

August 6, 2020

Feast of the Transfiguration



“Jesus took Peter, James, and his brother, John, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them.” **AND THEN...**

“As they were coming down from the mountain, Jesus charged them, “Do not tell the vision to anyone until the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.”

**Dearest Friends,**

Every day since mid March we have begun our Morning Prayer with concern for you and for your continued health and safety during this difficult time. On this Feast of the Transfiguration and 18th Anniversary of becoming the Trustees of Sky Farm we also offered special prayers of thankfulness for all the blessings and support that you have given over the years to help make Sky Farm possible.

We are now confronted with a long and difficult journey ahead, but we continue with an ever deeper faith and hope in God’s loving and providential care. Together we pray our way forward and hold close to our hearts the values that support life and love. We support each other through sorrow, loss, and the anxiousness that arises; we face each day together in hope and without fear.

In the face of the hardships of this year it’s difficult to ask for your help with our Summer Appeal, but we need whatever support you can give towards this year’s projects for the upkeep of the Hermitage. Your prayers are our greatest support and if you are also able to help with our Summer Projects that would truly be a Godsend.

We’d like to hear how you are doing and we are looking forward to that day when we can welcome guests once again. Until then, we wait with hope and pray that great good will come out of this time of hardship.

In Christ’s peace and joy,

Sr Michaela and Br Francis

Transfigured on Mt Tabor’s Height, a new creation was unveiled: yet you alone could show us, all this path to glory would entail.

Wrapped wondrously in radiant light, you gave your chosen ones foretaste, of all you would accomplish when your cross-flung arms the world embraced.

Oh Lord how good that we are here, together gathered in this place! Your promised presence dwells in us and touches all who seek your face.

O loving Abba of the world;  
O Christ resplendent and ablaze; O Spirit now transfiguring us: may we ourselves be now your praise!



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