

Saturday, February 5

12:00 Noon +Linda Beltran

Vigil Mass

5:00 p.m. +Antoinette Barbaccia

> **Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday February 6**

8:00 a.m. + Ignazio Reitano

10:00 a.m. +Edwin & +Betty Kolakowski

3:00 p.m.\* +Rorate Caeli Purgatorial 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Monday, February 7

7:30 a.m. +Memorial Society

Tuesday, February 8

7:30 a.m. +Rosemary Costello

Wednesday, February 9

+Juan Valdes 6:15 p.m. Janet Chmura

Thursday, February 10

7:30 a.m. +Alexis & +Trixie Aguilla

Friday, February 11

+Grazio F. DeMonico 7:30 a.m.

Saturday, February 12

5:00 p.m. +Mary T. Hauser

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, February 13

8:00 a.m. People of the Parish

10:00 a.m. +Joan Chupka

3:00 p.m.\* John & Maryann Schingo

5:00 p.m. +Mariann Farrell

# 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.

**FORMED** – unlimited access to the best e-books, talks, videos and more.

TO REGISTER GO TO FORMED.org Type in our Parish Code ZD3P77

# Stewardship – Time, Talent & Treasure

January 30– \$ 2,795.00 Mail Donations -\$ 835.00 On-Line Giving -\$ 1,260.37 Parish Assessment - \$810.00 Parish Assessment Mail - \$542.00 Thank you for your support of Corpus Christi Parish Please remember Corpus Christi Parish in your will and estate planning.

#### MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS

February 5 – February 11 +Candle for Mary+

Edwin C. & Betty Kolakowski



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.corpuschristisouthriver.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 u online at Corpuschristichurch2.flocknote.com



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.

<sup>\*</sup> Traditional Latin Mass

### WEEKLY FAITH FORMATION QUESTION

Grade 1-2

**Life Question:** Who are your friends?

Gospel Question: Who does Jesus call to be friends?

Grades 2-3

**Life Question:** What are some ways you follow others?

**Gospel Question:** – Who listens to Jesus?

Grades 4-6

**Life Question:** How is the Church the People of God?

Gospel Question: How is Jesus calling you?

Grades 7-8

**Life Question:** Who calls you to develop and use your

gifts or talents to make a difference?

Gospel Question: How does Jesus call you in your life

as a student?

# **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.



Synod 2023 – Diocese of Metuchen- Due to ongoing concerns about the Covid-19 pandemic, the Synod listening sessions have been postponed.

Online Questionnaire – Individuals are invited to share their feedback for the 2021-2023 Synod. To learn more about the Synod process visit

www.diometuchen.org/synod2023

# **Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am," I said, 'send me!'" ..." (ISAIAH 6:8)

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities t help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say "Here I am, Lord."

The Catechism Lectures

With Rev. Fr. John A. Perricone Corpus Christi Roman Catholic Church Hall Class Schedule 2022

February 7 & 21 March 7 & 21 April 4 & 18 May 2 & 16 June 6 & 20

# Memorial Society Monday, February 7, 2022 – 7:30 a.m.

Enrollment for a loved one in the Memorial Society is for one full year, the first Monday of every month. Donation \$50.00. Contact the parish office for more information.

The 2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal will begin shortly. 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.

**Kick-Off Weekend: Celebrating 40 Years- Continuing to Fan the Flame of Faith into Service** 

Please watch your mailbox for a letter from Bishop Checchio coming to you this week announcing the 2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal. Our parish can share in a successful Appeal by earning a rebate of 50% of the amount collected over goal.

Through your support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal you help those in our diocese whose needs are the greatest – the poor, the homeless, and those struggling with illness or grief. Among other needed pastoral ministries, your gift also supports the formation of seminarians and enhances the work of the Vicariate for Evangelization and Communication. The many pastoral, educational and charitable ministries of the Diocese of Metuchen would not be possible without a generous contribution from every household. Please be as generous as your means allow.

# Retrouvaille February 25-27, 2022 Stress in Your Marriage?

- Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage?
- Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse?
- Have you thought about separation or divorce?
- Does talking about it only make it worse?
   RETROUVAILLE is a Lifeline to Help Couples
   Heal and Renew their Marriages sponsored by the
   Office of Family Life, Diocese of Metuchen, NJ
   RETROUVAILLE consists of a weekend experience
   for married couples (no group discussions) with six
   follow-up sessions. The upcoming weekend is
   February 25-27, 2022. All inquires are confidential.
   For further information, please contact Rich
   Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or Annette Colasuonno
   732-672-0748 or email 3024@helpourmarriage.org

# **CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT 2021**

Contribution statements are printed on

requests **only**. If you would like a Contribution Statement for 2021, please fill out below and return it to the parish office.

Name

Phone

Catholic School 2022-2023 Tuition Assistance Online Application Process Open

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

Families interested in applying for tuition assistance to attend an eligible Diocese of Metuchen elementary or high school may apply online now through FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment at https://online.factsmgt.com/aid. Online applications must be completed (including all required documentation) by no later than March 31, 2022. Applications are available in English and Spanish.

# **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!

If you were sexually abused by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or you know of someone who was, you are encouraged to report that abuse to local law enforcement, the New Jersey Division of Child Protection and Permanency at 1-877-NJ ABUSE. For more information on how to report abuse, visit the diocesan website: diometuchen.org/healing.

# Corpus Christi Youth Group collected 100s of items to service our precious community.... THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!











# **Corpus Christi Youth Group February Project** will be the Easter Basket Drive

Items to be collected are small baskets, candy, small trinkets,/toys, easter eggs, coloring books, basket fillers. Drop off location – Bins by the entrance to the church.

# Lucky Calendar Drawing Tuesday, February 1, 2022

Congratulations to Jennifer Director, the Lucky Winner for this month's drawing for \$500.00.



You too could be a winner! Remember to return your stubs

before the next drawing date of Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>. 12 more drawings left. One of them could be YOU!

# Thou Shalt Not Kill

My wish for the New Year regards a matter of life and death. "Make Abortion Illegal Again". We can do it. Abortion is the murder of tiny, helpless unborn babies. The judges and the politicians that make it possible for the legalization of abortion in 1973 were wrong. Did they not have children and grandchildren? Did they every hold a precious baby?

Abortion should not have been made legal! We need to pray to God that he will forgive our country. Babies are a special gift from god and need our love and protection. No human law can override God's law that states.

"Thou Shalt Not Kill".

Ruth Weber Davenport Iowa