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10TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Epistle 1 Cor 4:9-16; Gospel Mt 17:14-23; TONE 1

DIVINE LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK

10th Sunday After Pentecost, August 2, 2026

9:00 AM - Lit. + Katarzyna Hnat r/by Bobbie

11:00 AM - Lit. for God's Blessings on our Parishioners

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

8:00 AM - Lit. God's Blessings for Veronika, Sofia, Andriy, Mykola, Oksana r/by Tabaka family

Wednesday, August 5, 2026

8:00 AM - Lit. + Mykola Shymon r/by Ransom Family

Thursday, August 6, 2026

Transfiguration of our Lord

9:00 AM - Lit. Health of Taras, Myroslav, Roman and Ukrainian soldiers r/by Iryna Kuzychyn

6:30 PM - Lit. Blessings for Lidia Veselovska r/by daughter, Romana Matviyishyn

Friday, August 7, 2026

8:00 AM - Lit. + Charles, Anna, Nick, Olga, Judith Dachishen - Legate

Saturday, August 8, 2026

8:00 AM - Lit. God's blessings for Natalia Brandafi r/by mother Maria Dzeva

5:00 PM - Lit. for God's Blessings on our Parishioners

11th Sunday After Pentecost, August 9, 2026

Epistle 1 Cor 9:2-12; Gospel Mt 18:23-35

9:00 AM - Lit. + Ihor Sytar r/by Parents Ivan and Natalia

11:00 AM - Lit. + Steve and Anna Mysak r/by Susan

Transfiguration Feast.

A mainstay of the Church's Liturgical life is the blessing of objects, for the betterment and sanctification of us all. On the feast of Holy Transfiguration, it is customary to bless fruit - especially grapes - in order to signify the renewal of all Creation by our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Please consider attending Liturgy on August 6th at 9:00 am or 6:30 pm bringing fruit with you so that it may be blessed at the end of the service.

'Sight and Sound' Theatre Trip

St. Ann's will travel to Sight and Sound theatre on September 19th for the production of "Joshua." Tickets are available for parishioners and friends to join us. The cost, which includes bus trip, theatre and lunch at Shady Maple is \$170 per person. (Deposit required). Any interested person should reach out to Melanie Fedynyshyn (732-213-5571), Christine Grausam (732-804-0357) or the rectory.

72nd Holy Dormition Pilgrimage will be held on August 15-16 at the motherhouse of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate in Sloatsburg. This year's theme is "Mary, Our Queen and Loving Mother, Shelter your Children in Times of War and Injustice". The Sisters invite all our parishioners to attend! For information call: 845-753-2840.

Special Visitors

On Wednesday, August 13, we will welcome pilgrims from Holy Myrrh-Bearers Ukrainian Catholic Church in Swarthmore, Pennsylvania. Their visit is part of a bus pilgrimage to Northern New Jersey shrines and churches. We are pleased to welcome them to our parish and school.

TODAY: 10TH Sunday of Pentecost

In today's Gospel, the disciples are unable to heal a boy because their faith is weak. Jesus gently corrects them and, with compassion, heals the boy. He reminds them that even faith as small as a mustard seed can overcome great obstacles. The image of "moving mountains" teaches us that nothing is impossible when we place our trust in God. We all experience setbacks, failures, and disappointments. At times we may feel discouraged by our weaknesses or by challenges beyond our control. Jesus invites us not to lose heart but to place our confidence in him. When we pray with faith and persevere in trusting God, he gives us the grace and strength to face every difficulty. May today's Gospel encourage us to grow in faith, knowing that the Lord is always with us.

School News

Summer break doesn't mean the work stops at Assumption Catholic School! While our students and teachers enjoy a well-deserved vacation, our dedicated maintenance team has been hard at work deep cleaning classrooms and hallways, preparing a welcoming environment for the new school year. The school parking lot has also been repaired.

Beach Blanket Bingo - August 19

Join us for a fun evening with regular games, 50/50, Pull Tabs, Surprise Bingo, Powerball, and Jackpot Specials. Doors open: 6:00 p.m. Games begin: 7:30 p.m. Bring your family and friends for an exciting night while supporting our parish!

Bingo Volunteers Needed

Our Wednesday Bingo depends on the dedication of our volunteers. We are especially in need of additional help selling chances from **6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** Even if you can only volunteer for this short shift, your help would make a big difference.

Please consider joining our Bingo team and helping support our parish. If you are interested or would like more information, please speak with Fr. Ivan or our Bingo Chairperson, Colette Baginsky.

Designer Handbag & Tricky Tray - Save the Date!

The Holy Name Society invites you to our Designer Handbag Bingo & Tricky Tray on Sunday, September 20, 2026, in the school auditorium. Doors open at 12:00 PM and games begin at 2:00 PM. Tickets are \$30 and may be purchased from Holy Name Society members, or at Wednesday Night Bingo. Tickets can also be purchased directly from the church rectory, from Joe Britton at (732) 904-8710, or at the door the day of the event. Join us for an afternoon of fun, great prizes, and beautiful designer handbags!