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AUGUST 6, 2023 THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD



PASSING ON THE GREATEST GIFT TO OUR YOUTH

I have been impressed by how hard the parents of our Parish work to provide the best for their children. They make sure they have quality educational, social and other skills so that their children will have the tools to succeed in life. Yet, what greater gift for our children is there than a relationship with God? Each of us was created for this gift and only this gift is able to fulfill our deepest longings. This gift enables us to move forward in good times and bad, in sickness and in health, in prosperity and in need. It is the one gift that has the ability to give us happiness in this life and in the next.

I am truly grateful for my parents and the catechists who stepped forward to teach the Faith to me as I was growing up. I look back now with wonder and give thanks for those who planted these seeds that changed my life forever!

Right now, our parish is in need of catechists beginning in September to help pass on the great gift of Faith to the youth of our parish. Our Director of Religious Education, Brigette, and our Youth Minister, Jim, can help get you started. Training will be provided. Maybe God is tapping you on the shoulder to step forward! Our youth need your gifts and your lived experience of our Faith. We need your help to pass on this Gift!

Please contact **Brigette Vohden** (our DRE) at <u>bvohden@corpuschristi.org</u> or **Jim Murray** (our Youth Minister) at <u>corpuschristi@boldym.com</u>.

Fr. Kevin

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 5

5:00 pm Rocco Turzo

Sunday, August 6

7:30 am Mona Curcio 9:00 am Camille Brennan

11:00 am Mary & Richard T. Nolan; Marion & Richard A.

Nolan; Maureen Shoemaker; Jay McCarty;

Filomena Iannuccilli

Monday, August 7

7:30 am For the Parish

Tuesday, August 8

7:30 am John Ertle

Wednesday, August 9

7:30 am For the Parish

Thursday, August 10 (Mass in Resurrection Room)

7:30 am Rose and Charles Archul

Friday, August 11 (Mass in Resurrection Room)

7:30 am Maureen Alexander; Nicholas Storms

Saturday, August 12

5:00 pm Abigail Mae Rollenhagen

Sunday, August 13

7:30 am Maureen Alexander; Nicholas Storms

9:00 am For the Parish

11:00 am Carolee Hoffman; John Dziemian

IN REMEMBRANCE

For the week of August 6. Sanctuary Lights burn for a Special Intention. Bread and Wine are offered in memory of Maureen Alexander. Blessed Sacrament Chapel flowers are in memory of Maureen Alexander.

PRESIDER'S SCHEDULE

August 5/6

Saturday 5:00 pm Fr. Michael (livestreamed)

Sunday 7:30 am Fr. Michael Sunday 9:00 am Fr. Michael

Sunday 11:00 am Msgr. Mahoney (livestreamed)

August 12/13

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Sunday 7:30 am Fr. Michael Sunday 9:00 am Msgr. Mahoney

Sunday 11:00 am Fr. Michael (livestreamed)

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today

10:00 am Catechists Having Coffee

Monday, August 7

1—3 pm Eucharistic Adoration

6:30 pm Confessions

Tuesday, August 8

3:00 pm Summer Sacraments

Wednesday, August 9

10:00 am Mary's Little Helpers 1—3 pm Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, August 11

Parish Office Closed at 1 pm





MASS SCHEDULE

The Summer Mass schedule will continue through Labor Day weekend (September 2-3).

Summer Mass Schedule:

M-F 7:30AM

Sat. 5:00 PM (livestreamed)

Sun. 7:30 AM/ 9:00 AM/ 11:00 AM (livestreamed)

OFFICE HOURS

From June 30 until September 1 Monday—Thursday 9 am to 4 pm Friday 9 am to 1 pm

Monthly Offertory Collections

The collection for the month of July was \$103,442

The breakdown is as follows:

Sunday Offertory	July 2023 \$37,931	<u>July 2022</u> \$39,101
Online Giving Less Fees Net Online Giving	\$68,112 -\$2,601 \$65,511	\$59,868 -\$1,634 \$58,234
Total	\$103,442	\$97,335

We thank you for your generosity and support of your parish home here at Corpus Christi. It is through your generosity that we are able to share our parish vision of Christ's Joy, Hope and Healing Received and Shared.

Welcome!

New parishioners are asked to join the parish by going to our website at corpuschristi.org. Click on the CONNECT tab at the top of the home page.

For more information, please call the Parish Office at 973-635-0070 ext. 711.

Baptism

We welcome into the church through the Sacrament of Baptism, **Dylan Luke Bonder and Liam Finnley Bonder**, sons of Timothy and Suzanne.

FLOWER MEMORIALS

Remember a loved one or offer a Special Intention by having a flower arrangement placed in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. The cost will be \$60. The Parish will coordinate the request with our florist, Carl Lemanski.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Kevin Franken, Sr. Adriana Martins, Eugene Iannocelli, Everett Farren, Ann Zerga, Cheryl Maiorini, Alfri Rundio, Barbara Marvin, Beth Cintron, Andrew White, Adeline Lombardi, Caitlin Murray, Giovanna Tagliaferri, Nancy Merola Miller, Ann Gilroy, Stephanie Windsor, Rosemarie Moeller, Connie Prince, Anna West, Patti Mahoney, Robert Bruce, Richard Terranova, Diana Nazelli, Elizabeth Yanis, Peter Paul Perla, Timothy Finnegan, Mary Mulhall, Jim Tsakonos, Denis Schreiber, Carmela Mino, Ron Leonardis, Jonathan Schwanwede, Angie Dincher, Virginia Lutz, Keith Thomas, Max Leyn, Victor Rispoli, JoAnne Feliciti, Christine Marinello, John Dory, Margaret DiPopolo, John Savarese, Jade Navarro, Carol Lovelock, Betty Ann and Ron Henning; Nancy McKiernan, Maire O'Donnell, Amy Hefele, Brian Carpenter, Amy Wert, Arlene Winsch, Steve Karasoulis, Terry Stephen, Louis Panello, John Cristofano George E. Blake, Peter Newell, Ken McCaffrey, Ruth White, Heather Nicole McGuire, Valeria Capurro, James O'Connell, Gina McCarthy, Josephine Dymowski, Eileen O'Boyle, Cathy Hansen, Owen Moran, Jim Haggerty, Jan Kerr, Vince Di Roberto, Kathleen Bekiaris, Bailey Buell, Nancy Thompson, Greg Klimek, Suzanne Sersun, Ann Martin White, Kris Zingone, Bill Walsh, Matty Constantino, Susan Koole, Debbie Sisser.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE GONE HOME TO THE LORD...





ASAP

Yes, it means "As Soon As Possible," but it also stands for "Aid and Support After Pregnancy." This Knights of Columbus program greatly expands our already robust support for pregnancy resource centers and maternity homes to assist mothers and children. It is a call to action for all Knights to increase aid to these and other organizations that give direct assistance to new mothers and/or babies.

Here in the Chathams, Parcells Council has a long history of donating to the local Several Sources and Good Counsel homes, each of which shelter young homeless mothers, while providing education on mothering and employment, and ongoing support services. Several Sources has helped over 34,000 babies since 1981; Good Counsel has aided over 8,200 since 1985.

To learn more about the Knights of Columbus in the Chathams, call John Kelly at 201-213-6967. To become a Knight, visit www.kofc.com/joinus.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES FOOD PANTRY (Non-Perishable Food Only)

Drop off food in the Atrium of the church.

<u>Items most needed</u>: Coffee, Tea, Parmalat, Baby Food, Formula, Condiments, Canned Meats, Fish and Fruit, Cereal, Oatmeal, Pancake/Waffle Mix/Syrup, Soup, Brown/White Rice, Pasta/Pasta Products, Macaroni & Cheese, Cookies, Crackers, Peanut Butter.

Please consider purchasing low-sodium/low-sugar items.

The food bank needs your help! Please consider a monetary donation.

We will record your donation. https://pushpay.com/g/corpuschristifoodpantry



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WALKING IN FAITH SIDE BY SIDE



Thursday, July 27th with Fr. Michael

Wednesday, August 30th with Fr. Kevin

7:00 pm

Please join us for both sessions!



Join Us! Everyone is Welcome!

7:00 pm
Gathering &
Opening Prayer
Corpus Christi
Prayer Garden

7:15 pm
Group Walk
Great Swamp County Park

8:15 pm
Group Discussion &
Light Refreshments
Corpus Christi Gym

Please register using the QR Code





Catechists Having Coffee

SUNDAY 10 AM, AUGUST 6TH IN THE ATRIUM CONFERENCE ROOM

We need:
Teachers,
Assistants
Subs
Family
Event
Team
members
and more!



Would you
like to volunteer
with Faith
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2023-2024 school
year?
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coffee and find out
more! God needs
you for this
mission!

CONTACT BRIGETTE VOHDEN FOR MORE INFORMATION: BVOHDEN@CORPUSCHRISTI.ORG







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We need:

Catechists - all training and materials are provided, and classes meet 15 times a year, generally twice a month. Share your faith!

10 more needed for 23-24, especially at 8:00 and 4:15!

Assistant Catechists - be with the children as the catechist teaches, take attendance, and generally just be another helpful presence in the room. **Great service for a high school student!**

Substitute Catechists -fill in when a catechist can't make it, a lesson and all materials are provided.

Floater/Hall Monitor - practice prayers, or make sure children are safe in the halls during class times.

Family Event Team - Once a month we have an event that either involves, set up, food, crafts, donations, etc. We need extra hands to make these events work.

Faith Formation

Grades Pre-K to 6

Contact: Brigette Vohden

email: bvohden@corpuschristi.org

Grades 7—10

Contact: Jim Murray

email: corpuschristi@boldym.com

High School Service Coordinator

Contact: Jim Murray

email: corpuschristi@boldym.com









SERVICE

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Adult Volunteers Needed for 2023-2024!

Who: Corpus Christi adults
(parents, empty nesters,
singles, young adults – anyone post
high school)

What: Support BOLD and BOLD

Middle events in

varying capacities

When: Weekly, monthly, once per year; whenever your schedule permits

How you can help: -High School and Middle School

Young adults or adults (not a parent of high school teen) that would like to help facilitate Youth Ministry Nights and work directly with the teens. (Youth Ministry typically meets Wednesday nights)

-One Time Large Events

Help chaperone Ski Trips, World Youth Day (WYD), Catholic Heart WorkCamp, Retreats etc. (more info available).

-And More!

Contact Jim Murray to get involved! CorpusChristi@boldym.com or 973-370-2532



Summer Happenings...

COLUCTION CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP

We had a great time at Catholic Heart WorkCamp! This June, teens from Corpus Christi came together with other high schoolers from all over the East Coast to serve the community of Drexel Hill, PA for a week-long mission trip. We served in a variety of ways including at farms, food banks, nursing homes, and the homes of local residents who needed a helping hand.







uServe Summer Camp was a success! Each day we traveled to a different service site for the morning before returning to Corpus Christi for fun games and activities. The theme this year was "Extraordinary" and we learned about some of the extraordinary aspects of our faith and how we can experience the miraculous in our everyday lives. The teens absolutely crushed it and embraced each day of service with joyful energy and had a huge positive impact throughout the whole week!





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