### August 06, 2017—The Transfiguration of the Lord



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#### **CLERGY** SACRAMENTS SCHEDULES Parish Office Hours - Parish Hall Rev. Jhay Galeon **Sacrament of Reconciliation** Monday - Friday 8:00am - 4:00pm Saturday, 3:00pm - 4:30pm or by appointment Parochial Administrator fr.ihav@olmredding.net **Anointing of the Sick** Sunday Masses This Sacrament should be celebrated when someone Our Lady of Mercy—Saturday, 5:00pm Rev. Godwin Xavier is acutely ill or preparing for surgery or in danger of Sunday, 8:30am, 11:00am & 1:00pm Parochial Vicar death. (Spanish) fr.godwin@olmredding.net Mary Queen of Peace—Sunday, 10:30am **Baptism** This Sacrament is celebrated after the parents **Deacon Ray Hemenway** and godparents have reflected on their commit-ment to live the faith, and participated in a prep-aration process that is offered on the first Tues-day of the month at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. deacon.ray@olmredding.net **Daily Masses** Our Lady of Mercy, Monday-Friday 7:30am **Deacon Raymond Arnold Rosary and Morning Prayer** deacon.raymond@olmredding.net Marriage (Liturgy of the Hours) At least six months advance notice is needed. Please Deacon José Ceja 6:55am - Mon-Fri, prior to daily Mass contact the office to start the preparation process. deaconjosé@olmredding.net

### REFLECTION

### THE TRANSFIGURATION

This Sunday is different because we celebrate the Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord. Jesus was transfigured before the eyes of his Apostles. Two great men of the Old Testament appeared, Moses and Elijah. The transfiguration of Christ is a glimpse of his divinity and glory. This event is a sign of encouragement for the Apostles so that they will not lose hope during and after the crucifixion.

However, Peter, James and John did not understand the message of the Transfigured Messiah. The apostles even though they lack understanding, they themselves were transfigured when the Risen Jesus appeared to them and sent them out to preach the kingdom of God. Peter will say, 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. (2 Peter 1:16)

Transfiguration is important for us Catholics because every time we go to confession we are transfigured. When we do good works, charity, prayers, and many spiritual exercises we are transformed into a new person. Jesus is inviting us to make our lives bright and white, a symbolism of holiness and obedience to God. Today's Sunday celebration is also a teaching moment for us to recall the basic doctrine of our Church about Jesus Christ that He is our God and Savior.

|                | Welcome: P                     | lease Register  | or Update Your Information          |               |
|----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Last Name(s)   |                                |                 | First Name(s)                       |               |
| Address:       |                                |                 | City/State/Zip                      |               |
| Phone          | Cell                           |                 | E-Mail                              |               |
| Children: Name |                                | Age             | Name                                | Age           |
| Children: Name |                                | Age             | Name                                | Age           |
|                | Please complete and mail to Ou | r Lady of Mercy | Parish, 2600 Shasta View Dr., Reddi | ing, CA 96002 |

#### **SPIRITUALITY**

Can You Watch Me? The Adoration Room has openings for adorers. Please consider taking one of the following available hours: Sundays 12:00 am, 12:00 pm; Wednesdays 6:00 pm, and Saturdays 3:00 pm. For additional information, contact Mary Grady at 222-2715.

**Daily Mass Readings:** Available at usccb.org/bible/readings. Connect with God's Word every day!

### **FAITH FORMATION**

Children's Faith Formation (CFF): Will start its new year in September. We are looking for volunteers to teach or to be an aid for the children's faith formation. There will be an information meeting, Wednesday, August 9, 2017 at 6:00 pm in the church hall for those interested. For more information call Michelle at 222-3424.

### MINISTRIES

**Fatima Children's Rosary:** All families are invited to pray the rosary the second Saturday of each month at 12:00 noon either at the church or the hall. For information, contact Irene Pineda at 262-8017.

Family Camp at Camp Pendola! Inviting all families to spend time together away from the demands of the daily schedule. Unplug yourselves and join us for our annual Family Camp, September 2-4; a weekend of fun and relaxation in the pines at Camp Pendola near Camptonville. For more info and to register: 530-389-2780 or www.pendola.org.

New Youth Ministries Orientation Day: If you're in the first years of your youth ministry career, the Diocese of Sacramento wants to help you get off on the right foot! You're invited to the New Youth Minister Orientation day on August 19, 9am-3pm at the Newman Catholic Center Sacramento. Join us for a FREE day of exploring: effective ministry for the iY Generation, how to train and maintain volunteers, and personal spirituality.

To register, visit ymday.evenbrite.com. For more information contact James Ross at 916-733-0151 or jross@scd.org.

### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

**Lending Library:** Stop by after Mass to borrow CDs, DVDs. Also, we have new books and projects this summer that will support sharing the faith with your entire family. Come check it all out!

The Food Pantry: Needs volunteers to hand out food bags Monday through Friday for two hours a day from 8 am to 10 am in the Parish Hall. Also, we encourage you to bring one can of food to church each week for our food pantry as our supplies run low during this time of the year. Please contact Ruth Smith 243-8705 for further information.

**50s Plus Club:** Want to meet people your age and have a fabulous meal, too? Come to 50s Plus Club on the second Tuesday of each month at 11:30am, St. Joseph's downstairs meeting room, for a potluck lunch. It's informal and fun. Bring a dish to share. Dues are very reasonable at \$10/year/person. For more information, call Margaret at 222-4991.

### FAMILY CORNER

**Congratulations and blessings** to the *Lopez* family on the recent baptism of *Sergio Olekzander* as we welcome the newest member of our parish into the family of God.

Condolences and blessings to the *Anthony-Dyer and Jones* families on the recent passing of Helen Anthony-Dyer and David Jones as they pass from this life into their eternal reward.

### **ET CETERA**

Church in Latin America Collection: Next week, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Please prayerfully consider supporting this collection, which assists programs that strengthen the faith in Latin America and the Caribbean. Your gifts help share the faith by providing lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, as well as other programs. To learn more, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

**Deacon Ray Arnold** has completed additional instruction from the Diocese and is now ready to assist parishioners who may need to have a previous marriage examined by the Tribunal for nullity. Please call the parish office to make an appointment.

Items for publication in the bulletin or announcements must be submitted no later than 4:00 pm Monday for the next publication. Email bulletin articles to bulletineditor@olmredding.net and announcement requests to olm.announce@olmredding.net.

| Mass Intentions |      |          |                                      |
|-----------------|------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| Monday          | 8/7  | 7:30 AM  | Virginia Thompson, SI                |
| Tuesday         | 8/8  | 7:30 AM  | Delaldine Anne Finn +                |
| Wednesday       | 8/9  | 7:30 AM  | Robert Snider + // David Jones +     |
| Thursday        | 8/10 | 7:30 AM  | Patti Villegas +                     |
| Friday          | 8/11 | 7:30 AM  | The Ortega Diaz Family, SI           |
| Saturday        | 8/12 | 5:00 PM  | Cynthia Quan + // Meredith Deignan + |
| Sunday          | 8/13 | 8:30 AM  | Paula Jansen, SI                     |
|                 |      | 10:30 AM | Leona Sammit +                       |
|                 |      | 11:00 AM | For the People                       |
|                 |      | 1:00 PM  | Xochitl Muñoz, SI                    |
|                 | •    | Sick     | & Homebound                          |

Arnett, Keith Schmad, Chris Johnson, Larry Berblinger, Ellen Johnson, Mary Ann Shebeck, Anthony Biechman, Agnes Juarez, Elia Snider, Viola Blake, Eve Leslie, Mary Soucy, Beth Brisson, Patricia Lewis, Maria Tumelson, Steve Crane, Sandy Maty, Mary Tussing, Angie De Herrera, Marlene Muhr, Erwin Valmorida, Constancia Fortman, Trish Murphy, Patrick VanLoan, Sandy Gene Sachsitz, Scott Wailes, Walter R.

| Week At A Glance: 8/7–8/13, 2017 |      |          |                           |           |
|----------------------------------|------|----------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Monday                           | 8/7  |          |                           |           |
| Tuesday                          | 8/8  | 8:00 AM  | Pantry Volunteers         | Hall      |
| Wednesday                        | 8/9  | 1:00 PM  | Legion of Mary            | Rm. 4     |
|                                  |      | 6:00 PM  | RCIA                      | Rm. 4     |
|                                  |      | 8:00 PM  | Men's Athletic Fellowship | Hall      |
| Thursday                         | 8/10 |          |                           |           |
| Friday                           | 8/11 |          |                           |           |
| Saturday                         | 8/12 | 12:00 PM | Children's Rosary         | Hall      |
| Sunday                           | 8/13 | 11:30 AM | Hispanic Music Rehearsal  | Conf. Rm. |

#### Stewardship

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|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------|
| 30-Jul-17         | OLM               | MQP            | Total     |
| Sunday Collection | \$6,288           |                | \$6,288   |
| Budget            | \$7,222           | \$647          | \$7,868   |
| Difference        | (\$934)           | (\$647)        | (\$1,580) |
| YTD Avg Week      | \$6,512           | \$636          | \$7,148   |
| Budget            | \$7,222           | \$647          | \$8,000   |
| Avg Week + / -    | (\$710)           | (\$10)         | (\$852)   |
| YTD Totals        | \$32,560          | \$2,545        | \$35,106  |
| Budget            | \$36,109          | \$3,233        | \$39,342  |
| Difference        | (\$3,548)         | (\$688)        | (\$4,236) |
| Projects          | Cost              | Donated        | % Donated |
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