



CONFIRMED
in the
FAITH

**Bishop James F. Checchio celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 18, 2022 at
St. Mary of Ostrabrama R.C. Church – Congratulations to our Confirmandi!**

Alec John Aiello
Ashley Therese Arruda
Samantha Maria Bermeo
Ashley Rose Borusovic
Leigha Aloysius Borusovic
Analyse Rose Chita
Rafael Rafael Clemente
Kate Kantan Corticeiro
Anthony Martin Costa
Kawan Gabriel Santos Da Silva
Jonathan Alexander De Oliveira
Isabella Odilia Di Giovanni
Lara Rose of Lima Domingues
Ruben Raymond Domingues
Maria Rita Encarnacao
Beatriz Beatriz Goncalves
Diogo Joan of Arc Goncalves
Nina Catherine Lewery
Emilie Albert Lopes
Halley Fatima Lopes

Juliana Rita of Casacia Marques
Elizabeth Fatima Matias
Miguel Michael the Archangel Moderno
Dylan Lorenzo Pasion
Bryan Tiago Peixoto
Gabriela Gabriela Pimentel
Joseph Joseph Pinheiro
Jonathan Achilleuskewanuka Reguinga
Dylan Joseph Ribau
Michael Anthony of Padua Rivas
Melissa Anne Rodrigues
Gianna Sebastian Rodriguez
Evan Evan Santos
Cynthia Issa Dulce Silva
Aidan Michael Simao
Mariana Fatima Sousa
Hayden Hayden Sullivan
Leticia Maria Teco
Jonathan Francis Vicente
Emily Emily Visinho

Corpus Christi Roman Catholic Church
South River, New Jersey



- 5:00 p.m.** **Saturday, May 21**
+ John Certo
Sixth Sunday of Easter
- Sunday, May 22**
- 8:00 a.m.** +Joe Alves
- 10:00 a.m.** +Mariann Farrell
- 3:00 p.m.*** +Anna Klisch
- 5:00 p.m.** People of the Parish
Monday, May 23
- 7:30 a.m.** +Helen Grimes
Tuesday, May 24
- 7:30 a.m.** +All Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday, May 25
- 6:15 p.m.*** +Ludwig Hupp III
Thursday, May 26
- 7:30 a.m.** +Annie Matterese
Friday, May 27
- 7:30 a.m.** +Emilia S. Adrias
Saturday, May 28
- 5:00 p.m.** +Michael Lepore, Sr.
Sixth Sunday of Easter
- Sunday, May 29**
- 8:00 a.m.** People of the Parish
- 10:00 a.m.** +William Medvetz(50th Anniv.)
- 3:00 p.m.*** Sara & Jason Margarido
- 5:00 p.m.** +William Keith

* Traditional Latin Mass

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for May

For faith-filled young people

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

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On-Line Giving - \$ 1,098.62

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Please remember Corpus Christi Parish
in your will and estate planning.

MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS
May 21 – May 27

+Candle for Mary+
Betty & Edwin Kolakowski

+Sacred Heart+
Special Intention



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Prayer
How to do nothing
and still think you're helping

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,
- Geraldine Patton, Manuel Rocha, Leonard Parrino,
- 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.



The Solemnity of the Ascension of Our Lord will be permanently transferred from Thursday, to the following Sunday, Seventh Sunday of Easter. (May 29, 2022) The bishops' discernment included a great desire for more of the faithful to participate in this

integral dimension of the completion of Our Lord's paschal mystery by the Ascension observed on a Sunday. This year, Thursday, May 26, 2022 will be observed as Thursday of the Sixth week of Easter and the Memorial of St. Philip Neri.

**Faith Formation Registration
School Year 2022-2023**

Registrations for Faith Formation began 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. **Limited Classes. REGISTER EARLY! REGISTRATION CLOSSES JUNE 30, 2022.**

Sixth Sunday of Easter – May 22, 2022

“...Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid.” (JOHN 14:27)

Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.



Catholic Charity Bins will be removed from our property. Unfortunately people are disposing items (furniture, baby items, etc.) that cannot be picked up by the bin

company. We do not have the means to dispose the remaining items. It has become a dumping ground in our parking lot. Please note there are other Charity Bins in the area to dispose your unwanted clothing.

**An Invitation to March in the Sayreville
Memorial Day Parade**

Please join us as the Middlesex County Right to Life Group marches in support of life in the Sayreville Memorial Day Parade on May 30th. We gather at 9-9:30 a.m. at the intersection of Krumb Street and Washington Road. Step off is at 10:00 a.m. The Life Choices Resource Center Mobile Ultrasound Unit will be with us with its message of hope and telephone number to call for help. Please come. It's a wonderful thing to do. For more information please email treasurelife33@gmail.com

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 \$9,930.00 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.



**SAVE THE DATE SUNDAY,
JUNE 12, 2022**

**HOLY MASS IN
THANKSGIVING FOR
THE 25TH ORDINATION
ANNIVERSARY OF**

Fr. Eugeniusz Fasuga, CSsR

11:30 A.M. Corpus Christi Church
followed by a Lunch Reception at the
Ria Mar Restaurant 1:00 p.m.

The lunch will be served Buffet-style with a variety of desserts, coffee, tea, espresso & cappuccino, beer, wines, sodas and sangria. Cost is Adults \$75.00, 13-18-\$55.00, 6-12 \$35.00 & \$20.00 for children up to 5 years old. Please contact the parish office for reservations prior to June 1, 2022.

The Hibernians will meet next Sunday at 9:30 a.m. before the 10:00 a.m. Mass to recite a decade of the rosary prior to Mass. All are invited to join them.

**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 \$29,216.75 as of May 13 from 179 parishioners. This represents 88.5% of our \$33,000.00 of our goal.

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. This year's raffle \$68,000.00 will be awarded with Twenty-three prizes. First Prize - \$30,000 American Express Gift Card, Second Prize - \$10,000 American Express Gift Card, Third Prize - \$8,000 American Express Gift Card, and Twenty \$1,000 American Express Gift Cards. The raffle will help defray the cost of the new boiler. You will be receiving a self-explanatory letter in the mail shortly which will include a raffle ticket to purchase for \$25.00 each if interested, or perhaps to sell to family or friends. Drawing: August 13, 2022 at 8pm streaming LIVE at www.parraffle.com.



New Jersey Safe Haven Lane – Under the New Jersey Safe Haven Infant Protection Act a person may give up an unwanted infant anonymously. The purpose of Safe Haven is to protect unwanted babies from being hurt or killed from unsafe abandonment. A distressed parent who is unable to care for an infant can give up custody of a baby less than 30 days old safely, legally and anonymously. All that is required is that the baby be brought to any hospital emergency room, police station, fire station, ambulance, first aid, and rescue squads in New Jersey that are staffed 24 hours a day, seven days a week. As long as the child shows no signs of intentional abuse, no name or other information is required. The parent can call the Safe Haven Hotline – 1-877-839-2339 – get the address and directions for any hospital emergency room, police station, fire station, ambulance, first aid, and rescue squad in the state.

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 – 7:00 pm

St. Ignatius Loyola

Lectures will be held in the Lower Church Hall.

SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, September 24, 2022

The Closing of the 40th Anniversary Year of the Diocese of Metuchen will be a diocesan Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. with Most Rev. James F. Checchio, Bishop of Metuchen- An All Day Event. More information will follow in future bulletins.



Congratulations to

Chris Deibert, who has accepted the position of Director of Sacred Music at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen.

Bishop Checchio has appointed him to the role of Diocesan Liturgical Music in the Office of Liturgy and Worship effective June 17, 2022. Way to go Chris!

FREE CONTACTLESS PAPER SHREDDING EVENT

CONTACTLESS FREE PAPER SHRED EVENT! Do you have old taxes, paperwork, documents and files that have important and/or confidential information that CAN'T be thrown away without risk of it falling into the wrong hands? Please join Spezzi & Maliszewski Funeral Homes for our 2022 Summer Paper Shredding Event in the Carmen F. Spezzi Funeral Home parking lot (15 Cherry Ln. Parlin, NJ) from 12pm to 2:30pm on Saturday, June 4, 2022. Bring a small stack, or garbage bags worth of documents that you need to dispose of properly for no cost and risk free! **Drive in, Pop your truck, & We'll take care of the rest!** For more information please contact Moira Spezzi 732-721-1290.