

Saturday, April 23

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

Second Sunday of Easter

Sunday April 24

8:00 a.m. +Billy Alan Medvetz 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish 3:00 p.m.* +Joseph Blinstrub

5:00 p.m. +Albert & +Victoria Christian

Monday, April 25

7:30 a.m. +Richard Holliday

Tuesday, April 26

7:30 a.m. +William Keith

Wednesday, April 27

6:15 p.m.* +Apolonio S. Latar, Sr.

Heather Theresa Asfour

Thursday, April 28

7:30 a.m. +Ann Mancuso

Friday, April 29

7:30 a.m. +All Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, April 30

+Louis & +Viola Kosa 5:00 p.m.

Third Sunday of Easter

Sunday, May 1

+Mariann Farrell 8:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. +Joanne Senko

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

For health care workers

We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for April **FORMED** – unlimited access to the best e-books. talks, videos and more.

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

TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION FOR OUR PARISH ASSESSMENT – MANY THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY.

Stewardship – Time, Talent & Treasure April 17– \$ 2,603.00 Mail Donations -\$ 844.00 On-Line Giving -\$ 1,268.55 Easter Collection \$9,257.00

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 23 – April 29

+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.corpuschristisouthriver.org - and get started.



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, Juliet Hobson,

Manuel Rocha, Leonard Parrino. Geraldine Patton, Karen Kleinschmidt, Ashley Larson, Theresa Marchese, Bonnie Anderson, Steven Marcinczyk, Ian Birchak, Melissa Telofski, Vickie, Lisa Ponteiri, Sam Saloom, Jr., Stevie Telofski, Judi Zyskowski, Patrick Ahern, Jean DuFour, Vincenzo Blandino, Nancy Perkin, Ernest J. Volkmann, Sr., Maryann Volkmann, Ernest J. Volkmann Jr., David Catchpole.

Thank you for supporting the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, as encouraged by Pope Francis. Through the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world to stand in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land, and you become an instrument of peace in a troubled land. A total of \$1,679.00.

^{*} Traditional Latin Mass

WEEKLY FAITH FORMATION QUESTION

Grade 1-2

Life Question: With whom do you share meals? **Gospel Question:** How does Jesus celebrate with his disciple in Sunday's Gospel?

Grades 2-3

Life Question: How is Jesus present to us at Mass? **Gospel Question:** – What does Jesus do for his friends that helps them recognize him?

Grades 4-6

Life Question: How are you part of the community that works to keep earth green?

Gospel Question: How are you part of the Christian

community, the Church?

Grades 7-8

Life Question: Who do you know whose works live on after their death?

Gospel Question: What actions of Jesus in this Gospel story do we remember every Eucharist?

Faith Formation Registration School Year 2022-2023

Registrations for Faith Formation will begin the week of May 1st for all children in grades 1 thru 8. All children enrolled this year must re-register. If your child/children are entering the first grade in September he/she should be registered at this time. A copy of a Baptismal Certificate is required for registration, unless your child was baptized at Corpus Christi. Application packets will be available in the parish office during regular office hours. As part of a requirement, you should be an active parishioner and attend Mass every week.

Sunday of Divine Mercy April 24, 2022

"...Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you'". (JOHN 21:17)

Peace – the first gift of the risen Lord. Just as Jesus sent the apostles out into the world, so too, He sends us. As disciples of Jesus, we are called to be compassionate and merciful; and not with just those who are our friends, but also with our "enemies." Think of someone in your life who you need to reconcile with. Call them right now or better yet, go visit them.

Parish Registration – All parishioners should be registered. Parishioners over the age of 18 should register independently of their parents. It is necessary to be a registered parishioner for at least 3 months in order for us to provide testimonial letters. Kindly notify the Parish Office of any telephone/address/name changes so that we have an accurate record on file.

Installation of New Boiler

We are happy to report our three new boilers have been installed. The cost was \$28,000.00. Donations are being accepted and much appreciated. Checks may be made out to Corpus Christi. Please note New Boiler on your check/envelope.

We have received \$8,700.00 in donations to date.

Many thanks to all who have responded and have contributed to offset the cost of the new boilers. Your donation and response to our needs are greatly appreciated.

CONGRATULATIONS ALICE LABUE OUR APRIL 5^{TH} LUCKY CALENDAR WINNER FOR \$500.00

SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, September 24, 2022

Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception with Most Rev. James F. Checchio, Bishop of Metuchen- An All Day Event. More info.in future bulletins.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you enjoy spending time outdoors? Do you enjoy gardening? Are you looking for a way to give back to your family parish?



With Spring just around the corner, the Garden Angels Ministry is reaching out for volunteers to help beautify the grounds of our home parish. Garden stations such as Our Lady of Fatima and a couple of smaller areas, are available for "adoption" and care by individuals or groups. No "green thumb" or special gardening skills are required, just the desire to help.

Want to get involved? Please contact Eileen (732)238-5893 or email xspanishx123@aol.com

Divine Mercy Sunday
April 24, 2022
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
& Confessions
1:00-2:00 p.m.



Many thanks to all who assisted with the Easter Flowers.

A Special thanks to Maria Carranza & Arcelina Grego for arranging flowers on the altar throughout the year.

2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal Celebrating 40 Years-

Continuing to Fan the Flame of Faith into Service

Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not made a pledge, there is still time to participate. Our Parish has pledged a total of \$27,191.75 as of April 8th from 158 parishioners. This represents 82.4% of our \$33,000.00 of our goal.



St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society 30 Jackson Street, South River

Invites you to participate as a vendor in its Spring
Outdoor Flea Market Located in the Parish Parking
Lot Saturday, May 14

(Rain Date Saturday, May 21) 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Reserve Your Space Now!
Tell your family and friends!
Everyone is welcome to participate!
Time to clean out your closets...
\$20 for one space of \$35 for double space

Provide Your Own Tables

Refreshments will be available for purchase inside the Parish Center home-made Baked Goods, Flavored Popcorn, Donuts & Pastries, Hot dogs, snacks, coffee and refreshments. For Reservations or More Information – Call Judy @732-610-9927

Mother Seton High School

Please join us at our Spring Open House 7:00-8:00 p.m. on Wed., May 4, for an evening of conversation and tours. Meet teachers and current students to learn what a Catholic school education for girls can do for your daughter: academic excellence, personal growth, confidence and service to others.

Fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade girls are welcome! At Mother Seton, the future is hers. 1 Valley Road, Clark, NJ.

CONGRATULATIONS TO *HERMES LOPES* OUR \$1,000.00 Lucky Calendar Winner for Tuesday, April 12th.

Corpus Christi - The Lecture Series

Rev. Fr. John A. Perricone, Lecturer

Three Saints - Who changed the World

Hearing the hackneyed phrase changing the world brings to modern ears ideas of a better I-phone, a cure for cancer or cleaner environment. But these notions are superficial, and while worthwhile in a certain fashion, they do not truly change the world. Only changed men can change the world. Changed, that is, in grace and truth. In the words of one great twentieth century saint, "these crises of our day are crisis of saints." Truly, only saints can change the world.

Our small course will examine how three giants of the Catholic Church changed the world in the only way that change can bring true happiness.

> Wednesday, May 25 – 7:00 pm St. Bernard of Clairvaux Wednesday, June 8 – 7:00 pm St. Thomas, Aquinas Wednesday, June 22 – 7:00pm St. Ignatius Loyola

Lectures will be held in the Lower Church Hall.

St. Thomas in Old Bridge will be offering a bereavement group session on 6 consecutive Wednesdays at 6pm starting Wednesday, May 4, 2022. The Bereavement group is based on Ignatian spirituality and is a grief and faith sharing program that brings whose suffering the loss of loved ones together with others in the community who have experienced the same kind of loss. Upcoming programs will be advertised on the website and in the bulletin.

If you have lost a loved one and need a place to share your grief and to experience the love of Jesus in your life, the Bereavement group is for you. Please call Deacon Pat at 732-251-4000 ext. 8218 for more information about the program. **Registration is required.** No walk-ins allowed.

Joint Parish Raffle

We have joined a Parish Raffle with St. Roch Church in Greenwich, Connecticut, where there are approximately 20 other parishes involved and have been awarding over \$60.000 in prizes. This will cost Corpus Christi nothing and we will receive 50% of all proceeds from the ticket sale. The raffle will help defray the cost of the new boiler. You will be receiving a letter in the mail shortly which is self-explanatory. 23 prizes will be awarded on August 13, 2022. The raffle tickets are \$25.00. and you will be asked to sell them to family and friends. More information will follow in next week's bulletin.