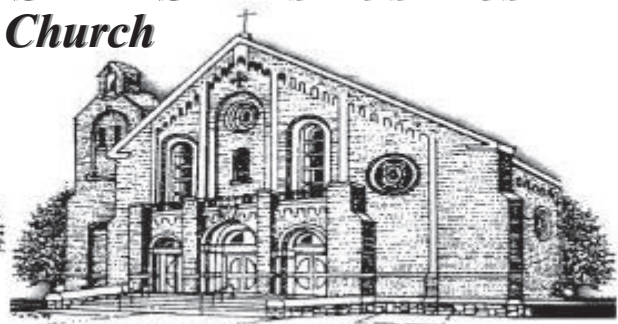


Transfiguration ~ Saint Stanislaus Kostka Roman Catholic Church



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Mission Statement: *Grateful for God's Blessings, the Mission of Transfiguration-St. Stanislaus Kostka Parish is to pass on the message of God's love for each and all within its diverse community.*

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Vytautas Volertas, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Joseph Wilson, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Edward Doran, Retired, In Residence

Deacon Andrzej Lewandowski

Deacon Ed O'Connell

Deacon Arthur Griffin (Retired)

Deacon William Oggeri (Retired)

Mrs. Catherine Mangone, St. Stanislaus Academy Principal

Alison Morisi Coordinator of Religious Education

Maria Flaim, Music Ministry

Andrew Clavin, Music Ministry

PARISH STAFF

Dorothy Gotard, Secretary & Bookkeeper

Karin Gully, Secretary

Charles Riggio, Secretary

Michael Wierzbicki, Director of Buildings & Grounds@ Transfiguration

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday:

9:00am - 12 Noon

1:00pm - 5:00pm

6:00pm - 8:00pm

*No office hours Saturday/Sunday
(by appointment only)*

St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Academy of Queens

Serving the Community of Maspeth

61-17 Grand Ave, Maspeth, NY 11378

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Religious Education

For registration call 718-326-2185 Grades 1 thru 8

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Vigil (Saturday)

4:00 pm at Transfiguration Church

Sunday

8:00am at St. Stanislaus Church

9:30am at Transfiguration Church

11:00am at St. Stanislaus Church

11:30am at Transfiguration (Lithuanian)

(Last Sunday of the month except July and August)

12:30pm at Transfiguration (Latin)

12:30pm at St. Stanislaus (Spanish)

Weekdays (Monday - Saturday)

8:30 am at St. Stanislaus

Weekdays (Monday - Friday)

12 Noon at Transfiguration

Tuesdays

7:00pm at St. Stanislaus Kostka (Spanish)

Holy Days of Obligation

To be announced... See Mass schedule in bulletin

Both Churches and Transfiguration Parish Hall are wheelchair accessible.



Reconciliation/Confessions:

Saturday: 3:15pm - 3:45pm @Transfiguration Church or call rectory for appointment

Baptism

Baptisms are scheduled for the second Saturday of each month at 11am in Transfiguration Church and the third Sunday of each month at 2pm in St. Stanislaus Kostka Church. Instruction class is held first Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm in Transfiguration Church. Please click on the Faith Formation tab on our website for more information.

Matrimony

Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Please log on to www.pre-cana.org for complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese.

Devotions

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday: 6:00 pm at Transfiguration (English)

Saturday: after 8:30am Mass, at St. Stanislaus Church

Holy Hour with Exposition & Benediction

First Friday of every month, 11:00am @Transfiguration

Rosary

Mon - Sat.: after 8:30am Mass, at St. Stanislaus

Mon - Fri: 11:30am before Noon Mass, at Transfiguration

**Mass Intentions
at St. Stanislaus Kostka**

Sunday February 16
8:00 †Louis Marrero & Richard Reyes
Req. by Terri Marrero
11:00 †Antoinette Martino
Req. by Martino Family
12:30 †Kevin Maguire
Req. by Mooney Family

Monday February 17
8:30 †Angela DiCristo
Req. by Rosemarie

Tuesday February 18
8:30 †Ellen M. Miller
Req. by Mr. & Mrs. Robert Hanft

7:00pm
Spanish

Wednesday February 19
8:30 †Anna Kelly
Req. by Buckley Family

Thursday February 20
8:30 People of the Parish

Friday February 21
8:30 †Catherine O'Grady
Req. by Buckley Family

Saturday February 22
8:30 †Chester Wernicki
Req. by Barbara Cunneely & Family

Sunday February 23
8:00 †Arthur J. Sonnicks III
Req. by Steve & Joyce Berardi
11:00 †Patricia Wells (5th Anniversary)
Req. by Bivona Family
12:30 †Eileen Maguire &
Rosalba Mejia (Anniversary)
Req. by Thomas Maguire & Family

FEBRUARY 16, 2020

Readings for the week of February 16, 2020
Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 [1b]/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37
Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76 [77a]/Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1b]/Mk 8:22-26
Thursday: Jas 2:1-9/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [7a]/Mk 8:27-33
Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 1b]/Mk 8:34-9:1
Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 16:13-19
Next Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 [8a]/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

**Mass Intentions
at Transfiguration**

Saturday February 15
4:00 †Walter & Christine Koskey
Req. by Lois & Bob Lepore

Sunday February 16
9:30 †Joseph Kelly Jr.
Req. by Veronica Kelly
12:30 People of the Parish

Monday February 17
12:00 †Michael Green
Req. by Project HOPE

Tuesday February 18
12:00 †Mary Clare Bergin Specht
Req. by James & Kelly White

Wednesday February 19
12:00 Pauline & Zara Kenneally
Req. by Rattigan Family

Thursday February 20
12:00 †John Innamorato Jr.
Req. by Anna Raia

Friday February 21
12:00 †Mary Clare Bergin Specht
Req. by Kevin Philzone

Saturday February 22
4:00 †Deborah Cirone
Req. by Family

Sunday February 23
9:30 †Raymond L. Hahn
Req. by his wife, Kathleen
11:30 †Ann Morrissey
Req. by Bablinskas & Abbott Families
12:30 †Angela Mastrocinque
Latin Req. by Theresa & John Poganik

Liturgy of the Word

In the first reading, Sirach teaches us that we have the ability to choose between right and wrong. Choosing to trust in God and to keep the commandments is the way to salvation. Jesus extends the commandments when speaking to his disciples, telling them that they must do more. May the Holy Spirit, invoked by Paul in the second reading, reveal God's wisdom and guide us in our behavior.

PARISH SUPPORT

Feb 9/10, 2019.....\$5,535.00 ↓
Feb 8/9 w/\$361 Parish Giving.....\$5,084.00 ↓
623 in Attendance/Average donation \$8.16

THANK YOU

For your gifts to our Parish
Your gifts throughout the year are received with a grateful heart and deeply appreciated.



The Altar Flowers
at St. Stanislaus Kostka
are offered this week
in memory of
Rose Simone
Requested by Tina Fioretti



In the Gospel Jesus says:
"Whoever fulfills and teaches
these commands shall be
great in the kingdom of God."
By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you indeed put your faith into action as you fulfill the commands of Jesus.



Secret Prayer Partner Project

Beginning this weekend, Feb 15/16, place your name and address on an index card & place in the Prayer Partner basket provided by Matthews Mission. Select a card next weekend, Feb. 22/23 & beginning Ash Wednesday, February 26, continue to pray for that person throughout Lent to Easter, April 12. Send that person an Easter card to reveal your Secret Prayer Partner identity!

"There can never be too many prayers said!"

This year, our 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal goal is one amount of \$52,256.00 for our merged Parish of Transfiguration-St. Stanislaus Kostka.

With everyone joining together, we can reach, and even exceed our goal (all donations made over goal are returned to the Parish of our own projects)...we hope that the 155 families that donated last year will continue to support our need and we pray that they will be joined by more families to ease this financial burden on our Parish.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



When I was in grammar school, the Sisters used to tell us a story about a young boy who gave up chocolate for Lent. When he was congratulated by his parish priest for doing something so courageous, he quickly responded that it was no big deal since he did not like it anyway. We can easily see the humor but also need to see the lesson.



Please pray for our Parishioners, Family Members & Friends who are ill and those on our Tree of Life.

Elizabeth Acunto, Richard Almash, Catherine Bakich, Mary Barone, George Beitzer, Robert Benchik, Rose Bencivenga, Steve Berardi, Delores Bernardo, Diane Bitting, Gail Blumenthal, Mike Brawley, Eileen Breen, Anthony Carrano, Claire Casale, Michael Chambers, Brandon Citteria, Christopher & Cathy DeSimone, Pia Frank, Charlie Gagliardo, Gregory Greco, Teresa & John G., Zen, Michelle Harris, Claudette Hartley, Geraldine Haverty, Estuardo Hernandez, Jose Hernandez, Orfelina Hernandez, Una Hickey, Eleanor Juzupaitis, Raymond Knoll, Debbie Langone, Kathleen Loftus, Alice Macaluso, Marilyn Macaluso, Susan McCarthy, Roland Muller, Mike Murphy, Agnes Murphy, Nanette Murray, Patricia Nappi, Baby Lucy Parish, Mary & Kamma Pennetti, Patricia Pilewski, Louis Pittelli, Ronald Pugliese, Helen Rella, Neff Rella, Maureen Rosado, Barbara Sanders, Neal Scahill, Angie Signorelli, Frank Siguenza, Virginia Specker, Cindi Thompson, Julia Wagner, Maryann Walter, Robin Walter, T.C. Water, Janis Wood

Beginning Feb. 21, please join us on the Third Friday of every Month 7pm St. Stanislaus Church For an Hour of Prayer

Praying FOR OUR Children

Rosary Altar Champagne Brunch

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday March 29 Immediately following 11am Mass/Gym

**THE WEEK AHEAD
TRANSFIGURATION-ST. STANISLAUS KOSTKA**

- Sunday 2/16** -NO CCD
- Monday 2/17** -**Rectory Office Closed: President's Day**
-Bible Class 12:30pm/Transfiguration RMR
7:00pm /Transfiguration RMR
-Novena 6pm/Transfiguration Church
- Tuesday 2/18** -AA 7pm/St. Stanislaus RMR
-NA 7pm/Trans RMR
-Spanish Prayer Group 7pm/St. Stans Church
-Zumba 8:30pm/Gym
- Wednesday 2/19** -Choir 4:15(Children) 7:30pm(Adult) St. Stans Church
-AA (Women) 7pm/St. Stanislaus RMR
-Adoration & Benediction 6pm/Transfiguration Church
-PPC Meeting 7pm/Transfiguration RMR
- Thursday 2/20** -AI-Anon 8pm/Transfiguration RMR
- Friday 2/21** -Family Prayer Hour Praying for our Children
7pm/St. Stanislaus Church
- Saturday 2/22** -Novena after 8:30am Mass/St. Stanislaus Church
-NA 10am/St. Stans RMR
-Instructional Basketball 8am-Noon/Gym
- Sunday 2/23** -NO CCD
-Knights of Lithuania Meeting after 11:30am Mass

St. John's University Speech & Hearing Center will be offering **FREE speech & hearing screenings and FREE "Hearing Aid Help"** from February 3, 2020—May 4, 2020...Please call the center at 718-990-6480 to schedule an appointment. The Speech & Hearing Center is located at 152-11 Union Turnpike, Flushing



things are happening at

St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Academy of Queens

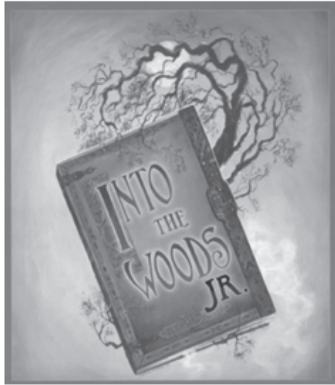


Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction

**Wednesday, February 19 at 6pm
Transfiguration Church**

ALL GOOD RELATIONSHIPS ARE BUILT ON GOOD COMMUNICATION
"FINDING GOD THROUGH CREATIVE PRAYER"
With Fr. John Predmore, S.J. at St. Sebastian Parish
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 18th, 19th, and 20th
After the 9 AM Mass in the St. Sebastian Chapel (58th St. and Roosevelt Ave.)
And at 7 PM in the St. Sebastian Parish Center (39-60 57th St.)
Participants in the evening program are asked to RSVP.
To learn more, contact Outreach at 718-429-4949 X141 or swilliams@saintsebastianwoodside.org.

The St. Stan's Performing Arts Players
Proudly Present:



St. Stanislaus Kostka CAQN

61-17 Grand Avenue
Maspeth, NY 11378

Friday, March 13, 2020 at 7 pm
Saturday, March 14, 2020 at 7 pm
Sunday, March 15, 2020 at 2 pm

Tickets: Adults \$10.00
Senior Citizens and Children \$7.00
For Advance Tickets:

Call 718-326-1585 or email mmarrocco@ststanscaqn.org

Ticket also available at the door

To our dear friends,

Over the years Matthew's Mission has done several projects to serve our brothers and sisters who are in need and for appreciation of their service. Each and every time our parish family has exceeded our expectations.

Project One: With your overwhelming generosity we have sent over 2,000 Christmas cards to the military hospital in Bethesda, Maryland, the Wounded Warriors Battalion in Camp Jejuna, N.C., the USS New York Naval Ship and to Afghanistan, Iraq and Africa. Along with our parish family a special Thank You to P.S. 58, P.S. 89, Queens Center for Progress and Queen of the Rosary Catholic Academy's students and teachers.

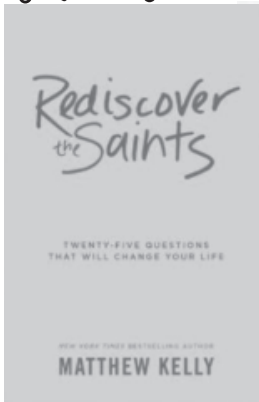
Project Two: The new gift card project this year raised \$1,675.00. This was turned over to the Marine DC240 and they in turn were able to give 32 veterans \$50.00 gift cards for Christmas. The amazing generosity of everyone helped to make these veterans feel appreciated for all their service.

Project Three: The toiletries to our veterans at the VA Hospital in Brooklyn packed three vans with these items. The hospital appreciates our generosity over the years and the veterans always have smiles when they see us.

As Jesus tells us to feed, clothe and comfort our brothers and sisters in need, he guides us and brings our projects to a fruitful ending.

We wish to thank you for always participating, for your generosity and for your prayers. If you think our hands are full you should see our hearts.

Gratefully yours,
Matthew's Mission



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Lenten BOOK CLUB



Best Lent Ever Group Discussion/Reflection
Mejor Cuaresma Discusión grupal / Reflexión
5 weeks beginning March 2
5 semanas comenzando el 2 de marzo

Join Today / Únete hoy

Please check one and return in collection basket or Rectory

Por favor marque uno y devuélvalo en la cesta de recolección o Rectoría

Monday/Lunes (Spanish) 7pm
St. Stanislaus Church

Tuesday 7pm
Transfiguration
Rectory Dining Rm

Wednesday 1pm
St. Stanislaus
Rectory Meeting Room

Name/Nombre: _____

Phone/Teléfono: _____ E-Mail: _____

Let's Celebrate



The Years of Sister Rose Torma at St. Stan's

Please join us for dinner
Saturday, March 21 | 6 PM - 10PM

Giando on the Water

*400 Kent Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11249*

Price: \$125 per ticket
Sponsorship Opportunities Available

Kindly RSVP to
Events@ststanscaqn.org
Mrs. Galasso - 718-326-1585
Vinny LaPuma - 646-812-2437

*If you are unable to attend, send a Personalized Note to Sister Rose
with a \$100 Sponsorship Ad...see Parish website for more info.
All proceeds to benefit St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Academy, Queens*