights of Columbus of Wallace,
 Our hearts are filled with joy and gratitude for your thoughtfulness and generosity and for always making us feel blessed.

A Heartfelt

Thank You!



from the CICM Maryhurst Seminary - Baguio City



The Knights of Columbus Wallace chapter has crossed the ocean to extend help to the college level CICM - seminarians in Baguio City, Philippines by supporting their formation jacket.

Weekly Schedule (April 6 - 13)

Saturday 11:00 AM 1:00 PM 4:30 PM 5:00 PM	Baptism (Transfiguration) Baptism (Santa Clara) Praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet Vigil Mass +Sean Keeney requested by Diana and Robert Conte	Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers:	Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15 P Schaeffer A Jimenez J Peterson P George, M Hopkins, J Couch M McCarthy
Sunday 8:00 AM 8:30 AM 9:30 AM 10:00 AM 10:30 AM	Divine Mercy Chaplet Mass (Divine Mercy Sunday) +Joanne Ladish requested by KC Ladish First Sunday Breakfast Divine Mercy Chaplet (Spanish) Spanish Mass (Easter Sunday)	Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers: Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers:	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER white (OR SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY) Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31 M Orłowski, D Orłowski M Orłowski G Stracuzza, D Davis R Hirshkind, V Matera, Deacon Mike Adriana, Janet, Miguel Jorge, Tino, Jorge Josef, Jairo, Dorian, Sofia Jorge, Angela, Valentino Josef, Dorian, Sofia, Jairo
Monday 9:00 AM 9:45 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Bro. Wil and Fr. Randy are attending the CICM Ongoing formation in Virginia until April 12 Communion Service Bible Study Adoration Communion Service (Spanish)	THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38	
Tuesday		Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15	
Wednesday 6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Santa Clara Mission No Adoration No Mass	Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21	
Thursday 9:00 AM 9:30 AM	Communion Service Morning Prayer/Adoration	Saint Stanislaus Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36	
Friday 9:00 AM	Communion Service	Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15	
Saturday 4:30 PM 5:00 PM	Confession Vigil Mass	Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21	