

# Corpus Christi Catholic Community

*"Building the Body of Christ"*

May 25, 2014

Sixth Sunday of Easter

## Reflection:

### "Love The Lord, Love Your Neighbor"

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments." It's not uncommon to associate the word "commands" with images of dictatorship. We can tend to think of commandments as obstacles to real freedom, imposed by some angry, powerful tyrant who just wants to be in control. Call them directions, or suggestions, or guidelines if you will, but not commands! It almost feels like an insult. But today, Jesus breaks out of these stereotypes. He casts the



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## CSA 2014 Update - Week 3 Theme: Serve One Another

As of last Tuesday **62** households made pledges during the week totaling \$16,430. We have reached **38.2%** of our parish goal of \$43,000. During the third week of CSA 2014 22 more households pledged an average of \$210. The smallest ten month pledge was \$10 and the largest was \$900.

I am always impressed on how members of our community support the work of the Catholic Services Appeal year after year. It is but one more way to share the mercy and compassion of the Lord with the world. Miriam, our trusty secretary, has printed copies of the **new 2014 Parish Directory** as a gift for those who make pledges. If you have made a pledge in the last few weeks, please stop at the back of church at the CSA table and get your copy. Let us continue to work together to establish the Lord's kingdom of justice and peace. — **Fr. Don**

## Please Join Us!

### Annual Haiti Dinner

Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup>

6:00 - 10:00 pm

in the Rainbow Room

hosted by the

### Social Justice Committee

\$60 in advance - \$65 at the door

Cash Bar, Wine, and Rhum Punch!

RSVP by May 27<sup>th</sup>

via

RSVP card/back of church/parish office  
or email [m.davis52@att.net](mailto:m.davis52@att.net)

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## Corpus Christi Directory

**Rev. Donald Archambault, Pastor**  
313-537-5770

### Parish Office Hours:

Mon - Thu, 9:30 am – 8:00 pm, Fri, 9:30 am – 5:00 pm  
Sat, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm, Sun 9:00 am - 12:00 noon

### Weekend Masses:

Sat 4 pm, Sun 9 am & 11 am

### Daily & Holy Day Masses:

See next column.

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### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Private confessions each Saturday at 3:30 pm. Opportunity for private confessions can be arranged any time by appointment. Communal reconciliation services are held during Advent and Lent.

### Sick Calls and Communion Calls:

Please notify the parish office when there is serious illness in your household. We are always happy to visit the sick in our parish and, whenever possible, to visit hospital and nursing home patients as well. We appreciate being notified so we may keep the sick in prayer and place them on our prayer list.

**Baptisms:** Call the Parish Office for an Infant Baptism Packet.

**Weddings:** Call the Parish Office 6 months before the wedding.

**Bulletin Copy:** Email corpuschristimiriam@comcast.net or submit to parish office by Tuesday prior to publication. **Rev 5-1-2014**

## This Week at Corpus Christi

### Monday, May 26

*St Philip Neri, priest*

9:00 am Mass



### Tuesday, May 27

*St Augustine of Canterbury*

8:30 am Mass

6:00 pm Edinborough - Annchester Block Club

### Wednesday, May 28

8:30 am Mass

### Thursday, May 29

8:30 am Mass

11:00 am Legion of Mary

6:00 pm OPCA Organizing Committee

### Friday, May 30

6:00 pm Haiti Dinner Set Up

### Saturday, May 31

*Visitation of Mary*

10:00 am SVDP Food Pantry

1:00 pm Summer Camp Team

2:00 pm Recovery Group

4:00 pm Mass

5:00 pm Haiti Dinner Prep

6:00 pm Annual Haiti Benefit Dinner

### Sunday, June 1

*Ascension of the Lord*

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL - WK 5

9:00 am Mass

9:00 am CGS II

9:00 am RCIA Class

10:30 am Choir

10:30 am Noah's Ark Nursery

11:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd I

11:00 am Mass/Liturgy of the Word w/ Children

12:30 pm Confirmation Class

1:00 pm Choir

2:00 pm BMO Executive Committee

4:00 pm Better Men Outreach



## Tips for Coping with Arthritis

May is Arthritis Awareness Month. More than 27 million Americans suffer with arthritis, and it's more common than diabetes. Social Security has partnered with the Arthritis Foundation to help older adults learn how to put pain in its place. Make a visit to [www.ncoa.org/improve-health/community-education/may-is-arthritis-awareness.html](http://www.ncoa.org/improve-health/community-education/may-is-arthritis-awareness.html) to review some tips on managing arthritis pain.



## I.I.A.A.Y.L. (It is all about You, Lord)

by Deacon Paul Mueller

### Invitations?

*Graduations. Bachelor parties. Wedding showers. Weddings. Proms. Memorial Day cookouts. Baseball games (kids' games **and** the professionals).* It is the time of year for invitations to all kinds of events. Sometimes we are happy to say "yes" to the invitation and sometimes we just have to say "no."

All through-out this Easter season we hear readings from the Acts of the Apostles each day at Mass. The readings bring a smile to our faces as we hear the successes the early church had in **inviting** new members. The first to be invited were other Jews, but in today's reading we hear of the success of St. Philip in **inviting** the hated Samaritans to join the faith. In those first years of the church the **invitations** spread the faith to Greece and Rome, through modern-day Turkey to the north and south to the Egyptians. Such an amazing growth in those first 30 years of the church!

**Today we are also called to be an inviting people.**

Yes, it's that time to invite the brother or sister, son or daughter, family member, friend or neighbor who is not usually at Mass. **How about inviting them to our Feast Day festivities on June 22<sup>nd</sup>? —Mass at 11:00 followed by a "Taste Fest" in the gym?**

### Each One Bring One

The phrase "Each One Bring One" came up at a recent committee meeting when one member from Nigeria mentioned a parish practice from his homeland. The expectation in his parish was that each person is to try to bring at least one visitor to church sometime over the course of a year. Of course, it is marvelous if we bring MORE than one person. Of course, it is **really** marvelous if that person is so impressed by the Lord working in the parish community that they come back on their own and even become a parish member.

When we invite someone to our parish we can do it with joy since joy reflects our own experience and joy is often a big reason for coming back week after week. We need not worry about having to be a theologian or historian. We are simply sharing our feelings like we do when we are joyfully announcing a new baby or that we have become engaged to be married.

**Invite someone to share those feelings with you and the rest of our parish community.**

— Deacon Mueller

## Reflection:

### "Love The Lord, Love Your Neighbor"

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context of love. He does not insist on any obligation to follow them. Rather, he says that whoever observes his commandments "is the one who loves me."

So just what commandments will we be following if we love the Lord? When Jesus was questioned about this, he said the two greatest commandments are to "love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind," and to "love your neighbor as yourself," (Mt 22:37-39). Even the commands he gives us are rooted in love, not legalism. Of course, when we follow these principles we will naturally keep the traditional Ten Commandments, which give more specific instructions on how to love God and neighbor.

As we know from experience, when we truly love someone, we desire to make them happy. When they are content, we are content. So the more we love Jesus, the more we will want to please him. Thus, following his commandments ultimately makes us happy too. Understood in these terms, the commandments don't stifle us, they satisfy us! God doesn't restrict our freedom; he respects it. Ultimately, it is our choice whether or not we will live the life of love that Jesus offers us.

written by Gina Loehr

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### CAMPS CONNECT SUMMER JOBS

Your best summer job is waiting for you! Camps Connect is an organization that is a true collaboration between St. Vincent de Paul camps and Catholic Youth Organization camps, which are located in the "thumb" area of Eastern Michigan. They serve boys and girls ages 7 - 16 in a nurturing environment along the picturesque shores of Lake Huron.

They have summer jobs at camp for male and female camp counselors, activity specialists, camp health officers, and team leaders. If you're interested in joining the ranks of their exceptional camp staff, everything you need to know is at:

[www.campsconnect.org/work-at-camp.html](http://www.campsconnect.org/work-at-camp.html)





Church of the Home

### ■ Camp Sancta Maria

Are you looking for a fun and faith-filled place you're your children or grandchildren to spend a week or two this summer? Want to give them experiences they will treasure the rest of their lives? Camp Sancta Maria, located in

Gaylord, Michigan, is a Catholic camp that provides fun experiences while immersed in a faith-filled environment. Two-week and one-week sessions for boys and one-week session for girls are available. Activities include daily Mass, horseback riding, swimming, archery, various sports, high and low ropes, crafts, a trip to Mackinac Island, and much more. For more information, check out [www.campsanctamaria.org](http://www.campsanctamaria.org) or call 248-822-8199.

### ■ SAYAIHM Summer Program

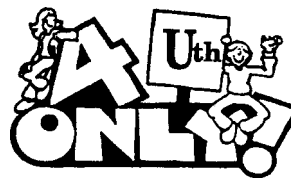
SAYAIHM is a four week summer enrichment program for children and youth ages 6 to 17. The program begins Monday, June 30 and ends Friday, July 25. The program is held Monday - Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (latch-key hours available) on the Mansfield campus of Michigan Technical Academy (near the Corpus Christi Outreach Center). The cost for the entire program is \$200/child; a deposit to secure a spot for your child is due by June 14; final payment is due June 28. Recent physical and current shot records are required. You may register your child on:

Mon, Jun 9	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Wed, Jun 11	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Sat, Jun 14	9:00 am - 12 noon
Thu, Jun 26	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Fri, Jun 27	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Sat, Jun 28	9:00 am - 12 noon

For more information or to request an application, call the Outreach Center at 313-272-0990 or email [sayaihm2003@gmail.com](mailto:sayaihm2003@gmail.com).

### ■ Noah's Ark Nursery

Would you like to actively participate in the Sunday Mass while knowing that your child is in safe and loving hands? Do you worry that your child might be a distraction for others at Sunday Mass? Corpus Christi is here for you! Bring your little one (up to age 3) to Corpus Christi's **Noah's Ark Nursery, located in Room 9 of the school building** (just around the corner from the Rainbow Room). **Boarding begins any time after 10:45 a.m.** Adult caregivers are required to have a background check and attend a Protecting God's Children workshop. Questions? Call Mahalia Arthur-Williams at 313-320-8554.



### Need Service Hours?

Attention Confirmation students and high school students! Earn community service hours at Corpus Christi while supporting your faith community:

- ▶ **Noah's Ark Nursery**
- ▶ **Coffee/Donut Fellowship**

Call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to sign up!

### Volunteer a Week of Your 2014 Summer!

Need service hours for school? Have you always wanted to attend camp? Do you want to relive the camp experience of your childhood? **Camp Connect** is looking for interested volunteers **ages 16 to 17** to volunteer a week of their summer at one of their three camps: CYO Boys Camp, Camp Ozanam, or CYO Girls Camp. Volunteers will be responsible for meal prep, clean up for all three meals, and assistance with evening programs for the campers. All volunteers will be required to participate in the Archdiocese of Detroit "Called To Serve" training. Ten volunteers are needed for each week of camp:

#### CYO Boys Camp

Sun Jul 6 - Sat Jul 12  
Sun Jul 13 - Sat Jul 19  
Sun Jul 20 - Sat Jul 26

#### Camp Ozanam

Mon Jul 7 - Sat July 12  
Mon Jul 14 - Sat Jul 19  
Mon Jul 21 - Sat Jul 26  
Mon Jul 28 - Sat Aug 2  
Sun Aug 3 - Sat Aug 9

#### CYO Girls Camp

Sun Jul 27 - Sat Aug 2  
Sun Aug 3 - Sat Aug 9

Volunteer applications are available at the back of church or you may call the parish office (313-537-5770) to request an application. If you would like to learn more about the camps, call 810-622-8744 or check out the Camp Connect website at [www.campconnect.org](http://www.campconnect.org).

### ■ For Your Marriage.Org

Visit [www.ForYourMarriage.org](http://www.ForYourMarriage.org) for resources on dating/engagement, daily marriage tips, marriage resource center, couple blogs, parenting, family life and more.





## BULLETIN BOARD

**JOB EXPO THU MAY 29:** JobFairGiant.com is sponsoring the Troy Job Expo on Thursday, May 29 at the Met Hotel, 5500 Crooks, Troy; free; mandatory interview clothing, bring resumes.

**HOSPITAL BED AVAILABLE:** A brand new, never used hospitable bed is available at no cost. Call the parish office if you are interested.

**HEARING AID ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE:** The Starkey Hearing Foundation *Hear Now* program provides help for persons needing hearing aids but cannot afford them. Call 800-328-8602 to discuss eligibility with a *Hear Now* representative. Email [hearnow@starkey.com](mailto:hearnow@starkey.com) to request an application for assistance.

**HEARING AID DONATIONS WELCOMED:** repurpose hearing aids you are no longer using by donating them to the Starkey Hearing Foundation's *Hear Now* program. Package them carefully (include your name and address) and mail them to Hear Now Donation, 6700 Washington Ave S, Eden Prairie MN 55344. All donations are tax deductible.

**ATTENTION VETERANS:** The American Legion Post 202 is seeking new members. For more information, contact Fred Sylvester at 248-372-1883.

**LOST AND FOUND:** Two pairs of **eyeglasses** are waiting for their owners, along with a **lady's gold and black sweater**, in the Ushers' room.

**FORECLOSURE HELP IS AVAILABLE.** Call New Hope Community Development Non-Profit Housing Corporation at 313-255-6275 to set up an appointment with a counselor. There is **no cost** for the counseling. New Hope is a MSHDA and HUD approved Housing Counseling Agency.

**SEVEN-NIGHT CATHOLIC CRUISE TO ALASKA** with Father John Harper **August 3rd - 10th 2014** on Holland America Statendam out of Seward, Alaska. Ports of Call include Glacier Bay, Haines, Juneau, and Ketchikan, Alaska, and Vancouver, British Columbia. Prices begin at \$2008 for two passengers (includes all port fees and taxes). Daily Mass offered. Deposits of only \$350 per person will reserve your cabin; **deadline is July 25th**. Space is limited; call 860-399-1785 or email [Doug@CatholicCruisesandTours.com](mailto:Doug@CatholicCruisesandTours.com) to register.

## Time & Talent Opportunities



### ☐ GED Tutor

The St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center, 20900 Grand River (at Burt Road near McNichols) is now accepting volunteers for their **Children's Summer Education Program**, July 8 - August 14, 2014. Sessions meet weekly on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. For more information on how you can help, please call Sr. Marie Judith at 313-535-9200 ext. 3104 or email [srmarie.judith@svsfcenter.org](mailto:srmarie.judith@svsfcenter.org).

### ☐ D-Town Farm Volunteer

The Detroit Black Community Food Security Network needs volunteers to **help with their D-Town Farm**, a seven-acre farm on Detroit's westside. Volunteer tasks include planting crops, watering, weeding, harvesting, composting, lawn maintenance. For more information, call 313-345-3663 or visit [www.detroitblackfoodsecurity.org](http://www.detroitblackfoodsecurity.org).

### ☐ Hospital EMHC

St. John Providence Hospital is seeking willing and qualified **extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion**. If you are interested and need further information, please contact Kathy Zaguroli, Director of Volunteer Services, at 248-367-4258 (pager) or 248-849-8806 (voicemail).

### ☐ Coffee/Donuts Volunteer

Volunteers are needed to help provide Coffee/Donut fellowship after our 11:00 Mass by **serving on a team or serving as a substitute**. Tasks include serving donuts, collecting donations, and clean up. Please call Brenda Tillman at 313-212-2774 to sign up or for more information.

### ☐ Sunday Bus Drivers

Bus drivers are needed to transport parishioners to and from the 11:00 Mass. Must be a registered member of the parish. Background check required. Call the parish office for more information.



"The heart of a volunteer is not measured in size, but by the depth of commitment to make a difference in the lives of others."

De Ann Hollis, March 2006, First Step Newsletter



## COMING EVENTS:

### 5/31 GARDENING TIPS DAY

*The Master's Garden: Gardening in Harmony with Nature*, a day to learn eco-friendly gardening tips and tricks, will take place **Saturday, May 31** from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Manresa Jesuit Retreat House, 1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills. Stroll on the grounds, tour the retreat house, enjoy the speakers. Entertainment by Tola Lewis, a garden marketplace, flower pot raffle and 50-50 raffle. Earn master gardener credits. Tickets are \$35 (includes lunch) and may be ordered online at [www.manresa-sj.org](http://www.manresa-sj.org).

### 6/1 SUNDAY FILM SERIES

*Finding God In The Dark: Viewing Films That Make A Difference* is offered on the first Sunday of each month at Visitation North Spirituality Center, 7227 Lahser Road, Bloomfield Hills. *The Cheaters* (2000) will be the featured film for **Sunday, June 1** from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. Moral hypocrisy and the woes of America's educational system are the focus of this film, which is based on a real-life 1995 cheating scandal at a Chicago high school. Facilitated by Kathie Budesky, IHM. Freewill offering. Register one week in advance. Call 248-433-0950 for more information or visit [www.visitationnorth.org](http://www.visitationnorth.org).

### 6/2-4 HOUR OF POWER REVIVAL

The Archdiocese of Detroit Black Catholic Ministries will hold its annual Hour of Power Revival Series **Monday - Wednesday, June 2 - 4**. Revivalist Fr. John t. Judie of Louisville, Kentucky will preach nightly at 7:00 p.m. This year's theme is "*It's All About Jesus*." Hosting parishes are:

Church of Moses the Black (Monday)  
1125 Oakman Boulevard, Detroit;

St. Augustine/St. Monica (Tuesday)  
4151 Seminole Street, Detroit;

Sacred Heart (Wednesday)  
1000 Eliot Street (near I-75 and Mack)

For more information, call 313-596-7103.

### 6/7 A GATHERING OF ARTISTS

*Creative Juices: A Spirituality of Creating* is a monthly gathering of artists, both professionals and those who simply enjoy creating, who come to express their creativity and inspire and encourage one another. The next gathering will be **Saturday, June 7** at Visitation North Spirituality Center, 7227 Lahser Road, Bloomfield Hills from 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Facilitated by Jean T. Booms, IHM. Free-will offering; register one week in advance at 248-433-0950.

## Retreat Schedule

► *Fri, May 30 - Sun, June 1*

**Christian Meditation: An Awakened Life Retreat**  
**@ St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center**  
**23333 Schoolcraft, Detroit**

This retreat will explore the foundations of Christian meditation and how to use it as a way of untying the knots in the mind which block the inner radiance. Presenter is Fr. Joseph Mitchell, CP. Cost is \$250 per person; non-refundable deposit of \$100 required. You may register online at [www.passionist.org/stpauls](http://www.passionist.org/stpauls). Call 313-286-2802 for more information.

► *Sat, June 7, 10:00 am - 12:00 noon*

**Musing Over Mugs**  
**@ Visitation North Spirituality Center**  
**7227 Lahser Rd, Bloomfield Hills**

Women gather on the first Saturday in a small group and, using readings, reflections and sharing, explore their "ordinary" experiences with the eyes of faith. The booklet *Bridges to Contemplative Living with Thomas Merton* is used. Freewill offering. Facilitated by Monica Stuhldreier, IHM. For questions or to register, call 248-433-0950.

► *Sat, June 14, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm*

**Transition Points: Crossing the Four Healing Bridges of Grief and Change**  
**@ St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center**  
**23333 Schoolcraft, Detroit**

A day away for anyone in transition due to the death of a loved one, the ending of a significant relationship, health challenges, recovery from childhood trauma, career and mid-life changes. This day of contemplation and supportive dialogue will revitalize the body, mind, and spirit. The cost is \$60 and includes continental breakfast and lunch; overnight stay is an additional \$59 (includes an optional program with healing music and ritual from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. on Friday evening). Facilitated by Patrick Davis, MA. You may register by calling 313-286-2802 or online at [www.passionist.org/stpauls](http://www.passionist.org/stpauls).

► *Sun, June 22 - Sun, June 29*

**Silent Guided Retreat**  
**@ Lial Renewal Center**  
**5908 Davis Road, Whitehouse OH**

Cost is \$425; includes private room and all meals. Visit [www.prayer-in-motion.com](http://www.prayer-in-motion.com) for more details.





## Sunday Collection Report

by Gene Snyders

Weekly Budget:	\$ 7,225.00
Sunday Offerings 5/18/2014	\$ 5,767.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year:	\$ .00

## Stewardship Thoughts



In St. Peter's First Letter, he encourages the faithful to stand ready to explain and defend with gentleness and reverence their reasons for hope in Christ. In St. John's Gospel, Jesus proclaims to His disciples that He will give them an Advocate — a Spirit of Truth to strengthen their faith in Him. The Scripture passage from the Acts of the Apostles illustrates the power of the Holy Spirit given to believers in Christ. The Holy Spirit inspires faithful stewards to profess the Truth in defending the Church's teachings against attacks on life, marriage, and other moral challenges presented by our society's tsunami of secularism.

## CSA Minute

### Christian Stewardship

All of our blessings are thanks to our good and gracious God.

To live as a Christian steward is to make a conscious decision to follow Jesus Christ as one of his disciples. Your gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal allow the Department of Development and Stewardship to guide parishes in the Archdiocese of Detroit, and parishioners, on their stewardship journey.

The department's manual for parish Christian stewardship education and formation, "Called by Christ, Gifted by the Spirit," is a valuable resource for pastors and parish leaders interested in introducing and nurturing Christian stewardship in their parish communities.

For information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to [www.AOD.org](http://www.AOD.org).



## Question of the Week

### Sixth Sunday of Easter

Jesus said, "And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever." (John 14:16)

**Adult:** The Spirit gives us inner wisdom and strength. When have you experienced this?

**Child:** The Holy Spirit makes you strong inside. When do you need to be strong?



## Scriptures for the Week

Sunday:	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 14:15-21 or Jn 17:1-11a
Monday:	Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26--16:4a
Tuesday:	Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday:	Acts 17:15, 22--18:1/Jn 16:12-15
Thursday:	Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20
Friday:	Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23
Saturday:	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16 Lk 1:39-56

### Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

## Please Pray For The Deceased

### Genevieve Lamarr (5/13)

grandmother of Kristopher LaMarr

### Msgr. Dennis Harritty (5/15)

Archdiocese of Detroit

### Judith Stec (5/21)

member of the parish

### Victoria Kennedy (5/24)

best friend of Elyse Ryder



**Please Pray For Those In The Military:** Jared Brooks (Marines), Anthony Carson (Army), Anthony Ford (Army), Jonah LaTour, Jon LaTour, John Maurer (Air Force), Robbie Mayes (Marines), Christopher Moniere (National Guard), Jonathan Singleton (Army), Kelly Sionkowski-Jackson (Air Force), Corey Sullivan (Army), Christopher Summers (Army), and Lance Walker II (Army).





**May 26  
thru  
June 1**

Monday	9:00 am	+ For Our Deceased Veterans (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Tuesday	8:30 am	+ Msgr. Dennis Harrity (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Wednesday	8:30 am	+ Judy Stec (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Thursday	8:30 am	+ Victoria Kennedy (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Friday		No Mass or Communion Service
Saturday	4:00 pm	+ Deceased Relatives and Friends (req by Parishioners)
Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 am	For the People of Corpus Christi + Patricia Willemsen (req by Bob and Pat Enderle)

Please call 313-537-5770 to remove a name or add a name to our prayer lists.

### Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

Maureen Beger	Marie Fetzer	Leila McDole	Elyse Ryder	Darlie Bouie	John Tillery
Synia Benjamin	Mary Ann Flanagan	Valerie McDonald	Mary Pat Shelton	Judories Fort	Dolores Wodarski
Frieda Boyd	Renita Fletcher	Beverly Miller	Indira Shelton-Pierce	Wilma Gandy	
Evelyn Brantley	Shelley Forter	Kathy Montgomery	Vivian Spence	Branch Gassoway	<b>Nursing Home</b>
Gwen Bryson	Rosemary Givens	Virginia Moyer	Greg Spight	Margaret Gassoway	<b>/Rehab Center:</b>
Angeline Butler	Martha Harris	Charlene Mulholland	Bernice Slaughter	Ruth Hill	Ann Bluford
Joe Cagle Sr	John Heath	Nestor Munis	Anita Stephens	Ronald Hills	Beverly B-Johnson
Walter Carson	Terrie Henderson	Shirley Oldenburg	Colletta Sykes	Ernestine Jackson	Shirley Frazier
Aggie Conti	Al Hogrebe	Samuel Omabele	Fred Sylvester	Marie Leonard	Lottie Gorzelewski
Veronica Conway	Mary C. Hustoles	Jerry O'Neill	Adele Waddell	Lee Ogilvie	Dorothea Lisinski
Jefferie Cook Sr.	Warren Jaynes	Dorothy Osip	Norris Walker	James O'Neil	Evangeline Pruett
Sheri Dargin	Hilda Jeffries	John Onwudinjo	Catherine Williams	Ruth Pitts	
Kevin DeMatas	Roswitha Jordan	Deborah Parent	Kathy Wilson	Hulda Reed	
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Tony Baines	Barbara Dorais	Mary Alice Kenny	Kimberly Newberry	Helen Schroeder	Marie Webster
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## The Madonna Plan



During the month of May, the Corpus Christi Women's Society invites you to donate \$1 to the **Madonna Plan** in honor of every woman in your family and extended family. The **Madonna Plan** is one of four funds supported by a partnership between Catholic Relief Service and the National Council of Catholic Women.

The National Council of Catholic Women (NCCW) is a member-based organization whose activities are centered on the principle that all people, regardless of nationality or background, are entitled to be treated with respect and to have access to the key elements of a just and humane life — sufficient food, clean water, shelter, the opportunity to earn a living, education and health care.

The **Madonna Plan** funds projects that empower women around the world by improving the well-being of mothers and expectant mothers in the areas of health, education, and financial security. Special envelopes are available at the back of church. Please take one, list the names of the women you wish to honor, enclose your donation, and return your envelope to the **Madonna Plan** basket at the back of church.

## CALLING ALL CORPUS CHRISTI GRADS!



We want to recognize all parish members who are graduating from high school, college, or a professional program (this includes our December 2013 grads, too!). Please call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to let us know you've graduated or are graduating so that we can send you an invitation our Graduates' Recognition in June.



**Pray The Rosary**  
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FOR YOUR

# Formation

## The Spirit of Easter

When you send forth your spirit, they are created;  
and you renew the face of the earth.  
(Psalm 104:30, NRSV)

- *Do I give thanks to the Spirit for my creation? For my very breath?*

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

(John 20:21-22, NRSV)

- *How have I known the Spirit as the very breath of the Risen Christ in me?*

I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him.

(Ephesians 1:17, NRSV)

- *How often do I pray to receive the Spirit's wisdom to guide me?*

Come, Holy Spirit, come!

And from your celestial home

Shed a ray of light divine!

(Pentecost Sequence)

- *Do I pray to the Holy Spirit, as I do to Christ or God the Father?*

## CSI: Catholic Scene Investigation

Read through the Eucharistic Prayers (the prayers the priest says over the bread and cup) from your hymnal or worship aid. How many references to the Holy Spirit do you find? Make special note of the *epiclesis*, when the priest prays for the Spirit to come upon the gifts before they are consecrated.

## Quick Quiz

Which of the following are scriptural symbols used for the Holy Spirit?

- Wind
- Water
- Fire
- Dove

(Answer: a, c, d.  
Though the Spirit moves on the waters at the beginning of Genesis and is present in the waters of our Baptism, water itself is not used as a symbol for the Holy Spirit.)



**Weekend Ministries Schedule:** May 31 / June 1, 2014 — Ascension of the Lord

	LECTORS	EMES	SERVERS	GREETERS	USHERS	LIT. OF WORD W/ CHILDREN	LIT. ASST.
Sat 4 PM	Valerie McDonald Katina Smith	Holly Patterson Renee Walker	Egerton Abulu Jr Stanley Abulu	Elaine O'Neill	Team A		Eric McDonald
Sun 9 AM	Sheila Finch Wenonah Handschu	Amelia Brown Aaron Brown	Robert Jones Elizabeth Newman	Ernie Buckner	Team B		Michael Thoms
Sun 11 AM	Christeena Livingston-Long Ketura Webb	Team 4 - Clay Pennington	Jon Rimbart JaVionne Smith Brooke Holts Hannah Holts	Gloria James Cherry Smith	Team C	Miriam Hudson Tanya Robinson Lola Liggons	Kim Procter
PLANT & ALTAR CARE		Michelle Cagle, Joe Cagle, Lolita Davis					
CATECHISTS		Catechesis of Good Shepherd I: TBD Catechesis of Good Shepherd II: Sr Frances Gerhard RCIA-Theology: TBDRCIA-Dismissal: <i>No dismissal</i>					
SUNDAY BUS DRIVER		Larry Giebel	SUNDAY NURSERY			Tanisha Bronaugh Elizabeth Thomas	
COFFEE/DONUT FELLOWSHIP		9:00 Knights of SPC — Nestor Munis		11:00 Team 6 — Golda Amizaa and Linda Sadiq, David, Rebecca, and Hollis Spencer, Ketura Webb			



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*What is a dispensation? My fiancé and I need to get one for our wedding.*

A

Canon law is the body of laws that govern the church: its structure, rights, and responsibilities of each member, and all its work, including the sacraments. Canon 85 defines a dispensation as “the relaxation of a merely ecclesiastical law in a particular case.” In other words, if the law is something that the church created, the church can also dispense from the obligation to observe that law. For example, church law states that the marriage must be witnessed by a priest or deacon and two witnesses. But if the marriage is taking place in the church of the non-Catholic, a dispensation must be granted if the marriage is to be valid.

Dispensations allow the church to apply the benefit of the law to each person in different circumstances. During your preparation for marriage, you will be told if you need a dispensation. However, the priest or deacon assisting you will fill out the paperwork and forward it to the chancery office so that the dispensation will be granted by the bishop. This is another reason why many dioceses require at least six months notice of your intention to marry. It allows for the personal as well as legal preparations necessary for your reception of the sacrament of matrimony.

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