

**The Presentation of the Lord**

**Saturday, February 2**

**5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass**  
+Mr. & +Mrs. McMurtrie

**Sunday, February 3**

**8:30 a.m.** People of the Parish

**10:00 a.m.** +Jean Cleary

**5:00 p.m.** +William Casale

**Monday, February 4**

**7:30 a.m. Memorial Society**

**Tuesday, February 5**

*Saint Agatha*

**7:30a.m.** +Richard Holliday

**Wednesday, February 6**

*Saint Paul Miki & Companions*

**5:00 p.m.** +Thelma Michaloski

+Edward & Larry Jarosiewicz

**7:30 a.m. Thursday, February 7**

+Fr. Thomas Perunilam

**7:30 a.m. Friday, February 8**

*St. Jerome Emiliani, Saint Josephine Bakhita*

+Thomas Nielsen

**Saturday, February 9**

**5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass**

+Fernando Clemente

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday, February 10**

**8:30 a.m.** +Ignazio Reitano

**10:00 a.m.** People of the Parish

**5:00 p.m.** +Mary & +Renee Reuse

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for February**

**Universal - Victims**

For a generous welcome to the victims of human trafficking, enforced prostitution, and violence.

**Stewardship – Time, Talent & Treasure**

**January 27 – \$6,180.00**

**Mail Collection -\$704.00**

**January Parish Assessment \$ 1,835.00**

**Christmas Collection to date - \$16,302.00**

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

**Week of January 26-February 1  
MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

**+Altar Candles+**

Arthur C. Eppinger

*Offerings are available for a loved one or special intention. Call the parish office for details.*

Please notify an usher if the Mass you are attending is in memory of a family member or a friend, and you would like to bring the Gifts to the Altar in the Offertory Procession.

Florence Unverzagt, Kristin Rein, Maria C Silva, Margaret Drack, Luke Mayell, Jean Obst, Noel Gowran, John Gregor, Claire Watson, Helen Kovacs, Carol Ostrowski, Roger Gregor, Emerson Harper, Patricia Ronan, Joyce Hanula, Joan Petersen, Susan Wiecek Shecter, Ines LuSoto, Louis Kadubic, Maryanne Goccia, Patricia Doyle, Judi Zyskowski, Samuel Saloom, Jr, Rebecca Rannazzisi, Kathleen McGreevy, Debbie Canuso-Danley, Nicole Calella, Josephine Dehlinger, Peggy Reynolds, Karen Kleinschmidt, Catherine Cantasano, Michael Majewski, Bernadette Haase, Renee Giliberti, Phyllis Mason, Gloria Gregor-Hughes.



***Please keep us updated on your loved ones.***

**February 3, 2019 –Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
“...Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous.” (1 Corinthians 13:4)

Do you get jealous? Do you focus more on the things that other people have than on the gifts that God has given to you? Are you pompous? Do you acquire more possessions to impress others? At time we are all guilty of these things. Pray for more humility. Pray to become less “self-centered” and become more “God-centered”.

Your support and generosity will be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance!

### CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT 2018

Contribution statements are printed on requests only. If you would like a Contribution Statement for 2018, please fill out below and return it to the parish office.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Pick up \_\_\_\_\_

Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**A young women and child from South River are in need of kitchen accessories, kitchen dishes, etc. Please contact the St. Vincent DePaul Society at the parish office.**

#### **Stress in your Marriage?** Retrouvaille

February 8-10, 2019 –Somerset, New Jersey

Is your marriage going down the right road...or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage.

Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For more information or registration Rich Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or 3024@RETROUVAILLE.ORG

**SAVE THE DATE : SUNDAY, FEB. 10  
YOUTH GROUP TO SPONSOR VALENTINE DAY  
DANCE FOR SENIORS FROM 1-3 P.M. IN THE  
CHURCH HALL. All seniors are invited to attend.**

#### **“Come and you will see,” (John 1:39) Do you KNOW Jesus or only know of HIM?**

Have you ever wondered what The Mass is all about? What does Liturgy mean? Have you ever questioned why we do what we do at Mass? We stand. We sit. We stand again. We kneel. We stand again. We go through the motions every weekend. We watch the priest go through his own rituals. What is he doing? Why is he even doing it? Why do we say the prayers that we pray? Do we truly understand why we even have to go to Mass? Is it just one of our “to-do-list” on the one day of the week, just an obligation to fulfill?

**Corpus Christi Evangelization Ministry invites one and all to join them as they “walk” through THE MASS with Angel Abbey, Saint Benedict, Oregon – as he leads you and I to a “deeper understanding of the supreme encounter with GOD in the Mass”. The sessions will take place at Corpus Christi Rectory Basement, for 3 consecutive Saturday mornings, (9:00-11:30/12- February 9, 16 & 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please address your questions and/or express your interest to Maria Fuller – email:corpuschristievm@gmail.com**

#### **Corpus Christi 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

Corpus Christi will be celebrating our 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2019, concluding with a Gala Dinner in September. In order to keep the cost of the dinner tickets down, we will be offering ad space in our Memorial Booklet. If you, or someone you know, owns a business or would like to place a personal ad – see attached form in today’s bulletin.

#### **Our Lady of Guadalupe**

One of the many ways to evangelize is through prayer. Corpus Christi has received from the Diocese of Metuchen in accordance with Bishop James Checchio’s request of all parishes a Traveling Prayer Kit of Our Lady of Guadalupe to visit families. This year of special prayer and grace offers all of us an opportunity to reflect on how we can personally grow in holiness and how we may help others come to a deeper awareness of love and mercy of God, especially through the Intercession of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Let us set a ‘fire in the heart of our world’ allowing God’s love and power to burn more brightly here in Central New Jersey. We will be rotating the kit for all our weekend masses. The kit includes an Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Standing crucifix, votive candle, four rosaries in the rosary pouch, holy water bottle, and pamphlets on how to pray the rosary. If you are interested in receiving the visiting prayer kit, please call the parish office and we will add your name to our list.



**Memorial Society** this Monday, February 4, 2019 7:30 a.m. If you would like your loved one remembered in our Memorial Society, please contact the parish office. Enrollment is for one full year, the first Monday of every month.

**2019 Lucky Calendars** – Our second drawing for the *New Year* is this Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. in the parish office. If you did not submit your stubs make sure they are returned prior to Tuesday. **Good Luck to all who have entries!**