



5:00 p.m. Saturday, December 10
+William Heinlin

8:00 a.m. Third Sunday of Advent
Sunday, December 11
People of the Parish

10:00 a.m. +Eugene Iapicco

5:00 p.m. +Adriano Esteves

7:00 a.m. Monday, December 12
+George Hordubay

7:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 13
+Christopher M. Haase

6:15 p.m.* Wednesday, December 14
+Grazio & Frank De Monico
Carol Theresa Rakoncza
Anthony Lannetti

7:00 p.m. Thursday, December 15
Obi & Okeke Family

7:00 a.m. Friday, December 16
+Betty & +Edwin C. Kolakowski

5:00 p.m. Saturday, December 17
+Thomas J Noto

8:00 a.m. Fourth Sunday of Advent
Sunday, December 18
+Charles DuFour

10:00 a.m. People of the Parish

5:00 p.m. +Antoinette & Joseph Rossi

**AD ORIENTEM (facing East)*

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for December

Volunteer Not-for-Profit Organizations
We pray that volunteer non-profit organizations committed to human development find people dedicated to the common good and ceaselessly seek out new paths to international cooperation.

Daily Mass – Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. - 7:00 a.m.



Christmas Flower & Remembrance of Mass Envelopes may be placed in any collection basket

Stewardship – Time, Talent & Treasure

December 4 –\$ 5,385.00
Mail Donations \$ 523.00
On-Line Giving \$ 1,163.71
Christmas Flowers \$1,161.00

Thank you for your support of Corpus Christi Parish
Please remember Corpus Christi Parish in your will and estate planning.

MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS
December 10 – December 16

+Candle for Mary+
Thomas McDarby

+Sacred Heart+
Special Intention



Parish Giving is the premier online giving and payment system for *Corpus Christi* and church communities throughout the nation. **Please note at any time, you may begin ON LINE GIVING by logging on to our website:**

ON LINE GIVING Our thanks to the many families that have signed up for Online Giving! If you manage your bills online, we're sure you'll like the convenience of giving to your parish online. It's safe and secure, and you decide exactly when your gift is made. You may even view your giving history just by logging in Visit our website: www.corpuschristisoutheriver.org – and get started.

Flocknote – Keep in touch with us via email and text! All the happenings of Corpus Christi on a daily basis, ministry news & more. Text the word CHI-RHO to 84576 Or sign up online at Corpuschristichurch2.flocknote.com

Names may be called in to add to the sick of the parish. Please keep in mind to notify the parish office when to remove the names. Thank You.

Please pray for the sick of our parish:
Joann Heinlin, Juliet Hobson, Stevie Telofski, Geraldine Patton, Manuel Rocha, Jean DuFour, Nancy Perkin, Ashley Larson, Theresa Marchese, Leonard Parrino, Karen Kleinschmidt, Bonnie Anderson, Steven Marcinczyk, Ian Birchak, Melissa Telofski, Vickie, Lisa Ponteiri, Sam Saloom, Jr., Patrick Ahern Ernest J. Volkmann, Jr., Ernest J. Volkmann, Sr., David Catchpole, Maryann Volkmann.



The restrooms are open downstairs in the church hall for your convenience. These are the ONLY restrooms to be used during mass.

Daily prayer for our Raise the Roof Campaign
Memorare of St. Joseph



Remember, O most chaste spouse of the Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who implored Thy help and sought Thy intercession was left unaided.

Full of confidence in Thy power we fly unto Thee and beg Thy protection. Despise not O Guardian of the Redeemer our humble supplication, but in Thy bounty, hear and answer us. Amen.

RAISE THE ROOF & MAKE A

SOUND IN CHRIST CAMPAIGN 2022

Make a one-time gift \$ _____

Make a Pledge \$250+ \$500+ \$1,000+ \$2,000+ \$5,000+ Other \$ _____

Payment installment options are available.

Any donation amount will be greatly appreciated. Donations may be mailed or dropped off at the parish office.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone No. _____

Please make checks payable to

Corpus Christi Church

We are happy to report, we have received \$48,875.00 in pledges/donations for our campaign.

**Please Note: Every Wednesday
Confessions 5:00-5:45
Mass 6:15* followed by**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament till 9:00 pm.

*AD ORIENTEM (facing East)

**Beginning on the Feast of St. Andrew (Nov.30)
(recite 15 times each day until Christmas)**

Hail and blessed by the hour and the moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem, in the piercing cold. In that hour, vouchsafe, I beseech Thee, O my God, to hear my prayer and grant my desires, through the merits of Our Savior Jesus Christ, and of His blessed Mother. Amen

St. Vincent de Paul Society, with the Portuguese Social Ministry is sponsoring a Christmas Wish Tree. All parishioners are invited to participate. Please take an ornament from one of the trees and purchase a gift card. Mark the amount on the card/cards and place them in the collection basket, or deliver them to the Parish Office. These cards will be delivered to the families who have been assisted this year. Thank you in advance for supporting all those in need.



LUCKY CALENDAR 2023

The best deal in town, Buy 2 for \$50 and get a third **FREE**.

Calendars were mailed to all parishioners. **They make wonderful Christmas Stocking Stuffers!**

Congratulations to Maryann Volkmann, our Lucky winner for the Dec. 6th drawing.

1 more drawing left for the 2022 Calendar. Next drawing **Tuesday, December 20, 2022 for \$1,000.00** at 1pm in the parish office. Good Luck to all who have entries in the drum!



December 11, 2022

Third Sunday of Advent

“You too must be patient. Make your hearts firm, because the coming of the Lord is at hand.” JAMES 5-8

Patience is another one of those things many of us struggle with. We want things to go according to our plan and our schedule; we like things to be convenient. Any change brings anxiety and fear. Through daily prayer God reveals to us what He wants us to do with the gifts He has given us. We are able to better align ourselves with God’s will and His plan, which is far better than anything we can come up with on our own.



Corpus Christi Church
Christmas Cookie Walk and More!
Sunday, December 11th
starting at 11:00 am

Assortment of homemade cookies and other baked goods \$8 per pound

Pictures with Santa and his helper, Kids ornament making (\$3 per child), 50-50 Raffle- Enjoy complimentary hot chocolate, coffee, and apple cider

All proceeds to benefit the Evangelization ministry
A Special Thank You to all who have baked and assisted to help with this fundraiser.

New Saint Joseph Sunday Missals for 2023

are available at the parish office for \$4.50. If interested, call the parish office during regular office hours.





Advent Penance Service

Wednesday, December 21, 2022 7:30-9:00 p.m.

Several priests will be available to hear confessions.

New Jersey Right to Life

New Jersey Right to Life wishes to express to the parishioners at Corpus Christi Parish their sincere appreciation for your support of our annual car raffle fundraiser. We are deeply thankful for your generosity which makes possible truly life saving work. The following is a list of the winners:

Volvo Dominika Olynik – Morris

\$1,000 ShopRite GC Andrew Roach- Monmouth

\$750 ShopRite GC Paul Gabrielski – Somerset

\$500 ShopRite GC Dolores Plenzo – Ocean

Marriage Enrichment –

Looking for the perfect Christmas gift for your spouse? Why not give yourselves a Marriage Encounter Weekend.

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held February 24-26.

Please apply ASAP as space is limited. Phone 1-732-904-9636 for application and information. (Tom & Ruth DeFalco) Visit us at: www.wwme.org for more info.

**Retirement Fund for Religious
December 11, 2022**

Help aging religious. Senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have devoted their lives to prayer, service, and works of mercy. Most ministered for little or no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. Your gift to today's Retirement Fund for Religious collection helps to furnish medications, nursing care, and other necessities. Please give generously.

Surviving Divorce – For men and women seeking healing from separation or divorce. This 12-week program, while based on the teachings of the Catholic Church, is open to anyone who needs comfort, counsel and clarity after a divorce. Meetings will be held on Thursdays 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm beginning March 2, 2023 at the St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway, NJ. For more information or to register contact Ro Bersch at 908-313-5947.

Christmas Schedule Masses



Saturday, Christmas Eve

December 24, 2022

4:00 p.m., 5:30 p.m. (Portuguese) 10:00 p.m.

Sunday, Christmas

December 25, 2022

12:00 a.m. Midnight TLM

8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m. (Portuguese)



Saturday, December 31, 2022

Vigil Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God,

5:00 p.m. 6:15 p.m. (Portuguese)

Sunday, January 1, 2023

8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. (Portuguese)

GIRLS' GIFTS will meet this Tuesday December 13th (2nd & 4th Tuesday of every month) at 6:00-7:15 p.m. in the church hall. If you are a girl in the 6th grade or higher, you are invited to join Corpus Christi Girls' Gifts group. The group is open to all girls, not only those in the parish. If you are interested in finding out more information or being added to our mailing list, please contact AnnMarie Karczmit at adminstr@comcast.net or (732) 801-3569.