



Saturday, January 27

5:00 p.m. + Zoraida L. Souza

Sunday, January 28

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. +Joseph Banaciski

5:00 p.m. +Henry Neary

Monday, January 29

7:00 a.m. +Maria Dolores Lopez Martinez

Tuesday, January 30

7:00 a.m. +Michael Majewski

Wednesday, January 31

6:15 p.m.* +Gregorio S. Jamena, Jr.
+Stanley F. Evanowski, Sr.

Thursday, February 1

7:00 a.m. +Lucille Federico

Friday, February 2

7:00 a.m. +Richard Holliday

Saturday, February 3

12:00 Noon +Beatrice Fenno & Family
Vigil Mass

5:00 p.m. +Jose Sequeira

Sunday, February 4

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. +Ignazio Reitano

9:30 a.m. People of the Parish

5:00 p.m. +Ann DePalma

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for January

For the Gift of Diversity in the Church

Let us pray that the Holy Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church.

Daily Mass – Mon., Tues.,

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

Collection for January 21 -\$4,280.00

Catholic Education \$ 505.00

On-Line Giving \$ 1,733.72

Christmas Collection to date \$12,693.00

Thank you for your support of Corpus Christi Parish

Please remember Corpus Christi Parish


in your will and estate planning.

MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS

January 27- February 2

+Sacred Heart+
People of the Parish

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

 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.

Please pray for the sick of our parish:

Joann Heinlin, Juliet Hobson, Jean DuFour, Ernest J. Volkmann, Sr., Stevie Telofski, Mark Cramer, Geraldine Patton, Ian Birchak, Nancy Perkin, Angel Cortez, David Catchpole, Theresa Marchese, Melanie Elvena, Patrick Ahern, Ashley Larson, Steven Marcinczyk, Alicia, Javier Fuentes, Kim Madlinger, Melissa Telofski, Bonnie Anderson, Karen Kleinschmidt, Fr. Michael J. King, Rosalia Gagliano.



Handicap Accessibility seating is located in the front of the church for your convenience.

An earring was found in the church. If you are missing an earring, please call the parish office.

January 28, 2024
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties.” - 1 Corinthians 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word “pray” instead of the word “worry” in the future. Then spend your time praying instead of worrying.

St. Bartholomew School invites you to our Open House on Sunday, January 28, 2024 11:30 am–1:30 pm
Come tour our amazing school! We are located at 470 Ryders Lane, East Brunswick, NJ 732-254-7105 school.stbartseb.com Celebrating 60 Years – Always Forward



First Penance Saturday,
January 27, 2024 10:00 a.m.
Practice Monday,
January 22nd 5:30 pm

Please keep our children in your prayers as they prepare for the Sacrament of Penance.

Corpus Christi Lecture Series
Corpus Christi Church Hall
Fr. John Perricone
Monday, January 29, 2024
7:00pm – 9:00pm

Be a Souper Hero

Corpus Christi Youth Group
Community Project

Donations of new soup cans and packets to benefit the SR Food Bank. Drop off bin will be located at the entrance of the Church.

Collection Dates:
January 1st through January 29th.

2024 Lucky Calendar

It is not too late to submit your returns, there are still 13 chances of winning. Our next drawing is Tuesday, February 6th at 1pm for \$500.00. The calendars make wonderful all year round gifts!



Learn, Love, and Live Jesus Christ
in the Holy Mass

“ELEMENTS OF THE CATHOLIC MASS”

Episode 16– Liturgist and Liturgiologist

What is the difference between a liturgist and a liturgiologist? This is an important question because the answer has an impact on how we approach participation in the Mass. A liturgist is one who offers public worship of God. The Church teaches that Christ is the Supreme Liturgist, offering himself entirely to the Father. The Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy insists that Christ himself is the priest. Liturgy is the action of Christ and of his Body, the Church. Following the pattern of Christ, then, the liturgist is the one who actually prays at Mass. If you would like to access this episode ahead of time, please go to: <https://www.elementsofthecatholicmass.com/episodes>



Superbowl Sunday Breakfast



South River Knights of Columbus Council #3001

At the VFW Lyons Schepsco Post #1451
31 Reid Street, South River
Please join us at our annual
SUPERBOWL SUNDAY BREAKFAST
Sunday, February 11, 2024
Time: 9:00 a.m. to Noon

Menu: Eggs, sausage, pancakes and home fries
Coffee, tea, juice, and cake.

Cost: Adults are \$13.00 per person
Seniors (age 65 and older are \$11.00 per person
Children ages 4-12 are \$6.00 per child.
Children under age 4 are free.
Tickets will be sold at the door.

For more information, please call (908) 227-0834



Saturday, February 3, 2024
Feast of St. Blaise
Blessing of Throat during
weekend Masses

**First Friday Adoration of
the Blessed Sacrament
February 2, 2024 - 3:00-6:45 p.m.
followed by Benediction.**



An excellent practice recommended by all the saints, especially St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, (1647-1690)

Is devotion to Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament in which through our prayer in silent adoration we make reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus for the sins which have offended God in this world mocking our Savior and His great goodness and love. If possible, for 9 consecutive months attend Mass on First Friday, receiving Holy Communion. If in need of the Sacrament of Penance receive it as well. It has been the time-honored practice as well to make a holy hour before Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist on First Friday of the month which is observed here at the parish church from 3pm-6:45 pm followed by Benediction, All parishioners are invited to offer a minimum of 7 minutes of prayer for the intention of Evangelization, please consider the Lord's merciful invitation to pray and rest in Him, *"I am deeply grieved, even to death, remain here, and stay awake with me (Matt 26:38)."*

St. Margaret Mary has said, *"The divine heart of Jesus is an abyss of all blessings, and into it the poor should always submerge their needs. It is an abyss of joy in which all of us can immerse our sorrows. It is an abyss of lowliness to counteract our foolishness, an abyss of mercy for the wretched, an abyss of love to meet our every need.*

First Saturday, February 3, 2024
Confessions 11-11:30 a.m. followed by
12:00 Noon Mass

January 27-28, 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal

STAY WITH US, LORD:

Renew Our Hearts and Send Us on Mission

Please watch your mailbox for a letter from Bishop Checchio coming to you this week announcing the 2024 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 many other vital services. 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 2-4, 2024
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 four follow-up sessions. The upcoming weekend is February 2-4, 2024. All inquiries are confidential. For further information, please contact Rich Colasuonno 732-672-0748 or email 3024@helpourmarriage.org

OCIA (Formerly known as RCIA) – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (or children) is a process (1) for adults (or children) who were never Baptized or Baptized Christian in another church (2) Catholics who have not celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation and Eucharist to enter into full Communion with the church. For more information, please contact Deacon Kevin O'Brien at the parish office or email directly at deaconkevincorpuschristi@gmail.com.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT 2023

Contribution statements are printed on requests **only**. If you would like a Contribution Statement for 2023, please fill out below and return it to the parish office.

Name _____

Phone _____

Pick up _____ Mail _____

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 7:30 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.



Por favor considere o misericordioso convite do Senhor de orar e repousar n'Ele: "**Estou profundamente triste, até á morte, ficai aqui e vigiai comigo.** (Mt 26:38) ".



Primeira Sexta-feira

02 de Fevereiro, 2024

Adoração: 3:00pm-6:45pm

Bênção: 6:45pm

Confissões em Inglês: 6:00-6:30 PM

6:45 PM- encontro dos membros do Apostolado Coração de Jesus com reflexão no salão da Igreja

7:30 PM – Missa em Português e Adoração ao Santíssimo Sacramento a seguir á Missa.

Todos os primeiros sábados de cada mês há confissões em Inglês às 11:00- 11:30 AM e terço. Missa antiga (Ad Orientum) ao meio dia.

RIFAS MENSAIS DO “LUCKY CALENDAR

Os calendários de rifas mensais (Lucky calendars) já foram enviados pelo correio para os nossos paroquianos. Este ano como no ano passado tem promoção; quem comprar 2 calendários de rifas por \$50.00 receberá mais um grátis. Se quiser comprar somente um calendário, o custo é \$25.00.

Por favor apoiem a nossa paróquia com compras de calendários de rifas mensais. Mesmo ganhando num sorteio, os participantes têm a chance de ganhar nos restantes sorteios porque os seus nomes serão colocados de novo no recipiente de sorteios. Cada participante tem chance de ganhar \$500.00 cada mês, e pela ocasião do Natal e a Pascoa também pode ganhar \$1,000.00.

Algumas pessoas também compram para oferecer aos seus familiares ou amigos como presente de Natal ou aniversários. Boa sorte a todos os participantes!

Elementos da Missa Católica: Episódio 16:

Qual é a diferença entre um liturgista e um liturgiólogo? Esta é uma questão importante porque a resposta tem impacto na forma como abordamos a participação na Missa. Um liturgista é alguém que oferece adoração pública a Deus. A Igreja ensina que Cristo é o Liturgista Supremo, oferecendo-se inteiramente ao Pai. A Constituição sobre a Sagrada Liturgia insiste que o próprio Cristo é o sacerdote. A Liturgia é ação de Cristo e do seu Corpo, a Igreja. Seguindo o padrão de Cristo, então, o liturgista é aquele que realmente reza na Missa.

INTENÇÕES DAS MISSAS

+Sábado 27 de Janeiro-

não há intenção

+Domingo 28 de
Janeiro- **Francelina
Tendeiro (1 mês Aniv.)**

**e por João Martins
Capela e Almas do
Purgatório**

Terça-feira 30 de

Janeiro- **Não há intenção marcada**

**1ª sexta-feira- membros do Apostolado
Sagrado Coração de Jesus**

Sábado 3 de fevereiro- **João Grego e por
Manuel da Rocha**

Domingo 4 de fevereiro- **Intenção de Arcelina
Grego**



INTENÇÕES DE MISSAS- O livro de intenções para o ano 2024 está disponível para fazer a marcação de intenções de Missas. Por favor faça a sua marcação através do escritório paroquial primeiro.

Apelo Anual do Bispo 2024

**Fica conosco Senhor: Renova o nosso
Coração e envia-nos em Missão**

Por favor, fique atento que irá receber na sua caixa de correio uma carta do Bispo Checchio esta semana, anunciando o Apelo Anual do Bispo de 2024. A nossa paróquia poderá participar num apelo bem-sucedido ganhando um desconto de 50% do valor arrecadado acima da meta.

Através do seu apoio ao Apelo Anual do Bispo, você ajuda aqueles em nossa diocese cujas necessidades são maiores - os pobres, os sem-teto e aqueles que lutam contra doenças ou sofrimentos. Entre outros ministérios pastorais necessários, a sua oferta também apoia a formação de seminaristas e muitos outros serviços vitais. Os numerosos ministérios pastorais, educativos e caritativos da Diocese de Metuchen não seriam possíveis sem uma generosa contribuição de cada família. Por favor, seja tão generoso quanto seus meios permitirem.

2ª FESTA ANUAL DO CALDO

A nossa comunidade Brasileira convida a todos a participar da 2ª Festa Anual do Caldo no salão paroquial da nossa Igreja Corpus Christi, no sábado 10 de Fevereiro, 2024 depois da Missa, para angariar fundos para a paróquia. Para ingressos favor contatar Angela, Teresa, Dalva ou Alexandre. Não haverá venda de ingressos na portaria.

ADOLESCENTES AINDA NÃO BATIZADOS

Estamos tentando formar um programa formativo catequético para adolescentes que ainda não receberam os sacramentos do Batismo, Primeira Eucaristia, e Crisma. Pedimos aos pais de adolescentes que necessitam de preparação para os sacramentos, de contatar o escritório paroquial. Já recebemos alguns nomes, mas estamos aceitando mais até o fim deste mês de Janeiro.

Também estamos sempre precisando de catequistas. Por favor contate o Pe. Eugénio se pode ajudar neste importantíssimo ministério!

Nossa Despesa de Tempo, Talento, & Tesouro

Ofertório de 20 e 21 de Janeiro

Coleta: \$4,280.00 + pelo correio: \$-----

+ pela internet: \$-----

Educação Religiosa da Diocese: \$505.00

**Muito obrigado a todos pela vossa
generosidade e sacrifício!**

INTENÇÃO DO PAPA FRANCIS PARA O MÊS DE JANEIRO

PELO DOM DA DIVERSIDADE NA IGREJA-

Rezemos para que o Espírito ajude a reconhecer o dom dos diferentes carismas nas comunidades cristãs e a descobrir a riqueza das diferentes tradições rituais no seio da Igreja Católica.



Episode 16: The Liturgist & Liturgiologist

SUMMARY

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The liturgiologist, on the other hand, studies the liturgy, critiques it, evaluates it. The liturgiologist stands outside the liturgy and, in doing so, it is clear that this one is not praying.

If Christ himself is the liturgist, our prayer is effective because we join our worship to his. With Christ, we offer ourselves to the Father. We let go of what we want individually. This attitude is essential for real participation in the Mass. This participation requires that we let go of what we want for the sake of the common

good—that is, for the sake of the Body of Christ.

Genuine and authentic participation requires that we let go of ourselves and follow the model of Saint John the Baptist who says, “I must decrease so that Christ may increase.” (Cf. John 3:30).

Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy

Rightly, then, the liturgy is considered as an exercise of the priestly office of Jesus Christ. In the liturgy the sanctification of man is signified by signs perceptible to the senses, and is effected in a way which corresponds with each of these signs; in the liturgy the whole public worship is performed by the Mystical Body of Jesus Christ, that is, by the Head and His members.

From this it follows that every liturgical celebration, because it is an action of Christ the priest and of His Body which is the Church, is a sacred action surpassing all others; no other action of the Church can equal its efficacy by the same title and to the same degree. (n° 7)

Roman Missal

Attention must therefore be paid to what is determined by this General Instruction and by the traditional practice of the Roman Rite and to what serves the common spiritual good of the People of God, rather than private inclination or arbitrary choice.

General Instruction, n°. 42

[T]he Priest should be attentive rather to the common spiritual good of the People of God than to his own inclinations.

General Instruction, n°. 352

IN THE TRADITION

“In obedience, therefore, to her Founder’s behest, the Church prolongs the priestly mission of Jesus Christ mainly by means of the sacred liturgy. She does this in the first place at the altar, where constantly the sacrifice of the cross is represented and with a single difference in the manner of its offering, renewed. She does it next by means of the sacraments, those special channels through which men are made partakers in the supernatural life. She does it, finally, by offering to God, all Good and Great, the daily tribute of her prayer of praise.” [...] “The sacred liturgy is, consequently, the public worship which our Redeemer as Head of the Church renders to the Father, as well as the worship which the community of the faithful renders to its Founder, and through Him to the heavenly Father. It is, in short, the worship rendered by the Mystical Body of Christ in the entirety of its Head and members.”

Pope Pius XII,
Mediator Dei

THE TEACHING OF THE CHURCH

✠ “The liturgy is the work of the whole Christ, head and body. Our high priest celebrates it unceasingly in the heavenly liturgy, with the holy Mother of God, the apostles, all the saints, and the multitude of those who have already entered the kingdom.”

Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC), n°. 1187

IN THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

[G]rant that we, who are nourished by the Body and Blood of your Son and filled with his Holy Spirit, may become one body, one spirit in Christ.

Eucharistic Prayer III

Gladden us with holy joys, almighty God, and make us rejoice with devout thanksgiving, for the Ascension of Christ your Son is our exaltation, and, where the Head has gone before in glory, the Body is called to follow in hope.

*Collect
Ascension of the Lord*

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

1. Genuine participation in the Mass provides an opportunity for each to exercise the Christian virtues of patience, humility and charity. For which virtue do you need to pray?
2. Why is it important to actually pray at Mass rather than evaluate its performance?

FOR FURTHER READING

Pope Pius XII, *Encyclical on the Sacred Liturgy: Mediator Dei*, November 20, 1947.