



Saturday, April 1
 12:00 p.m. +David Pepe
 5:00 p.m. +Salvatore Befumo
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Sunday, April 2
 8:00 a.m. +Billy Alan Medvetz
 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 5:00 p.m. +Albert & +Victoria Christian
Monday, April 3
 7:00 a.m. Memorial Society
Tuesday, April 4
 7:00 a.m. +Gloria Vega Clark
 6:15 p.m.* **Wednesday, April 5**
 +Patricia Ann McCaig
 +Ramona Racho
Holy Thursday, April 6
 7:00 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday, April 7
 3:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Saturday, April 8
 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass
Easter Remembrance of Masses Sunday, April 9
 8:00 a.m. Easter Remembrance of Masses
 10:00 a.m. Easter Remembrance of Masses
 *AD ORIENTEM (facing East)
Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for April

For a culture of peace and non- violence

We pray for the spread of peace and non- violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

Daily Mass – Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. - 7:00 a.m.
 Every Wednesday
 Confessions 5:00-5:45 p.m.
 Mass 6:15* followed by
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament till 9:00 pm.
 *AD ORIENTEM (facing East)
 Confessions 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent 6:30 p.m.




Stewardship – Time, Talent & Treasure

March 26–\$ 4,908.00
Mail Donations \$ 937.00
On-Line Giving \$ 880.08
Parish Assessment \$ 2,240.00
Easter Flower & Easter Remembrance of Loved Ones may be placed in any collection basket.
Thank you for your support of Corpus Christi Parish
Please remember Corpus Christi Parish in your will and estate planning.


MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS

April 1- April 7

+Candle for Mary +
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, Jean DuFour, Ernest J. Volkmann, Sr., Stevie Telofski, Catherine Francis, Geraldine Patton, Manuel Rocha, 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 David Catchpole, Helen Casey, Michael DeLuca, Sr.

Please use corpuschristichurch5@gmail.com for emails only to the church.

April 2, 2023 – Palm Sunday

“As they were marching out, they came upon a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they pressed into service to carry his cross.” (Matthew 27:32) The Lord calls us to love God and to love our neighbor. Every day we are presented with opportunities to love our neighbor and help him “carry his cross.” These opportunities aren’t usually big events, they are usually ordinary occurrences like helping someone carry their groceries or holding the door open for them. The key is putting the other person’s needs before our own and not expecting anything in return.

Why do we veil images?

The practice of veiling images alerts us that something is different, it can be startling at first, but the last two weeks of Lent are a time of immediate preparation for the celebration of the Sacred Triduum. The veils are hard to miss and they serve as a reminder to get ready!

The veiled images build within us a longing for Easter Sunday. The veils seem out of place, and even counterintuitive. It can seem strange that the crucifix is covered up during Passiontide. Through this absence of images, our senses are heightened and we become more aware of what is missing. Similarly, the suppression of the Alleluia during Lent effectively demonstrates that we are in exile from our true Home, where the angels sing Alleluia without ceasing.

When images are unveiled before the Easter Vigil, we are reminded that we, in a sense, live in a veiled world. It is through our own death that we are able to see our true home, and the veil is lifted. Christ lifts the veil through His Resurrection.

Jesus told her, “I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. John 11:25-26

3rd Annual Corpus Christi Church Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour April 16, 2023

The Evangelization Ministry invites everyone to participate in the 3rd Annual Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour, 3:00 -4:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration & Divine Mercy Chaplet; 4:00-4:30 Divine Mercy Meditation & Fellowship (church hall)
Light Refreshments will be served.

Thanks to our Corpus Christi Youth Group who made approximately 75 Easter Baskets which will be delivered to the South River Food Bank.

“Raise the Roof”

200 Lenten Envelope fundraiser

Many thanks to all who have supported this fundraiser, Together we can “RAISE THE ROOF”!

\$4,506.00 has been collected to date.

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE TAKEN AN ENVELOPE FROM THE BULLETIN BOARDS TO SUPPORT OUR FUNDRAISER.

Raise the Roof Total as of Mar. 20 - \$77,009.11

Thank
You

Many thanks to **Ann Marie Karczmit** and all who assisted her and a wonderful time was had by all at the Dinner/Show last Saturday evening.

A special *thank you* to all who cooked, donated food, helped in the kitchen and served. Not only was it a **Good Time Had by All** but a profit of **\$1,800.00** was made to be added to our tally on our Raise the Roof Fundraiser. **Great Job Ann Marie!**

Garden Angels are looking for volunteers to help beautify the grounds of our home parish. Garden stations are cared by groups or individuals. No “green thumb” or special gardening skills are required, just the desire to help. Please contact Eileen xspanishx123@aol.com, 732-238-5893.



Friends of the South River Council of Congregations

All are warmly invited to walk the Way of the Cross in the parking lot of Corpus Christi Church on Good Friday, April 7, at 3:00 p.m. This ecumenical pilgrimage of prayer follows the traditional fourteen prayer stations which narrate the passion of Christ.

7th Annual Divine Mercy Family Healing Retreat
Saturday, April 22, 2023, 8:00 am-4:00 pm-, Our Lady of Fatima Church, 501 New Market Rd., Piscataway, N.J.
More info in next week’s bulletin.

SAVE THE DATE!

Fr. Damian’s 25th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on Saturday, June 17, 2023
Bilingual Mass 4:00 pm – Dinner & Dance to follow at the South River Portuguese Club. More info will follow in future bulletins



*Palm Sunday of the
Passion of the Lord*
Saturday, April 1, 2023
5:00 p.m.



7:00 p.m. (*Portuguese*)
8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
(*Portuguese*) & 5:00 p.m.

Palms will be given out during all Masses.

CONFIRMED IN THE FAITH
The Sacrament of Confirmation was celebrated
on Friday, March 24 at St. Ambrose Church,
Congratulations to our Confirmandi!



*Mass of the
Lord's Supper*
Holy Thursday
April 6, 2023
7:00 p.m. Mass
Bilingual Mass

followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
until midnight.

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| JUSTINE ANTONIO | ALYSSA COSTA |
| LIANA DOS SANTOS | KIMBERLY EVANS |
| TOMAS FERREIRA | GEORGE KYROLLOS |
| JOSEPH KYROLLOS | MARY KYROLLOS |
| ANTONIO MILANO | CARLO MILANO |
| CRISTIANO MONCADA | RYAN PEREIRA |
| VICTOR NOGUEIRA, JR. | JOSHUA REGUINGA |
| ALEXIS VICENTE | BEATRIZ ZARGO |

Good Friday

April 7, 2023
Stations of the Cross
12:00 p.m.



3:00 p.m.
Lord's Passion
5:00 p.m. Lord's Passion (*Portuguese*)

Holy Saturday

April 8, 2023
12:00 p.m.
Blessing of Easter Baskets



8:00 p.m. Easter
Vigil Mass
Bilingual



Sunday, April 9, 2023
8:00 a.m. Mass
10:00 a.m. Mass
11:30 a.m. (*Portuguese*)
No 5:00 p.m. Mass Easter Sunday

**Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. on
Easter Monday, April 10.**

**The Parish Office will close on Thursday at 12:00
Noon and re-open on Tuesday, April 11th at 9:00 a.m.**

The St. Vincent de Paul, Corpus Christi
Conference would like to provide the
families we have assisted this year with
food gift cards for Easter. Last year
because of your generosity we were able
to give each family gift cards for Shop
Rite, Stop & Shop, Aldi or Walmart. You
may drop cards off at the rectory or put them in the
collection basket at Mass.
Monetary donations are also gratefully accepted.



JESUS, MARY & SAINTS PILGRIMAGE
NETHERLANDS, BRUGES, BELGIUM, FRANCE,
August 28-September 10, 2023. 14 days all inclusive
\$4,999.00 Airfare from Newark Intl. 4 Star Breakfast &
Dinner, Deluxe Coach etc. Highlights: Amsterdam,
Brussels, Bruges, Paris, Lourdes, shrines of Sacred Heart
Margaret Mary, St. Therese of Lisieux, St. Bernadette, St.
Sharbel, Miraculous Medal, Our Lady of Hope, Pontmain
& more. Fr. Damian Tour Chaplain. For details call
Juliet Hobson 732-439-2835.

Para atendimento em Português, por favor ligue para o escritório da nossa paróquia: 732- 254-1800 # ext. 15 em Português.

O escritório paroquial está aberto das segundas-feiras às quintas-feiras das 9:00AM-4:00PM e sextas-feiras das 9AM-2PM. **Atendimento em Português: todas as segundas-feiras, quartas-feiras das 9AM-3PM e sextas-feiras das 9AM-2PM.**

Email:

port.apostolatecorpuschristi@yahoo.com

Padre Eugénio Fasuga: 732-826-1395 ext. #24

Missas em Português: Sábado às 7:00 PM,

Domingo às 11:30 AM, terça-feira- 7:00 PM, primeira sexta-feira do mês às 8:00 PM.

Confissões em Português: Terças-feiras e Sábados das 6:00 PM- 6:45 PM

Por favor avise o padre Eugénio ou um Ministro de Eucaristia se souber de alguém que não pode vir à Missa, mas precisa de receber a Sagrada Comunhão e ou Confissão.



CAÇA DE OVO DE PASCOA

No domingo dia 2 de Abril as 11 AM haverá a caça de ovo de

Pascoa para as crianças da nossa Paróquia. Todos estão convidados.

Esquema das Liturgias Pascais 2023

DIA DE RAMOS- 02 de Abril

Vigília: 01 de Abril: 5PM (Inglês) e **7:00PM (Português)**

Domingo 02 de Abril: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, **11:30 AM em Português**, e 5PM em Inglês

QUINTA-FEIRA SANTA- 06 de Abril, 2023

Celebração bilingue às 7:00 PM com Adoração a seguir até à meia noite

SEXTA-FEIRA SANTA- 07 DE ABRIL, 2023- CELEBRAÇÃO DA PAIXÃO DO SENHOR

12:00PM em Inglês- Via-Sacra

3:00 PM - Inglês – Celebração da Paixão do Senhor

5:00 PM em Português com a Via-Sacra a seguir

SÁBADO SANTO- VIGILIA DA PASCOA 08 DE ABRIL

12:00PM Bênção da comida Pascal

8 PM -Celebração da Santa Missa- Vigília Pascal Bilingue

PASCOA- 09 DE ABRIL, 2023

8:00 AM, 10:00 AM (Inglês), **11:30 AM – Português.**

Não haverá a Missa das 5PM.

O escritório paroquial estará fechado na segunda-feira da Pascoa, dia 10 de Abril, e a Missa do dia será celebrada às 9:00 AM em Inglês.

Missa Crismal na Catedral de St. Francis of Assisi

Na terça-feira, 04 de abril de 2023, o nosso Bispo James F. Checchio celebrará a Missa Crismal com os sacerdotes da Diocese. Nesta Missa, o Bispo abençoará e consagrará os Santos Óleos, que cada paróquia recebe para os ritos de unção.

Todos são fortemente encorajados a participar pessoalmente (ou assistir via transmissão ao vivo), esta antiga Missa Crismal na Catedral de St. Francis of Assisi em Metuchen às 16:00 PM.

[https://diometuchen.org/cathedral-livestream.](https://diometuchen.org/cathedral-livestream)

INTENÇÕES DAS MISSAS

+Sábado 01 de Abril –

João Martins Capela e família e por Francisco Correia e esposa e Artur Dantas, esposa e filho

+Domingo 02 de Abril –
José Seixeiro e por José Mendes

+Terça-feira 04 de Abril-
João Grego

+Sábado 08 de Abril – **João Grego e familiares**

+Domingo 09 de Abril – **Intenções nos envelopes**



Haverá o 7º Retiro Anual de Cura Familiar da Divina Misericórdia no sábado 22 de Abril, 2023 das 8 AM- 4 PM no ginásio da Igreja de Nossa Senhora de Fátima (Our Lady of Fátima) 501 New Market Rd. Piscataway, NJ em Inglês. Os palestrantes são de vários países. Haverá confissões, Adoração do Santíssimo Sacramento, terço da Divina Misericórdia, Santa Missa...

Para mais informações e inscrição/cadastro contacte Max Gutierrez 732- 925—7788, Beverly Cuozzo 732-423-1257 ou visite o site www.olfparish.org/event

ENVELOPES DE OFERTÓRIO

Queremos lembrar que cada família registrada na paróquia deve usar os envelopes de ofertório para podermos comprovar que frequentam a Missa e que são membros ativos da Igreja. **Isto é importante para quem precisa de carta de comprovante para servirem de padrinhos ou alguma outra razão.**

Campanha Levante o Telhado e Faça um Som em Cristo 2022

Uma única oferta \$ _____

Promissório de \$ 250 * \$ 500 * \$ 1,000 *

\$ 2,000 * \$ 5,000 Outra \$ _____

As opções de parcelamento estão disponíveis. Qualquer valor de doação será muito agradecido. As doações podem ser enviadas por correio ou poderá deixar no escritório paroquial.

Nome _____

Endereço _____

Telefone _____

Por favor faça cheques pagáveis a Igreja Corpus Christi

Até agora, temos recebido \$77,009.11 em doações/promissórios.

Apelo Anual Do Bispo De 2023

RENOVADOS E ENVIADOS EM MISSÃO PELA EUCARISTIA

Obrigado a todos que doaram tão generosamente ao Apelo Anual do Bispo de 2023. Se você ainda não se comprometeu, ainda dá tempo de participar. Envie sua doação para: Diocese of Metuchen, Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 4000, Metuchen, NJ 08840-4000 ou doe online em <https://diometuchen.org/BAA>.

Nossa Despesa de Tempo, Talento, & Tesouro

Ofertório de 25 e 26 de Março 2023

Coleta: \$4,908.00 + pelo correio: \$937.00

+ pela internet: \$ 880.08

Parish Assessment/taxas: \$1,837.00 +\$403.00 pelo correio

Muito obrigado a todos pela vossa generosidade e sacrifício!