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**AUGUST 6, 2023**

**ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH**

Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord

**EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN**

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# COMMUNITY INFORMATION

**MAILING ADDRESS** St. Kateri Tekakwitha - Latin Mass Community  
4536 St. Paul Boulevard Rochester, NY 14617

**MASS TIMES** Sundays 9am-English, 11:15am-Latin  
Holy Days as announced in the bulletin.

**CONFESSION** Sundays before & after 11:15am Mass. Two priests hear confession on the first Sunday of each month.

**SACRAMENTS** Marriage Preparation, RCIA, and more are available for community members. Contact Father Bonsignore.

**FAITH FORMATION** PreK through high school 10:05-11:05am Sundays, September through May. No cost for community members.

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# HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Today 9:00am	For <b>Elizabeth Ann Yu+</b> Requested by the Gabello Family
Today 11:15am	For <b>Special Intentions</b> Requested by Anonymous
Next Sunday 9:00am	For <b>Anthony Gianforte+</b> Requested by Family
Next Sunday 11:15am	For <b>Michael Andrew Love+</b> Requested by Sara M. Love

# ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS

<b>Attendance</b>	Jul 9	Jul 16	Jul 23	Jul 30	Average
English Mass	139	136	133	171	145
Latin Mass	227	221	218	237	226

<b>Cash/Checks</b>	\$ 3,071	\$ 3,529	\$ 2,643	\$ 3,372	\$ 3,154
Online Giving	\$ 813	\$ 680	\$ 1,003	\$ 472	\$ 742
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 3,884</b>	<b>\$ 4,209</b>	<b>\$ 3,646</b>	<b>\$ 3,844</b>	<b>\$ 3,896</b>

Our weekly average target amount is **\$5,000**. Thank you for your donations in support of our community. They are certainly needed, as is your ongoing generosity and continued prayer. Please make checks payable to St. Kateri Tekakwitha Latin Mass Community or simply SKT-LMC.

# PRAYING FOR THE SICK & INFIRM

**PRAYER LIST** Those who are in special need of intercession by our prayerful Community may have their names listed in our bulletin. To put names on the list, contact Ryan at 585-305-6394 or rjzegarelli@gmail.com.

Fr. Robert Bradler	Patrick Bleier	Jeanne Bleier
Bill Schlueter	Roseanne Maxwell	Jim & Jackie Ansbury
Kathleen Cannan	Diane Harris	Peggy Butler

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 11** STORY TIME FOR CHILDREN at 7:00 pm. We will gather outside on the South lawn of the church. A snack will be provided. For questions, call Mary Jo Maurer 585-771-0084.

**MONDAY, AUGUST 14** MEN OF ST. JOSEPH MEN'S GROUP MEETING 8pm.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2** FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS 10:30am - 11:30am  
Devotions are held in the Adoration Chapel each first Saturday of the month. We pray the Rosary & Chaplet of the Precious Blood

# GUIDELINES FOR COMMUNION

Catholics need to remember the Church's traditional rules on the reception of Holy Communion. **Practicing Catholics** who are *spiritually prepared* (i.e. not conscious of mortal sin on their souls) may approach the altar rail to make a *worthy* Communion. If one has been away from Masses of Obligation (due to one's own fault) or if there is another reason for being ill prepared, the Sacrament of Penance (Confession) is necessary *before* the reception of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord. We should always approach this awesome Eucharistic Mystery with souls empty of grave sin and *full* of great love. As in the awesome Incarnational Mystery of the Word-made flesh in the stable of Bethlehem, here holy fear and deep love co-mingle. **Catholic couples** in cohabitation (living together without the Sacrament of Matrimony) or in irregular marriages (without the blessing of Christ's Sacrament) are advised not to receive Holy Communion. These brothers and sisters of ours are of deep pastoral concern to the Church. Hopefully they will soon take steps to rectify their situation.

# WEEKLY NOTICES

**PRAYING FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**, please remember Dennis Zimmer, uncle of our Rory Zimmer. Through the timely intervention of his nephew, Rory, Mr. Zimmer was brought into the Catholic Church on July 23. Requiescat in pace.

**DRESSING PROPERLY FOR CHURCH** July brings hot weather, and hot weather brings the need to remind worshippers about proper dress décor in church. Clothing should be neat and modest (un-revealing). No short pants on adults. Shoulders should be covered. Please do NOT "dress down" for Mass, since we are NOT attending a beach party, tennis match, or backyard cook out. Think this through! If you respect the presence of God and your neighbor at church services, you will dress respect-fully. After all, it does matter what we wear to Holy Mass!

**VOLUNTEER PROJECT OPPORTUNITY** We are seeking a volunteer or small group of volunteers to monitor and coordinate supplies and purchasing for the LMC. It will involve checking the church and the Parish Center weekly, shopping and/or ordering items, and creating purchase orders. If you might be interested in signing on for this much-needed work, please contact Tricia to discuss (tricia laufer at gmail dot com) or 585.755.1167. Thank you.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** - Spend some time with God: Catholic Christians have always believed that the consecrated host from Holy Mass is the body, blood, soul, and divinity of Jesus Christ. We use different words to describe this reality: the "Holy Eucharist," "Blessed Sacrament," or "Real Presence." Early in Church history the practice of keeping these consecrated hosts reserved in church tabernacles evolved into the practice of spending time with our Lord in this form. This time of prayer and recollection is called "Eucharistic Adoration," or simply "Adoration." In the gospels, Jesus asked apostles Peter, James, and John to accompany him to pray in the garden of Gethsemane. Returning from his prayers, he found them asleep. "So, you had not the strength to stay awake with me for one hour?" He admonished. (Matt 26: 36-45) Bearing this in mind, people adopted the devotion of regularly spending a Holy Hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. The SKT-LMC has developed *A Guide to Eucharistic Adoration* to help you learn this form of prayer and copies are available in the church and the chapel foyers as well as on our website. The St. Thomas the Apostle Adoration Chapel is open Monday-Friday 9:00am-10:00pm and during Sunday coffee hour. Any length of visit, short or long, scheduled or unscheduled, is welcomed.

# ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

**CONFITEOR** I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do; through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

## KYRIE

**GLORIA** Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## THE FIRST READING

As I watched: Thrones were set up and the Ancient One took his throne. His clothing was bright as snow, and the hair on his head as white as wool; his throne was flames of fire, with wheels of burning fire. A surging stream of fire flowed out from where he sat; Thousands upon thousands were ministering to him, and myriads upon myriads attended him. The court was convened and the books were opened. As the visions during the night continued, I saw: One like a Son of man coming, on the clouds of heaven; When he reached the Ancient One and was presented before him, The one like a Son of man received dominion, glory, and kingship; all peoples, nations, and languages serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not be taken away, his kingship shall not be destroyed.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The Lord is king, the Most High over all the earth.

## THE SECOND READING

Beloved: We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that unique declaration came to him from the majestic glory, "This is my Son, my beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven while we were with him on

the holy mountain. Moreover, we possess the prophetic message that is altogether reliable. You will do well to be attentive to it, as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts.

## **GOSPEL**

Jesus took Peter, James, and his brother, John, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, conversing with him. Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, "Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." When the disciples heard this, they fell prostrate and were very much afraid. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and do not be afraid." And when the disciples raised their eyes, they saw no one else but Jesus alone. As they were coming down from the mountain, Jesus charged them, "Do not tell the vision to anyone until the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

**CREDO** I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(here all bow)* **AND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT WAS INCARNATE OF THE VIRGIN MARY AND BECAME MAN.** For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins, and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**SANCTUS | MYSTERY OF FAITH** Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, You have set us free.

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# EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

## **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON**

Your lightning 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. Glory be to the Father. Your lightning.

**PRAYER** O God, you have given us the grace to celebrate the birthday of your blessed martyrs Sixtus, Felicissimus, and Agapitus. Grant that we may also share their eternal happiness in heaven. Through Jesus Christ.

## **EPISTLE**

Beloved: We certainly were not lured off into cleverly concocted myths when we taught you about the mighty Coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. Of his majesty we were actually eye-witnesses. For he was gloriously honored by God, the Father, when that unique declaration came to him from majestic splendor, to say, "My Son, my beloved, in whom I take delight-this is he"; and that was the voice we ourselves heard when it came out of heaven, since we were in his company on the holy mountain. Besides, we still possess as something altogether reliable the prophetic message. Pay as close attention to it as you would to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the first streaks of dawn appear 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.

## **GOSPEL**

At that time Jesus took Peter, James, and his brother John and led them up a high mountain by themselves. Then he was transfigured before their eyes: his face became as dazzling as the sun; his clothes as radiant as light. And suddenly Moses and Elia appeared to them, conversing with him. Then Peter spoke up and said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good that we are here. With your permission, I will set up three tents here: one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elia." He was still speaking when suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them. And now a voice came out of the cloud, "This is my beloved Son, in whom I take delight. Listen to him." When they heard this, the disciples fell face to the ground and were filled with fear. But Jesus came to them, and laying his hand upon them said, "Get up and don't be afraid." When they looked up, they saw only Jesus, no one else. As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus gave them this command, "Don't tell anyone of the vision until the Son of Man is raised from the dead."



**OFFERTORY** Glory and wealth are in his house; his generosity shall endure forever. Alleluia.

**SECRET** Bless these gifts we offer you, O Lord, by the glorious Transfiguration of your only-begotten Son. May they cleanse us from the stain of our sins by the brightness of his glory. Through Jesus Christ.

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

**POST COMMUNION** O almighty God, grant that with pure minds we may understand the most sacred mystery of the Transfiguration of your Son, which we here solemnly commemorate. Through Jesus Christ.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN** (Page 11)

## PRAYERS

### **SALVE REGINA**

HAIL, HOLY, QUEEN, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us. And after this our exile, show unto us the blessed Fruit of thy womb, JESUS. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

### **THE SAINT MICHAEL PRAYER (Pope Leo XIII)**

SAINT MICHAEL, THE ARCHANGEL, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam through the world seeking the ruin of souls. AMEN.

### **PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH by St. Francis de Sales**

*To provide a solution to the property dilemma:*

GLORIOUS SAINT JOSEPH, spouse of Mary, grant we beseech thee, thy paternal protection, through the Heart of Jesus Christ. O thou Saint whose infinite power is extended to all our needs, rendering for us possible that which is impossible, look upon the concerns of thy children with thy fatherly countenance. In the troubles and sorrows that afflict us, we have confident recourse to thee. Deign to take under thy loving protection this important and difficult endeavor, the cause of our worries, and dispose its success to the glory of God and to the benefit of His faithful servants. AMEN.

# CHURCH ETIQUETTE

**WHEN YOU COME TO CHURCH** please turn OFF all cell phones, hand-held electronic devices, pagers, watch alarms, etc., and anything else that can disrupt our sacred time with God. It is possible for emails and texts to *wait* until later!

**DRESS CODE** Please remember to dress appropriately for divine worship: neatly and modestly. Holy Mass is not an occasion when we "dress down" or appear "super-casual"! REVERENCE for God and RESPECT for neighbor should determine what we wear. Think about it. Thank you for your cooperation.

**THERE ARE (AT LEAST) THREE REASONS** to maintain a prayerful, quiet atmosphere in the church proper before and after services: (1) RESPECT for the House of God, (2) REVERENCE for the Blessed Sacrament, and (3) REGARD for those who want to pray in peace. The guiding principle should be DEVOTION NOT COMMOTION. Please carry on your friendly conversations in the church vestibules (with inside doors closed), outside, or at the coffee hours. Reverence and friendliness can and should co-exist—in their proper settings!

**IN ADDITION**...We should make a determined effort to be *on time* for Mass, and we should make the little sacrifice to stay until Mass is over (that is, when the priest-celebrant leaves the sanctuary). When it be necessary to conduct children to the bathroom, please do not travel through the church during the CONSECRATION of the Mass. This will involve only a few moments of delay.

# RECESSIONAL HYMN

O wondrous sight, O vision fair  
of glory that the church shall share,  
which Christ upon the mountain shows,  
where brighter than the sun He glows!

From age to age the tale declare,  
how with the three disciples there,  
where Moses and Elijah meet,  
the Lord holds converse high and sweet.

The law and prophets there have place,  
two chosen witnesses of grace;  
the Father's voice from out the cloud  
proclaims his only Son aloud.

With shining face and bright array  
Christ deigns to manifest today  
what glory shall be theirs above  
who joy in God with perfect love.

And faithful hearts are raised on high  
by this great vision's mystery,  
for which in joyful strains we raise  
the voice of prayer, the hymn of praise.

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