

# The Parish of Transfiguration ~ Saint Stanislaus Kostka

## Roman Catholic Church



64-25 Perry Avenue

Maspeth, NY 11378

57-15 61st Street

**Rev. Msgr. Joseph P. Calise, Pastor**

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**Website: [Transtans.org](http://Transtans.org)**

**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. Joseph Wilson**, Parochial Vicar  
**Rev. Msgr. Edward Doran**, Retired, In Residence  
**Deacon Andrzej Lewandowski**  
**Deacon Ed O'Connell**  
**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

**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)**

Donate  
online



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smartphone for easy, secure  
online giving. Thank you!

### **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 Kostka Church  
 9:30am at Transfiguration Kostka Church  
 11:00am at St. Stanislaus Kostka Church  
 11:30am at Transfiguration (Lithuanian)  
 (Last Sunday of the month except July and August)

12:30pm at Transfiguration Church (Latin)  
 12:30pm at St. Stanislaus Kostka (Spanish)

**Weekdays (Monday - Saturday)**

8:30 am at St. Stanislaus Kostka Church

**Weekdays (Monday - Friday)**

12 Noon at Transfiguration Church

### **Holy Days of Obligation**

To be announced... See Mass schedule in bulletin  
 All Masses are Live Streamed via our Website, Facebook Page or  
 YouTube Channel  
 Both Churches and Transfiguration Parish Hall  
 are wheelchair accessible.



### **Reconciliation/Confessions:**

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

### **Baptism**

To arrange for Baptism, please call the Rectory and ask to  
 speak with one of the Priests.

### **Matrimony**

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

Please log on to [www.pre-cana.org](http://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 October 3**  
8:00 †Salvatore Di Luca  
Req. by daughter Jackie DeSena  
11:00 †Ann Ciorciari Birthday in Heaven  
Req. by Family  
12:30 Healing for Tommy Desiderio  
Spanish Req. by Karin and Walter Gully
- Monday October 4**  
8:30 †Virginia & August Falchetti  
Req. by Gerry Mantone
- Tuesday October 5**  
8:30 †Robert Gozan  
Req. by Ann Marie Mangan & the Lamb Family  
7:00pm People of the Parish  
Spanish
- Wednesday October 6**  
8:30 †Linden Guillen  
Req. by Frank & Virginia Russo
- Thursday October 7**  
8:30 †Thomas G. Oelkers  
Req. by Michelle Medaglia
- Friday October 8**  
8:30 †Mary Ann Walter  
Req. by Dottie Pfister
- Saturday October 9**  
8:30 †Mary Ann Walter  
Req. by Cunneely Family
- Sunday October 10**  
8:00 Our Lady of the Rosary  
Req. by Rosary Altar Society  
11:00 †Teresa Fazzolari  
Req. by Savino & Robert Fazzolari  
12:30 Living Birthday Patricia Duarte  
Spanish Req. by Duarte Family

 In the Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples, "Let the children come to me...for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

This week, please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring the love and mercy of Jesus to children who are hungry and cold.

En el Evangelio, Jesús les dice a sus discípulos: "Dejad que los niños vengan a mí ... porque el reino de Dios es de ellos".  
Esta semana, ayude a la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul a llevar el amor y la misericordia de Jesús a los niños que tienen hambre y frío.



**October 15<sup>th</sup> at 8pm**

NYC Chapter Meeting Online  
contact [nyc@mgoretti.org](mailto:nyc@mgoretti.org)

MGN Maria Goretti Network exists to help survivors of any type of abuse (physical, sexual, mental, emotional, financial, etc.) find support and healing in the spirit of St. Maria Goretti. Abuse is never your fault and you are not alone. Steps to forgiveness can set you free.

MGN Maria Goretti Network is a non-profit 501 (c)(3)  
Lay Catholic Apostolate [www.mgoretti.org](http://www.mgoretti.org)



Pray for those affected by abuse.

## OCTOBER 3, 2021

*Readings for the week of October 1, 2021  
The Twenty-Sixth Week in Ordinary Time*

**Monday:** Jon 1:1 — 2:1-2, 11; Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8;  
Lk 10:25-37  
**Tuesday:** Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8;  
Lk 10:38-42  
**Wednesday:** Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10;  
Lk 11:1-4  
**Thursday:** Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6; Lk 11:5-13  
**Friday:** Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9;  
Lk 11:15-26  
**Saturday:** Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12;  
Lk 11:27-28  
**Sunday:** Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27



*Last weekend, 409 Parishioners came to our two churches to celebrate the Eucharist... Hope you, your family & friends will join us soon!*



Pray the Rosary in honor of  
**Our Lady of Fatima**  
Saturday, October 16  
Juniper Park North  
at the Flag Pole  
12 Noon  
For more info call  
Annette 718-651-4629

Almost there!  
have you made



**Annual Catholic Appeal 2021**

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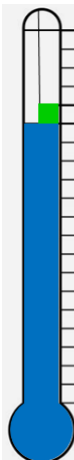
**Campaña Católica Anual 2021**

Thank you to the 2 new families who are helping us reach our goal! 130 have already pledged... Please join them...

...we're almost there!  
No gift is too small...

To donate online  
text ACA to 917-336-1255,  
or visit  
[annualcatholicappeal.org](http://annualcatholicappeal.org)

*Your financial gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal is one way we live as disciples, responding to the needs of others.*

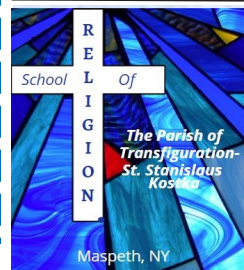


Goal: \$50,783

Pledged: \$41,735  
(130 Families)  
Paid: \$39,544

## Mass Intentions at Transfiguration

- Saturday October 2**  
4:00pm †Angelina Edmonds  
Req. by Son Michael
- Sunday October 3**  
9:30 †John Innamorato Sr.  
Req. by Anna Raia  
12:30 †Mladen Vrankovic  
Latin Req. by his Wife
- Monday October 4**  
12:00 †George Hage  
Req. by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Wierzbicki
- Tuesday October 5**  
12:00 †Patrick & Margaret Mannion  
Req. by Mary B.
- Wednesday October 6**  
12:00 †Walter Doerrbecker Jr.  
Req. by Sharon A. Doerrbecker
- Thursday October 7**  
12:00 †Ashley Amore  
Req. by Aunt Sharon
- Friday October 8**  
12:00 †Ella Genna  
Req. by Anna Raia
- Saturday October 9**  
4:00pm †Susan McCarthy  
Req. by John & Maureen Rafferty
- Sunday October 10**  
9:30 Holy Name Society  
12:30 †Elizabeth Suna  
Latin Req. by Maria Zelazna



**Religious Education Classes 2021-2022 will be held virtually.**

Registration information can be found on our website under the

**FAITH FORMATION tab, CCD/SCHOOL OF RELIGION**

Gracias a los 2 nuevas familias que nos están ayudando a alcanzar nuestra meta!  
130 ya se han comprometido ... Por favor únase a ellos ...  
...¡casi estamos allí!  
Ningún regalo es demasiado pequeño..

Donar en línea envíe un mensaje de texto ACA al 917-336-1255, o visite [annualcatholicappeal.org](http://annualcatholicappeal.org)

*Su donación financiera a la Campaña Católica Anual es una forma en que vivimos como discípulos, respondiendo a las necesidades de los demás.*







October 4th/St Francis of Assisi Day  
and the Blessing of Animals

One of the most beloved saints of all time is Francis of Assisi, the Poverello, or little Poor Man. Born the son of a well-to-do merchant, as a young man he experienced a powerful conversion, and embarked upon a life of humility and poverty in imitation of Jesus. His example inspired many to follow him, and the Franciscan Order was formed, and spear-headed a powerful thirteenth century renewal of the whole Church.

His love of nature and of animals, in which he saw images of the goodness of God, is legendary, and in memory of his holy life we bless animals each year on his feast day.

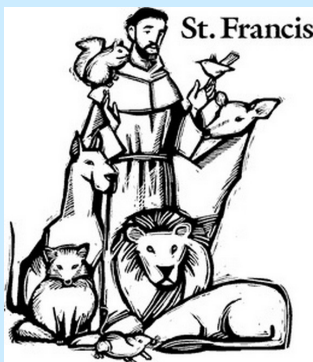
This year, on Monday October 4th at 4PM, bring your pets to the school yard for a blessing. Cats, dogs, birds, rabbits, ferrets, iguanas... whatever little or not so little companion whose friendship reminds you of the goodness of God, bring them to the Blessing of Animals!

4 de octubre / Día de San Francisco de Asís  
y la bendición de los animales

Uno de los santos más queridos de todos los tiempos es Francisco de Asís, el Poverello o Pobrecito. Hijo de un comerciante acomodado, de joven experimentó una conversión poderosa y se embarcó en una vida de humildad y pobreza a imitación de Jesús. Su ejemplo inspiró a muchos a seguirlo, y se formó la Orden Franciscana, que encabezó una poderosa renovación del siglo XIII de toda la Iglesia.

Su amor por la naturaleza y por los animales, en el que vio imágenes de la bondad de Dios, es legendario, y en memoria de su santa vida bendecimos a los animales cada año en su fiesta.

Este año, el lunes 4 de octubre a las 4:00 p. M., Traiga a sus mascotas al patio de la escuela para recibir una bendición. Gatos, perros, pájaros, conejos, hurones, iguanas ... cualquier pequeño o no tan pequeño compañero cuya amistad te recuerde la bondad de Dios, ¡llévalos a la Bendición de los Animales!



*Please pray for our Parishioners, Family Members & Friends who are ill, those on our Tree of Life and for the intentions on our Parish website Prayer Request Page.*

Leonore Accardi, Elizabeth Acunto, Richard Almash, Catherine Bakich, Roland, Robert Benchik, Rose Bencivenga, Steve Berardi, Dolores Bernardo, Diane Bitting, Mike Brawley, Eileen Breen, Lina Maria Cardona, Anthony Carrano, Claire Casale, Michael Chambers, Nancy Cicellini, Linda Cimmino, Brandon Citteria, Rose and Joan Cito, Jackie De Sena, Baby Rocco DiMaggio, Timothy Doherty, Francine, Maria Elena Dragonetti, Roe Durante, Laura Fitzpatrick, Pia Frank, Charlie Gagliardo, Lauren & Tony Gelsone, Bro. Steven Glodek, Barbara Grandi, Natalie Grogan, Gregory Greco, Samantha Green, Teresa & John G., Zen, Michelle Harris, Claudette Hartley, Estuardo Hernandez, Jose Hernandez, Orfelina Hernandez, Una Hickey, Ronnie Holly, Ellen Hughes, Doreen Ingrassolino, John Kantlis, Arthur Kaplan, Dr. Paul-Michael Kazas, Gary & Nina Lammert, Debbie Langone, Faith Lenihan, Patricia McCann, Alice Macaluso, Marilyn Macaluso, Jorge Martinez, Tom Mastrosimone, Maria & Mario Matarrese, Catherine Moran, Roland Muller, Mike Murphy, Agnes Murphy, Tom Murphy, Nanette Murray, Patricia Nappi, Jayne Nash, Johnny Neid, Patricia Norz, Deacon Bill Oggeri, Baby Giavanna Grace Pagnozzi, Alfred Parsard, Baby Lucy Parish, Mary Pennetti, Patricia Pilewski, Louis Pittelli, Charenotte Irwin Portello, Ronald Pugliese, Rader Family, Mary Raftery, Neff Rella, Mary Rewkowski, Mureen Rosado, Ines Murillo Salud, Ruth Sanchez, Barbara Sanders, Sophia Savoskina, Margaret Scaturro, Rose Schiiano, Stacey Siegel, Angie Signorelli, Virginia Specker, Victoria Strocchia, Rosemary Tedeschi, Cindi Thompson, Lu Ann Onorato-Usuriello, John Viteri, Josephine Volino, Julia Wagner, Maria & Reinhold Wagner, Robin Walter, T.C. Water, Deacon Horace Whyte, Ronnie Zimmermann, John and MaryAnn Zero

**The 2022 Mass book is open for your Mass Intentions for the entire year.**

Submit your list of intentions with payment for : Masses, Wine and Hosts, Flowers and Altar Candles in writing by mail, drop off, email ([TranStans@gmail.com](mailto:TranStans@gmail.com)) or online at ([forms.parishgiving.org/form-5700610](https://forms.parishgiving.org/form-5700610))

No in-person "list" visits or telephone calls. Please include your phone number with your intentions; the rectory staff will call you when your intentions have been scheduled, or if your requested date is not available, to schedule an alternative date.

- Announced Masses are \$15.00 each.
- Wine and Hosts are \$25.00
- Altar or Sanctuary Lights are \$25.00
- Flowers on the Altar are \$40.00 for 1 basket \$80 for 2 baskets.



**DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE**

SATURDAY, October 16, 2021  
10AM—4PM \$45  
TRANSFIGURATION PARISH HALL  
64-16 CLINTON AVE, MASPETH  
SPACE IS LIMITED

Save 10% on Liability Insurance  
and reduce up to 4 Pts. on your license  
Call Angelo 347-246-6761 for more information.

Payment may be left at the Church Rectory  
in an envelope marked: ANGELO no later than October 2nd  
Cash or check payable to "cash"  
Bring your own snacks/lunch/beverage

### Prayer for the Blessing of Animals

O Heavenly Father,  
protect and bless all things that have breath.

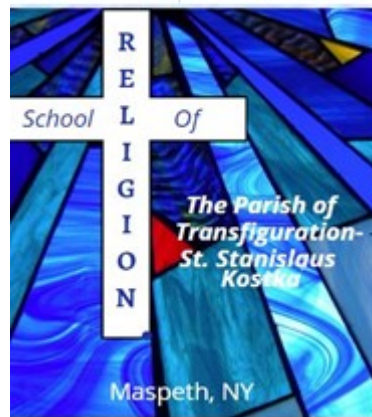
O Supreme Spirit of Creation,  
from Your divine heart has come forth  
a parade of pastoral animals ---  
in such variety and in such beauty  
that we daily marvel at Your creative imagination.

We praise You, that even these creatures  
have been blessed by You  
with a purpose in Your plan of the universe.  
You have blessed them with beauty  
and with instincts that obey Your natural law.  
May these creatures be protected  
from all disease and harm.  
May they grow to completion and maturity  
so as to serve the needs of others.

As we, with gentleness and love,  
care for these Your creatures,  
Help us to be patient, Lord,  
when they are slow to follow our instructions.  
Help us never to treat them as dumb animals  
or as mere objects for trade and profit.

Blessed are You, Lord our God,  
Who did give us these creatures as companions.

Hear our humble prayer, O God,  
for our friends the animals, your creatures.  
We pray especially for all that are suffering in any way:  
for the overworked and underfed, the hunted,  
lost, or ill-treated, Amen.



**Religious  
Education  
Classes  
2021-2022  
will be held  
virtually.**

**Registration information  
can be found on our website  
under the  
FAITH FORMATION tab,  
CCD/SCHOOL OF RELIGION**



### CARDINAL ANNOUNCEMENT!!!!

Dear Parent/Guardians, and Parishioners,  
When A Cardinal Appears... an Angel is near!



Our beautiful and meaningful Cardinals hanging in our lovely Grotto will fly a little longer. By request, we have been asked to leave our Cardinals flying high until All Souls Day, Nov. 2, 2021, a day of prayer and remembrance for the souls of those who have departed. A perfect day to remember all of our loving Transfiguration-St Stan's Family members who have passed. Please note the new date our Cardinals will finally be returning home will be Saturday November 6 and Sunday November 7 after all Masses at St. Stan's. (In the back of church) You may still order one if you wish to hang in our Grotto or to give as a gift. Visit our web site for information.

This fundraiser was a huge success, thank you to all who participated.

Jackie Abramaitis

St Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Academy Board

**ST. STANISLAUS KOSTKA  
CATHOLIC ACADEMY OF QUEENS**

## 2nd Annual Fall Festival

ENJOY SHOPPING- all new items/ hand made crafts, great prices, & delicious Fall treats.  
Come share the fresh air with us and support our academy!

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23  
11 AM - 3 PM  
SCHOOL PARKING LOT**

CALLING ALL VENDORS!  
Non-refundable Table Fee  
Parking will be available across the street at Martin Luther HS  
Table Rental : \$30  
Without Table (providing your own): \$25  
Following all COVID rules, must wear a mask.  
Contact Daisy Montalvo with text or call at 718-286-9497



# ST. STANISLAUS EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENT FUND

## 🍁 SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER 🍁

*Drawing to be held  
Friday, October 29th, 2021*

**30 Deluxe Basket Prizes! Average Value \$100++**



**Raffle tickets: 2/\$10 or 5/\$20**

**Contact: Jill Nicolais 718-578-8664**

**TICKETS  
AVAILABLE  
IN THE  
RECTORY**

