



**Saturday, February 26**

**Vigil Mass**

**5:00 p.m.** + Americo & +Laura Baccigalupi

**Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday February 27**

**8:00 a.m.** +John Prill

**10:00 a.m.** +George & +Loretta Wilson

**3:00 p.m.\*** Laura Hopler

**5:00 p.m.** People of the Parish

**Monday, February 28**

**7:30 a.m.** +Dennis Manwaring

**Tuesday, March 1**

**7:30 a.m.** +Vigliotti Juseppina

**Ash Wednesday**

**Wednesday, March 2**

**7:30 a.m.** +Alice Rodrigues

**6:15 p.m.** +Fernando Nogueira

**Thursday, March 3**

**7:30 a.m.** +Kathleen Rappleyea

**Friday, March 4**

**7:30 a.m.** +Garth Smalley

**7:00 p.m.** + Florencio Flores, Jr.

**Saturday, March 5**

**12:00 Noon** +David McCracken

**5:00 p.m.** +Mary Certo

**First Sunday in Lent**

**Sunday, March 6**

**8:00 a.m.** People of the Parish

**10:00 a.m.** +Joanne Senko

**3:00 p.m.\*** Rorate Caeli Purgatorial

**5:00 p.m.** +Edward Schickling

\* Traditional Latin Mass

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for February**

**For religious sisters and consecrated women**

We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.

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**February 20– \$ 4,084.00**

**Mail Donations -\$ 933.50**

**On-Line Giving -\$ 1,560.89**

**Thank you for your support of Corpus Christi Parish**

**Please remember Corpus Christi Parish  
in your will and estate planning.**

**MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

**February 26 - March 4**

**+Bread & Wine+**

Joseph Hranowski Family

**+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](http://www.corpuschristisoutheriver.org) – and get started.

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Prayer

*How to do nothing  
and still thank you're helping*

*Corpus Christi establishing a new Prayer List for the sick of the parish. Kindly call in to add names to the list. 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, Fr. Henry Hemmling, Juliet Hobson, Karen Kleinschmidt, Ashley Larson, Theresa Marchese, Geraldine Patton, Steven Marcinczyk Lisa Ponteiri, Sam Saloom, Jr., Melissa Telofski, Jean DuFour, Stevie Telofski, Judi Zyskowski, Ian Birchak, Nancy Perkin, David Catchpole, Manuel Rocha, Jim Creegan, Vincenzo Blandino, Bonnie Anderson, Maryann Volkmann, Patrick Ahern, Ernest J. Volkmann, Sr., Ernest J. Volkmann, Jr.

## WEEKLY FAITH FORMATION QUESTION

### Grade 1-2

**Life Question:** What kind of friend does Jesus want us to be?

**Gospel Question:** How does Jesus want us to act with our friends?

### Grades 2-3

**Life Question:** What is a fault you need to work on?

**Gospel Question:** – How does Jesus describe a good person?

### Grades 4-6

**Life Question:** What is a hypocrite?

**Gospel Question:** Think of a time you have criticized someone for something you have also done.

### Grades 7-8

**Life Question:** How can we avoid being a hypocrite?

**Gospel Question:** What does it mean that a good tree produces good fruit?

### Faith Formation Families

For current openings and closings due to inclement weather for the next couple of months, please call the main number 732-254-1800 ext.19 and all updated information will be available.



### Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 27, 2022

*“A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit.” (LUKE 6:43)*

Are you using your gifts in the way God intended? Have you asked God how He would like you to use them? Do you compare yourself to others and complain about what you don't have instead of being thankful for what you do have? God gives each of us unique gifts and a unique plan. Listen to how God is calling you to use your gifts, to bear good fruit, for the glory of His name.

### 2022 Lucky Calendar

Did you submit your returns for the 2022 Lucky Calendar? It's not too late, there are 12 more drawings left. 2 for \$1,000.00 and 10 for \$500.00. The next drawing is fast approaching. **This Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>** another winner will be selected from the drum. It could be you! Return your stub before 1:00 pm Tuesday and just maybe your stub will be pulled from the drum, a phone call notifying you that you won, and your stub will go back in the drum for the remaining drawings.

**Good Luck to all!!!**



## The 2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Parish Team Leaders are needed to assist the parish to meet our goal of \$33,000. The meetings are held via Zoom. Please consider assisting our parish in implementing a successful campaign.

### Continuing to Fan the Flame of Faith into Service

By now you have received a letter from Bishop Checchio inviting your participation in the 2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal. The diocesan ministries supported by the Appeal directly impact many of the parishioners here in Corpus Christi Parish. Your gift provides formation opportunities for our catechists, youth and young adults. In the coming days, you will be receiving a letter from our pastor Fr. Damian Breen encouraging your participation. If you have yet to make your gift, please prayerfully consider doing so today by either returning your pledge card in the mail or going to the secure website: <https://diometuchen.org/BAA>.

### Corpus Christi Church

#### Lenten Day of Recollection

*with Rev. Fr. John A. Perricone*

Saturday – March 19, 2022 – 11:00 a.m. Conference I

Noon – Holy Mass

12:45 – Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

1:00 p.m. – Holy Rosary

Confessions, 1:30 p.m. – Conference II

2:00 p.m. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

2:30 p.m. Convivium

### St. Mark Christian Academy

Now enrolling Grade Pre K 3-8

for the 2022-23 school year

Open House Date

Sunday, March 27 - 10am-1pm

Tour our beautiful facility

Meet Faculty and Staff. For more info visit

[www.stmarkacademy.com](http://www.stmarkacademy.com) or call 732-743-9670



### OLDIES NIGHT

**March 5, 2022**

**Church of the Sacred Heart**

**531 Washington Ave.**

**South Amboy, NJ**

**Tickets \$50.00 DINNER, SODA, DESSERT, COFFEE, TEA INCLUDED - BYOB Tables of 10 are reserved.**

**MUSIC BY NJ's #1**

**“SOUNDS OF THE STREET”**

**Call for tickets: Duffy 732-496-3005 or**

**Sacred Heart Office 732-721-0040**

**\$500 DOOR PRIZE!**



## The Schedule for Ash Wednesday

March 2, 2022

7:30 a.m. Mass

12:00 Noon – Service

5:00 p.m. Service

6:15 Mass Latin Mass

8:00 p.m. (Portuguese)



### Lenten Instructions

**Days of Fast** Ash Wednesday, Good Friday (One full meal, applies to those 18-59 years of age.) **Days of Abstinence:** Ash Wednesday, and All Fridays in Lent.

**Fridays of Lent:** (No meat, applies to 14+ years of age.) While failure to observe penitential days in itself may not be considered serious, the failure to observe any penitential days at all, or substantial number of them without a good cause would be considered a grave matter. Those unable to abstain on any given Friday of Lent are asked to perform some other penitential act or abstain on another day.

### First Friday Adoration

#### of the Blessed Sacrament

March 4, 2022 - 3:00-6:00 p.m.

followed by Benediction

Stations of the Cross 6:30 p.m.

An excellent practice recommended by all the saints, especially St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, (1647-1690)



Is devotion to Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament in which through our prayer in silent adoration we make *reparation* to the Sacred Heart of Jesus for the sins which have offended God in this world mocking our Savior and His great goodness and love. If possible, for 9 consecutive months attend Mass on First Friday, receiving Holy Communion. If in need of the Sacrament of Penance receive it as well. It has been the time-honored practice as well to make a holy hour before Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist on First Friday of the month which is observed here at the parish church from 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. followed by Benediction, Confession at 6:00-6:30, Stations of the Cross 6:30 followed by 7:00 p.m. Mass\*. All parishioners are invited to offer a minimum of 7 minutes of prayer for the intention of Evangelization, please consider the Lord's merciful invitation to pray and rest in Him, *"I am deeply grieved, even to death, remain here, and stay awake with me (Matt 26:38)."*

St. Margaret Mary has said, *"The divine heart of Jesus is an abyss of all blessings, and into it the poor should always submerge their needs. It is an abyss of joy in which all of us can immerse our sorrows. It is an abyss of lowliness to counteract our foolishness, an abyss of mercy for the wretched, an abyss of love to meet our every need."*

First Saturday – March 5, 2022

Confessions 11:00-11:30 a.m.

12 Noon Mass\*

**Five First Saturday Devotions**

beginning January 1, 2022

11:00 a.m. Holy Rosary with

First Saturday Fatima

meditations and prayers

**Confessions offered before mass**

**Holy Sacrifice of the**

**Mass\* 12 Noon**

**Convivium following Mass in**

**parish hall.**

\*Extraordinary Form

### Prayer for Lent

*Jesus, teach me to see with your eyes, to live life as you lived, to understand life as you understood it. Give me a new perception of others, close and far, seen always as brothers and sisters in you to be respected and loved. Amen. Pope Francis*

### Confirmation Retreat

Monday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

6:30-9:30 p.m. in the church hall.

### Job Opportunities

Calico Cat Preschool is seeking to hire an administrator, a teacher, and classroom assistants, who may be part-time or per diem. The positions, hours, and compensation can be crafted to meet the interests, needs and qualifications of the candidates. In this respect, the school offers wonderful opportunities for retired professionals and people seeking the flexibility of part-time employment. For more information, please contact Calico Cat Director Ilona Spatola 732-254-2276 to explore the possibilities.



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT**

6:30 pm

Confessions 5 - 6:00 pm

### SAVE THE DATE! Sunday, June 12, 2022

A community lunch celebration of Fr. Eugene's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary to the priesthood. More information to follow in next week's bulletin.

