

Saturday, June 29

Vigil Mass

5:00 p.m. +Anthony Massenzio

Sunday, June 30

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. +Robert Singer

5:00 p.m. +William Aruscavage

Monday, July 1

7:00 a.m. +Memorial Society

7:00 p.m. +DMO O’Cone & Sicknick Families

Tuesday, July 2

7:00 a.m. +Miriam Grogan

Wednesday, July 3

6:15 p.m.* +Joao Nogueira

Marie & Isabello Barcnas

Thursday, July 4

9:00 a.m. +Eleanor Rose Schaed Eppinger

Friday, July 5

7:00 a.m. +Tony Aschettino

7:00 p.m. +Ann & +Henry Benko

Saturday, July 6

12:00 Noon +Arthur Chorbak, Jr.

+Joan & +Theresa Cardone

5:00 p.m. +Ferrullo/Kleinschmidt Families

Sunday, July 7

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. +Anna Lewinski

9:30 a.m. People of the Parish

5:00 p.m. +Jimmy Guglielmo

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intention for June

For Those Fleeing Their Own Countries

Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

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 June 23- \$ 4,312.00

Mail Donations - \$ 847.00

On-Line Giving - \$ 1,638.63

Thank you for your support of Corpus Christi Parish

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

MEMORIAL AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS

June 29-July 5

**+Bread & Wine +
Eleanor R. Eppinger**

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, Ian Birchak, William Haase, Jr., Fr. Michael J. King, Mark Cramer, Geraldine Patton, Tom Gowran, Angel Cortez, David Catchpole, Rosalia Gagliano, Theresa Marchese, Patrick Ahern, Karen Kleinschmidt, Ashley Larson, Steven Marcinczyk, Javier Fuentes, Kim Madlinger, Melissa Telofski, Bonnie Anderson, Joseph Kwiatkowski.

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

Memorial Society this Monday, July 1, 2024 7am

Summer Office Hours

July & August

Mon-Thursday 9-4pm Closed Fridays.

June 30, 2024 – Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“...as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their want, so that their abundance may supply your want, that there may be equality.” – 2 CORINTHIANS 8:14

One of the tenants of living a grateful and generous lifestyle is giving without expecting anything in return. It is important that we not only grow, nurture, and share our gifts; but that we also teach our children and encourage others to do the same. This is the communal aspect of our Catholic faith. We are the “Body of Christ.” We are called to be dependent on each other and not live in isolation.



**“ELEMENTS OF THE CATHOLIC MASS”
Episode 26 – The Altar**

The altar is the central feature of every Catholic church, it is the most significant element in the church building. (It is even more significant than the tabernacle, since without altar, there is no reserved Blessed Sacrament.) The altar is the focal point of every liturgical celebration. The Church teaches us that Christ himself is the Victim; Christ is the Priest; Christ is the Altar of Sacrifice.

Multi Parish Raffle

The Drawing Date is July 20, 2024 at 8pm streamed live at www.catholicinitiatives.org. Twenty-three prizes to be awarded totaling \$68,000.00. 1st Prize \$30,000 American Express Gift Card, 2nd Prize \$8,000 American Express Gift Card and twenty \$1,000 American Express Gift Cards. \$25.00 per ticket.

Tickets will need to be returned prior to July 8th so they may be mailed in a timely fashion before the drawing date of July 20th.

Religious Education Registration 2024-2025

Forms for Religious Education are now available at the parish office during regular hours or may be downloaded from the website, filled out and dropped off at the parish office. **Last day of registration is August 30, 2024.** Families must be active registered parishioners of Corpus Christi which includes attending Mass on a regular basis. Children entering first grade should be registered for Religious Education Classes. All children enrolled must have a copy of a baptismal certificate, unless baptized at Corpus Christi Church.

Lucky Calendar this Tuesday, July 2, 2024 at 1pm in the parish office. Another lucky winner will receive \$500.00. Good Luck to all who have entries in the drum.



**First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
July 5, 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.*



Thursday, July 4, 2024 Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. at the Grotto weather permitting. Bring your lawn chair.

The Parish Office will be closed for the holiday.

The “...two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus...He saith to them: **Come and See.** They came, and saw where he dwelled, and they stayed with him that day...” John 1:37-39.



Do you think you are called to be a Third Order Lay Carmelite? Or are you a Professed Carmelite of the Ancient Observance of the Carmelite Order - O. Carm.?

Come and See

**Saturday, July 6, 2024, at 9:00 am
Corpus Christi Roman Catholic Church
100 James Street, South River, NJ 08882**

**First Saturday, July 6, 2024
Confessions 11:00-11:30 a.m.
Mass 12 Noon**



Episode 26: The Altar

SUMMARY

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The Order of the Dedication of a Church can teach us much about the meaning of the altar. Until the altar is consecrated, it is treated as an inanimate object. At the beginning of the ceremony, the altar is ignored: there is no bow, no kiss, not even lighted candles. (“The Bishop, without kissing the altar, goes to the chair....” n°. 35) Before its consecration the altar is merely an object, a hunk of stone, a chunk of wood.

When it is put into service for the worship of God, the altar is first sprinkled with holy water. This constitutes a kind of washing or baptism; it is then anointed with Sacred Chrism. The altar is honored with incense, it is dressed with a white cloth, analogous to the garment of the

newly baptized. Candles are brought and, in the celebration of the Eucharist, the altar receives the Body of Christ. The altar, like the Christian at Baptism, is made another Christ. The altar is the permanent symbol of the presence of Christ for the Christian community.

The Roman Missal

The altar on which is effected the Sacrifice of the Cross made present under sacramental signs, is also the table of the Lord to which the People of God is convoked to participate in the Mass, and it is also the center of the thanksgiving that is accomplished through the Eucharist.

General Instruction, n°. 296

The altar should be built separate from the wall, in such a way that it is possible to walk around it easily and that Mass can be celebrated at it facing the people, which is desirable wherever possible. Moreover, the altar should occupy a place where it is truly the center toward which the attention of the whole congregation of the faithful naturally turns. The altar should usually be fixed and dedicated.

General Instruction, n°. 299

Romano Guardini

“The two altars, the one without and the one within, belong inseparably together. The visible altar at the heart of the church is but the external representation of the altar at the center of the human breast, which is God’s temple, of which the church with its walls and arches is but the expression and figure.”

IN THE TRADITION

“It was fitting that we should have such a high priest: holy, innocent, undefiled, separated from sinners, higher than the heavens. He has no need, as did the high priests, to offer sacrifice day after day, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did that once for all when he offered himself.”

Hebrews 7:26-28

“The altar is an object of wonder: by nature it is stone, but it is made holy after it receives the Body of Christ.”

John Chrysostom
Homily 20 on II Corinthians, 3

THE TEACHING OF THE CHURCH

✠ “...On the night before he died, Jesus instituted the Eucharist and at the same time established the priesthood of the New Covenant. He is priest, victim and altar: the mediator between God the Father and his people (cf. Heb 5:5-10), the victim of atonement (cf. 1 Jn 2:2, 4:10) who offers himself on the altar of the Cross.

Sacramentum caritatis, n°. 23

✠ “...The altar of the New Covenant is the Lord’s Cross, from which the sacraments of the Paschal mystery flow. On the altar, which is the center of the church, the sacrifice of the Cross

is made present under sacramental signs. the altar is also the table of the Lord, to which the People of God are invited.⁶⁰ In certain Eastern liturgies, the altar is also the symbol of the tomb (Christ truly died and is truly risen).
Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC), n°. 1182

IN THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

By the oblation of his Body,
he brought the sacrifices of old to fulfillment
in the reality of the Cross
and, by commending himself to you for our
salvation,
showed himself the Priest, the Altar, and the
Lamb of sacrifice.

Preface V of Easter

“May the light of Christ shine upon the table of this altar, and may those who share the Lord’s supper shine with his light.”

Order of the Dedication of a Church

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

1. How does the altar in your church represent the various meanings ascribed to it by our tradition?
2. What can you do to deepen the reverence you have for the altar?
3. What connection do you make between the altar in church and the altar of your heart?

FOR FURTHER READING

Romano Guardini, *Sacred Signs* (St. Louis, MO: Pio Decimo Press, 1956).

Duncan Stroik, *The Church Building as a Sacred Place: Beauty, Transcendence and the Eternal* (Mundelein, IL: Hillenbrand Books, 2012).



*BEST WISHES TO A DEAR
PARISHIONER & FRIEND*

JOAN HOSKINS

Joan was married at Corpus Christi Church on September 26, 1954 and has been a member since 1946.

A Cantor, Choir Member, Eucharistic Minister, Rosarian, Lector, Counter and Volunteer just to name a few ministries Joan was a part of.

A Celebration of her dedication and time spent at Corpus Christi will be honored on **Sunday, July 14th at 12:30 p.m.** church hall. A light lunch will be served. Please **RSVP no later than July 3rd.** \$ 13.00 per person.

Please tear off, fill out and return to parish office or drop in any collection basket.

Name _____

Phone No. _____

Yes, I am planning to attend.

How many _____

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 9:30AM-3:30PM e sextas-feiras das 9AM-2PM, Atendimento em Português: segundas, quartas e quintas das 9:30- 4:00PM nos meses de Julho e Agosto.**

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.



AGRADECIMENTO

O nosso muito obrigado ao Padre Stanislaw Wilczek por ter vindo servir as nossas comunidades de língua portuguesa durante as férias do Pe. Eugénio. Que Deus o abençoe, ilumine, e proteja em sua vida e ministério sacerdotal! Será sempre bem-vindo na nossa paróquia de Corpus Christi.

SÃO PEDRO E SÃO PAULO

Pedro um simples pescador que vivia em Cafarnaum, às margens do mar da Galileia, foi o primeiro a ser chamado para seguir Jesus, junto com seu irmão André. Deixaram tudo e o seguiram. Mesmo com suas limitações humanas e dificuldades de entender a grandeza e a novidade da proposta de Jesus, recebeu dele a incumbência de coordenar a Igreja nascente, sendo o primeiro Papa, recebendo a missão de ser base, e elo de ligação, de mediação entre o céu e a terra através dos sacramentos e das ações missionárias, do comprometimento com a defesa da vida, sobretudo com a vida dos indefesos. Por isso é uma missão desafiadora. Quem a assumir verdadeiramente estará sujeito a perseguições, porque os poderes do inferno estão sempre apostos para atacar os que lutam pela justiça e o direito. O poder da morte não será vencedor, pois quem está com Cristo está fortalecido nesta rocha inabalável.

Paulo, perseguidor ferrenho dos cristãos, encontrou-se com Jesus a caminho de Damasco. Este encontro com Jesus em Pessoa transformou-o no maior missionário de todos os tempos. Um apaixonado por Cristo e seu Evangelho a ponto de afirmar: “Já não sou eu que vivo, mas é Cristo que vive em mim... e ninguém pode nos separar do amor de Cristo”. Este amor o compromete com a missão, dizendo: “Ai de mim se eu não evangelizar”. E já prevendo seu martírio, com serenidade e confiança exclama: “Combati o bom combate, completei a corrida, guardei a fé”.

Que todos nós, em nossa missão, na família e na comunidade, tenhamos sempre estes grandes discípulos missionários de Cristo: Pedro e Paulo como inspiração e modelo.

INTENÇÕES DO PAPA FRANCISCO

Para o mês de Junho 2024

PELOS QUE FOGEM DO PRÓPRIO PAÍS

Rezemos para que os migrantes que fogem da guerra ou da fome, forçados a viagens cheias de perigo e violência, encontrem acolhimento e novas oportunidades de vida nos Países que os recebem.

INTENÇÕES DAS MISSAS

+Sábado 29 de Junho-
**José Maria Mirassol,
esposa e filho**

+Domingo 30 de Junho-
Maria Freire

+Terça-feira 02 de
Julho- **Manuel da**

**Rocha - 1º aniversário,
e por Michele Ribau Pinho**

1ª sexta-feira do mês- **Apostolado Coração de
Jesus**

+Sábado 06 de Julho- **Intenção de Arcelina
Grego e por João de Jesus**

+Domingo 07 de Julho- **João Paulo Silva e
por Augusto Simões (Xiu) - 1ºmes**



Primeira Sexta-feira

05 de Julho, 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 à 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.

Elementos da Missa Católica: Episódio 26:

O altar é a característica central de toda Igreja Católica. É o elemento mais significativo na construção da igreja. (é ainda mais significativo que o tabernáculo, sem o altar não há Santíssimo Sacramento reservado.) O altar é o ponto focal de toda celebração litúrgica. A Igreja ensina-nos que o próprio Cristo é a vítima; Cristo é o Sacerdote: Cristo é o Altar do Sacrifício.

INSCRIÇÕES PARA A CATEQUESE

As inscrições para a catequese para o ano 2024-2025 **começaram no dia 3 de junho de 2024.** Os formulários se encontram no escritório paroquial nos horários normais. As famílias devem ser registradas e participantes na nossa paróquia. Todas as crianças matriculadas devem ter uma cópia da certidão de batismo, a menos que foram batizadas na Igreja Corpus Christi.

Ofertório de 22 & 23 de Junho 2024

Coleta: \$4,312.00 + pelo correio: \$847.00
+pela internet: \$1,638.63

Muito obrigado a todos pela vossa
generosidade e sacrifício

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) ".

MUDANÇAS DE ENDEREÇOS

Pedimos aos paroquianos quando mudam de endereço que façam o favor de contactar o escritório da paróquia para podermos atualizar os vossos registos. Caso contrário, os envelopes de ofertório e toda a correspondência volta para o escritório e isso resulta em novos gastos para a paróquia. Obrigado!

ENVELOPES DE OFERTORIO

Queremos lembrar que os envelopes de ofertório/dizimo deverão ser usados para podermos comprovar que frequentam a Missa e que são membros ativos da Igreja. Isto é importante para quem precisa de carta de comprovante para servirem de padrinhos ou alguma outra razão.

O escritório paroquial estará fechado nos dias 4 e 5 de Julho, 2024 para celebrar o dia de Independência. A Missa na quinta-feira dia 4 será celebrada as 9:00 AM ao ar livre em frente á gruta se o tempo estiver bom.