

# CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH COMMUNITY

**MAY 11, 2025**

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

## Mass Schedule

### Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday | 7:30am\*

*Followed by the Rosary*

Holy Days of Obligation | 7:30am\*,  
9:00am, 7:30pm

Federal Holidays | 9:00am\*

### Saturday

5:00pm\*

### Sunday

7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am\*, 6:00pm\*\*

### Adoration

Mondays & Wednesdays

1:00pm - 3:00pm\*

### Confession

Mondays | 6:30pm - 7:15pm

\*Livestreamed

\*\*September 8 - May 18

Corpus Christi wishes a  
Happy Mother's Day  
to all our amazing moms  
in heaven and on earth!



Our Vision:

**Christ's Joy, Hope  
and Healing Received and Shared**

Our Mission:

**Fed by the Word and the Eucharist, we are the  
Body of Christ called to welcome, worship and  
grow in relationship with Christ, who leads us to  
serve and invited others to discipleship.**



## 02 | WELCOME

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**Corpus Christi Parish Community**  
234 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, New Jersey 07928  
Phone | 973-635-0070  
Website | [corpuschristi.org](http://corpuschristi.org)

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday | 9:00am - 4:00pm  
Sunday | 8:00am - 12:00pm

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## Parish Staff

### Clergy

#### PASTOR

Rev. T. Kevin Corcoran | Ext. 5  
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## Monthly Offertory Collections

Collection for March was \$107,420

	MARCH 2025	MARCH 2024
Sunday	\$61,855	\$47,195
Online Giving	\$46,879	\$48,027
Less Fees	-\$1,314	-\$1,579
Net Online Giving	\$45,565	\$46,448
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$107,420</b>	<b>\$93,643</b>

April offertory and Easter donation amount soon to come. Thank you for your Easter donations!

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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.



## Mass Schedule

### SATURDAY, MAY 10

5:00pm | Clelia Fitzgerald, Marie Rudnick, Marylee Rudnick Ruerup

### SUNDAY, MAY 11

7:30am | For the Youth of the Parish

9:00am | Eddie Killea

11:00am | Thomas Schierer, Charles E. Walsh

6:00pm | For Our First Holy Communicants

### MONDAY, MAY 12 - FR. KEVIN

7:30am | Marie & Walter Wos, Adrienne Szigety

### TUESDAY, MAY 13 - FR. JAMES

7:30am | Maureen Alexander, Nicholas Storms, Baby Jack McNamara

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 14 - FR. KEVIN

7:30am | Gerard Malanga

### THURSDAY, MAY 15 - FR. JAMES

7:30am | Thomas Malloy

### FRIDAY, MAY 16 - FR. KEVIN

7:30am | For The Seniors of the Parish

### SATURDAY, MAY 17

5:00pm | Michael Cline

### SUNDAY, MAY 18

7:30am | For the People of the Parish

9:00am | Paul Plesnik

11:00am | David Guichard

6:00pm | For Our Parish Renewal

*Last 6:00pm Mass until September*

## Remembrance Offerings

**BLESSED SACRAMENT FLOWERS:** Maureen Alexander

**OFFERTORY GIFTS OF BREAD AND WINE:** Maureen Alexander

**TABERNACLE CANDLES:** Pope Francis

## Calendar of Events

### SATURDAY, MAY 10

10:00am | First Holy Communion

12:00pm | First Holy Communion

5:00pm | Mother's Day Blessing During Mass

### SUNDAY, MAY 11

*Mother's Day Blessing at all Masses*

11:00am | May Crowning

### MONDAY, MAY 12

1:00pm-3:00pm | Adoration and Private Prayer

6:30pm-7:15pm | Confession

### TUESDAY, MAY 13

5:30pm | Adult Bells

6:30pm | OCIA

7:30pm | Men's Society Meeting

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

12:00pm-2:00pm | Staff Meeting (Office Closed)

1:00pm-3:00pm | Adoration and Private Prayer

4:15pm | Teen Bells Rehearsal

7:00pm | Youth Discipleship Night

7:30pm | The Resurrection and Eternal Life: An Easter

Lecture with Fr. James

### THURSDAY, MAY 15

7:30pm | Choir Rehearsal

### FRIDAY, MAY 16

4:00pm | Children's Choir Rehearsal

6:00pm | Baptism Prep Class

### SUNDAY, MAY 18

9:00am | Children's Liturgy

10:00am | Mary's Little Helpers

2:30pm | Walking in Faith Side by Side

4:00pm | Spring Concert

6:00pm | Chargers End Of Year Party

## Presiders' Schedule

### May 10/11

#### SATURDAY

5:00pm | Fr. Kevin (*livestream*)

#### SUNDAY

7:30am | Msgr. Mahoney

9:00am | Fr. Kevin

11:00am | Fr. James (*livestream*)

6:00pm | Fr. James

### May 17/18

#### SATURDAY

5:00pm | Fr. Kevin (*livestream*)

#### SUNDAY

7:30am | Fr. James

9:00am | Fr. Kevin

11:00am | Fr. James (*livestream*)

6:00pm | Msgr. Mahoney

*Last Sunday Night Mass until September*

## Mass Cards, Remembrance Offerings & Prayer Requests

To request a Mass card, make a remembrance offering, or add a name to our sick list, please contact Krista Daras:

**973-635-0070 x711 | [kdaras@corpuschristi.org](mailto:kdaras@corpuschristi.org)**



# 04 | LITURGY, WORSHIP, AND PRAYER

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## Please Pray for the Sick

Alfri Rundio  
Amy Hefe  
Amy Wert  
Andrew White  
Angie Dincher  
Ann Gilroy  
Ann Martin White  
Anna West  
Arlene Winsch  
Barbara Marvin  
Beth Cintron  
Betty Ann Henning  
Betty Keelin  
Bill Walsh  
Bill White  
Bob Nellis  
Brenda Meehan  
Brian Carpenter  
Caitlin Murray  
Carmela Mino  
Carol Smith

Cathy Hansen  
Chas Holloway  
Chris Conlan  
Christine Marinello  
Colin White  
Connie Prince  
Cordelia Street  
Debbie Sisser  
Deborah Caveccia  
Deborah DeMarzo  
Deirdre Hatton  
Denis Schreiber  
Diana Nazelli  
Dylan Grimmer  
Donald Boland  
Eileen O'Boyle  
Elizabeth Yanis  
Eugene Iannocelli  
Everett Farren  
George E. Blake  
Gina McCarthy

Giovanna Tagliaferri  
Hal Zuber  
Harry Winsch  
Heather Nicole McGuire  
Jade Navarro  
Jan Kerr  
Jim Tsakonos  
JoAnne Felicity  
John Cristofano  
John Dory  
John Fleming  
John Savarese  
Jonathan Schwanwede  
Josephine Dymowski  
Karen Rorro  
Kathleen Bekiaris  
Keith Thomas  
Ken McCaffrey  
Kevin Franken  
Liz Perry  
Louis Pannello

Maire O'Donnell  
Margaret DiPopolo  
Marilyn Murray  
Mary Houlihan  
Marylou Meixner  
Matty Constantino  
Max Leyn  
Michael Cino  
Nancy McKiernan  
Owen Moran  
Pat Bergen  
Pat Fitzpatrick  
Patricia Bendsen  
Patti Mahoney  
Phyllis Byrne  
Ralph Lopez  
Robert Bruce  
Robert Cyboran  
Ron Henning  
Ron Leonardis  
Rosemarie Moeller

Sarah Shields  
Sr. Adriana Martins  
Sean Brown  
Sean O'Shea  
Stephanie Windsor  
Steve Karasoulis  
Susan Koole  
Terry Stephen  
Timothy Finnegan  
Tricia Finley  
Valeria Capurro  
Vicki Woodard  
Victor Rispoli  
Vince Di Roberto  
Virginia Lutz

*If you know of someone that no longer needs to be on this list, please let us know.*

## Pray for Those Who Have Gone Home to the Lord

Frances H. Drew  
Richard Archer



## Text Your Prayer Intentions

Text your prayer intentions to 973-845-0416 by 2:00pm each Friday to be included in the intercessory prayers of the weekend.

## Become a Parishioner

If you are looking for a spiritual home, we hope you will draw closer to God through worship, programs, and services offered by the parish.

Our goal is to meet your spiritual needs and help you to become an active member of our wonderful parish community.



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## The Jubilee of Musical Bands

The Jubilee of Musical Bands, celebrated this weekend, honors the beauty and power of music in the life of the Church. At Corpus Christi, we are blessed by the dedication of our musicians and choir members who lead us in worship each week, under the leadership of Paul Carroll. Their musical talent helps to elevate the liturgy and invites us all into deeper communion with God. Our musicians also put on wonderful concerts for us almost every month.

The Jubilee of Musical Bands invites our parish to recognize the spiritual gift of music and those who share it so generously with us. Let us offer our thanks for all who serve in this ministry, especially those who bring their instruments, voices, and hearts to the service of God.

Fr. James





## A Deeper Look with Fr. Kevin

### Easter Peace

For many, Easter Sunday has come and gone. We've heard the accounts of Jesus' passion, death and resurrection so many times that it seems as if it is just another historical fact with no real impact in our lives. But if we look below the surface at what really happened on that Easter morning, it is truly amazing! From all eternity, the Eternal Father and Son, together with the Holy Spirit, are one in love. This is the stuff that heaven is made of. God wanted to invite us into this divine love and intimacy, so He created the world and all of us.



When we had lost this intimate relationship with God because of the sin of Adam and Eve, God promised to restore it at all costs. Jesus was even willing to endure the most painful death to make this happen for us. The Gospels during the Easter season speak of the disciples spreading this offer and inviting all to share in this divine intimacy beginning with Baptism.

Yet there are millions of people around the world who do not have this peace in their lives. They think that our Faith is just about following rules and doctrine alone. This is where the active practice of our faith comes into play. The more that we live, pray and act as disciples, the more deeply we enter this communion of life and love. And the deeper our peace becomes. This is why the saints were such happy people. Heaven is just a continuation of this!

As we live out our discipleship more deeply and more intentionally, we share our Faith with others and invite them into this supernatural intimacy and eternal source of joy, hope and healing. This divine intimacy is available to all no matter what we have done or where we are on our journey.

Easter season is about saying "yes" to this offer with all our lives. It is grasping a hold of this opportunity and sharing it with our relatives, friends and a world in such great need!

Fr. Kevin

## THE RESURRECTION AND ETERNAL LIFE: AN EASTER LECTURE

Have you ever wondered what awaits us after this life? Join Fr. James Platania, S.Th.D., to explore the mysteries surrounding life after death.

In this talk, you will discover the Catholic Church's teachings on life after death, reflect deeply on the Scriptural foundations affirming resurrection and eternal life, and explore fascinating scientific research on consciousness and near-death experiences. Fr. James will provide an inspirational presentation, followed by an open discussion where participants can ask questions and share insights.

Let us embrace the Easter promise of eternal life, transforming our fears into courage, sorrow into joy, and doubt into everlasting hope.



Wednesday May 14<sup>th</sup>  
in the Church  
and livestreamed  
7:30-8:30 pm





## Easter Flower Memorials

*We are grateful to the numerous parishioners who have donated towards our beautiful Easter flowers!*

- Mr. Eugene Noser in memory of Anne Noser
- Mr. & Mrs. Harold Snyder
- Mr. & Mrs. Scott Lechner
- Mrs. Elizabeth Bell in memory of E. Jonathan Bell, Hugo & Angela Rinaldy
- Mr. & Mrs. Philip Ortolani
- Mr. & Mrs. Chas Holloway in memory of the friends & family of the Hardej, Holloway, Polakowski & Tompkins families
- Mr. & Mrs. Robert Collieran in memory of Antolin & Josephine Pedernales and John & Kathleen Collieran
- Ms. Nancy Yannazzone in memory of Deacon Robert Yannazzone, Rosalie Rubino Yannazzone, Teresa Rubino Yannazzone, the Yannazzone, Rubino & Minovich families
- Mr. & Mrs. Jim Shanley
- Mr. Bill Cashin in memory of Susie Cashin
- Ms. Linda Hedden in memory of George, Anne & Sally Schwartz
- Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Hansen in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Hansen
- Ms. Rosemarie Kolb in memory of Bill Kolb, Antoniette Turzo, Rocco Turzo, Bill Kolb, Sr., & Sophie Kolb
- Ms. Pamela Mansfield in memory of Donald Mansfield
- Mr. & Mrs. Harold Snyder in memory of the parents of Diane & Hal Snyder
- Mr. & Mrs. Gregory Michal
- Mr. & Mrs. Michael O'Dowd in memory of Michael Kelleber & William O'Dowd
- Mr. & Mrs. Kai Heyer in memory of the Kemp & Heyer families
- Mr. & Mrs. Michael Baradas in memory of Maximo Baradas, Felicidad Baradas, Rodrigo Gonzalez Sr., Nelly A. Gonzalez Sr., Ariel Kristi G. Rono & Alejandro S. Gonzalez
- Mr. & Mrs. David Meell
- Mr. & Mrs. James Straight in memory of Laurence W. Harper, Pauline Pieszala & Carol Kloc
- Mr. Matthew Major
- Mr. & Mrs. Joel Straka
- Mr. & Mrs. Daniel DeLorenzo in memory of Lillian Pastev, Mark Pastev, Isabelle DeLorenzo, Rocky DeLorenzo & Chriss Miller
- Mr. & Mrs. William Gallagher
- Mr. David Kubler
- Ms. Louise Awerman in memory of Mary Prescott, Anna Iarossi & Nicholas Iarossi
- Mr. John Scally in memory of Jack & Emelia Scally
- Ms. Eileen Prendergast in memory of William & Janet Prendergast, Richard & Greta McCoaurick, William & Hannah Prendergast
- Mr. & Mrs. Brian Duemling
- Mrs. Dora Burke in memory of Carolyn, Alexander & Peter Todisco, Helen, Edward and Richard Burke
- Ms. Diane Lombardi in memory of Matthew & Adeline Lombardi
- Mr. & Mrs. Nicolas Gebara
- Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas DelGuercio in memory of Mike & Stella Hrick and Mike & Vera DelGuercio
- Ms. Rinna Lin in memory of Drs. Ruben & Roberta Reyes and Rodney Reyes
- Mr. Robert Alexander
- Mr. & Mrs. Bill Radwill
- Mr. & Mrs. John Rendina in memory of Edwint & Catherine Rittweger
- Mr. & Mrs. Paul Sands in memory of Dorothy Clancy
- Mr. & Mrs. James Tighe in memory of Robert Tighe & Margaret Tighe
- Mr. & Mrs. Peter DeMaria
- Mr. & Mrs. Fredric Pocci in memory of Dina Nolan, Tom Nolan, Rose Pocci & Fred Pocci
- Mrs. Patricia Fitzpatrick in memory of Charles Fitzpatrick
- Ms. Mary Claire White in memory of Ruth White
- Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Ursino in memory of the Ursiono & Arace families
- Deacon Frank & Diane Vezzuto in memory of the Vezzuto & Hartnett families and Deacon Thomas Beirne
- Mr. Paul Quinlan in memory of Pauline Quinlan
- Anonymous in memory of Charles & Elizabeth Schuchman, Philip & Philomena Costanzo, Camille & Jim Brennan
- Mrs. Carol DeMarco in memory of Tom, Kate & Tom Jr. DeMarco, Ros & Al Lonardo
- Mr. & Mrs. David Dempsey in memory of Helen Dempsey and Nathan Mistretta
- Mrs. Anita Glynn in memory of Jack Glynn
- Mrs. Ann Maria Renzi in memory of Giorgio & Christine Renzi
- Ms. Linda Maiorana in memory of deceased family members
- Mr. Daniel Conlan in memory of Mary J. Conlan, Bernie Conlan and Bernie Conlan Son
- Ms. Joanne Staats in memory of Dr. Joseph Spallone, Esther Spallone and Mary DeFilippis
- Mr. Mark Trainor in memory of James Trainor, Francis & Delia Bebre, Annie O'Malley, Carik Bebre and Kevin Caputo
- Ms. Katherine Ertle in memory of the deceased Ertle family members
- Anonymous in memory of Sean Donabue
- Mr. John Finn
- Mr. & Mrs. Bob Carey in memory of Margot O'Brien Carey, Martin O. Teevan, Noreen Horsman, Nuala Teevan and Kris Zingone
- Mr. Edgar Coster in memory of Marie "Gina" Coster
- Mr. & Mrs. Michael Andres
- Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Suczewski in memory of Joseph & Glenn Lucas
- Ms. Cynthia Doherty in memory of Sean Chauncey Brown, David Adam Zanou, Robert Ormsby, Elizabeth Ormsby, John O'Sullivan, Charlie Harrison, and the O'Sullivan and Schultz families
- Ms. Lauren Cadmus in memory of Modesta Cadmus
- Ms. Margaret Nolan in memory of James Nolan
- Mrs. Lauren Rigal
- Ms. Siobhan Donovan in memory of Bridget & Michael Donovan
- Mr. & Mrs. Louis Caprioglio in memory of the Caprioglio and Gallagher families
- Ms. Patricia Bergen in memory of Herbert & Helen Bergen
- Mr. & Mrs. Derek Szot in memory of Jean Citara
- Ms. Lorri Lizza in memory of Rose and Nicholas Lizza
- Ms. Laura Otten
- Ms. Lynn M. Pisciotta in memory of Mary & Neil Ciotala and Richard Pisciotta





## THE MASS OF ANGELS

MAY 12, 2025

7:30 PM

For any parent who has experienced the loss of a child, either while they were still in the womb or at any age of life



All attendees are invited to submit the name of their child to be remembered at this Mass. Please submit before May 9th.



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## MOTHER'S DAY PAJAMA DRIVE

Sunday, May 11 - Sunday, May 18

After all Masses and during the week

### Items Needed:

- new pajamas, especially for older children and teens
- \*specifically sizes 5-12 for boys and girls
- \*separates rather than sets preferred
- baby wipes and large size diapers
- \*5, 6, 7, and Pullups

This annual drive benefits JBWS (Jersey Battered Women's Service) in Morristown.



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## 08 | SPRING EVENTS

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# Ordination to the Priesthood

The Most Reverend Kevin Sweeney has happily announced that he intends to ordain the Rev. Mr. Joseph S. DeMarzo III, of our parish, to the Sacred Order of Presbyter on Saturday, June 7th, 2025, at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson, New Jersey. The faithful of the Diocese of Paterson and our parish are asked to pray for him and for the other young men who are being called by God to service in the Church. At the same time, according to the custom of the Church, the faithful are obliged to reveal any known impediments to sacred orders by contacting Fr. Kevin or Bishop Sweeney before the ordination in accord with the norms of #1043 and 1051.2 of the Code of Canon Law. May John the Baptist, patron saint of the Diocese of Paterson, intercede for these men and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood here in northern New Jersey.



## GET MORE OUT OF MASS.

The **MASS Made Simple** event will show you how to take Mass from "boring" to **the most powerful and spiritually fulfilling experience in your life.**

*"I never thought of the Mass this way, but it was right there in front of me this whole time. It's so beautiful and simple, and all makes perfect sense now. This has really changed my life." - Lisa E.*

Don't stay stuck in the pews wishing you were getting more out of Mass.

Learn and apply the **MASS Made Simple** framework for every Mass to become the powerful and spiritually rewarding experience you deserve.



Scan here to register or visit [corpuschristi.org/mass-made-simple](http://corpuschristi.org/mass-made-simple)

MASS Made Simple

Wednesday, May 21st  
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM  
Corpus Christi Parish, Chatham

Presented by founder (and parishioner)  
Kevin-Michael Zerrenner, OFS



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## Join the Men's Society

*Service • Social • Spiritual*

Second Tuesday of the Month

7:30-8:30 pm

Atrium Conference Room

May 13 - June 10

*\*no meetings in July or August*

September 9 - October 14

November 11 - December 9

More information:

[corpuschristi.org/mens-society](http://corpuschristi.org/mens-society)







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30 YEARS OF FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, AND FERRIS WHEELS  
**CORPUS CHRISTI CARNIVAL**

**MAY 29 & 30**  
6:00-10:00 PM

**MAY 31**  
5:00-10:00 PM

## HOW YOU CAN HELP

### ATTEND & SPREAD THE WORD



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### BECOME A SPONSOR

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GAME OR THE CHILDREN'S  
AREA FOR \$100. WE WILL  
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OR BUSINESS THROUGHOUT  
THE CARNIVAL.



### VOLUNTEER

SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER  
ON THE DAYS OF THE  
CARNIVAL! HELP WITH  
GAMES, ACTIVITIES,  
50/50 RAFFLE, TRICKY  
TRAY, AND MORE!



### BUY 50/50 TICKETS

PURCHASE 50/50 TICKETS AND SELL BOOKS OF  
TICKETS TO YOUR FRIENDS, FAMILY,  
AND NEIGHBORS.

\*TICKETS AND PAYMENT MUST BE RETURNED NO  
LATER THAN 5/29 TO BE INCLUDED IN THE  
DRAWING.

### DONATE TO OUR TRICKY TRAY

DONATE A PHYSICAL ITEM OR  
A GIFT CERTIFICATE. THESE  
WILL BE USED AS BASKET  
ITEMS ATTENDEES WILL HOPE  
TO WIN! ALL DONATIONS WILL  
LIST YOU/YOUR BUSINESS.





# 10 | GROWING IN FAITH

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## Parcells Council

CORPUS CHRISTI - ST. PATRICK

### MARY: QUEEN OF THE KNIGHTS

On Mother's Day, we remember the Knights of Columbus' devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary, the mother of Jesus. Every Knight receives a rosary when he joins the Order and is encouraged to turn to Mary as his own Mother, so that she may lead him closer to her Son.

Historically, Knights have expressed filial devotion to Mary under various titles, especially Our Lady of Guadalupe and the Immaculate Conception. The Order's special reverence for Our Lady is demonstrated by prayer, pilgrimages, evangelization and education initiatives, and acts of charity. Knights have been ardent apostles of the holy rosary, spearheading numerous rosary distributions and prayer.

Here in Chatham, Parcells Council ends each business meeting with a Hail Mary, followed by: "Mary, Queen of the Knights, pray for us."

To learn more about the Knights of Columbus in the Chathams, call John Kelly 201-213-6967.

To join online visit [www.kofc.org/joinus](http://www.kofc.org/joinus)



### The "Ministry Minute"

Each month, we will host a "Ministry Minute" at all Masses. There will be a different ministry highlighted each month, and a ministry leader or member will speak about their experience. We hope that this 60 seconds inspires you to learn more about the amazing things going on at Corpus Christi, and encourage you to join a new ministry!



### CARNIVAL

The Carnival Committee works hard throughout the year to prepare for the parish's 3 day event each spring. Please be sure to check out Carnival information in the bulletin and parish news, and stay up to date on ways you can get involved with this year's Carnival! There are many ways that you can help - sponsor, 50/50, volunteer, tricky tray, and share!



Please scan the QR code for more information

### Mission Trip to Cumberland, MD

We are calling all high school teens to join BOLD and Catholic HEART Workcamp for a week of service, friendship, spiritual growth and memories that will last a lifetime!

#### Summer Mission Trip to Cumberland, MD

Sunday, July 6<sup>th</sup> - Friday, July 11<sup>th</sup>

For all current 8<sup>th</sup> Graders & High School Teens

Cost: \$850, broken up into the registration fee of \$450 and a fundraising portion of \$400. All participants will automatically receive a \$50 scholarship toward the trip.

**FOR MORE DETAILS AND TO REGISTER, VISIT [BOLDYM.COM/CHWC](http://BOLDYM.COM/CHWC)**

### Youth Ministry Questions?

Jim Murray

973-370-2532 | [corpuschristi@boldym.com](mailto:corpuschristi@boldym.com)

**uServe**  
by faith ministries

**SUMMER CAMP**

**MIDDLE SCHOOL SERVICE CAMP**

Join us for the ultimate camp experience!  
Service | Faith | Friends | Fun

**All Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> Graders**  
(Current 5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>)  
**July 21<sup>st</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> | 9:00am - 3:00pm**  
**Corpus Christi & local service sites**  
**Cost: \$185 per participant**  
(\$125 for additional siblings)

uServe Camp will bring campers to local service sites in the morning, then return to parish property for lunch and a variety of fun and faith-based activities in the afternoon. It is sure to be a great way to spend a week, and will help our community, too!

Questions about the uServe Camp?  
Are you a parent who would like to help during the week?

Please reach out to Jim Murray  
at [CorpusChristi@boldym.com](mailto:CorpusChristi@boldym.com) or  
text/call 973-370-2532

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## FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS & INFORMATION FOR 2025-2026 PRE-K - 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE FAMILY FAITH FORMATION CLASSES WAS SENT OUT TO FAMILIES WHO WERE REGISTERED FOR CLASSES IN 2024-2025 VIA FLOCKNOTE ON MAY 6.

REGISTRATION OPENS TUESDAY, MAY 13.

IF YOU ARE REGISTERING FOR THE FIRST TIME,  
OR AFTER BEING AWAY FOR A YEAR OR MORE, PLEASE CONTACT  
DIANE VEZZUTO AT [DVEZZUTO@CORPUSCHRISTI.ORG](mailto:DVEZZUTO@CORPUSCHRISTI.ORG)

Registration  
Information



## CATECHISTS NEEDED

What's required?

- ✓ A desire to share your Catholic faith with the children of Corpus Christi.
- ✓ Availability 2X/month on Sunday morning from September through April.
- ✓ No experience needed! Training provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO  
VOLUNTEER, CONTACT  
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"Among the laity who become evangelizers,  
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-St. John Paul II

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Please scan the  
QR code to sign up  
to attend an interest  
meeting with your  
student on Tuesday,  
May 20 at 6:30 PM  
in church.



Questions?  
Please contact Deacon Frank at  
[DeaconFrank@CorpusChristi.org](mailto:DeaconFrank@CorpusChristi.org)  
or Diane Vezzuto at  
[DVEZZUTO@CorpusChristi.org](mailto:DVEZZUTO@CorpusChristi.org)







# Congratulations to our First Communicants

Abigail Amore  
Alisha Mei Bak  
Christopher Bottoni  
Isabel Bruzese  
Connor Bryce  
Ryan Burgo  
Jack Ciaruffoli  
Harrison Cruz  
Olivia Daliani  
Logan DePinho  
Mia Dunn  
Willa Farrell  
Poppy Firth  
Theodore Fontas  
Nathaniel Fontas  
Conor Friel  
Matthew Friel  
Vanessa Funes  
Christopher Gagliolo  
Graydon Gerne  
Ryan Gigliotti  
Bryan Goff  
William Harter  
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Cameron Hubbard  
Lucas Hug  
Lucas Johnson  
Eliana Justini  
Hunter Kelly

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Greta Lamon  
Grant Lavery  
Hannah Leiden  
Ashley Luparella  
William Major  
Alexandra Martin  
Grey McLeman  
John McNamara  
Luca Minio  
Samuel Mossa  
Mason Nassar  
Emma O'Brien  
Ellen Oliver  
Max Ott  
Matthew Pugliese  
John Puglisi  
Ava Romano  
Edward Rowan  
Theodore Sahazizian  
Henry Schmidt  
Evelyn Shanley  
Jack Slattery  
Sienna Tully  
Anna Walsh  
Jackson Walker  
James Worthington  
Ryan Worthington  
Collette Zambrano





## Music Ministry

### Spring Concert

Please plan to attend our upcoming Spring Concert on Sunday, May 18 at 4:00pm. This performance will include Antonio Vivaldi's *Gloria*, perhaps one of his most famous works. In this piece, Vivaldi has written this extended musical work based upon the text of the Gloria we pray each week at Mass. Some movements are upbeat and energetic while some are contemplative and meditative. Members of the Corpus Christi Choir and friends are working hard to prepare this enjoyable spring time performance. We hope to see you there!

### Bible in a Year

Starting on Pentecost, our parish community is invited to take part in the Bible in a Year. Maybe you've always wanted to read the Bible and never knew where to start. Using the Bible in a Year reading plan from Ascension Press, we'll utilize the daily podcast from Ascension as well as weekly online updates and resources. Each month, we'll have the opportunity to gather in person to check in, chat together, and hear from different presenters for further insight and encouragement.

I hope this is something that you'll consider in the days ahead. Contact Paul Carroll, Minister of Music, for more information about Music Ministry opportunities and to join any of our parish choirs or ensembles!

[pcarroll@corpuschristi.org](mailto:pcarroll@corpuschristi.org)



## Upcoming Concerts

### Spring Concert

Featuring Vivaldi's *Gloria*

Sunday, May 18 at 4:00pm

### End of Season Concert

Pentecost Sunday, June 8 at 4:00pm



CORPUS CHRISTI  
PARISH COMMUNITY

CONCERT SERIES 2024-2025

## Spring Concert

### VIVALDI'S GLORIA

FEATURING

Jody Mullen, soprano  
Noelle Schaeffer, soprano  
Patricia Ruggles, mezzo-soprano  
Paul J. Carroll, conductor  
Corpus Christi Choir  
Concert Orchestra

MAY 18, 2025  
4:00PM

NO TICKETS REQUIRED / FREE WILL DONATION

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Join Corpus Christi for

## BIBLE IN A YEAR

with Fr. Mike Schmitz, featuring Jeff Cavins from Ascension Press

beginning on Pentecost, June 8th



Listen to daily podcast episodes while walking, driving, or having your morning coffee.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to finally understand how all the pieces of the Bible fit together to tell an amazing story that continues in your life today.

Save the Date!

Tuesday, June 3  
7:00 pm  
First Meeting  
Introduction &  
Overview

### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- ongoing online content & discussion
- monthly in-person gathering
- plan and resources

Sign up today to begin this journey with your Corpus Christi family!

Questions? Contact Paul Carroll  
[pcarroll@corpuschristi.org](mailto:pcarroll@corpuschristi.org)







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## Get Involved in Our Ministries!

### SENIOR MASS AND LUNCHEON

Seniors gathered for their monthly Mass and lunch on May 2nd, the First Friday in May. Their festive lunch celebrated and honored Mother's Day, and all attendees received a rose. Each month, this ministry grows as seniors celebrate Mass and fellowship together. Thank you to all who prepared and served the meals.

### PARISH COUNCIL

#### Installation of Newest Member

On Sunday, May 4th at the 11 am Mass, Laura Otten, the Parish Council's Chairperson, announced Janet Barth as the Parish Council's newest member. During the installation, Fr. Kevin asked everyone to raise their hands and join in a blessing as Janet prepares for her term on the Council. Congratulations Janet and may God bless your service and the work of all on the Corpus Christi Parish Council.

### COMPANION MINISTRY

#### Visit to Chatham Hills & Juniper

The Companion Ministry is sharing these photos from their Mass this month with Fr. James. Once a month we provide a Mass for the residents at both Juniper Village and Chatham Hills assisted living facilities. The other three weeks of the month, representatives of Corpus Christi offer a service consisting of sharing Scripture Readings and share the Eucharist (Companion Ministry - "with Bread"). We are grateful for our opportunity to visit, pray with and distribute communion to the residents.

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

We had nearly 20 kids at Children's Liturgy on Sunday. They prayed a special prayer for Pope Francis, and the Cardinals as the conclave begins this week. After hearing the Gospel, they colored fish and pasted them on their own boats. We hope you'll join us for our next Children's Liturgy!





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