



# August 6, 2017 Transfiguration of the Lord

### Prayers for the Ill

To better facilitate this list it will be completely deleted on **August 6th** unless you contact the office at 447-2685 and ask for your loved one to remain.

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| Gladys Bishop     | Tim Koenig          |
| Mary Boisen       | Kathy Langworthy    |
| Carl Burrell      | Kathy Lee           |
| Johnnee Curtis    | Sharon Moeller      |
| Butch Davaz       | Yesenia Sandoval    |
| Clifford Doty     | Nancy Sanger        |
| Matt Finnegan     | Roman Vasquez       |
| Barb & Dave Floyd | Dylan Warner family |
| Lily Gray         | Rosie Yepez         |
| Jim Hines         | Tony Yepez          |
| Rose Kirby        |                     |

*The things you take for granted,  
someone else is praying for.*  
  
*Bryan Tracy*

### PRAYER CHAIN CONTACT

Gail Davaz @ 509-292-2601  
Nellie Graham @ 509-951-1020

*Happy Birthdays*

### *This Month's Birthdays*

- Norbert Cvengros.....8/3
- Morgan Johnson.....8/3
- David Hopkins.....8/4
- Tracie Valdez.....8/4
- Joann Cvengros.....8/6
- Shaylin Sommer.....8/7
- Lon Lee.....8/8
- Thomas McCaffrey.....8/10
- Gregory Meyer.....8/14
- Ed Zupich.....8/14
- Rebecca Sedbrook.....8/15
- Emilia Maesner.....8/16
- Ken Ronnow.....8/16
- Steve Eck.....8/19
- Kelly Farmin.....8/19
- Sara Aicken.....8/21
- Michael Johnson.....8/24
- Rebecca Meyer.....8/25
- Lisa Phillips.....8/27
- Nellie Graham.....8/28
- Jacee Phillips.....8/28

### LADIES IN FELLOWSHIP TOGETHER (L.I.F.T.) RETREAT

“You are the Completion of Creation” The L.I.F.T. Retreat will be held at the Antelope Mountain Resort in Clark Fork, ID on August 25th, 26th & 27th, 2017. The cost is \$80.00/person (if paid by Aug. 15th) or \$90/person after Aug. 15th. Scholarships are available. Meals are included.

Donations accepted and early registration is encouraged. A welcome letter listing items to bring and other reminders will be forthcoming. The schedule is Friday the 25th, at 4:00pm, check in and Sunday the 27th is the closing at 12:30pm. Fr. Gary Caster of Peoria, IL, a close friend of Mother Teresa of Calcutta, will be one speaker and Rebecca Dussault an Olympian and “Multi-Sport Momma” will also be speaking.

Registration forms available from the office at St. Anthony or for questions call Jan Vann @ 208.290.6585.

### ST. ANTHONY PARISHIONERS DIRECT DEPOSIT CHOICE

Doing Direct Deposit is a great way to have peace of mind in supporting the parish. The finance council, in putting together a budget for the coming year, find it a challenge to project what the weekly collections will bring, which is necessary for good budget projection. Direct Deposit helps immensely in forecasting what our annual income may be.

Finally, Direct Deposit is a secure method of tithing and since you control it you can change it as needed. All that is necessary is for you to contact St. Anthony’s office and obtain the St. Anthony’s routing number then tell your bank the amount and how often. So please consider doing Direct Deposit.

### ST. ANTHONY’S YARD SALE

will be **September 9th** this year. Start cleaning out and saving your items. Information forthcoming on when and where to drop off your donations.

**PLEASE NO CLOTHING.**

For more information call Russ Fletcher @ (509)550-7601 or Steve Sommer @ (805) 878-4613.



## CATHOLIC PARISHES OF PEND OREILLE COUNTY

# DEAR PADRE

AUGUST 6, 2017

*Now that I'm retired and my kids are grown I'm feeling directionless. Even my faith life doesn't feel like it used to. How can I recapture a feeling of purposefulness in my faith?*

People may long for liberation from their job and for an “empty nest” at home; yet, when some find it, they lose a clear sense of identity, purpose, or fulfillment. This loss can lead to depression, but many people are unable to name it or cope with these life changing realities. Is getting through the day more exhausting than a full day's work before your retirement? Do you prefer to live in the past? Are you burdened with lingering feelings of guilt or regret that need healing? Do you feel like a burden? What are your reasons for living? Faith and spirituality are connected to the physical, mental, and emotional dimensions of our life. It is often easier to recapture vitality in faith when we recapture a purpose in other dimensions of life. Volunteer for a worthy cause. Balance your active outreach with introspection. Go on a retreat and reflect on what you're grateful for. Your relationship with the Lord in prayer may be affected by your lack of direction and purpose, but even a persistent emptiness in prayer can be an opportunity to have God fill the void—by focusing more on God than on what's presently lacking in your life.

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Dear Friends,

A very blessed Sunday to each of you!

A warm welcome to Fr. Ken Krall, S.J., who presides at the 11 am Mass at St. Anthony's this Sunday. His presence is always a blessing. I'll be celebrating the 10 am Pow Wow Mass on the Kalispel Indian Reservation.

A big thank you to the St. Anthony's Parish Advisory Council, the Hospitality Committee, and the Knights of Columbus for their help in organizing and putting on that remarkable parish picnic we enjoyed last Sunday! We had a wonderful turnout and food galore! It is a blessing, always, when we come together as a family of faith and celebrate! It was a joy hearing the abundant laughter and seeing the beauty of fellowship being lived out so naturally.

There will be a 12:15 pm Mass at St. Jude's this Wednesday and a 5:30 pm Mass at St. Joseph's on Thursday, along with the regular 10 am Masses at St. Anthony's on Tuesday and Friday.

Take good care of yourself and one another. You are deeply loved by God.

Fr. Vic

## PASTOR'S CORNER

### The Transfiguration of the Lord

“The law of Your mouth is to me more precious than thousands of gold and silver pieces,” says the psalmist today. Does the amount of my offering suggest that I could honestly say the same?

