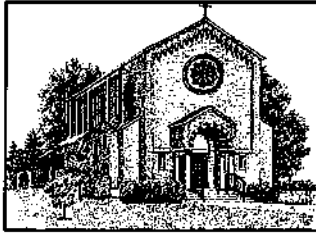


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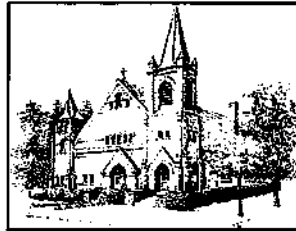
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*For our Live Stream Mass & Father's Homilies,
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF 8/6

Open in person: Mon.—Wed. 9:30 AM—3:30 PM

Closed Thursday & Friday

CONFESSION

Schedule - Week of 8/6

Sunday, St. Felix: 7:15-7:45 AM

Friday, St. Dominic: 11:00-11:45 AM

Saturday, St. Dominic: 3:00-3:45 PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Week of 8/6

THERE WILL BE NO ADORATION THIS WEEK

PLEASE SEE INSIDE FOR MASS TIMES

FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO

Since August 6 falls on a Sunday this year, the Solemnity of the Transfiguration of the Lord supersedes the 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time. It is good to be able to all celebrate this feast day together since it normally falls during the week.

The Transfiguration of the Lord is a profoundly significant event in the life of our Lord (and the Apostles who witnessed it) and we will take a closer look at it. The first thing to notice is that Jesus takes only Peter, James, and John with Him. While all twelve Apostles were given Christ's revelation, there is an inner group of these three that were given special access to the life of Christ. These are the same three that were chosen, after the Last Supper, to be with Him in the Garden of Gethsemane, just before His arrest. One thing that shows us is that there is an important connection between this event and the Passion of our Lord.

Next, Jesus takes them up a "high mountain." In Scripture, the mountain is where someone goes to meet God. We can think of Moses on Mount Sinai, receiving the Law, or Elijah hearing the voice of God there as well. As it turns out, these are precisely the two figures that appear with Jesus at this moment! Moses represents the Law, of which Christ is the fulfillment in His teaching. Elijah represents the prophets, as he is the great miracle worker. Christ fulfills the teaching and work of both as the Incarnate Lord.



Also, Elijah was assumed into heaven, taken away by the fiery chariot in the presence of Elisha. There is also a tradition, though not found directly in Scripture, that Moses was assumed into heaven as well. (We may catch a glimpse of this tradition in Jude 1:9.)

In the Old Testament, the Israelites had a Tent of Meeting. When the cloud of God's presence came over it, they knew God was there. This cloud is called the *shekinah*. Just when Peter speaks up and offers to make a tent for them to dwell in, the *shekinah* comes to show them where God truly dwells: in Christ. This is why the same voice heard at the Baptism of the Lord returns again: "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him."

As God gave his Word through Moses in the form of the Law, and through Elijah as prophecy, as instruction for the people, now we have here the Word-made-Flesh, showing His glory to His Apostles. It is made clear that the Word Himself is among them. Moses and Elijah both pointed to Christ in their lives and teaching. Now we are told to, "Listen to *Him*." We do not have to go on a high mountain to find our Lord. He is with us in His Word in Sacred Scripture, and substantially present to us in the Most Holy Eucharist. Take the time to be present to Him who is always present to us whenever we seek Him.

In Christ,
Father Amato



Mass Intentions

- Saturday, August 5 Vigil of The Transfiguration of The Lord**
 (Dn 7:9-10,13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9)
 4:00 PM St. Dominic **Steve & Tammy Shothofer**
by the Soberon Family
- Sunday, August 6 The Transfiguration of The Lord**
 (Dn 7:9-10,13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9)
 *8:00 AM St. Felix **Clinton & Bertha Smith** by Bruce & Sharon Croucher
 10:00 AM St. Francis **Lvg. & Dec. Day, Baker & Reid Families**
by Tom & Rosemary Baker
 12:00 Noon St. Dominic **Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased**
- Monday, August 7 Weekday** (Nm 11:4b-15/Mt 14:13-21)
 12:00 Noon St. Dominic **A Special Intention** by Kathy Burke
- Tuesday, August 8 St. Dominic, Priest** (Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36)
No Mass Today
- Wed., August 9 Weekday** (Nm 13:1-2,25-14:1,26a-29a,34-35/Mt 15:21-28)
 12:00 Noon St. Felix **Rosemary Day** by Tom & Rosemary Baker
- Thurs., August 10 St. Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr** (2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26)
 12:00 Noon St. Francis **Janet Milnar** by Dcn. Bob & Cecelia Cyrana
- Friday, August 11 St. Clare, Virgin** (Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28)
 12:00 Noon St. Dominic **Antonelli Family** by Suzanne Poteet
- Saturday, August 12 Vigil of The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 (1 Kgs 19:9a,11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:23-33)
 4:00 PM St. Dominic **JoAnne Callahan**
by the Callahan & Bolan Families
- Sunday, August 13 The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 (1 Kgs 19:9a,11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:23-33)
 *8:00 AM St. Felix **Mable Jean Lear** by St. Peter's Parish
 10:00 AM St. Francis **Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased**
 12:00 Noon St. Dominic **Cindy Coffey** by Dick Coffey & Family

* This Mass is Live Streamed. See parish website for link.



Newly Baptized
Felix Charles Schuler
We welcome our newly baptized into our parish community.

| Lectors for Weekend Masses—August 12 th - 13 th | | | |
|---|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| SAT. 4 PM | SUN. 8 AM | SUN. 10 AM | SUN. NOON |
| Caroline Gwilt | Bruce Croucher | Beth Webster | Neng Marquez |



PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN PRAYER
this week as our Sanctuary Lamps burn

- St. Dominic—for **Fred, Pat & Boots Angeline**
 at the request of *the Family*
- St. Felix—for **Ted & Margy Crosby**
 at the request of *Betty Gordner*
- St. Francis—for **Dec. Mem. of the Guilliams & Harris Families**
 at the request of *Rick & Carol Guilliams*

MARIAN DEVOTIONS

Perpetual Novena of the Miraculous Medal
 on Mondays, 10 minutes before Noon Mass
 at **St. Dominic Church.**

Queen of Peace Rosary on Thursdays
 at 11:30 AM at **St. Francis Church**



ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT
A sincere thanks for your ongoing support of our parish and its ministries!

On-line Sunday Offering (7/24–7/30).....\$795.00
 Mailed-in & Sunday (7/24–7/30).....\$4,497.00
 Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....\$30,679.06

We are in the process of finalizing our 2023-24 Budget, so we do not have an over/under figure to publish as of yet.

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

Last Weekend's Mass Attendance:

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|
| St. Dominic | 4:00 PM | 120 |
| St. Felix | 8:00 AM | 63 |
| St. Francis | 10:00 AM | 94 |
| St. Dominic | 12:00 Noon | <u>59</u> |
| TOTAL ATTENDANCE: | | 336 |

FAITH FORMATION

VBS is happening this week!!
Monday to Friday, from 9 AM—Noon
St. Dominic Parish Center
No charge

If you haven't signed your children up for VBS, don't worry—you can still have them attend! We will get them registered on Monday. Come for one day or for all five days! We can't wait to see everyone!

Our Faith Formation program is starting the process of building a nursery for the young children & babies of our parish. If you have any toys/items that are no longer being used that you would be willing to donate to the program, please contact Sarah Herendeen.

We are looking for more catechists, assistants & substitutes for our Faith Formation program. Instructional classes & CGS will be on Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM & CGS will also be offered on Tuesdays from 3:30-5:00 PM. If you would be interested in helping next year, please contact Sarah Herendeen at sarah.herendeen@dor.org.

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PICK OF THE WEEK: *The Transfiguration/Sacred Art*

Dr. Ben Akers & Taylor Kemp sit down with Raffaello Sanzio's painting,, "The Transfiguration" to discuss it's theological meaning & how it can speak to us today.

JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR AFTER MASS!

St. Francis - August 13th
after the 10:00 AM Mass

St. Felix - August 20th
after the 8:00 AM Mass

St. Dominic—August 20th
following the noon Mass



There is a sign up sheet at the back of St. Dominic for anyone who would like to bring goodies & beverages.

BOTTLE RETURN

Support our Faith Formation and Youth program by bringing your cans and bottles to:

Can and Bottle Redemption

2733 NY-96, Clifton Springs, NY 14432
(Next to Dollar General)

Just tell them you are donating to St. Peter's Parish Youth Group, they will do the rest!

TAKE FATHER A MEAL

Many thanks to all who have brought meals for Father Amato! There are open slots on the current schedule so please consider signing up to bring a meal at: www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566 or call **Kathy Uebelacker at 585-413-6780** to schedule a day to bring a meal.

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Meeting
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Center

Respect Life Fundraiser

THANK YOU to all who participated so generously in our baby bottle fundraiser for **Care Net!**



OUR PARISH RAISED \$1,357.50!

The Care Net Team sends their gratitude—our donation will help to provide for their clients' material, emotional & spiritual needs.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

If you would like to have your loved one remembered on our prayer list (or have a name removed), please call the parish office. Please be sure to have personal permission to add a name to our list.

FOR HEALING

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| A-D | D-H | H-M | M-Z |
| Cillian Ahern | Tracy D'Arduini | Hilde Houck | Ginny Morse |
| Donna Allen | Fr. Deasio | Erin Hurley | Brian & Rose Moser |
| Donnie Allen | Jill DeBrock | Daniel Incarnato | Fr. Thomas Mull |
| Amanda | Karen Ditzell | David Isner | Gordie Nicholson |
| Spencer Annabel | Wendy Ester-Presher | Markanthony Izzo | Dawn Nieskes |
| Lorenza Augustine | Diane Faherty | David Kathke | Bev O'Brien |
| Nancy Beers | Bernadette Fetter-Miller | Angie Keating | Sean Olin |
| Linda Bigl | Steve Finewood | David Keeler | Piper Paddock |
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| Anne Boardman | Coral Fox | Jim & Alice Klahn | Corrine Chianfoni Pollot |
| Troy Bolan | Rosemary Fry | Cindy Koch | Jill Poremba |
| Carmela Bonneville | Allison Gersbach | Nancy Kolb | Don Quigley |
| Sue Bowker | George Gloska | LKR | Anne Riley |
| Dave Bush | Betty Gordner | Maurita Lind | Leo Schmitt |
| Wandy Bush | Declan Guilliams | Carol Little | Laura Carlson Silver |
| Judy Carkner | Richard Guilliams | Maggie Mahoney | Dylan Smith |
| Carl A. Carlson | Abby Gwilt | Neng Marquez | Jean Smith |
| Carl E. Carlson | Lucy Gwilt | Stanley Masiak | Terri Stell |
| Laurie & Jack Caves | Melanie Haers | Margaret Masiak | Pinky Tiebout |
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| Christopher | Bruce Haug | Carter McConnon | Marlene RaemenWade |
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| Mary D'Arduini | Mary Hollis | Cathy Moore | Dawn Zeitler |

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12 Hibbard Ave. Clifton Springs, NY 14432
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96 Ontario St. Phelps, NY 14532
 Location: Phelps Community Center
 Phelps, (around left corner from PCC office)
 Open: 4th Tuesday 10:30-11:30 AM & 3:30-4:30 PM
 Contact: *Tom Cheney—cheneytom48@gmail.com*

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P.O. Box 183, Manchester, NY 14504
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 4 Center St., across from Manchester Fire Hall
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 and 4th Thursday, 5-7 PM
 Contact: *Bonnie Platt-585-944-8892 or Carol Record—585-734-7440*

Bulletin Requests:

Please submit any information for insertion into the following weekend bulletin to the parish office, by **Tuesday morning**. Thank you!

IN ASSISTED CARE

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|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Barb Barton | Joan Bugliosi | Eileen Clements |
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| JoAn Freeman | Martha Gersbach | Jim Heffron |
| Jane Henry | Pat Jerzak | Geraldine Narendorf |
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FOR STRENGTH & WELL-BEING

All of our priests, all of our medical professionals & first responders, all of those struggling with depression, addiction and mental health issues.

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

In your charity, please pray for all of our deceased.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them.



WELCOME VISITORS!

If you are new or visiting here today we welcome you to St. Peter's Parish!

We are glad you attended Mass with us this week and we hope that you will find our church to be a place of peace and spiritual growth. Please feel free to introduce yourself or call our office during the week if you have any questions. We hope to see you again soon! May God bless you and keep you in His care.

Collection Counters (8/8)

Sandy Cooke, Rosemary Herendeen, Donna Lannon
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Altar Bands for August
Pat Zeger (St. Francis)
Kathy Burke (St. Dominic),
Patty Howard (St. Felix)

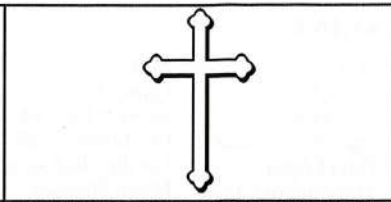
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