

Saturday, July 19 Vigil Mass

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, July 20

8:00 a.m. +Genevieve Soos +Peg Calnan

5:00 p.m. +Rossi &+Casale Families

Monday, July 21

7:00 a.m. +Albin Sosulski

Tuesday, July 22
Wednesday, July 2

Wednesday, July 23

6:15 p.m. * +Mabel Tierney

+Steve Kay

+Ramiro Camposagrado

+Ruperto & +Ramona Racho

7:00 a.m. Thursday, July 24

+Jim Dincuff

Friday, July 25

7:00 a.m. +Louis Kosa

Saturday, July 26

5:00 p.m. +Christopher M. Haase

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, July 27

8:00 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. +Mr. & +Mrs. Robert Shoblock

5:00 p.m. +Julietta DeGuia

Pope Prayer Intention for July

The formation in discernment Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the gospel.

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.

Stewardship - Time, Talent & Treasure

July 13 \$ 5,224.00 Mail Donations \$ 681.00 On-Line Giving \$ 1,338.80

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

MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS

July 19–July 25

+Sacred Heart + Texas Flood Victims

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

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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, Ashley Larson, Karen Kleinschmidt, Theresa Marchese, Erik Farah, Javier Fuentes, Miguel Agudeo, Bill Dyrwal, Melissa Telofski, Bonnie Saloom, Patrick Ahern, John Loughlin, Justin Dyrwal, OSB, Peter Kaufman, Joseph Bubnis, Bonnie Anderson, Josephine Arcaro.

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.

July 20, 2025 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I am a minister in accordance with God's stewardship given to me to bring to completion for you the word of God." (COLOSSIANS 1:25)

We are all called to evangelize — to convert individuals and society by the divine power of the Gospel. Our faith is more attractive to others by our actions than by our words alone. We may not be called to evangelize like St. Paul, but we should look for opportunities to share our faith through our actions and words, especially with those closest to us, like our family, friends, and neighbors. Pray for the courage to joyfully express your faith the next time the opportunity arises.

2025 Parish Raffle

Thank you to all who have supported the multi-parish raffle. Good Luck to all who have taken chances for the raffle. The drawing is Saturday July 19, 2025 at 8:00 p.m. You can view the drawing by streaming live at parishraffle.com. \$8,637.50 was the total amount that the parish profited from this fundraiser.



REMEMBERING THE PRESENCE OF JESUS CHRIST IN THE SANCTUARY

Our Lord Jesus Christ is always present in the sanctuary; let us remember in these summer months His presence in the Eucharist by being conscience of our attire. Please dress appropriately for Mass. Thank you for your cooperation.

Rosary Altar Society

Have you ever thought of joining the Rosary Society? October is the month we induct new members. Please consider joining us in our



devotion to the Blessed Mother & Jesus through the Rosary. If you would be interested in becoming a member or for more information you may contact Pam Bolen at 732-432-0365.

Catholic Singles in NJ Faith, Friendship, Love

Catholic Singles in NJ is a new faith-centered community for Catholic singles (21+) of all ages. Whether you're in your 20s or your 60s, deeply devout or just rediscovering your faith, you are welcome here. We're here to foster genuine connection, joyful fellowship, lasting friendship — and maybe something more. We host in-person events at least every other month to bring people together through faith, food, and fun. More info www.catholicsinglesnj.com

Youth Group (Grades 6-12) Coordinator Transition Volunteers Needed



Do you have a heart for ministry and enjoy working with young people? The Corpus Christi Youth Group is seeking someone to help transition into the role of Youth Group Coordinator over the upcoming year. This is a rewarding opportunity to guide our youth in their faith journey and continue the mission of service, fellowship, and discipleship.

Our youth group, rooted in the message from Luke 10:27 – "Love the Lord, your God with all your heart....and love your neighbor as yourself – engages in meaningful service such as preparing hygiene kits, organizing food and supply drives, supporting local shelters, and hosting community events like our annual Easter Egg Hunt.

If you feel called to step into this vital role, please reach out to Liz Da Silva Lell at ccyouthgroup1@gmail.com to learn more. Help us continue building a strong, faith-filled future for our parish youth!

Free Webinar – A Natural Approach to Fertility Care – July 24, 2025

The Office of Family Life invites you to a free webinar, "A Natural Approach to Fertility Care" on Thursday, July 24th, at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom. Presenter, Dr. Monika Potocki, of the Gianna Center in New Brunswick will discuss NAPRO Technology, an effective and ethical approach to fertility care in line with the teachings of the Catholic Church. To register, please visit https://diometuchen.irg/familylife. For questions, please contact Cristina at cdaverso@diometuchen.org.

Quo Vadis? Discernment Retreat for Young Men

An invitation for young men (High School Students) Ages 14-17 to attend our Quo Vadis Adventure Retreat 2025! This is an opportunity to have fun, grow in your faith, and begin to think/pray about where God may be calling you in life.

Where: Camp Shiloh, 753 Burnt Meadow Rd. Hewitt, NJ 07421

When: Tuesday, July 29-31, 10:00 am arrival. To register, and for more information, please go to https://diometuchen,org/quovadis.

If you would like to learn more about the priesthood or attend our discernment events, please visit: https://diometuchen.org/vocations

Life-Giving Wounds Retreat – August 22-24, 2025

Retreat for healing for adult children of divorce or separation. Arrive on August 22nd by 6:00 p.m. and depart on August 24th by 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$315 per person which includes meals and 2 nights' accommodations at the San Alfonso Retreat House, 755 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, NJ

Contact cdaverso@diometuchen.org or amarshall@diometuchen.org with any questions. Register at https://diometuchen.org/adult-children-of-divorce.

Summer Envelopes – We sincerely thank the parishioners who mail or deliver their weekly envelopes to the parish office while they are out of town on vacations this summer. As many of you understand, our parish expenses and obligations do not take a vacation when you do, so it is very helpful to be able to rely on your continued support even when you cannot personally attend Mass here.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Washington, DC Jubilee 2025!

There are a few seats left on the bus if anyone from the parish would be interested in travelling to Washington, DC to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception on September 20th in celebration of Jubilee 2025. Please call the parish office during regular hours.

Silver & Gold & 5 Year Wedding Anniversary Celebration

You are cordially invited to celebrate your 25th, 50th, 50+ or 5th Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Metuchen and renew your marriage vows with Bishop James F. Checchio at a special Evening Prayer Service at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen on Sunday, October 19, 2025 at 3:00 p.m. The Silver and Gold Anniversary Prayer Service will again include couples celebrating 5 years of marriage. Registration is required. Please register online at: https://www.diometuchen.org/silver-andgold-anniversary-celebration. If you are unable to access, please contact the Family Life Office at 732amarshall@diometuchen.org. 562-1543 or Registration will close on October 10, 2025.

Although no fee is required, in the past many Jubilarian couples have given a donation of gratitude to the Church in memory of this special occasion. Donations may be made online at https://www.diometuchen.org/silver-and-gold-anniversary-celebration or calling 732-562-1543

Diocese of Metuchen Presents 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, 9:30 am to 12:30 pm, St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway. \$30 per person. This event is for women of all ages. For More information or to register, visit: HTTPS:/DIOMETUCHEN.ORG/HUMANLIFEANDDIGNITY

Thanks to all who supported the Corona Self Help Center this past weekend. If you know someone who has a problem with drugs and wants to stop using call 1-908-731-5300 for help.

Religious Education Registration Forms for grades 1 thru 8 are available at the parish office during regular office hours. Please keep in mind these are for active registered parishioners. If your child was not baptized at Corpus Christi, a copy of baptismal record must be included with forms.