

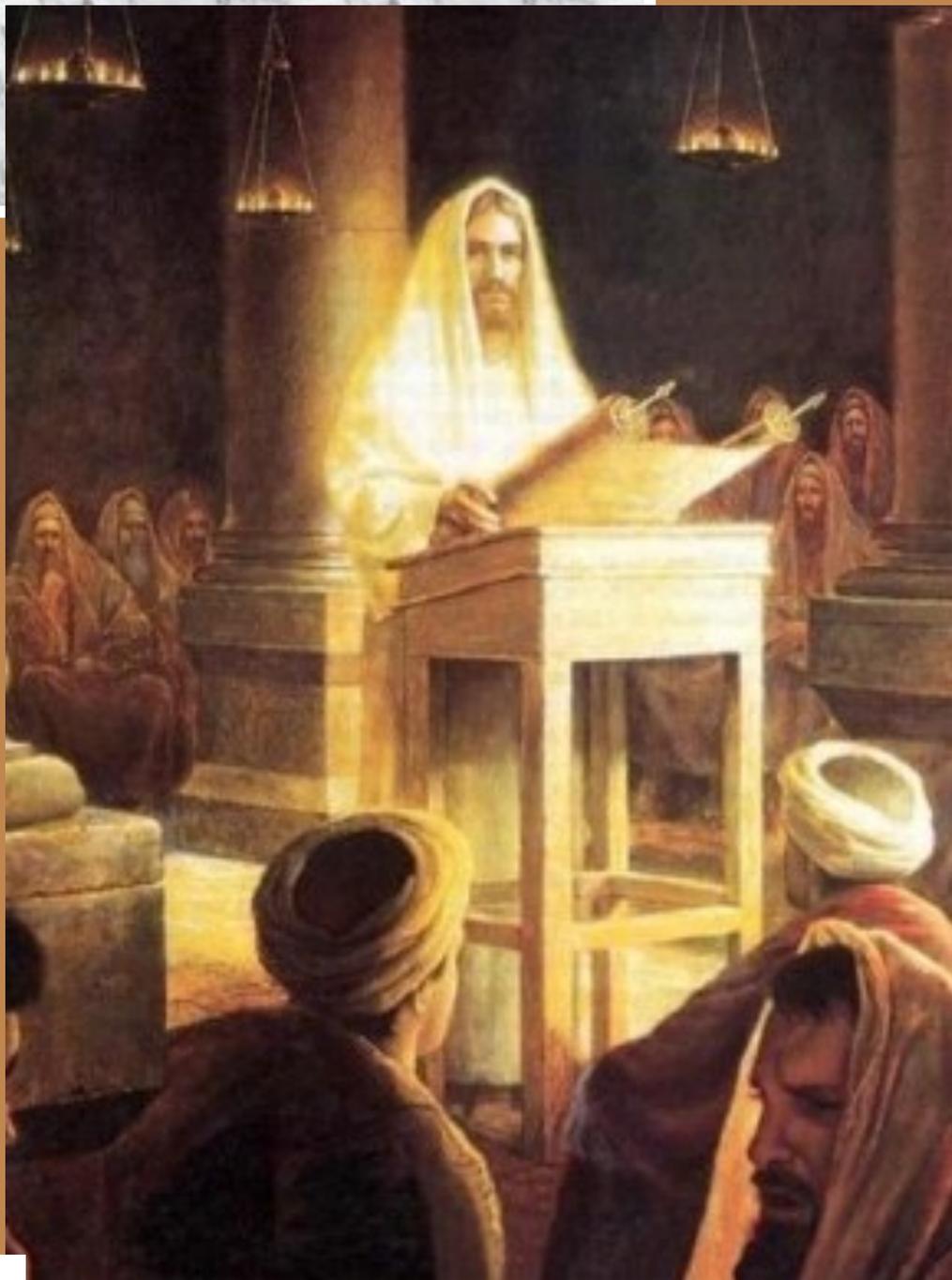
Corpus Christi Parish

January

28

2018

Fifth Sunday in
Ordinary Time



See Inside:
SOUPER BOWL
OF CARING

Parish Information

Corpus Christi Parish

70 Pleasant St., Waterville ME 04901

Business Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:00AM - 4:00PM

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Elaine Gordon, Parish Catechetical Leader

Theresa Poulin, Business Administrative Assistant

Marge Veilleux, Pastoral Administrative Assistant

Joan Hallee, Pastoral Receptionist

Valerie Wheeler, Principal St. John Catholic School

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays, 3:00PM at St. John Church, Winslow and Notre Dame Church, Waterville

Sacrament of Baptism

Families who would like to have their child baptized need to attend our Baptism Preparation Program. Classes are offered on the last Tuesday of most months.

Registration is required, please call the parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples should make arrangements by calling the parish office at least 6 months prior to the wedding date and before making reception plans.

Anointing of the Sick

Anyone wishing to receive the Sacrament of the Sick is asked to call the parish office. If you or a loved one are admitted to MaineGeneral Medical Center please contact the Hospital Chaplain's Office. If you are at Inland Hospital please call the parish office.

Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays 7:00-7:45AM St. John Church

Mass Times & Intentions

MONDAY 8:00 AM SJ	Jan 29, 2018 Lorraine Thibodeau, (1st Ann) Jean and James Mathieu
TUESDAY 12:15 PM ND	Jan 30, 2018 Theresa Lemieux by Joseph Lemieux
WEDNESDAY 8:00 AM SJ	Feb. 1, 2018 Nancy Grenier by her family
THURSDAY 12:15 PM ND	Feb. 2, 2018 Stephen Cahill by Marie Martin
FRIDAY 8:00 AM SJ	Feb. 3, 2018 Googormaa Luvangondig by Gombojav family
SATURDAY 4:00 PM ND 4:00 PM SJ 6:00PM ND	Feb. 4, 2018 Faylene Charland by her daughter Matthew Alum Williams by Mom and Aunt Cathy Fred Perkins by Marilyn Harmon
SUNDAY 7:30 AM SJ 9:00 AM ND 10:00 AM SJ 10:30 AM ND 4:30 PM CC	Feb. 5, 2018 Laurier Mathieu by M/M Hermel Nadeau Sheryll Hearn by Jeanne Roy Raymond Reny by Theresa Aucoin and family Yvonne Grevois by Sheila and Gerard Lavoie Parishioners of Corpus Christi Parish

Keep in Your Prayers

Dolan Peters, Celeste Bouchard, Harold Adams

May God's healing touch come down upon our brothers and sisters in faith.

Please call the Parish Office to be included in our Prayer Line.

Please remember in your prayers

Vivian O'Donnell, died Jan. 12, funeral Jan. 17

The Week Ahead

Sun., Jan. 28	10:00AM ND 5:00PM SJ	Coffee Hour AA Meeting
Mon., Jan. 29	1:30PM ND	Prayer Group
Tues., Jan. 30	6:30PM OFF 7:00PM FFC	Baptism Prep Class Al-Anon
Wed., Jan. 31	6:00AM ND 6:15PM ND	That Man Is You! RCIA
Fri., Feb. 2	7:00AM SJ	Adoration & Confessions
Sun., Feb. 4	10:00AM ND 5:00PM SJ	Coffee Hour AA Meeting

CHALICE PROGRAM FOR VOCATIONS

For the week of January 28

Notre Dame
St. John

Nancy Hersey
Fr. Matt Gregory

Sanctuary Candle

In thanksgiving by a parishioner (SJ)

Parish Photo Directory Books Have Arrived!

If you had your photo taken this past fall a book has been reserved for you. Please stop by the Parish Office any time to pick it up.

Liturgical Bits & Bytes - Priest's Vestments

Amice (optional)

This is a rectangular piece of cloth with two long ribbons attached to the top corners. The priest puts it over his shoulders, tucking it in around the neck to hide his cassock and collar. It is worn whenever the alb does not completely cover the ordinary clothing at the neck. It is then tied around the waist. It symbolizes a helmet of salvation and a sign of resistance against temptation.

Alb

This long, white, vestment reaching to the ankles and is worn when celebrating Mass. Its name comes from the Latin 'albus' meaning 'white.' This garment is similar to the white garment worn at baptism and symbolizes purity of heart. It is worn by priest, deacon and in many places by the altar servers.

Cincture (optional)

This is a long cord used for fastening some albs at the waist. It is a symbol of chastity. It is usually white in color.

Stole

A stole is a long cloth, often ornately decorated, of the same color and style as the chasuble. A stole traditionally stands for the power of the priesthood and symbolizes obedience. The priest wears it around the neck, letting it hang down the front. A deacon wears it over his right shoulder and fastened at his left side like a sash.

Chasuble

The chasuble is the sleeveless outer vestment, slipped over the head, hanging down from the shoulders and covering the stole and alb. It is the proper Mass vestment of the priest and its color varies according to the feast or liturgical season. It is worn as a mantle over his shoulders symbolizing the yoke of Christ and signifies charity.

Sunday Readings & Reflections

Readings for Sunday, January 28

Sharing Good News

Reading I Deuteronomy 18:15-20 (A prophet like Moses)

Reading II 1 Corinthians 7:32-35 (The state of virginity)

Gospel Mark 1:21-28 (Cure of a demoniac)

Key Passage: They were astounded at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes. (Mark 1:22)

Adult: What can you tell others about Jesus with the most assurance?

Youth: What is the most important thing you would like others to know about Jesus? How will you tell them?

Saint of the Week

Saint John Bosco

On January 31st the Church celebrates the Memorial of Saint John Bosco. St. John was born near Castlenuovo in the diocese of Turin (Italy) in 1815. His early years were most difficult and so once ordained to the priesthood he dedicated himself to the education of the young, founding congregations which would instruct youth in both the arts and the Christian life. He also composed pamphlets for the support and defense of religion. He died in 1888 though his work lives on in the Salesian order which he founded. St. John Bosco was canonized on April 1, 1934 by Pope Pius XI. He is the patron saint of Christian apprentices, editors, publishers, schoolchildren, and young people.

2017 Contribution Tax Letter

Parishioners needing a letter containing their 2017 contributions must CALL the parish office and make this request. This information is not automatically generated and mailed out. Please have your envelope number available when you call.

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

South Garand St., Winslow 872-7115

www.stjohnschoolwinslow.org

There are so many great things planned for the children during Catholic Schools Week.

Monday - We celebrate our community by inviting guests to come in and speak with us.

Tuesday - We celebrate our students by having a beach themed day. Beach attire required.

Wednesday - Red, white and blue day to honor our nation. Our service project for the week will be a penny challenge to help raise money for the Travis Mills Foundation.

Friday - We acknowledge our faculty, family and supporters for their dedication to the school.

Please join us for Muffin Morning on Feb. 2 at 7:15AM. This is a great time to visit our school and meet families who will be available to answer questions you may have about St. John Catholic School. Essay winners will share their papers entitled: How my school prepares me for the future.

The Chili/Chowder contest is Sat., Feb. 3 at 5:00PM. Entrants will have their chilis and chowders ready for taste testing. We will have hotdogs available for those not participating in the tasting contest. There will be a prize awarded to the best chili and chowder.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory for Jan. 14 - \$16,648.79

Offertory for Jan. 21 - \$15,042.04

Average offertory to date - \$16,721.83

The budget is based on a weekly average offertory of \$15,942.00 per week.

The 2nd Collection this week is for the Latin American Missions.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

In Our Parish and Diocese

Lifelong Faith Formation

ELEMENTARY FAITH FORMATION

Classes are held at the Faith Formation Center attached to St. John Catholic School, September-May.

It's never to late to start coming to class!

If you have not yet registered your children for Faith Formation please call Elaine Gordon, 660-9027.

K-8 Faith Formation Calendar

K-5 Sun. Session
Faith Form. Ctr
8:30-9:45AM

Feb. 4, 11
Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25
Apr. 8, 15
May 6

Family Life
Faith Form. Ctr.
3:00-5:00PM
Feb. 11
Mar. 25
Apr. 8
May 6

K-5 Mon.. Session
Alfond Youth Center
3:30-4:30PM

Jan. 29
Feb. 5, 12
Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26
Apr. 2, 9, 16
May 7

JHYM
Faith Form. Ctr.
6:00-8:00PM
Feb. 4, 11
Mar. 4, 18
Apr. 8, 15
May 6

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday Evenings 6:00 - 8:00PM

Youth Ministry Room on the 2nd Floor at St. John School
(enter by the Grotto)

Calling all high school students! There's a group in the parish just for you! We meet most Sundays, 6 to 8PM at St. John's School. Come as often as you can!

Jan. 28th - Pro-Life session

February 3 and 4 - Souper Bowl of Caring

February 11 - Vocations night! Come chat with a panel of people who have different vocations!

Souper Bowl of Caring

More than 28 years ago, the Souper Bowl of Caring began with a simple prayer from a single youth group:

"Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those without a bowl of soup to eat."

Since that day, more than \$135 million has been raised for local charities across the country through Souper Bowl of Caring.

Through this mission, young people learn what it's like to make a positive difference in the world – as they collect for those in need. Be part of this movement that is sharing God's love with those in need.

Every dollar helps! See a high school youth ministry representative after Masses next weekend to help local food kitchens and food pantries.



ATTENTION ALL MEN

Are you looking to deepen your relationship with God? Be a better husband? Become a more loving father? Build friendships with other like-minded men?

Then Come Join...

That Man is You!

Wednesday Mornings Notre Dame Hall

Breakfast at 6AM

Presentation and Discussion from 6:25-7:30AM

www.thatmanisyou.org

Elders Coffee & Camaraderie

All elders are invited to gather for coffee at Eric's Restaurant on the 1st Monday of every month at 10AM. The next gathering is Feb. 5. Please RSVP to Pat O'Keefe, 872-7094 so Eric's can be ready for the group.

Lend a Helping Hand and a Smile!

Many seniors find themselves homebound and alone. Warm a senior's life by investing a few hours a week to an isolated senior through a friendly visit, a ride to the grocery store, or a phone call. I have a senior in the Oakland area that would like some companionship and two other seniors in Waterville that need assistance grocery shopping. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer in the Kennebec Valley or are a senior in need please contact the SEARCH program- Lynn Kidd (207)530-0137/lkidd@ccmaine.org.

Rita Lamarre Grant

Applications for the \$1000 Rita Lamarre Grant are now available at the Parish Office. The Grant will be awarded for the 2018-19 academic year in the amounts of \$500.00 each semester and may be used to defray any expenses incurred. Graduating high school students or any student currently attending any university or technical school who are active practicing Catholics are encouraged to apply. FMI contact Theresa Poulin at the Parish Office, 872-2281.

MOUNT MERICI ACADEMY

An Ursuline Catholic School

873-3773 www.mountmerici.org

"Like" us on facebook @ www.facebook.com/mountmerici

This week is Catholic Schools Week and it is an exciting time for our school! We have a week of activities planned that center around our Ursuline Catholic education. We celebrate with a Mass, learn about the foundress of Mount Merici Academy - St. Angela and celebrate her feast day, and include some fun activities as well like a student vs staff feud game & basketball game, and a family movie night. With our Serviam focus, we also have a service project to raise funds for a student chosen charity. Please keep our students in your prayers during Catholic Schools Week!

Corpus Christi Parish & St. John School present

FEBRUARY FRENZY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
<p>28 + 3 Chances to Win for Just \$10!</p> <p>Your donation of \$10 will support St. John School and Corpus Christi Parish Faith Enrichment Activities. We'll draw a different winner each day. Plus, your name will go back into the drawing so you have a chance to win not just once, but every day!</p>				<p>1 Eric's Restaurant</p> <p>\$40 Gift Card</p>	<p>2 1-year subscription to the Town Line Newspaper</p> <p>\$70 Value</p>	<p>3 </p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>		
<p>4 Flowers at a Mass of your choosing will be for your intention</p>	<p>5 The Last Unicorn Restaurant <i>Donated by Zimba Co.</i></p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>6 </p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>7 The Villager Restaurant</p> <p>\$10 Gift Card</p>	<p>8 </p> <p>\$15 Gift Card</p>	<p>9 Mainly Brews Restaurant <i>Donated by Raymond James Financial Services</i></p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>	<p>10 </p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>		
<p>11 Flowers at a Mass of your choosing will be for your intention</p>	<p>12 The Pointe Afta Restaurant</p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>13 </p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>	<p>14  Mini-Golf for a family at Giffords</p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>	<p>15 Joseph's Sporting Goods</p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>	<p>16 The Pointe Afta Restaurant <i>Donated by Zimba Co.</i></p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>17 The Last Unicorn Restaurant</p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>		
<p>18 Flowers at a Mass of your choosing will be for your intention</p>	<p>19 Eric's Restaurant</p> <p>\$20 Gift Card</p>	<p>20 Jin Yuan Chinese Restaurant <i>Donated by Raymond James Financial Services</i></p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>21 </p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>	<p>22 \$50 Cash Donated by a Parishioner</p>	<p>23 </p> <p>\$35 Gift Card</p>	<p>24 </p> <p>\$25 Gift Card</p>		
<p>25 Flowers at a Mass of your choosing will be for your intention</p>	<p>26 Amici's Cucina</p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>27  Flagship Cinemas</p> <p>\$15 Gift Card</p>	<p>28 \$50 Cash</p>	<p>March Madness Overtime! <i>Additional prizes donated by generous parishioners</i></p>		<p>The Last Unicorn Restaurant</p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>The Pointe Afta Restaurant</p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>	<p>Applebee's Restaurant</p> <p>\$50 Gift Card</p>

Return this portion with donation of \$10 (**Checks payable to St. John School**) to:

Corpus Christi Parish, 70 Pleasant St., Waterville, ME 04901 or

St. John School, 15 So. Garand St., Winslow, ME 04901 or

put into a plain envelope labeled February Frenzy and drop into the collection basket at Mass

Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____