



Saturday, April 19

Easter Vigil Mass

8:00 p.m. +Easter Remembrance of Masses

**Easter Sunday of the
Resurrection of the Lord**

Sunday, April 20

8:00 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. +Easter Remembrance of Masses

Monday, April 21

9:00 a.m. +Gregorio S. Jamena, Jr.

Tuesday, April 22

Wednesday, April 23

6:15 p.m. * +All Souls in Purgatory

Special Intention

David Annunziato

Madison Bruno

7:00 a.m. **Thursday, April 24**

+Richard Holliday

Friday, April 25

7:00 a.m. Heather Theresa Asfour

Saturday, April 26

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday, April 27

8:00 a.m. +Margaret & +Edwin Romond

9:30 a.m. +Ann Mancuso

5:00 p.m. +Ann & +Henry Benko

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for April

**For the use of the new technologies:
Let us pray that the use of the new technologies
will not replace human relationships, will
respect the dignity of the person, and will help
us face the crises of our times.**

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

Every Wednesday Confessions

5:00-5:45 p.m.-Church

***Mass 6:15 (TLM)** will be celebrated at

St. Mark's Christian Academy School
Conference Room (former Convent of CC)

corner of David & Kamm Ave.

followed by Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament in church 7:30 pm till 9:00 pm.

HAPPY EASTER FROM FR. DAMIAN,

FR. KEN, FR. EUGENE & THE PARISH STAFF.

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON EASTER
MONDAY.**

Stewardship – Time, Talent & Treasure

April 13- \$ 6,689.00

Mail Donations \$ 595.00

On-Line Giving \$ 981.09

Diocesan Clergy Retirement \$ 2,228.00

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

MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS

April 19 - April 25

**+Candle For Mary +
Frank De Monico**

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your parish online. It's safe and secure, and you decide
exactly when your gift is made. You may even view your
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www.corpuschristisoutheriver.org – and get started.



Please pray for the sick of our parish:

Joann Heinlin, Juliet Hobson, Jean DuFour,

Ernest J. Volkmann, Sr., Stevie Telofski,

Elizabeth Fehl, Ian Birchak, Fr. Michael J. King,
Mark Cramer, Geraldine Patton, David Catchpole,
Kim Madlinger, Angel Cortez, Rose Rein, Patrick Ahern,
Karen Kleinschmidt, Theresa Marchese, Bonnie Anderson,
Ashley Larson, Javier Fuentes, Joseph Kwiatkowski,
Erik Farah, Melissa Telofski, Miguel Agudeo, Bill Dyrwal,
John Loughlin, Justin Dyrwal, OSB, Bonnie Saloom,
Joseph Bubnis, Peter Kaufman.

Handicap Accessibility seating is located in the
front pews of the church for your convenience.
Holy Communion will be brought to these
individuals firstly by the priest, deacon or
extraordinary minister of Holy Communion. Kindly
utilize this area if you require such assistance.

April 20, 2025

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

"He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ..."

(ACTS 10:38)

We can't give what we don't have. Open your heart to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others. As God's adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. As Pope Benedict XVI says "we are made for greatness." Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray to live a grateful and generous life. Strive for greatness! We are made for more! We are Made for God!

2025 Annual Bishop's Appeal

Pilgrims of Hope: Journeying Together
in Faith, Hope & Charity

Your gift supports the mission of the Office of Human Life and Dignity, remaining steadfast in its efforts to promote the sanctity of human life in all stages and in all conditions. Your support also brings the grace of the sacraments and compassionate care to those in hospitals and prisons through our clergy chaplains, and has a tremendous impact on the lives of so many in need through our Catholic Charities.

Surviving Divorce – For men and women seeking healing from separation or divorce. This 8-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 Wednesdays 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. beginning April 23, 2025 at the St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway, NJ. For more information or to register contact Rachelle Hanna at rachelle,hanna@gmail.com.

NJ Catholic Youth Rally 2025!

Sunday, May 18th at Six Flags Great Adventure.

Ticket Package: \$70 (includes: Parking for your group, park admission, and meal plan)

If you have a Six Flags Season Pass you do not need to purchase a package

Add Mega Meal Deal Plan: \$20

(includes 1 drink, 1 snack, and 1 meal)

Ons: All Day Sport Bottle \$19 (Free refills all day)

Contact Jay Donofrio at 732-243-4576, or email:

Jdonofrio@diometuchen.org



Join Fr. Joseph Desmond – Ancient Wonders of the Bible Lands, October 13 – October 25th, 2025. Egypt, Jordan & Holy Land.

Price of trip \$5,098 from Newark. All-Inclusive, price includes basic tour & guided sightseeing, round-trip International Airfare. Entrance fees, hotel gratuities & program fees, Daily breakfast & Dinner, Deluxe Motorcoaches, first-class hotels & more. We will walk in the footsteps of those who have experienced God on their journey visiting Cairo, MT Nebo, Dead Sea, Jericho, Qumran, Galilee, Cana, Nazareth, Caesarea, Bethlehem, Jerusalem www.eocatholic.com 800-247-0017. Brochures available at the parish office.

A 12-Day Pilgrimage honoring the Life and Legacy of Saint John Paul II, with St. Thomas the Apostle Church led by Rev. John M. Rozembajgier, JCL,STL, Spiritual Director with Tony Melendez, Catholic Musician & Speaker June 19-30, 2025. Poland & Italy.

Garden Angels will meet next Saturday, April 26th at 10:00 a.m. in the lower church parking lot by the church hall. We are looking for volunteers to assist with the many stations that need to be worked on. Bring your gardening tools and your green thumb! Anyone looking to help out is welcome to join in.



Jubilee Pilgrimage of Hope – Led by Fr. Tom Lanza Celebrate the Jubilee Year of Hope with a pilgrimage that includes stops in Poland, Czech Republic, and Italy! Fr. Tom Lanza, Diocesan Director of Vocations, will serve as chaplain and spiritual director. The 14-day pilgrimage will take place from September 15- September 28, 2025. The deadline to register is May 30, 2025. For more information, visit: <http://trip.nativitypilgrimage.com/hobson-jubilee>

Multicultural Fair – Celebrating Asian Pacific Islander month and the diverse cultures in the Diocese of Metuchen May 10, 2025 1-4 p.m.

Our Lady of Czestochowa Hall

908 Hamilton Boulevard, South Plainfield, NJ 07080
For more information, contact Sr. Miriam Perez at mperez@diometuchen.org

**Diocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to the
Basilica of the National Shrine of
The Immaculate Conception
Washington, D.C.**

With Most Rev. James F. Checchio, JCD, MBA
Bishop of Metuchen - September 20, 2025
Faithful Pilgrims of Hope can obtain a plenary
indulgence. Visit diometuchen.org/jubilee-2025
for more information.
For parish bus trips, please email Angela Marshall at
amarshall@diometuchen.org or call 732-562-1543.

Join Bishop Checchio as he Celebrates the 40th
Anniversary Mass on June 12, 2025 5:00 p.m. Mass
at Saint Francis Cathedral, 6 pm Dinner Reception to
follow (Free will Offering)
All are Welcome! Space is limited so we need your
response **NO LATER THAN May 12, 2025 call 732-
516-0911 to RSVP**

June 26, 2025 – 3rd Annual Somerset Patriots
Game – Gates open at 5:30 pm, Game starts
at 6:35 pm, Fireworks to follow.

Our goal is 250 Life Choices Fans!

Flea Market

June 14, 2025

(Rain Date June 21, 2025)

St. Vincent de Paul
Society of Corpus
Christi Church, will hold
a Flea Market from 8am
to 1pm on Saturday,
June 14, 2025. Rain date June 21st. It will be held in
the lower parking lot off Kamm Ave. Many private
vendors will be participating. Spots are \$15 each,
paid in advance. Cash or checks made out to St.
Vincent de Paul Society, mailed or dropped off at the
parish office, 100 James Street, South River, NJ
08882. Bring your own table. Any questions maybe
sent to svdpcorpuschristi38@gmail.com



**Last class for
Religious Education is
Sunday, April 27th**

following the Mass the children will recite the
Divine Mercy Chaplet in the church. All are welcome to
stay and join us.

Ladies Tea Event

The Women's Ministry of St. Cecilia
"Women Rooted in Faith" invite you to join us for our
Annual Ladies Tea Event. Our theme this year is
"Putting on the Armor of God" Special Guest
Speaker: Laura Phelps from "Walking With Purpose"
Saturday, May 31 11am-2pm
St. Cecilia Parish Hall, 10 Kingston Lane, Monmouth
Junction, NJ Fee \$25.00. Arrive by 10:30 am for
fellowship. Program starts @ 11am. For more
information contact Monica Rosado 732-799-8932 or
womensministrist.cecilia@gmail.com

**Feminine Genius Brunch
Jubilee Celebration of Women**

Come discover God's plan for your ultimate flourishing!
Event Highlights: Fellowship & Music
Hot Brunch Prayer & Reflection Main Speaker –
Lisa Cotter "Reveal The Gift"
October 11, 2025 9:30am – 12:30pm
St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane,
Piscataway, NJ \$30 per person, For more information or
to register, visit <https://DIOMETUCHEN.ORG/HUMANLIFEANDIGNITY>

The year 2025 marks the 1700th anniversary of the First
Ecumenical Council of 325, and the Nicene Creed. The Roman
Catholic Dioceses of the State of New Jersey, the Episcopal
Dioceses of Newark and New Jersey, the Lutheran (ELCA),
Presbyterian, and Reformed Churches, as well as the Ukrainian
Orthodox and Greek Orthodox Churches are joining together in
celebration of this historic moment. There will be a service of
thanksgiving, for both clergy and laity at the Co-Cathedral of St.
Robert Bellarmine in Freehold, New Jersey on Saturday, May 3rd
at 11 am, with a reception following. His Eminence, Cardinal
Tobin, Archbishop of Newark, will be in attendance, and will be
joined by other Christian leaders.

Seeking a Catholic Education for Your Child?

St. Mathias School in Somerset, New Jersey has some openings
for the Fall 2025 school year.
We provide a quality, Catholic education for children ages 3 (3
day a week, and 5 days a week), 4-year-olds (5 days a week),
and grades Kindergarten through grade 8. Before and after
school care is also available.
For further information, please call St. Mathias
School/Admissions at 732-828-1402.

Bishop Appeal Report as of April 11, 2025

Corpus Christi has reached 62.59% of goal pledged to
date. \$20,654.25 has been pledged and received. We are
\$12,345.75 under our goal. If you have not yet made a
donation and would like to do so, there is still time to send
it in.

