

Faith Formation News



First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation If you have a child (second grade or older) who would like to receive First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation this year, and were not able to join us for our parent meeting last week, please contact Dawn to sign up: 585-622-4594 or email dawn.burdick@dor.org. Classes will begin soon.

The next Adult GIFT presentations are next week. Plan to join us next week for our Adult GIFT presentation. The English presentation will take place on Wednesday, February 9, at 6:30pm at Corpus Christi, and the Spanish presentation will take place within the context of Adoration on Thursday, February 10, at 7pm at Corpus Christi.

Not too late to be part of faith formation. If you have a child in grades pre-k through 7, it’s not too late to join our faith formation program which meets Saturday mornings from 10-11:30am at 316 Bay St. No need to preregister, you can do so when you arrive. Our next classes are: January 29, February 5, 12, and 26. Contact Dawn with questions.

Upcoming GIFT Dates

- **PreK through 7th Grade Classes**— Next class: Saturday, January 29, February 5, 12, 26, 10-11:30am at 316 Bay Street. There will be no class on February 19.
- **Confirmation Class**—Sunday, January 30 & February 13 & 27, 6:30pm at Corpus Christi Hall.
- **R.C.I.A.**— Sunday, January 30 & February 6, 13, & 27, 9am at Corpus Christi

Parish News

Year End Statements and Parish Census

You should have received your year end statement in the mail this week along with the Parish Census. **Please fill in the parish census and return it to us as soon as possible so we can update our records.** If you have concerns about your year end statement, please communicate with the office.

Please Save the Date

Our Bishop will be with us to celebrate a Mass of Reparation on **Sunday, February 27 at 9 am at Corpus Christi.** That weekend we invite all who attend Sunday Mass at our three churches to join us as we welcome Bishop Matano and honor our Lord, truly present in the Most Holy Eucharist. That weekend we will only have the 9 am Mass in English at Corpus Christi, a Saturday, 4 pm Vigil Mass in English at Annunciation for those that absolutely cannot make it to Mass on Sunday and the 11:45 Sunday Mass in Spanish at Saint Michael’s. We encourage all Spanish speakers who can understand English to attend the 9 am Mass with the Bishop. If you absolutely cannot attend Mass in English, independent of where you usually go, we invite you to go to the 11:45 am Spanish Mass at Saint Michael. Please note that on Sunday, February 27 there will be no 10:15 Mass at Annunciation, no 11:00 am Mass at Corpus Christi and no 2:00 pm Mass at Saint Michael. Please attend the 9 am Mass with the Bishop.

Mass Intentions

Why request a Mass intention?

Because the Mass is the best prayer we can offer for someone. You can request a Mass intention for someone who is living on their birthday, or when they need special prayers, such as when they are ill, or when they have a special reason to give thanks and celebrate such as a wedding anniversary or a graduation. You can also request a Mass intention for someone who is deceased, because of the Communion of Saints, we believe that our prayers make a real difference for those who have died, it is a wonderful way to remember them and to celebrate the fact that we are still in relationship with them.

How can I request a Mass intention?

You can come to the office (80 Prince St, Rochester, NY 14605) or call us ((585) 325-4041), during office hours (Monday-Friday 9 am—4:30 pm) or you can email Elvy at elvy.delgado@dor.org.

How much do I have to pay for a Mass intention?

There is no cost for the celebration of Sacraments, these are a gift of God’s grace. You could make a donation of \$10 or more if you so desire.

Sunday 10:15 am Mass moving to 9:45 am

The congregation who attends the 10:15 Mass at Annunciation on Sunday, has decided that **starting the First Sunday of Lent, March 6, 2022, the time of this Mass will change to 9:45 am** to allow the priest more time to visit with parishioners after Mass and get to Saint Michael on time.

Eucharistic Adoration

We need to change our approach to Eucharistic Adoration: (for the safety of the Eucharist and of the people) **Starting in February there will be no Friday Adoration at Annunciation.** (There has not been enough people there throughout the day). We will need to have sign ups to have at least 4 people present at the hour of Adoration offered every week at each of our churches. Please sign up near the doors this weekend.

Tuesday 10:45-11:45 am at Saint Michael
Wednesday 6:30 - 7:30 pm at Corpus Christi
Saturday 2:30-3:30 pm at Annunciation

Please note that before the shutdown the only Adoration time offered in the parish was on First Friday 9 am - 7 pm at Annunciation, a total of 10 hours a month. In the arrangement listed above this adds up to at least 12 hours a month. In addition to this we have the Holy Hour every Thursday from 7-8 pm at Corpus Christi an hour of Adoration and guided reflection. For a total of at least 16 hours each month.It means not only an increase in hours but also an increase in terms of having Adoration at all of our churches, in all of our neighborhoods and not only at Annunciation.

Attendance January 22-23, 2022			
Annunciation 4:00 pm	51	Annunciation 10:15 am	60
Corpus Christi 9:00 am	69	Corpus Christi 11:00 am	124
Saint Michael 11:45 am	112	Saint Michael 2:00 pm	35

Our Sacrificial Offering for the Fulfillment of the Mission of Jesus Christ January 22-23, 2022	
Online collection	\$3,035.00
Physical collection	\$10,776.00
Total collection this week	\$13,811.00
Needed to get by	\$14,000.00
Needed to survive	\$18,800.00
Needed to thrive	\$20,500.00

You can make sure you support your Parish no matter where you are! Donate online at: tinyurl.com/givetocabrini



Annunciation

1760 NORTON ST.

Corpus Christi

864 E. MAIN ST.

Saint Michael

859 N. CLINTON AVE

Parish Office: (585) 325-4041 Monday-Friday 9:00 am—4:30 pm 80 Prince Street 14605



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Pastoral Care: (585) 210-3024



Prayer Line
In English: (585)288-6107 Frances C. Grillo
In Spanish: 585)709-2350 Deacon DeJesús

Welcome!

We graciously welcome all new parishioners and visitors to our community. To register, please fill out a registration form available at church entrances, and drop it in the collection basket or at the office. Or register online at: cabriniroc.org/register. A member of our ministry team will contact you to complete your registration.

Baptism

Baptismal preparation is offered and required for parents of children to be baptized in our churches. Please contact the parish office or fill in the online form at cabriniroc.org/baptism, for an initial interview and baptismal preparation.

Confirmation and Eucharist

Please contact Dawn Burdick if you are interested in Confirmation and Eucharist for Children, Youth and Adults.

RCIA/RCIC

Those interested in becoming Catholic or wishing to complete their Christian initiation through the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist are asked to contact Dawn Burdick or fill in the form at cabriniroc.org/becomingcatholic.

Holy Matrimony

Couples must fill in the form at: cabriniroc.org/matrimony or contact the parish office at least six months prior to the celebration. Marriage preparation prerequisites must be fulfilled before the celebration of marriage.

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 29-30, 2022

Holy Orders

To learn more about Holy Orders go to rocpriest.org or talk to one of our priests or deacons.

Confession

On the scheduled times listed above or by appointment. For preparation for First Reconciliation please contact Dawn Burdick.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is available for individuals upon request, and communal celebrations are scheduled sporadically. To request the Sacrament please **call the Pastoral Care number: (585) 210-3024**, this will put you directly in touch with one of our priests. Please **do not call the office.**

Ministry to the Sick

Please **call the Pastoral Care number: (585)210-3024**, concerning the needs of the sick, hospitalized or shut-ins, this will put you directly in touch with one of our priests. Please **do not call the office.** Those unable to attend Mass may have Communion brought to them.

Funerals

To schedule a funeral please contact the parish office.

Reserve and use our space

In order to use any of our spaces for parish ministries, meetings, etc. or for external events, you must reserve it first. To reserve and use our space please fill in the form at: cabriniroc.org/space or call Elvy at the office.

The Voice of the Pastor

Synod on Synodality, Participation, Communion and Mission...(Part 2)

As you know, Pope Francis has invited the universal church to enter a 3 year synod process in preparation for the Synod of Bishops on Synodality. The intent of this process is two-fold: 1) to produce a report with input from as many people as possible to enrich and inform the conversations at the Synod of Bishops as to what concrete measures the universal church and the local churches can take to recover a culture of synodality in the church. This is a culture of listening to God and allowing the Holy Spirit to be the one leading the Church. This culture of listening is accomplished when we are able to listen to each other and learn to journey together avoiding any divisions or a sense of conflict between the hierarchy and the people, but a true collaboration in which all from their different gifts and roles participate to build up the church into true communion and set out on mission not following any given agenda but always simply and humbly being guided by the Spirit.

2) This process, the gatherings and efforts to listen to each other to produce the report and all efforts that can continue to be made into the future are meant to already begin a process of ongoing conversion in our parishes, from a culture of division, ideologies, agendas, etc. to a culture of synodality.

We need to submit our final report at the end of March. They will then put one report together for the whole Diocese and send it to the USCCB, and the USCCB will put one report together for the country and send it to the Vatican.

The Pope has invited us to listen to each other on two fundamental questions:

A synodal Church, in announcing the Gospel, “journeys together.” 1)How is this “journeying together” happening today in your particular Church? 2) What steps does the Spirit invite us to take in order to grow in our “journeying together”?

And to hold conversations around 10 themes. He has also provided us with nine or ten pitfalls to avoid as we have these conversations.

Beginning today and for five consecutive Sundays I will introduce each week two of the themes and two of the pitfalls in my bulletin article each week.

We will have dropboxes in the church marked “synod” as well as guides to hold a conversation and forms to submit your input.

I am asking all the different groups and ministries in the parish to meet on Zoom, over the phone, in person, at your own initiative and convenience and have a conversation around the two fundamental questions and as many of the themes as you like, and then to submit your input using one of the provided forms. We are asking that this input remain anonymous so that people can speak freely. As you will see in the form we do ask for some indication of the demographics so that when the report is put together we can indicate age, and relationship to the church of the person or group offering the input.

I also ask all members of the parish to consider holding these conversations with your families, groups of friends, neighbors, adult children, any one you can think of, members of the church or not, Catholic or not, Pope Francis wants to hear from everyone. Even if you just want to call a friend and have a conversation over the phone and then submit your input that would be great. This might also be a great opportunity to call or meet up for coffee with someone who has been away from the church or has been hurt and give them an opportunity to be heard and to then submit their input. We will be gathering input at the parish until March 6.

Once we gather all the input we will put together a report for the parish which we will share in listening sessions after Masses on the weekends of March 13 and 20. This will give all an opportunity to know what has been said and also to add their own input at that conversation if they so desire.

We will then add the report of those listening sessions to all of our other input and submit the parish report to the Diocese by the end of March.

These conversations will allow us to create and submit the report, and most importantly will get us started thinking about the ten themes and learning to sit and listen to each other, hopefully informing our life as a parish for years going forward and slowly

prompting us to transform the way we are church to be more prompt to listening to each other and journeying together.

This will not only make us a better church and a better parish, it is essential to our witness in a world that has forgottten how to listen to the other, how to build unity and communion in diversity, how to call forward the participation of all and how to find common ground in the common Mission of humanity to build a civilization of love.

I think these efforts can help us all relearn skills that are essential not only to our life as church but also to our life as families, coworkers, citizens, etc. We need to stop, and open ourselves once again to listening to each other so that in listening to each other, to all others, those who are different from us, those on the fringes of the church and of society, we can also open ourselves to listening to the Other, God, the Spirit, the only one in whom we can find true guidance, the only one that can build unity in diversity.

So I invite all to **participate**, have a conversation or more with your ministry, your church friends, your family, your friends that do not go to church or go to a different church, people who are away or have been hurt by the church. Lets respond to Pope Francis’ call generously. Lets take up the invitation to conversion so that we can once again be a church in **communion** and not division, so that we can fulfill our **mission** to heal the world.

The Ten Nuclei (Themes): First 2 themes

1) **THE JOURNEYING COMPANIONS:** In the Church and in society, we are side by side on the same road. The Preparatory Document offers the reflection that Jesus is the protagonist of the Church and its people, who proclaims to the crowd; with those called to be apostles and their successors serving in unity and fidelity. The Synodal process ultimately should reveal more fully who Christ is and how he informs the Church (PD,18 - 19). In your local Church, who are the ones “journeying together”? When we say: “our Church,” who is part of it? Who is asking us to journey together? Who are the road companions, including those “outside” the Church? What persons or groups are left on the margins, expressly or in fact?

2) **LISTENING:** Listening is the first step, but it requires having an open mind and heart, without prejudices. To whom does our particular Church “need to listen to”? How are the Laity, especially young people and women, listened to? How do we integrate the contribution of Consecrated Men and Women? What space is there for the voice of minorities, the discarded, and the excluded? Do we identify prejudices and stereotypes that hinder our listening? How do we listen to the social and cultural context in which we live?

Avoiding Pitfalls

As on any journey, we need to be aware of possible pitfalls that could hamper our progress during this time of synodality. The following are several pitfalls that must be avoided in order to promote the vitality and fruitfulness of the Synodal Process.

1) The temptation of wanting to lead ourselves instead of being led by God. Synodality is not a corporate strategic exercise. Rather it is a spiritual process that is led by the Holy Spirit. We can be tempted to forget that we are pilgrims and servants on the path marked out for us by God. Our humble efforts of organization and coordination are at the service of God who guides us on our way. We are clay in the hands of the divine Potter (Isaiah 64:8).

2) The temptation to focus on ourselves and our immediate concerns. The Synodal Process is an opportunity to open up, to look around us, to see things from other points of view, and to move out in missionary outreach to the peripheries. This requires us to think long-term. This also means broadening our perspectives to the dimensions of the entire Church and asking questions, such as: What is God’s plan for the Church here and now? How can we implement God’s dream for the Church on the local level?

A.M.D.G., Father Daniel

This week in our Parish (Schedule, Mass Intentions and Liturgical Calendar)

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—Green
Readings: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19, 1 Corinthians 12:31—13:13 Luke 4:21-30

Saturday, January 29

9:00 am –2:00 pm **Volunteer Clean Up Day** at **Saint Michael**
10:00—11:30 am **Faith Formation** at **Bay Street**
10:15am – 12:45 pm **Spiritual Exercises** at **Annunciation**
2:30 – 3:30 pm **Confessions and Adoration** at **Annunciation**
4:00 pm **MASS** at **Annunciation** - For **Abe Teugeman** by his wife Carol Teugeman
ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth Only in person

Sunday, January 30

9:00 am **MASS** at **Corpus Christi** — For **Joan Van Hall** by Kathie McClellan and Diamond Auble
ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth Only in person
10:15 am **MASS** at **Annunciation** — For **Dominic Tiano** by Michael Tiano
ENGLISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz Only in person
11:00 am **MASS** at **Corpus Christi** — For **Rodrigo Santos** by the Santos-Rivera family
SPANISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Deacon Salvador Otero Only in person
11:45 am **MASS** at **Saint Michael** — For **Guillermo Delgado** by Diana Delgado
SPANISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz Only in person
2:00 pm **MASS** at **Saint Michael** — For **June Hanlon**
ENGLISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz In person and online
6:30—8:00 pm **Confirmation Class** at Corpus Christi

Monday, January 31 Memorial of Saint John Bosco, Priest and Religious Founder - White	8:00 am Mass at Annunciation – For the intentions of Andrew Joseph on his birthday by grandmother <i>ENGLISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz <u>In person and online</u></i> 8:45 am Rosary at Annunciation	Readings: 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13 Mark 5:1-20
Tuesday, February 1 Tuesday of the 4th Week in Ordinary Time - Green.	8:00 am Mass at Annunciation – No intention was requested for this Mass <i>ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth <u>Only in person</u></i> 8:45 am Rosary at Annunciation 10:45–11:45 am Adoration and Confessions at Saint Michael 12:10 pm Mass at Saint Michael – For María Falcon by Belén Colón <i>SPANISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz <u>In person and online</u></i> 6:30 –7:30 pm Liturgy Committee Meeting at Corpus Christi	Readings 2 Samuel 18:9-10, 14b, 24–25a, 30-19:3 Mark 5:21-43
Wednesday, February 2 Feast of The Presentation of the Lord –White	8:00 am Mass at Annunciation – For Abe Teugeman by his wife Carol Teugeman <i>ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth <u>Only in person</u></i> 8:45 am Rosary at Annunciation 5:30 pm Mass at Corpus Christi – No intention was requested for this Mass <i>ENGLISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz <u>In person and online</u></i> 6:30 pm—7:30 pm Adoration and Confessions at Corpus Christi	Readings: Malachi 3:1-4 Hebrews 2:14-18 Luke 2:22-40
Thursday, February 3 Thursday of the 4th Week in Ordinary Time - Green.	8:00 am Mass at Annunciation – For Grace Nero by her mother Alerina Scalzo and her sister Dora <i>ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth <u>Only in person</u></i> 8:45 am Rosary at Annunciation 6:15 pm Mass at Corpus Christi – No intention was requested for this Mass <i>SPANISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist Father Daniel Ruiz <u>In person and online</u></i> 7:00—8:00 pm Adoration at Corpus Christi	Readings: 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12 Mark 6:7-13
Friday, February 4 Friday of the 4th Week in Ordinary Time - Green.	8:00 am Mass at Annunciation – In Thanksgiving by David Faust <i>ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth <u>Only in person</u></i> 8:45 am Rosary at Annunciation	Readings: Sirach 47:2-11 Mark 6:14-29

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—Green
Readings: Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8. 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11 Luke 5:1-11

Saturday, February 5

10:00—11:30 am **Faith Formation** at **Bay Street**
10:15am – 12:45 pm **Spiritual Exercises** at **Annunciation**
2:30 – 3:30 pm **Adoration and Confessions** at **Annunciation**
4:00 pm **MASS** at **Annunciation** - For **Mrs. Ida Caruso** by her husband Carm Caruso
ENGLISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz In person and online

Sunday, February 6

9:00 am **MASS** at **Corpus Christi** — For **Doris Christa** by her children Cindy, Steve, Nancy and Sue
ENGLISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz In person and online
10:15 am **MASS** at **Annunciation** — No intention was requested for this Mass
ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth Only in person
11:00 am **MASS** at **Corpus Christi** — For **Julia H. Marrero**
SPANISH Presider: Father Daniel Ruiz; Homilist: Father Daniel Ruiz In person and online
12:00 pm **Saint Joseph Table Planning Meeting** at **Corpus Christi**
11:45 am **MASS** at **Saint Michael** — For **Adela Jiménez** by Mercedes, Irma y Belén
SPANISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Deacon Agenol Rodríguez Only in person
2:00 pm **MASS** at **Saint Michael** — No intention was requested for this Mass
ENGLISH Presider: Father Bob Werth; Homilist: Father Bob Werth Only in person
5:00 –8:00 pm Youth Ministry Night at Corpus Christi