

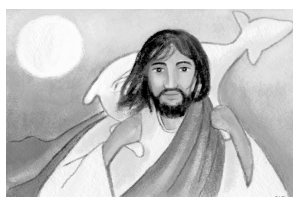
Corpus Christi Catholic Community

Building the Body of Christ

May 7, 2017

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Sunday Reflection

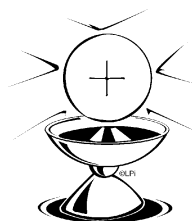


***We Must
Trust Him
To Lead***

*"Whoever enters through me will be saved,
and will come in and go out
and find pasture."*

Jesus uses the image of a gate today to help us understand how we are to relate to him. He is our path to "*pasture*," in other words, to the peace and prosperity that we long for. He shows us the way to find all that we need right there before us.

Some people, however, may think that it's better to avoid the trouble of finding the gate and thus choose to enter another way instead. But Jesus says, "*Whoever does not enter a sheepfold through the gate but climbs over elsewhere is a thief and a robber.*" Although this is all cast in the gentle terms of an analogy about sheep, the message is actually rather stern. Jesus is telling us that if we don't follow him, we are taking the wrong course of action. He is not suggesting a kind of relativistic principle that says, "Following me is one of many good options." No. He is telling us that in order to "*have life and have it more abundantly*," we must follow the path that goes by *(continued on page 3)*



Congratulations
to the children who
celebrated their
First Communion
last weekend!

April 29, 2017

**Nia Chapman
Britney Onyegbule**

April 30, 2017

**Mariah Berry
Anthony Bronaugh II
Chisom Dike
Jalen Howard
Chibuzor Ilechie
Chukwudi Nwosu
Chidubem Okwu
Ekene Uzosike
Sebastian Wax**

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Corpus Christi Directory

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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 or 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 happy to make home visits and 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 at least 6 months before wedding.

Bulletin Copy: Drop off copy at parish office or email your copy to corpuschristimiriam@comcast.net.

This Week at Corpus Christi

Monday, May 8

8:30 am Mass
5:00 pm NWDYC Board
7:00 pm Bible Study

Tuesday, May 9

8:30 am Mass
6:30 pm Hospitality Committee

Wednesday, May 10

Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest

8:30 am Mass
10:00 am Pastoral Team
4:00 pm OPCA Area Business Committee
6:00 pm Evangelization Committee
6:00 pm OPCA Block Captains

Thursday, May 11

8:30 am Mass
6:00 pm OPCA Board

Friday, May 12

Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs

Saint Pancras, Martyr

Saturday, May 13

Our Lady of Fatima

9 am - 3 pm Confirmation Retreat @ Mercy Center
10:00 am SVDP Food Pantry
2:00 pm Recovery Group
3 - 5 pm SVDP BUNDLE DAY
4:00 pm Mass

Sunday, May 14

Fifth Sunday of Easter

MOTHER'S DAY BLESSING

8 am - 1 pm SVDP BUNDLE DAY
9:00 am Mass
9:00 am RCIA Class
9:00 am Catechesis of Good Shepherd II & III
10:30 am Choir Practice
10:30 am Knights of Peter Claver
10:45 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 AFRICAN WOMEN'S MOTHER'S DAY RECEPTION
12:30 pm Social Justice Committee
1:00 pm Choir Practice
4:00 pm Better Men Outreach

Just Try Jesus!



The View From The Pew

by Mary Davis, Pastoral Minister

U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) Programs In Danger

The following are excerpts from an article by Michael Sean Winters, a National Catholic Reporter columnist and a visiting fellow at the Catholic University of America's Institute for Policy Research and Catholic Studies.

"A leaked State Department document suggests that U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) programs would be curtailed and essentially folded into programs run by the State Department. Politifact and others have shown that the American people generally think that the U.S. government spends as much as a quarter or a third of all federal spending on foreign aid. They think it should be about 5 percent or maybe 10. The U.S. government actually spends less than 1 percent on non-military foreign aid. Development aid has traditionally enjoyed widespread bipartisan support, but likely, not any more. The proposed cuts would hit Catholic Relief Services and the people it serves especially hard."

"Joan Rosenhauer, executive vice president at CRS (Catholic Relief Services), which receives about 60 percent of its budget from USAID, said "What they don't see is the huge difference it makes for individuals, communities, countries and the world. Nearly 1 billion people have been taken out of extreme poverty in the past 20 years, in part because of foreign assistance programs."

Copies of the entire article are available at the back of church and on our website (go to www.corpuschristi-detroit.org, click on organizations, then click on "Social Justice Committee).

Please contact our Senators, Gary Peters and Debbie Stabenow. Find their contact info at www.senate.gov. Contact information for your representative in Congress can be found at www.house.gov. Please ask them to support continuing funding — at least at the current levels — for the programs supported by the US Agency for International Development.

— Mary

Sunday Reflection (continued from page 1)

way of Christ.

This isn't always the easiest path to follow. It might mean taking the long way around a situation instead of a shortcut. It might mean waiting a little while to get to that pasture instead of hopping the fence and finding it on our own terms. Insisting on using the gate may also make us look like fools to those around us. But to be truly faithful followers of Jesus, we need to trust that his way is the best way. We need to trust that, by letting him lead, we will ultimately end up in the best possible pasture.

In our culture, it is becoming less and less popular to believe in one true religion, but as Christians we know that Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life.

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Young Adults

SUMMER CAMP EMPLOYMENT

Camps Connect, a collaborative between St. Vincent de Paul Camps and Catholic Youth Organization Camps, is hiring camp counselors and activity staff for their camps located near Carsonville, Michigan on the beautiful shores of Lake Huron. All positions are paid, with room and board provided. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age. Positions begin June 19. Make a difference in a child's life, and in your own. Visit www.campsconnect.org or call 810-622-8744.

YOUNG MARRIEDS DINNER

Friday, May 19, 6:30 - 9:00 pm

"Love Never Fails"

@ St. John Neumann Parish

44800 Warren Road, Canton

Cost is \$50/couple and includes speakers, dinner, dessert, live music/dancing entertainment, and an open bar. Register at:

<https://youngmarriedsmay19.eventbrite.com>



Church of the Home

■ Infertility Support Group

Our Lady of Consolation Infertility and Miscarriage Support Group meets on **the second Monday of each month** in the small social hall at St. Fabian Catholic Church, 32200 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. The gathering offers prayer, reflections, sharing (to the extent that the individual is comfortable), and fellowship with other Catholics carry the crosses of infertility and miscarriage. Please visit <http://olc-infertility.weebly.com/> or email olc.infertility@gmail.com for more information.

■ Nature Tots At Belle Isle

Toddlers are invited to enjoy stories, crafts, and activities as they use their senses to explore nature on **May 19 and 20, 2017, 10 am and 11 am**, at the Belle Isle Nature Center. RSVP to binz@dzs.org. The Nature Center is open daily from 10 am to 5 pm. For more information call 313-852-4056.

■ Detroit P & R Summer Camps

The Detroit Parks & Recreation Department is now accepting registrations for its 2017 summer camps at its eight recreation centers. Day camps will run from **June 26 thru August 18 from 8 am to 5 pm Monday thru Friday**. Children ages 6 to 12 will enjoy a summer filled with arts & crafts, outdoor adventure, fitness activities, and field trips. Three centers are offering an Early Exposure program for 3 to 5 year old children. The cost for the 8-week program is \$425 (\$475 for non-Detroit residents). For more information on registration, discounts, or payment plans, call 313-224-1100. Deadline for registration is June 10, 2017.

■ Everyday Stewardship

In the past year, my wireless provider introduced something called HD Voice. Suddenly, the voice I heard on my phone was unbelievably clear and it felt at times like both the caller and I were in the same room. The best aspect of this feature is that it didn't cost the customer any additional fees and it didn't require any changes to the phone. I could say it was free, but I suspect I was already paying for it in my monthly bill anyway. At least it felt free.

The clearer the voice calling you, the easier it is to recognize who it is on the other end of the call. How clearly can you hear the voice of Jesus Christ? In John's Gospel, Jesus speaks of the gatekeeper who opens the gate and calls for his sheep. They respond because they know his voice. *(continued on page 7)*



Detroit Free Press Journalism Apprenticeship

Applications are now being accepted for the Detroit Free Press Journalism Apprenticeship Program, which gives high school students the opportunity to develop journalism skills while working alongside news professionals. Ten students will be selected for this six week program, which begins Monday, June 26th and ends Wednesday, August 2nd. Apprentices work 20 hours per week and will earn \$10/hour. Students with a GPA of 3.0 or better will be given preference; students with lower GPAs and strong writing skills or letters of recommendation will be considered.

To apply, complete the application form found at <https://mipamsu.submittable.com/submit/7ce0516f-8969-4059-8e71-393d33137d44/detroit-free-press-summer-apprentice-application>. Applications must be received by 11:59 pm on Friday, May 12, 2017.

Detroit Promise

The Detroit Promise, administered by the Detroit Regional Chamber, ensures that any Detroit-resident student graduating in the spring of 2017 from a high school in the city of Detroit will have a tuition-free path to an associate degree or technical certificate at any one of five participating community colleges. Students must successfully complete and submit the FAFSA by June 30, 2017, and register for the Detroit Promise by June 30, 2017. For more information, go to <http://www.detroitchamber.com>, click on the "Economic Development" tab at the top of the page, then select "Detroit Promise" from the drop-down list. Four-year funding is also available.

Corpus Christi Needs You!!!

Attention Confirmation students and/or high school students! We have opportunities for you to live out your "full membership in the church" and earn community service hours:

Noah's Ark Nursery *
Coffee/Donut Team Member *
CGS I Catechist Assistant *
EME (Minister of the Eucharist)
Altar Server - Usher - Greeter

Call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to sign up. We are especially in need of your help with the *'d ministries. Call 313-537-5770 to sign up.



BULLETIN BOARD

CEMETERY PLOTS FOR SALE at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery; shaded Section 10 Tier 511, Lots 3 and 9. Must sell both for \$4250 or best offer. Fees included. Call Gary at 269-683-6674 or email beauchgr1@yahoo.com.

IDENTITY THEFT: The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) recommends that consumers who are affected by identity theft file a report at www.IdentityTheft.gov — a one-stop resource to help you report and recover from identity theft. Information provided there includes checklists, sample letters, and links to other resources. Learn about identity theft by reviewing the FTC's blog post at <http://www.consumer.ftc.gov/blog/most-id-theft-victims-don't-need-police-report> and get tips on preventing and responding to identity theft at <https://www.us-cert.gov/ncas/tips/ST05-019>.

HOUSE CLEANING BY NAOMI: Experienced and diligent; excellent cook; \$10/hour, minimum 4 hours; \$5/day for cooking. References gladly provided. Call 313-784-3086.

HOME TO RENT NEEDED: A parishioner is looking for a home to rent in southern Oakland County. Needs three bedrooms, two baths, and basement. Home must be pet-friendly. Call Joy at 313-399-3044.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT: Camps Connect is hiring camp counselors and activity staff for the St. Vincent de Paul and Catholic Youth Organization Camps. Must be 18 years old. Call 810-622-8744 or visit www.campsconnect.org.

HOSPITAL BED NEEDED: A parish member is in need of a hospital bed asap. If you can help, please call Althea at 313-587-2874.

NOTARY PUBLIC AVAILABLE: Parish member; call 313-850-6219 (cell) or 313-635-2878 (residence). No calls after 8 pm please.

FREE ADULT TUTORING: Siena Literacy Center provides one on one tutoring to adults in reading, math, and ESL. Call 313-532-8404 or visit www.sienaliteracy.org for details.

HANDYMAN AVAILABLE

Parish member. Reasonable prices. References available on request. Call David at 313-400-5523.

Time & Talent Opportunities



☐ Coffee/Donuts Volunteer

Volunteers are needed to help with the Coffee/Donut Fundraiser after our 11:00 Mass by **serving on one of our teams or serving as a substitute.** Tasks include serving donuts, collecting funds, and clean up. Please call 313-537-5770 to sign up or for more information.

☐ Nursery Caregiver

Adult caregivers are needed to **provide a loving, safe environment for infants and toddlers** while their parents are at the 11:00 Mass on Sundays. The nursery is located in Classroom 8 of the school building. Commitment is currently 1 ½ hours every 6 weeks. Caregivers are also needed on an on-call basis for other parish events (Infant baptism classes, young married couple events, etc.) Caregiver must be a registered member of the parish. A background check is required. Please call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to volunteer.

☐ Homebound EME

Volunteers are needed to **bring Holy Communion to one or more homebound members** of our parish? Call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to let us know of your interest or fill out one of the special cards available at the back of church. For more information or questions, contact Paul Mueller or Paul Moore, EME Ministry to the Homebound Coordinators.

☐ Henry Ford HS Tutor

O'Hair Park Community Association is asking the community to support Henry Ford High School by volunteering to help the high school's seniors graduate in June. Tutors are needed to **help students complete classroom assignments on computers to fulfill credit requirements.** Tutoring days are Tue - Thu from 3:45 - 5:45 pm and Sat from 9 am - 12 noon. Volunteers are asked to give 1 day per week during April and May until the students have fulfilled their credit recovery. If you can assist, please call the OPCA hotline at 313-538-5835 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."

COMING EVENTS:

May 12 Grief Support

Remembering Our Mothers will be held **Friday, May 12** from 1:30 to 2:30 pm in Suite 102 of the Hospice of Michigan Office, 43097 Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. To register, call Claudia Been at 248-334-1323. All are welcome.

May 12-13 School of Evangelization

The Companions of the Cross invite you to learn how to evangelize on **Friday and Saturday, May 12 and 13** at Sacred Heart Major Seminary. Cost is \$30 for the two-day workshop and includes snacks, meals, and materials. Register online at www.companionscross.org.

May 13 Discernment Workshop

Pope Francis has emphasized the importance of following one's conscience and the discernment of spirits. What is discernment? How do you do it? *Developing A Discerning Heart*, a workshop taking a practical approach to the practice based on the classical rules developed by St. Ignatius of Loyola, will be held **Saturday, May 13 from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm** at Visitation North Spirituality Center, 7227 Lahser Road, Bloomfield Hills. The morning will include presentations as well as case studies and discussion. Suggested offering is \$25. Register at www.visitation.north.org or call 248-433-0950.

May 13-14 Events @ Belle Isle Park

A free golf lesson is offered **Saturday, May 13 from 10 am to 6 pm** at the Belle Isle Golf Center; each one-hour class is limited to 20 participants; all equipment provided; call 313-926-6008 for more information.

"*More Bob-lo Memories*," part of the Belle Isle spring film series, will be shown **May 13 and 14, from 2 to 3 pm** at the Dossin Great Lakes Museum. Call 313-833-5538 for details.

May 15 Christian Yoga

Come to Manresa Retreat House on **Monday, May 15 from 5:30 to 6:45 pm** for this healthy, healing practice in an atmosphere of prayer, sacred music, and scripture. Cost is \$12; payment may be made by cash or check made out to Manresa on the day of the class. Class is held in the Wernert Lounge. Bring your exercise mat, woven blanket (if desired), yoga block, and a strap or resistance band. Questions? - call 248-644-4933.

Retreat Schedule

► *Mon, May 8, 9:30 am - 11:30 am*

Women-to-Women

@ **Manresa Jesuit Retreat House**
1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

The group meets in the Manresa library for coffee and socializing, and then gathers for *lectio divina* (reading, reflecting, and praying with Scripture). Come away refreshed, renewed, heard, affirmed, supported, and spiritually nourished. No registration is necessary. Facilitated by Anne Smith. Donations to Manresa are gratefully accepted.

► *Wed, May 10, 1:00 - 2:30 pm*

Women Of Faith

@ **Capuchin Retreat**
62460 Mt Vernon, Washington

The gathering begins with coffee and fellowship, followed by prayer and faith sharing. Facilitated by Betty Navarre, spiritual director. There is no cost, but donations to Capuchin Retreat are graciously accepted. Call 248-651-4826 for more information.

► *Fri, May 12 - Sun, May 14*

Mother's Day Retreat Weekend

@ **Manresa Jesuit Retreat House**
1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

Seeds Of Hope Spring Forth! is the theme of this retreat directed by Sr. Linda Sevcik, SM. Arrive after 5 pm on Friday; retreat begins with dinner at 7 pm and ends by 12 noon on Sunday. For more information or to register visit www.manresa-sj.org or call 248-644-4933 ext. 10.

► *Fri, May 19 - Sun, May 21*

Corpus Christi Women's Retreat

@ **Capuchin Retreat Center**
62460 Mt Vernon, Washington MI

Join Corpus Christi women for a wonderful opportunity to renew your peace of mind and bring yourself to prayer. A stroll along one of the many walk paths on 95 acres of gentle meadows and quiet woodlands will invite you to breath deeply in the midst of God's beauty as deer, birds, and other small creatures give witness to God's continual presence. This year's retreat theme is *I Call You My Friends*. A \$50 deposit reserves your private room and bath. Plan to arrive at 6:30 pm for registration; retreat begins with an orientation at 7:30 pm. Space is still available — call Miriam at 313-537-5770 to sign up.



Stewardship UPDATE



Collection Report

Weekly Budget	\$ 7,803.00
Sunday Offerings 4-30-2017	\$ 9,005.03
CRS Rice Bowl 4-30-2017	\$ 316.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 0.00

Everyday Stewardship

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They respond because they know his voice. Others try to lure the sheep when the gatekeeper is not there, but the sheep find their voices unclear or unfamiliar.

Jesus is our gatekeeper, but unlike receiving something for free from a wireless company, to be able to hear his voice we need to pay attention and practice listening. **By developing a stewardship way of life that is mindful and prayerful, we become attuned to his voice and are able to discern when the call is from our Lord and when it is from an imposter.** It is great to talk about all the things we can do and all the gifts we can share, but if are not listening for his call to hear where our offerings are needed, we can end up like a lost sheep searching for the gatekeeper.

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To whom much is given,
much is expected.

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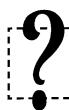
Scriptures for the Week

Readings for the Week of May 7, 2017

Sunday:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-6 1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10
Monday:	Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4 Jn 10:11-18
Tuesday:	Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-7/Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday:	Acts 12:24--13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8 Jn 12:44-50
Thursday:	Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27 Jn 13:16-20
Friday:	Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-11ab/Jn 14:1-6
Saturday:	Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1-4/Jn 14:7-14

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/1 Pt 2:4-9
Jn 14:1-12



Questions of the Week

John 10:1-10

Jesus speaks of himself metaphorically: "I am the gate for the sheep." What does this image imply to you?

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

At the end of Peter's Pentecost speech, we hear "three thousand persons" were baptized. What do you think the people found so compelling in Peter's words?

1 Peter 2:20b-25

How does Peter connect our suffering to the suffering of Christ?

Please Pray For The Deceased

Joseph Nosal

former priest of Archdiocese of Detroit



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), and Lance Walker II (Army).



**May 8
thru
May 14**

Monday	8:30 am	+ Fr. Edward Scheuerman (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Tuesday	8:30 am	+ Dahlia Brooks (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Wednesday	8:30 am	+ John N. Thorne (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Thursday	8:30 pm	+ Richard Eans (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Friday		<i>No Mass or Communion Service</i>
Saturday	4:30 pm	+ Ann El-Hajj (req by Dick Sawicki and Marilyn Sawicki)
Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 am	+ Mabel Nelson (req by Shirley Drayton) + Grace Lindsay (req by Anne Badarak)

Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

Synia Benjamin
Doris Billion
Paul Billion
Marcelle Blackmon
Alelia Busby
Angeline Butler
Joe Cagle, Sr
Aggie Conti
Sheri Dargin
Kevin DeMatas
Renita Fletcher
Shelley Forter
Rosemary Givens
Beryl Harriott
Terrie Henderson
Irma Horton
Mary C. Hustoles

Edward Hustoles
Gloria James
Warren Jaynes
Roswitha Jordan
Sandy Kalman
Myrna Leonard
Jim Lorenger
Valerie McDonald
Beverly Miller
Virginia Moyer
Shirley Oldenburg
Elaine O'Neill
Jerry O'Neill
Matthew Onwudinjo
Sharon Ortman
Sue Padalino
Helen Parkman

Christopher Phanord
Vernard Plain
Phyllis Pruett
Joy Robinson
Indira Shelton-Pierce
Bernice Slaughter
Anita Stephens
Donna Storie
Colletta Sykes
Charlotte Turner
John Wilson
Kathy Wilson
Maureen Zink

Homebound:
Jackie Bodenhorn
Darlie Bouie
Frieda Boyd
Evelyn Brantley
Beverley B-Johnson
Judories Fort
Branch Gassoway
Margaret Gassoway
Ed Hill Jr
Martha Harris
Ruth Hill
Ronald Hills
Al Hogrebe
Marie Leonard
Margaret Nielsen
John Onwudinjo

Jessie Pickett
Evangeline Pruett
Hulda Reed
Isiah Searls
Joseph Shelton
Mary Pat Shelton
Brendia Thomas
John Tillery



**Please
call the
parish
office
(313)
537-5770
to add or
remove
a name
from our
prayer
lists.**

Please Pray For Our Relatives and Friends:



Susan Absher
Kelley Adams
Duncan Alfes
Barbara Atalla
Tony Baines
Denise Barlage
Sue Bates
Edward Bejesky
Katy Bessey
Christopher Biddle
Kenneth Black
Angela Blakely
Avera Blount
Rachell Boykins
Bill Brazier
Shaun Bronson
Linda Brown
Ron Brown
Shawn Brunnos
Auby Bryson
Barbara Bryson
Eric Burch
Henry Burch II

Dameon Chandler
Eric Chandler
Audrey Cieslak
Scott Clinton
Perry Conway
Vivian Cook
Joann Coules
Ronald Crane
Aloysius Craig
David Dare
Geraldine Dawson
Woodrow Dawson
Brenda Debose
Natacha Desir
Joanne Dorais
Carol Duscio
Lloyd Earl
Germain Ederhart
Clida Ellison
Michael Emmerling
Ethan
Virginia Etherly
Clara Fletcher
Ronald Fletcher
Barbara Ford
Phillip Faucher
Jerry Franks
Nestelyn Gay
Fernandez Gift
Sherman Gilmore

Elwood Gneckow
Shawn Gore
Bob Grant
Marlene Grant
Lillian Gray-Amstutz
Morty Green
Sandy Klepeck Green
Audrey Gulley
Cora Harper
Joseph Harper
Millie Harris
Antoinette Henry
Summer Henry
Renee Hogrebe
Jane Houck
Tom Hustoles
Robert Jarey
Fred Johnson
Dorie Kaiser
Bill Kelley
Mary Alice Kenny
Shirley Kenney
Kristen Kingzett
Ed Kmett
Erin Knight
Katie Lutz Kissell
Fred Kolp
Marta Lagos
Dianne Lettberman
Phyllis Little

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CAST YOUR VOTE!

The O'Hair Park Community Association is asking all of its members, friends, and friends of friends and family to **help O'Hair Park Community Organization win a grant of either \$50,000 or \$100,000 to add shelters to the 80-acre O'Hair Park in the community.** All they need to win is to have enough people vote during the next month — adding to the redevelopment of our neighborhood park in the city. Please vote for O'Hair Park Community Association's "A Community Thrives" idea **EVERY DAY UNTIL MAY 12TH.** To vote for O'Hair Park Community Association, go to:

<http://act.usatoday.com/submit-an-idea/#/gallery/60434097>

Scroll through the videos for:
IMAGINE: EMPTY SPACE TO
NEIGHBORHOOD DESTINATION



MEADOW MAZE DESIGN CONTEST

Design a maze for the wildflower prairie in the It Takes A Village Garden at Votrobeck Playground and win \$100! Design contest forms are available at the back of church or the parish office. Completed designs may be mailed to or dropped off at the Renaissance Village office at 19311 Votrobeck Drive, Detroit MI 48219.

The deadline for submissions is May 19th. For more information, call 313-255-5548 or email ittakesavillagegarden@gmail.com.

Calling All Corpus Christi Grads!

All parish members who are graduating from high school, college, or a professional program (this includes our December 2016 grads, too!) will be recognized for their accomplishment on Sunday, June 11. Please call the parish office by Wednesday, June 7 to let us know you've graduated or are graduating.



*Please join the
Corpus Christi Women's Society
for Afternoon Tea
on Sunday, May 21, 2017*

**An afternoon of fun, food, and fellowship
from 12:30 to 2:30 pm in the school gym
featuring select vendors, a raffle,
and the "Women of Spirit" Recognition awards.**



Host a table (\$40/table seating 8) or attend the tea at \$5/person and enjoy tea and light refreshments.

**Proceeds will benefit
Coalition On Temporary Shelter (COTS).**

Table hosts may decorate their tables and bring additional treats and food. There will be prizes for the best design!

Dress to impress! Wear your hat! Bring a loved one!

Call Diane Smith at 313-533-3980 to RSVP and/or reserve your table.

World Day of Prayer for Vocations



In his message for this 54th World Day of Prayer for Vocations for Sunday, May 7th (also known as Good Shepherd Sunday),

Pope Francis says:

"Dear brothers and sisters, today too, we can regain fervor in preaching the Gospel and we can encourage young people in particular to take up the path of Christian discipleship. Despite a widespread sense that the faith is listless or reduced to mere "duties to discharge," our young people desire to discover the perennial attraction of Jesus, to be challenged by his words and actions, and to cherish the ideal that he holds out of a life that is fully human, happy to spend itself in love."

Please "pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2) — pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes.

Prayer of the Month



LED by the SPIRIT for MISSION

God our Father,
we thank you
for calling men and
women to serve in
your Son's Kingdom
as priests, deacons,
religious, and consecrated persons.

Send your Holy Spirit to help us respond
generously and courageously to your call.

May our community of faith support
vocations of sacrificial love in our youth.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy
Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Mary, Mother of Vocations, pray for us.

St. Anne, pray for us.

St. John Vianney, pray for us.

"THANK YOU" Volunteers. . .

. . . it truly does take a village to ensure the success of a parish event like our

Communal Meal on Holy Thursday.

Near as I can figure, about 175 of our parish family shared in a beautiful meal and prayer

as an introduction to the Mass of the Lord's Supper which followed in the church.



First of all let me thank Steve and Carol Lawrence, my co-conspirators in lamb preparation, wine, and miscellaneous items shoppers; Lynette and John Mueller and sons for preparing the "Darlie Bouie" potatoes; Troy and Doris Anderson for preparing the beautiful tags for the carafes and providing bread and grapes for the centerpiece table; Gilda Ford and Carol Lawrence for flowers and creating a beautiful centerpiece table; Vicki Figueroa for her "commentator" skills; Gilda and Roy Ford, Sr. Ellen Schmitz, and Rita Pridgen for their extraordinary dishwashing skills; Verna Kelser for organizing the Greeters to serve desserts; Curtis Simpson, Jr. for organizing the clean-up of the gym; Donna Graham, who shopped for the other items needed for the meal, and Ronnie's Meats at Eastern Market for giving us a very good price on the lamb.

Helpers who set up the gym the night before included Troy and Doris Anderson, Jeff Smale, Gilda and Roy Ford, Michael James, Curtis Simpson Jr, Curtis Simpson III, Sr. Ellen Schmitz, Rita Pridgen, Barbara Robinson, Michael Livingston, and Jim Young. Volunteers for the meal set up, serving, and clean up included Steve and Carol Lawrence, Sr. Ellen Schmitz, Curtis Simpson Jr., Curtis Simpson III, Michael Livingston, Gilda and Roy Ford, Rita Pridgen, Jeff Smale, Verna Kelser, Valerie Berry, Rosemary Burke, Eric Strand, Christeena Livingston-Long, Wanda Bradley, Mishawn Earl, Troy and Doris Anderson, Michael Sands, Marilyn Lewandowski, Jim Young, Cherry Smith, Sr. Mary Lou, Barbara Robinson, and Deondre Green. Please forgive me if I left anyone out! Thanks also to all who brought sides and desserts.

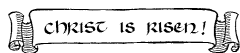
Please save the date — we will celebrate our **Parish Feast Day** on Sunday, June 18th.

— Mary Davis

Pastoral Team Liaison to the Hospitality Committee

Weekend Ministries Schedule ■ May 14 / 15 ■ Fifth Sunday of Easter

	LECTORS	EMES	SERVERS	GREETERS	LITURGY OF WORD W/ CHILDREN	LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
Sat 4 PM	Denise Bryson Veronica Cunningham	Thelma Polley Sr Ellen Schmitz	Chidi Dike Nneka Dike	Gloria James	-----	Kim Procter
Sun 9 AM	Homer McClarty Helen Parkman	Shelly Bradford Brian Jennings	James Hines Elizabeth Newman	Ernie Buckner	-----	Renee Walker
Sun 11 AM	Christopher Phanord Carol Lawrence	Team 3 - Ernestine O'Neil	Chisom Ezeanya Vincent Kalu Connor Mueller Nathan Mueller	Cynthia Heath Shirley Myles	Denise Glinz Tanya Robinson Lola Liggons	Sandy Kalman
	SUNDAY BUS DRIVER	NOAH'S ARK NURSERY	COFFEE/DONUTS 9:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00
	Chris Woloszyk	Mahalia A-Williams Precious Onyegbule	KPC - Robert Wheelwright	No Coffee/Donuts — African Women's	Reception -----	-----
CATECHISTS CATECHIST ASSISTANTS		Catechesis of Good Shepherd I: Doris Anderson, Carlton Walker, Nneka Ezeanya, Udoka Osuoha Catechesis of Good Shepherd II & III: Sr Frances Gerhard RCIA Theology: No Class RCIA Dismissal: No Dismissal				

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SOCIAL SECURITY ONLINE

To apply for benefits or conduct business, visit www.socialsecurity.gov.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE

If you are in a crisis situation, call 1-800-799-7233 immediately.

UNITED WAY 2-1-1 IS NOW ONLINE:

Locate community service resources listed with United Way's 2-1-1 hotline at www.211.UnitedWaySEM.org.

PROJECT RACHEL

A post-abortion ministry for men and women suffering from the loss of their unborn child. Call 1-888-722-4355.

AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

Call 800-318-2596 or visit healthcare.gov or marketplace.cms.gov

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Can you explain what we mean by a vocation or calling? I have heard this term used in many different contexts and am not sure what it means. Does it apply to religious life?

A

A vocation or calling refers to a spiritual experience whereby a person senses within oneself the closeness of God and what he is asking in one's life. It is a realization of what one's part in God's plan could be. Vocation comes in all kinds of ways. Some are as dramatic as St. Paul's, being knocked off his horse, blinded, and hearing God's voice. Others are less dramatic, often occurring over time through little events and personal interests. Others happen in a hurry, accompanied by great spiritual insight or conversion. We often think that this applies to religious vocation, but in fact, every Christian has a vocation, a calling to serve others in and through the church. Whether married or single, religious or lay, we are all called to live out our baptismal commitment to preach and teach the Gospel message. Each of us has our role to play in God's plan, and we become coworkers with God in the work of redemption. With a little confidence, a willing spirit and God's grace, we can and will respond to his unique call.

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