



CORPUS CHRISTI

PARISH COMMUNITY

May 24, 2026

Pentecost Sunday

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, 8:45am, 11:00am*

Adoration

Mondays: 1:00pm - 3:00pm*

& 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Wednesdays: 1:00pm - 3:00pm*

Confession

Mondays: 6:30pm - 7:15pm

*Livestreamed

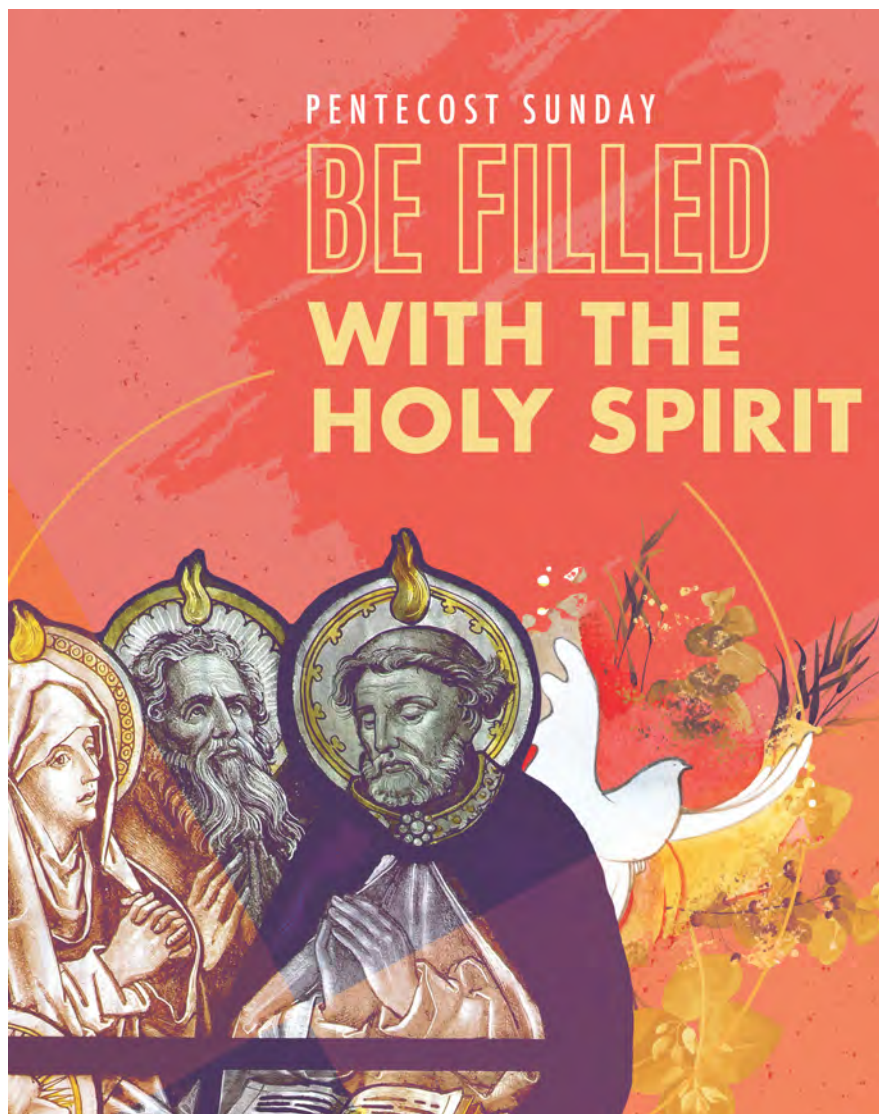


Our Vision:

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

Our Mission:

Fed by 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 invite others to
discipleship.



PENTECOST SUNDAY

**BE FILLED
WITH THE
HOLY SPIRIT**

Join Our Parish!

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! To become a registered
parishioner, please scan the QR code.



Stay Connected! To receive our weekly parish news emails,
subscribe to Flocknote by texting CHATHAM to 84576.



02 WELCOME

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday | 9:00am - 4:00pm

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Calendar of Events

SUNDAY, MAY 24

Summer Mass Schedule Begins-
No 6:00pm Mass

MONDAY, MAY 25

Parish Office Closed for Memorial Day
No Adoration or Confession
9:00am | Mass

TUESDAY, MAY 26

6:30pm | Carnival Committee Meeting

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

1:00pm - 3:00pm | Adoration and
Private Prayer
4:00pm | Children's Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm | Discipleship Night Senior Dinner
7:30pm | Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MAY 28

6:00pm - 10:00pm | Corpus Christi Carnival

FRIDAY, MAY 29

6:00pm - 10:00pm | Corpus Christi Carnival

SATURDAY, MAY 30

11:00am - 1:00pm | Eva's Village in Paterson
5:00pm - 10:00pm | Corpus Christi Carnival

SUNDAY, MAY 31

8:45am | Children's Liturgy of the Word

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.



Scan to Give

Monthly Offertory Collections

Collection for April was \$97,941.

April 2026

April 2025

Sunday Offertory	\$30,428	\$53,553
Online Giving	\$69,403	\$58,512
Less Fees	-1,890	-1,800
Total	\$97,941	\$110,265



A Deeper Look With Father Kevin

Pentecost: Receiving the Holy Spirit



Today we celebrate Pentecost Sunday - the great feast that brings the Easter season to an end. In the Gospel, we hear about the disciples gathered in the upper room. The doors were locked because they were afraid.

They knew Jesus had risen from the dead and that He had ascended into heaven. And yet they were still anxious about the future. They still carried fear, uncertainty, and stress. In many ways, we can relate to them. We believe in the Risen Lord, and yet we still carry worries about our families, our health, our future, and our finances.

But today something changes. The Holy Spirit comes upon the disciples, in the middle of their fears, and transforms them. Suddenly the frightened disciples become bold and joyful. Scripture describes tongues of fire and a mighty wind. And then they begin speaking about God and the wonderful things He is doing. They are no longer hiding. They feel empowered to go out and change the world.

I think many Catholics feel comfortable talking about God the Father and about Jesus. But the Holy Spirit can sometimes feel more distant. Yet the Holy Spirit is not meant to be distant. The Holy Spirit is personal. The Holy Spirit is God dwelling within us.

So how do we come to know the Holy Spirit more deeply? First, we remember that the Holy Spirit was already given to us in Baptism and strengthened in Confirmation. But like the disciples, we have to be open to receiving the Spirit more fully. Notice where the disciples were when the Spirit came - they were gathered together in prayer as a community of faith. The Holy Spirit works powerfully when we gather together as the Church. Every Sunday at Mass, God wants to strengthen us with His Spirit in a way we cannot experience alone.

Second, the disciples prayed and waited. They invited the Holy Spirit into their lives. Sometimes we want God to act immediately, but often God asks us to wait. The disciples waited ten days between the Ascension and Pentecost. In that waiting, they learned trust. They learned that God's gifts are never earned but are received. And God's timing is part of that plan.

And when the Holy Spirit truly fills a person, one of the signs is joy. Not a superficial happiness, but a deep joy that comes from knowing God is with us. And that joy naturally spills over into the lives of others. The more we speak about what God has done for us, the more the Holy Spirit continues to work within us.

Pentecost is not just something that happened 2,000 years ago. Pentecost is meant to happen again and again — in our hearts, in our families, and in our parish today. Come, Holy Spirit!

Fr. Kevin

Reflections with Father James

Pentecost Sunday



At Pentecost, the Holy Spirit fills the Church and gives the apostles courage to proclaim "the mighty acts of God" (cf. Acts 2:11). The disciples had been gathered behind locked doors in fear. The risen Christ stands among them, gives them his peace, and breathes upon them: "Receive the Holy Spirit" (John 20:22). From that gift, the mission of the Church begins. Pentecost teaches us that the Holy Spirit is the life force of the Church. The Spirit gives unity to many peoples, languages, and gifts.

Saint Paul says, "To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit" (1 Corinthians 12:7). Saint Augustine expresses this mystery well: "The Church, which is spread among the nations, speaks in all tongues. Therefore, the Church is the body of Christ, and in this body, you are a member. Since you are a member of that body which speaks in all tongues, believe that you speak in all tongues" (St. Augustine, *Sermon 267, On Pentecost*). Pentecost asks us to welcome the Holy Spirit anew into our prayer, our homes, our parish, and our daily decisions. The same Spirit who came upon the apostles still renews the Church today. We pray with the psalmist: "Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth" (Psalm 104:30).

Fr. James



04 LITURGY, WORSHIP AND PRAYER

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MAY 23

5:00pm | Maureen Alexander, Nicholas Storms

SUNDAY, MAY 24

7:30am | Eileen King

8:45am | Charles E. Walsh

11:00am | Anne Marie Keenan, Eileen King

***No 6:00pm Mass until September**

MONDAY, MAY 25 - FR. KEVIN

9:00am | Maureen Alexander, Nicholas Storms

TUESDAY, MAY 26 - FR. JAMES

7:30am | Nicholas Henry Lizza

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27 - FR. KEVIN

7:30am | Bernard Aloysius Polatschek, Jr.

THURSDAY, MAY 28 - FR. JAMES

7:30am | Nicholas Konoiko, Ronnie Jensen

FRIDAY, MAY 29 - FR. KEVIN

7:30am | For the People of the Parish

SATURDAY, MAY 30

5:00pm | Kathy Benson

SUNDAY, MAY 31

7:30am | Katherine Triano

8:45am | For the Youth of the Parish

11:00am | Charles E. Walsh, William Haubert

***No 6:00pm Mass until September**

Pray for Those Who Have Gone Home to the Lord



Jennie Martin

Please Pray for the Sick

George E. Blake	Cathy Hansen	Eileen O'Boyle
Donald Boland	Deirdre Hatton	Marie O'Donnell
Sean Brown	Betty Ann Henning	Sean O'Shea
Robert Bruce	Ron Henning	Louis Panello
Allie Burgos	Kate Hoffman	Frank Peluso
Valeria Capurro	Chas Holloway	Liz Perry
Brian Carpenter	Mary Houlihan	Robert Perry
Deborah Careccia	Eugene Iannocelli	Connie Prince
Michael Cino	Steve Karasoulis	Victor Rispoli
Beth Cintron	Kimberly O'Brien Killian	John Savarese
Matty Constantino	Susan Koole	Denis Schreiber
Chris Conlan	Bernadette Kratzer	Jonathan Schwanwede
John Cristofano	Ron Leonardis	Sarah Shields
Jean Cregan	Max Leyn	Gordon Simmons
Robert Cyboran	Ralph Lopez	Debbie Sisser
Jane Devlin	Virginia Lutz	Carol Smith
Vince Di Roberto	Patti Mahoney	Terry Stephen
Margaret DiPopolo	Christine Marinello	Keith Thomas
Angie Dincher	Lainie Martin	Jim Tsakonos
Joyce Doluff	Barbara Marvin	Stephanie Windsor
John Dory	Gina McCarthy	Harry Winsch
Patricia Doyle	Ken McCaffrey	Vicki Woodard
Josephine Dymowski	Eileen McDonnell	Anna West
Natalie F.	Nancy McKiernan	Amy Wert
Everett Farren	Heather Nicole McGuire	Ann Martin White
Tricia Finley	Marylou Meixner	Bill White
Timothy Finnegan	Rosemarie Moeller	Colin White
Pat Fitzpatrick	Caitlin Murray	Andrew White
John Fleming	Ellie Murto	Bill Walsh
Kevin Franken	Diana Nazelli	Elizabeth Yanis
JoAnne Feliciti	Jade Navarro	Carol
Dylan Grimmer	Bob Nellis	
Sarah Gall - Perla		

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

Remembrance Offerings

BLESSED SACRAMENT FLOWERS:

Maureen Alexander

OFFERTORY GIFTS OF BREAD AND WINE:

Maureen Alexander

TABERNACLE CANDLES:

Remember A Loved One Here

Presiders' Schedule

May 23/24

SATURDAY

5:00pm* | Fr. Kevin

SUNDAY

7:30am | Fr. Kevin

8:45am | Fr. James

11:00am* | Msgr. Mahoney

May 30/31

SATURDAY

5:00pm* | Msgr. Mahoney

SUNDAY

7:30am | Fr. Kevin

8:45am | Fr. Kevin

11:00am* | Fr. James

*Livestreamed



Welcome to Our New Minister of family faith formation!



Lauren Rigal is honored to begin serving Corpus Christi as Minister of Family Faith Formation on June 1. Lauren brings to this role a deep commitment to parish life, a strong background in education, and extensive experience helping children and families grow in faith. A longtime member of the Corpus Christi community, she has served in a variety of parish ministries with a particular focus on faith formation, family engagement, and creating welcoming opportunities for parishioners of all ages. At Corpus Christi, Lauren co-founded and leads Mary's Little Helpers, a faith-based educational playgroup for young children and their caregivers. The ministry introduces children to early learning, music, art, play, and age-appropriate catechesis while helping parents and caregivers build community within the parish. Through this work, Lauren has helped connect young families more closely to parish life and has collaborated with other ministries, volunteers, and families to help foster deeper connections among parishioners.

Lauren has also served as a catechist at Corpus Christi, teaching religious education to elementary school students, including sacramental preparation for Reconciliation and First Communion, and serving as a small-group leader for high school faith formation and Confirmation preparation. In addition to her work in faith formation, Lauren currently serves on the Corpus Christi Parish Council and enjoys being active in many of our wonderful parish ministries including Walking in Faith Side by Side, the Prayer Garden, the Photography Ministry, as well as many of our Parish's seasonal and special events. Lauren lives in Chatham with her husband and their three children, who are also active in parish life. She is excited to begin this new chapter of service at Corpus Christi and looks forward to supporting children and families in their faith journey.

After two rounds of interviews, one with a committee consisting of clergy, staff, and parish leaders, Lauren was unanimously selected and offered the position. We are grateful for her yes and look forward to the start of her ministry on June 1 as she shares her gifts, experience, and love for our parish community in this important role.



06 UPCOMING EVENTS

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FAITH, FAMILY & FUN!

CORPUS CHRISTI CARNIVAL

MAY 28 & 29
6:00-10:00 PM

MAY 30
5:00-10:00 PM

VOLUNTEER

PLEASE JOIN OUR TEAM! WE STILL NEED MANY VOLUNTEERS, ESPECIALLY FOR GAMES ON FRIDAY/SATURDAY NIGHTS, TO MAKE DESSERTS FOR THE BAKE SALE, AND MORE! WE ALSO INVITE TEENS (14-18YRS OLD) TO VOLUNTEER AT THE KIDDIE AREA, FACE PAINTING, SPIN ART AND TO HELP MANAGE THE TICKET AND RIDE LINES.

WE NEED YOU TO VOLUNTEER!

PRE-SALE DISCOUNT RIDE TICKETS NOW ON SALE!

1 SHEET OF 18 TICKETS FOR \$20
(1 SHEET OF 20 TICKETS FOR \$30 AT THE CARNIVAL)

PRE-SALE TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AFTER EACH MASS AND IN THE OFFICE DURING OFFICE HOURS

BUY 50/50 TICKETS

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

The Feast of Corpus Christi

MASS, ADORATION & PROCESSION
June 7 | 11:00 am

Please join us to celebrate The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ, and honor the Lord's presence in the Blessed Sacrament.

Hospitality & Fellowship to follow

Please join us!

Diocesan Corpus Christi Food Drive

JUNE 6/7

Please Donate:

- Diapers
- Wipes
- Juices

Donation drop off begins May 18th in the Atrium

UPCOMING EVENTS 07

May 24, 2026 | Pentecost Sunday



FATHER'S DAY COOKIES & COFFEE DRIVE FOR THE HOMELESS

Please donate
6/13-6/21

Corpus Christi
Atrium

Thank you
for your
generosity!

ITEMS REQUESTED



\$10 DUNKIN'
GIFT CARDS



SHELF STABLE COOKIES
Ex: Chips Ahoy, Oreos,
Nutter Butter, Vienna Fingers

Please consider including a short anonymous
note of encouragement with your items.

All donations go to the local ministry
helping our homeless friends at



Easing the Homeless Journey with Friendship

WE ARE LOOKING
FOR VOLUNTEERS TO
ASSEMBLE BAGS.
PLEASE CONTACT
ALEXANDRA
ACARROLL@
CORPUSCHRISTI.ORG



**VOLUNTEER
APPRECIATION
EVENT**

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR MINISTRIES
AND THEIR DEDICATION THROUGHOUT
THE YEAR! IF YOU'VE VOLUNTEERED
THIS YEAR, CONSIDER YOURSELF
INVITED! JOIN US IN CELEBRATING
YOUR SERVICE TO OUR PARISH!

SUNDAY, JUNE 14 - 6:00PM

JOIN US FOR AN
AMERICAN BBQ
AND BRING YOUR
PATRIOTIC SPIRIT!

CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

ATTEND ANY MASS ON
6/13 OR 6/14 FOR A
SPECIAL BLESSING

PLEASE RSVP
BY JUNE 1ST

Bishop Kevin J. Sweeney
and
the Priestly Life Committee

invite you to attend the
concelebrated Mass of
Thanksgiving commemorating the

Jubilee
anniversaries of
Ordination to the Holy Priesthood

June 9, 2026
11:00am | Corpus Christi Church



08 CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

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HONORING OUR PAST,
Building Our Future
CORPUS CHRISTI CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Capital Campaign Update

"For we are God's co-workers; you are God's field, God's building." — 1 Corinthians 3:9

Our Campaign Receptions Conclude

Thank you to all the families who attended one of our campaign receptions. You can return your pledge either by placing it in the collection basket, dropping it by the office, or making your pledge online. Don't forget to send in your pledge card.

Didn't attend a campaign reception?

We have mailed a campaign packet to all registered households who were unable to attend a reception. Help Corpus Christi reach our \$3.9 million goal!

Get Involved

We continue to welcome volunteers to support the campaign. Email CCNJ2026@gmail.com, if interested.

Thank you again to those volunteers who have stepped up and are willing to sacrifice some of their time for our parish!

If you are interested in making follow up phone calls, please email CCNJ2026@gmail.com, so we can send you your call script and list of calls.

PLEASE NOTE: Phone call volunteers will not be asking anyone for money during these calls. They will simply be encouraging families to send in their pledge card or answer any questions.

- Follow Up Phone Volunteers: CCNJ2026@gmail.com
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A Shared Commitment

As we celebrate our 60th anniversary, we stand on the sacrifices of those who came before us. We now look ahead with faith and responsibility.

We ask each household to prayerfully consider how you can participate. Together, through faith and generosity, we can meet today's needs and ensure our shared mission continues to flourish.

God bless you.



Mental Health Conference

On Saturday, May 2, parishioner and ministry leader, Marc Girona, who is a mental health professional, attended the **New Jersey Mental Health Conference: From Isolation to Belonging**, presented by the New Jersey Catholic Conference in partnership with the dioceses of New Jersey, Catholic Charities agencies, and the Catholic Healthcare Partnership of New Jersey. The conference focused on mental wellness, accompaniment, and how the Catholic Church can better support individuals and families affected by mental illness.

The keynote speaker, Bishop Dolan of the University of Phoenix, spoke powerfully about the growing reality of isolation and loneliness affecting many people today. Sharing personal experiences and examples from his ministry, he emphasized the importance of simply being present with others and helping people know that they matter, saying **"Suffering in silence is not a sacrament—it's not holy."**



A central theme of the conference was a model for parish communities to **educate, accompany, and advocate**. Special emphasis was placed on accompaniment—walking with people as Jesus did. Another speaker reflected on the importance of helping individuals living with mental illness recognize and share their gifts within parish life, creating opportunities for deeper connection and belonging. The conference also shared resources and initiatives for parishes.

Reflecting on the experience, Marc shared:

"I went to the conference not sure what to expect. As a mental health professional and practicing Catholic, I was excited to hear the Church was interested in how to serve those with mental illness. I enjoyed the presentations, but most enjoyed two aspects of the conference: the beautiful mass with Cardinal Tobin that help me feel in solidarity with the Lord with so many others concerned about mental health, and the opportunity to meet and network with like-minded colleagues. And I made some new friends! It was a wonderful day."

Thank you for attending and sharing with Corpus Christi, Marc!



GROUNDS PROJECT

Thanks so much to all of the volunteers who came together for Planting Day on Saturday 5/16! Over 125 trees, shrubs, and flowers were planted, fertilized, watered, and mulched, thanks to over 20 men and 2 women's dedication. The last phase of the project will be seeding the old bed areas for grass, and the sprinkler system will be reconfigured soon. Thank you to all who donated their time, talent, and treasure to make this project possible!

A special thank you to Hugo Barth for his vision and leadership - his "behind the scenes" and "boots on the ground" presence is truly appreciated!

Thank you, Corpus Christi parishioners, for your donations! We reached our goal of having all trees, plants, flowers, soil, and mulch donated for this project!

PLANTING DAY



Thank You

Sunday, June 14
11 am Mass

Please join us to honor and thank Diane & Deacon Frank on their last day at Corpus Christi! Our parish family wishes them all the best in their next chapter!



10 GROWING IN FAITH

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We need you!

Children's Catechists and Adult Table Discussion Leaders Needed.

Volunteers are needed for the 2026–2027 Family Faith Formation program! Whether you feel called to teach children or to help lead faith discussions with adults, we would love to have you join us. No experience is needed—training will be provided. The commitment is 1–2 Sundays per month from September through April.

For more information, contact Kris Beirne at KBeirne@CorpusChristi.org.



Share your faith with the
Children of Corpus Christi.



Encourage parents to make Jesus
the Cornerstone of their homes.



Help Families experience the Love
of Jesus.

Ready to sign up? Scan the QR code to
get started! Be sure to let us know if you're
interested in serving as a Children's
Catechist or Table Discussion Leader.
We look forward to hearing
from you!



Family Faith Formation

2026–2027 REGISTRATION

Now Open!

**ENROLL
NOW**

Faith at
Church
Formation
for Parents &
Children



Faith at
Home
Lessons



Family
Prayer,
Fellowship
& Service
Events



Early Registration 4/26 - 6/29
Late Registration 6/30 - 8/15
Registration closes 8/16



Scan the QR
code to register
today!



BOLD
Summer Mission Trip
with Catholic Heart Workcamp

CUMBERLAND, MARYLAND
SUNDAY, JULY 5TH - FRIDAY, JULY 10TH
ALL CURRENT 8TH - 12TH GRADERS

Join BOLD and Catholic HEART Workcamp for a week of service, friendship, spiritual growth, and memories that will last a lifetime! After an amazing week last summer, we're excited to return to Cumberland to do even more good work, spread more joy, and make another unforgettable impact.

Cost: \$875 total (\$50 automatic scholarship available). Includes \$200 deposit, \$275 second payment, and \$400 fundraising portion.

WORTHY
For the better, because of the Lord.

STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE
FRIDAY, JULY 17 - SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2026
Franciscan University, Steubenville, OH
For all current 8th Graders & High School Teens

Join BOLD for three days filled with amazing speakers, opportunities for worship, Adoration and Confession, and enjoy fellowship with thousands of other teens who share the same Catholic faith!

The total cost of the trip is \$540. \$370 is due at registration. The remaining \$170 helps covers coach bus transportation and is to be raised through parish support or group fundraising efforts in coordination with Gwen.

BOLD **FRANCISCAN** **the truth** **STEUBENVILLE CONFERENCE**

uServe
SUMMER CAMP
MIDDLE SCHOOL SERVICE CAMP

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

All Incoming 6th - 9th Graders
(Current 5th - 8th)
Monday, July 27 - Friday, July 31
Corpus Christi Church
Camp Fee: \$195 per camper
(\$135 for each additional sibling)

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!

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St. Vincent de Paul Society



We strive to:

- Feed the hungry
- Shelter the homeless
- Clothe those in need
- Visit the sick and residents of assisted living facilities
- Support those struggling with addiction
- Assist the unemployed

Your support helps us continue this mission of compassion and care. Please consider supporting us!

If you would like information about joining the Saint Vincent de Paul Society, contact Patrick Martin.
(862) 226-9559 | pwmartin817@optimum.net

Scan the QR code or visit
boldym.com/CCC/events
for more details and/or to
register for any of the
events!



Questions?
Contact Gwen at
corpuschristi@boldym.com
or call/text 908.743.8890



12 MUSIC MINISTRY

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Corpus Christi Choir

Congratulations to the Corpus Christi Choir who shared Mendelssohn's *How Lovely Are the Messengers* last weekend at the 11:00am Mass. During the celebration of the Ascension of the Lord, we hear in Matthew's Gospel "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations". The text of the Mendelssohn piece echoes this idea (Romans 10:15):

*How lovely are the messengers that preach us the gospel of peace.
To all the nations is gone forth the sound of their words,
throughout all the lands their glad tidings.*

End of Season Concert

Please save the date for the next concert – the final of the season – on Sunday, June 14 at 4:00pm in celebration of the 250th anniversary of the United States and featuring the Corpus Christi Choir, Children's Choir, trumpet, and organ.

Music Ministry Opportunities

Have you considered joining one of our parish choirs or ensembles? Maybe you'd like to sing with the choir or your child would like to join the Children's Choir? Please send me an email if you'd like to join in the fun of making music in one of these groups!

Paul Carroll
Minister of Music
pcarroll@corpuschristi.org



Music Ministry Recap





Become A Part Of Our Ministries!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

At Children's Liturgy we celebrated the Ascension by first talking about what ascend means and then following Jesus' path from death to resurrection, and then to ascension into heaven to be with God the Father. We also talked about Jesus instructing his disciples to spread the word about him and share his love; we know that they did because thousands of years later, we're still following his teachings. We decorated cups like the sky and attached a picture of Jesus to a string so that when it's pulled, it looks like he's ascending into heaven!

MOTHER'S DAY PJ DRIVE

Thank you to everyone who donated to our Mother's Day Pajama Drive this year! Several bags of pajamas, diapers, and wipes will be donated to Jersey Battered Women's Service (JBWS) in Morristown. A special thank you to Family Ministry members and student volunteers, who organized and labeled all of the donations on Sunday, May 17 to be ready for pickup.

CHARGERS

The Chargers' closing party for this season was a huge success, with 82 attendees that had so fun they stayed till the final dance. Delicious food, lots of fun and a great DJ that played a variety of songs. Mothers and sons, fathers and daughters, husbands and wives danced to "Moonlight Serenade." The Chargers' ministry is open to all special needs teens and young adults.

MARY'S LITTLE HELPERS

Mary's Little Helpers had a lovely morning of faith and fellowship celebrating the May Crowning! We played and prayed. We visited the Statue of Mary in the Church and our beautiful prayer garden and admired the beauty of God's creation! We read "Mary, Mother of Jesus," listened to "Bring Flowers of the Rarest," and made a flower craft. It's been a wonderful year! We'll see you in the fall! Mary, Mother of God, pray for us!





14 AROUND THE DIOCESE

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Day of Discernment



A DAY OF SPECIAL GRACES TO HELP YOUNG MEN DISCERN THEIR CALL IN LIFE.

WHEN First Saturday of the month!
TIME 10:00 AM
WHERE St. Bernard Church
 22 St. Bernard Rd. Wharton, NJ
PROVIDED Holy Mass • Adoration • Rosary • Lunch
RSVP Scan QR Code or visit <https://patersonvocations.org/>



FR. CHARLIE LANA
 PATERSON DIOCESE
 OFFICE OF VOCATIONS



STEPPING OUT IN FAITH

"I think it's perfect that we're launching this National Eucharistic Pilgrimage on Pentecost," Bishop Andrew Cozzens of Crookston said during an outdoor Mass in northern Minnesota in 2024. "A revival happens when the Holy Spirit does something greater than we can do by our human efforts."

The same day Pentecost Masses were being celebrated at three other launch points: New Haven, San Francisco, and Brownsville.

Initially conceived as a single route, Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly suggested expanding it to four routes. Bishop Cozzens backed the audacious plan; as he put it in his Pentecost homily, "It's never been done. But we're about to do it."

The Holy Spirit drew tens of thousands of Catholics to Eucharistic events along each of the pilgrimage routes. Knights played active roles in the pilgrimage: planning logistics, providing hospitality for pilgrims, and participating in Eucharistic processions across the United States.

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Friday, June 12, 2026

Sacred Heart - OL Holy Rosary, Dover

President: Bishop Kevin J. Sweeney

Bi-lingual Mass - 7pm

Includes Act of Consecration

Sacred Heart, Rockaway

Holy Hour - 6pm

Mass - 7pm

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Sacred Heart, Clifton

English Mass - 12pm

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