



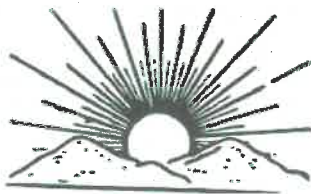
Corpus Christi Catholic Community

Building the Body of Christ

August 26, 2018

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Reflection



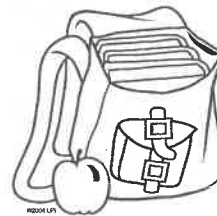
Faith Beyond Doubt

"This saying is hard; who can accept it?" The words of Jesus' disciples in today's Gospel must sound familiar. At some point in our lives, you and I have said it about some article of our faith. Christianity makes firm demands on our ethical behavior and gives no easy answers for suffering. Many disciples were confused and dismayed by Jesus' words in the Bread of Life Discourse. Not all of them, however, had the same reaction.

When the disciples question Jesus' teaching, he confirms its truth. "The words I have spoken to you are spirit and life." For some, Jesus' reassurance was not enough. These disciples do not question Jesus further or wrestle with their lack of understanding. The mighty deeds Jesus has done fade to the background. "Many of his disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied him." For them, their doubt proves too much.

Jesus turns to the Twelve, knowing that confusion lives in their hearts as well. Peter answers. "Master, to whom shall we go? (to page 3)

Back To School Prayer



God of wisdom and might,
we praise you for the
wonder of our being,
for mind, body and spirit.

Be with the young people of our parish
as they begin a new school year.

Bless them and their teachers and staff.

Give them strength and grace
as their bodies grow;
wisdom and knowledge to their minds
as they search for understanding;
and peace and zeal to their hearts.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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"Renewing Our Journey To God," a day of reflection for those in the senior years of life will take place at Capuchin Retreat Wed, Sep 5
- ▶ **The Michigan Catholic Newspaper** ceased publication Aug 24 with an anticipated launch of **Detroit Catholic**, an online news source, in November - see Archbishop Vigneron's letter inside for more details

Corpus Christi Directory

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See next column.

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: Each Saturday at 3:30 pm or by appointment. Communal 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 more information.

Weddings: Call the Parish Office at least 6 months before wedding.

This Week at Corpus Christi

Monday, August 27

Saint Monica

8:30 am MASS

Tuesday, August 28

Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:30 am MASS

7:00 pm Inquiry

Wednesday, August 29

The Passion of Saint John the Baptist

8:30 am MASS

1:30 pm GOF Core Team Mtg

5:00 pm SVDP Cooking Matters Class

6:00 pm VON Team Home Visits

7:00 pm Parish Pastoral Council Orientation

Thursday, August 30

8:30 am MASS

Friday, August 31

Saturday, September 1

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

2:00 pm Recovery Group

2:00 pm Nuptial Mass

4:00 pm MASS

Sunday, September 2

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Knights of Peter Claver Mtg

9:00 am MASS

9:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd II & III

10:30 am Choir Rehearsal

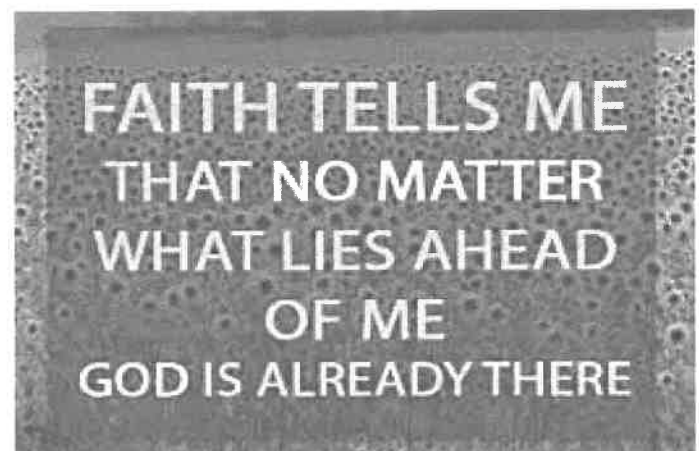
10:45 am Noah's Ark Nursery

11:00 am MASS/Liturgy of the Word with Children

11:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd I

1:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

4:00 pm Better Men Outreach



Catholic Mass Isn't What I Thought It'd Be — It's So Much More

I'm sure to many seasoned Catholics, the gestures performed throughout Mass are pretty simple. But for someone who didn't grow up in the Catholic Church and only married into it, it's not quite that simple. Every week feels like a huge, choreographed dance that everyone knows the steps to but me.

Catholic Mass is steeped in years worth of history, tradition, and meaning, and as a result, it has a culture all its own. From the incense filling the air to the colors of the robes and the candles to the presentation of the gifts, every element is perfectly orchestrated to bring glory and honor to God and to help us better worship him there.

Sure, it can be more than a little overwhelming to a newbie like me, but that doesn't make it any less beautiful or important. After all, Mass isn't designed to make me feel comfortable, to make me feel at home, or to ensure that I get something out of it — because Mass isn't about me at all. It's about God and the sacrifice he made through his son 2,000 years ago.

So, I ordered a copy of "Catholic Mass for Dummies," and I've been reading more about the meaning behind the various parts of the Mass online. I'm memorizing prayers, making friends, and trying to remember when to stand and when to kneel. And every week, I notice it feels a little more familiar. A little more like coming home. A little more like I've stumbled into my small part of something much bigger than myself and that God could meet me right here in the quiet sanctity of it all. And isn't that what it's all about? Worshiping God and encountering him here?

The next time you're at church, if you see a stressed-out mom in the back row nervously trying to keep the kids quiet while also trying to remember if it's left first or right first when making the sign of the cross, please know that I'm doing my best. I'm not going to do it all perfectly, but thank God, we don't have to! — written by Brittany Ann, August 13, 2018; see entire article at www.bustedhalo.com (faith shared joyfully).

Sunday Reflection (continued from page 1)

You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God." Notice this is not a confession of perfect understanding. It is a confession of faith in Jesus. The precise words may still confuse them, but they believe the One who said them.

In our own lives, we face doubt, confusion, and disillusionment in our Christian faith. The same choice available to the disciples is available to us. Do you have faith in Jesus, even when you lack perfect understanding? Will you stay or will you go? What do you do with your doubt?

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Young Adult News

YCP EXECUTIVE SPEAKER SERIES

Wednesday, August 29, 2018, 7 - 9 pm

@ Old St Mary Church, 646 Monroe Ave, Detroit

YCP Detroit Executive Speaker Series is a FREE event in which executives share their professional and faith journeys with young professionals in their 20's and 30's, challenging them to 'Work in Witness for Christ!' This month's speaker is Angela Moloney, the founding President and CEO of the Catholic Foundation of Michigan. Business casual attire. Complimentary beer, wine, and appetizers are provided before and after the speaker. RSVP at <https://www.ycpdetroit.org/speaker12>.

GRIEF SUPPORT FOR YOUNG ADULTS

Are you 18 to 23 years old? Has someone in your life died? Are you interested in a group to help you cope with your grief? Contact the SandCastles Grief Support Program of Henry Ford Health System to learn more about a place where others understand. The program provides a safe place for young adults to share their grief following a death. YA grief support groups meet twice a month in St. Clair Shores. Call 313-874-6881 for more information and to register.



Church of the Home

■ Ad Altare Dei Class

A class for Ad Altare Dei, a Scouting program designed for Roman Catholic scouts ages 13 to 14 to explore the sacraments is forming. Scouts completing the program will earn the Ad Altare Dei medal and will be recognized at a Scouting ceremony at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral. Meetings will begin this fall. The class will be facilitated by Steven Koponen (Corpus Christi member) and Chris Wernette, Troop 179, Farmington Hills. Contact Steven Koponen at koponens@yahoo.com for more information.

■ Encore Remarriage Workshops

Considering getting married again? Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan (CCSEM) can help you and your future spouse welcome Christ into your union, improve your communication skills, and position your relationship to grow stronger over time. The next Encore workshop is Saturday, September 8 from 10 am to 2:30 pm at the Catholic Charities office, 1424 East 11 Mile Road, Royal Oak. The workshop helps couples replace communication styles from the previous relationship with new ones based on trust and friendship. Couples bringing children into their new union will benefit from additional content on addressing issues that can arise in a blended family and talking with children about the pending marriage. To learn more and/or to register, call 248-548-4044 ext. 3100.

■ Back To School Tips

The end of August ushers in the beginning of the school year for many, and we are reminded to pray for our children and for their studies throughout the upcoming year. Here are some age-appropriate tips that can help you and your family get back to school smoothly and successfully:

Preschool: Get to bed early. Make it a priority to wind down together with quiet stories, prayers, and a prompt bedtime. Keep smiling. Sadness is to be expected when you separate from a young child, but cry a little (or a lot) in the car after drop off.

Grade K - 5: Prepare for the transition. Share positive memories from your school days and take advantage of open houses and meet the teach events. Help your child gain a sense of control. Encourage your child to pack his



Corpus Christi Needs You!!!

Attention newly confirmed students and high school students! We have opportunities for you to live out your "full membership in the church" and earn community service hours at Corpus Christi thru the Noah's Ark Nursery and Coffee/Donut Fellowship. Call 313-537-5770 to sign up!

or her backpack, lay out tomorrow's clothes, or prepare a simple sack lunch. Avoid overscheduling. Your student will need down time to process the newness of school.

Grade 6 - 8: Stress that learning is an individual process. Explain that if we aren't challenged by things, we aren't learning. Counter negative messages. Highlight their specific passions and what you admire about them. Let go, yet stay involved. Remain connected to the school through volunteering.

High School: Remind your teen that their value is in who they are, not in how they perform. Let them solve problems on their own. Encourage new adventures. This is a time for them to get involved in a new sport, school activity, or community service.

For All Students: Implement consistent routines; provide clear expectations; communicate often; ask for help sooner than later; pray for and with each other; remember that you are the expert when it comes to your child.

(excerpted from an article in The Catholic Spirit, the official publication of the Archdiocese of St. Paul & Minneapolis, August 28, 2014; copies of entire article available at back of church or parish office)

■ Everyday Stewardship

My wife has a hope chest filled with items from her past. Some memories contained in there are joyous, while others are painful and filled with sorrow. However, all those memories helped to make her the person she is today. They have become a part of her very being.

Traditionally, a hope chest contained linens and clothing for a woman's wedding day. It was a chest filled with the hope for the future. As time goes by, many of our hopes are fulfilled. However, life never goes exactly *(continued on page 7)*



BULLETIN BOARD

MINORITY BUSINESS DIRECTORY: The Detroit Catholic Pastoral Alliance is accepting applications from minority business owners, business owners in the city of Detroit, and Corpus Christi parishioners who own a business for its Fall 2018 "Green Pages" directory. The listing fee is \$20. For more information, contact John Thorne at 313-922-1435 ext. 10 or send an email to info@dcipaside.com

BOWLING LEAGUE FOR 55+: Immediate openings are available for a morning bowling league for individuals or 3-person teams on Thursdays at 10 am at Plum Hollow Lanes, 21900 W 9 Mile Road, Southfield. Come get some exercise and meet new people. Dues are \$10/week; established average not required. Shoes available for rent; balls of various weights available. Contact Gladys (parish member) at 313-570-7191.

HUSTLE EXERCISE CLASSES: Mondays at 7 pm at Franklin Athletic Club, 29350 Northwestern Hwy, Southfield; cost is \$5/class; no membership required. Contact parishioner Kim Summers at 313-205-2883.

REFRIGERATOR FOR SALE: 2016 GE; side by side; stainless steel finish; 25.3 cu ft; #GSS25GSHSS; MSRP \$1499; asking \$400; call Troy at 248-417-6008.

MANRESA PILGRIMAGE: Greece and the Greek Isles March 19 - 29, 2019. Hosted by Fr. Leo Cachat SJ; \$3499 per person from Detroit (air/land tour price is \$3079 plus \$420 government taxes/airline surcharges). Visiting Athens, Corinth, Mykonos, Ephesus, Patmos, Santorini, Delphi, Kalambaka, Thessaloniki, and a 3-day cruise to the Greek Isles and Turkey. NAWAS International Travel. For more information, contact Ruth Ann Stevens at rstevens@manresa-sj.org or 248-644-4933 ext. 112.

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. Visit www.sienaliteracy.org or call 313-532-8404 for more information.

Time & Talent Opportunities



☐ Millionaire Party Worker

Our next Millionaire Party Fundraiser is scheduled for Monday - Wednesday, September 10-12, 2018 at the Wintergarden Tavern West in Livonia. Volunteers are needed to work in 3-person teams at least one 3/12 hour shift for 1 day. Duties include: collecting monies, recording monies, and distributing monies and poker chips. To volunteer, please sign up at the back of church, call the parish office at 313-537-5770, or contact Kenneth Troupe at kennithtroupe@yahoo.com or 313-766-5345.

☐ Funeral Usher or Greeter

Volunteers are needed to serve as hospitality ministers for funeral liturgies at Corpus Christi. Ushers are needed to complete tasks specific to funerals. Greeters are needed to welcome family and guests at the church entrance and provide assistance to family and guests as needed. For more information or questions, contact Miriam Hudson at 313-537-5770.

☐ 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. We are also in need of a volunteer to pick up our donut order once every 5 weeks. 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 the convent building. Commitment is 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.

COMING EVENTS:

Aug 27-31 Take Back The Night

The Office of Black Catholic Ministry invites you to join them Monday - Friday, August 27 - 31 at 9:00 pm in front of St. Vincent de Paul Church, 46408 Woodward Ave, Pontiac, as the people of God take to the streets — praying, singing, joining in fellowship, and proclaiming God's Name.

Sep 4-7 Grief Support Groups

9/4 Tue 1 - 2:30 pm Southfield
Reverence Hospice *Healing The Heart* 586-464-4841

9/4 Tue 6 - 7:30 pm Bloomfield Hills
Hospice of MI *Living On* 248-334-1323

9/6 Thu 1 - 2:30 pm Detroit
Hospice of MI *Living On* 313-578-6328

Registration is required for these groups.

Sep 7 Prayer Gathering

The *Become The Fire* prayer gathering is held on the first Friday of each month at St. Scholastica Church, 8201 West Outer Drive, Detroit. Sponsored by the Companions of the Cross Lay Associates.

Sep 9 Memorial 5K Run

The Academy of the Sacred Heart's athletic booster club will sponsor the ninth annual *Heart of Oak - Vicki Oakley Memorial 5K Run, 5K Family Walk, and Kids 1-Mile Run* on Sunday, September 9 at the Academy's Field House, 1250 Kensington Road, Bloomfield Hills. Entry fee is \$30/adults and youth 13+, \$10/child age 12 and under. Proceeds will support the Academy's athletic programs in memory of coach and educator Vicki Oakley. For more information and to register, visit www.ashmi.org/oak.

Sep 11 Aliento

"Aliento" means both "breath" and "encouragement" in Spanish. Ste. Anne de Detroit Parish hosts a bi-lingual holy hour on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm. All are welcome for prayer and worship.

Sep 11 Spiritual Autobiographies

Presented by Prof. Justin Kelly, SJ on Tuesday evenings beginning September 11. For more information, visit www.manresa-sj.org or call 248-644-4933.

Retreat Schedule

• Mon, Aug 27, 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.

• Sat, Sep 1, 10:00 am - 12:00 noon

Musing Over Mugs

@ Visitation North Spirituality Center
7227 Lahser Rd, Bloomfield Hills

Gather with other women to explore the blessings and challenges of life over a cup of coffee or tea, looking through the eyes of faith. Facilitated by Sr. Mary McDewitt, IHM. Suggested donation is a free-will offering. Call 248-433-0950 or visit www.visitationnorth.org to sign up or for more information.

• Wed, Sep 5, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

The Final Years To Become Fully Immersed In God
& Renewing Our Journey Toward God

@ Capuchin Retreat Center
62460 Mt Vernon, Washington MI

A day of reflection for those over 65 who would like to deepen their journey with God. The suggested offering is \$40 and includes continental breakfast and lunch. To register, call 248-651-4826 or visit www.capretreat.org.


• Fri - Sun, Sep 7 - 9

Retreat Weekend for Men


@ Manresa Jesuit Retreat House
1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

Call 248-644-4933 or visit www.manresa-sj.org.





Stewardship UPDATE



Collection Report

Weekly Budget	\$ 7762.00
Sunday Offerings 8-19-2018	\$ 3989.27
Assumption of Mary 8-19-2018	\$ 523.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 0.00

Everyday Stewardship (continued from page 4)

as planned. Some hopes are dashed by unfortunate circumstances or bad choices we have made.

Our hearts are like hope chests that long for the day when we are joined for eternity with our God. Along the way, our chest may accumulate additional items that we collect on our life's journey. If we are gracious and generous along the way, our chest will fill with fruit to abundance. If we live more with a focus on ourselves, we will find our hope chests nearly barren. We will, in fact, lose hope. May the hope chest of your heart be overflowing with love that you have freely given and that has come back to you tenfold. May your generosity provide hope for the hopeless, and may your hope always remain strong.

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Scriptures for the Week

Readings for the Week of August 26, 2018

Sunday	Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69
Monday	2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday	2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17/Mt 23:23-26
Wednesday	2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18/Mk 6:17-29
Thursday	1 Cor 1:1-9/Mt 24:42-51
Friday	1 Cor 1:17-25/Mt 25:1-13
Saturday	1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 25:14-30

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8,



Questions of the Week

First Reading

Just prior to his death, Joshua (who succeeded Moses in leading the Israelites into the Promised Land) declared his complete fidelity to the God of Israel: "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." How do you bear witness to your faith to family and friends?

Second Reading

In the closing part of his letter to the Ephesians, Paul addresses household codes of conduct for believers. In this regard, Paul speaks of the love between husband and wife as analogous to the love between Christ and the Church, concluding "this is a great mystery." What do you find compelling in Paul's words on marriage?

Gospel Reading

The Bread of Life Discourse concludes with John reporting that many of Jesus' disciples "no longer accompanied" him. How do you react to family or friends who choose to walk away from Jesus?

Please Pray For The Deceased

Paulette Knighton, friend of Elaina Moore
Napolean Burton (8/5), spouse of Helen Burton
Shawn Stone (8/9), cousin of Paul Moore
Carl Tillman (8/23), bro. in law of Sue Vanden Berg



Please Pray For Those In The Military: Jared Brooks (Marines), Caija Campbell (Army), Anthony Carson (Army), Anthony Ford (Army), Jonah LaTour, Jon LaTour, John Maurer (Air Force), Robbie Mayes (Marines), Christopher Moniere (National Guard), Corey Sullivan (Army), and Lance Walker II (Army).



**Aug 27
thru
Sep 2**

Monday	8:30 am	For the People of Corpus Christi
Tuesday	8:30 am	For Our Homebound Members
Wednesday	8:30 am	For Those Who Are Caregivers
Thursday	8:30 am	For Teachers and Students
Friday		<i>No Mass or Communion Service</i>
Saturday	2:00 pm 4:00 pm	Nuptial: Daphnee Pierre-Louis and Jobert Exsatel) + Our Deceased Relatives and Friends (req by Parishioners)
Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 pm	For the People of Corpus Christi + Martin Kamgang & Martine Djowe (req by Happiness Garriott)



Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

Andrea Baier	Roy Ford	Sharon Lewis	Sally Rimbort	Homebound:	Ronald Hills
Ken Banka	Rosemary Givens	Bob Lindsay	Joy Robinson	Synia Benjamin	Marie Leonard
Doris Billion	Gary Greening	Nancy Loper	Leatrice Robinson	Jackie Bodenhorn	Jim Lorenger
Paul Billion	Sr Rachelle Harper	Valerie McDonald	Tanisha R-Erickson	Evelyn Brantley	Beverly Miller
Marcelle Blackmon	Clint Harris	Kathy Montgomery	Elyse Ryder	Beverley B-Johnson	Margaret Nielsen
Wanda Bradley	Irma Horton	Virginia Moyer	Pauline Simpson	Michelle Cagle	John Onwudinjo
Alelia Busby	Mary C. Hustoles	Gina Nunnally	Bernice Slaughter	Joseph Cagle Sr	Evangeline Pruett
Angeline Butler	Edward Hustoles	Shirley Oldenburg	Donna Storie	Phyllis Clyburn	Hulda Reed
Aggie Conti	Gloria James	Ernestine O'Neil	Colletta Sykes	Clairmina Danjou	Isiah Searls
Jefferie Cook Sr	Roswitha Jordan	Elaine O'Neill	Brendia Thomas	Felisa Deluna	Joseph Shelton
Terrie C-Henderson	Sandy Kalman	Sharon Ortman	Charlotte Turner	Judories Fort	Mary Pat Shelton
Sheri Dargin	Richard Kohler	Sue Padalino	Irene Unsleber	Margaret Gassoway	Robert Wheelwright
Mary Davis	Fannie Larkins	Helen Parkman	Adele Waddell	Martha Harris	
Kevin DeMatas	Myrna Leonard	Vernard Plain	Kathy Wilson	Ed Hill Jr	
Renita Fletcher	John Johnson	Phyllis Raines	Maureen Zink	Ruth Hill	



Please Pray For Our Relatives and Friends:

Susan Absher	Natacha Desir	Bob & Jane Hazen	Jerry Mercier Jr	Reginald Phillips	Evelyn Spittle
Kelley Adams	Shannon Dodd	Summer Henry	Jim Messink	Robert Pierce	Nicholas Stephens
Duncan Alfes	Elizabeth Dowining	Jane Houck	Darwin Mills	Anthony Plain	Gus Sternberg
Mona Anderson	Lloyd Earl	Tom Hustoles	Florence Mills	David Remo	Rochelle Stewart
Cynthia Archer-Gift	Germain Ederhart	Robert Jarey	Willard Mitchell	Shirley Respress	Trevor Sullivan
Jim Agnello	Clida Ellison	Donica Jaynes	James Molloy	Sandra Reynolds	Frances Sykes
Tony Baines	Ethan	Aliyaa John	Karen Momper	Michael Rice	Patt Taylor-Braxton
Sue Bates	Virginia Etherly	Fred Johnson	Elizabeth Moore	Matthew Rich	Rick Thompson
Edward Bejesky	Phillip Faucher	Dorie Kaiser	Shirley V Moore	Viola Richburge	Gerry Tremonti
Katy Bessey	Clara Fletcher	Bill Kelley	Louis Morzynske	Dorothy Roberson	Robert Vanden Berg
Kenneth Black	Ronald Fletcher	Shirley Kenney	Joyce Mulhall	Eugene Rohde	Al Victors
J C Boston	Barbara Ford	Mary Alice Kenny	Mignon Murray	Alfredo Rojas	Kelley Walker
Bobbie Bowie	Jerry & Patricia Franks	Kristen Kingzett	Sara Nell-Wallace	Patrick Ryder	Lance Walker
Linda Brown	David & Kara Fribley	Katie Lutzio Kissell	Margaret Nelson	Lou Sabatini	Brady Wesley
Ron Brown	Barbara Gay	Ed Kmett	Ernestine Nimmons	Anthony Salem	Dennis Wheelwright
Auby Bryson	Nestelyn Gay	Erin Knight	Charles Nutt	Frank Salem	Sr Luanne Wilhelm
Barbara Bryson	Sherman Gilmore	Fred Kolp	Charlotte, Donna,	Sherry Samuel	Jamal Williams
F. Chennault-Johnson	Elwood Gneckow	Marta Lagos	John & Tyler O'Neill	Ethel Mae Sanders	Ruth Wilson
Jenny Churchill	Shawn Gore	Dianne Leitertman	Susan Orlando	Robert Schaule	Barbara Woods
Scott Clinton	Delroy Grant	Antoinette Litzinger	Jeff Padalino	Larry Schneider	Doris Woody
Leah Closson	Marlene Grant	Cheryl Lofton	Patty Page	Helen Schroeder	Mike Yanke
Perry Conway	Lillian Gray-Amstutz	Anthony Lorenger	Celena Parker	Mildred Scott	
Vivian Cook	Morty Green	William Mapp	Willie Parker Jr	Larry Shelton	
Patricia Cooper	Sandy Klepeck Green	Joan Martinuzzi	Paula Parham	Curtis Simpson Sr	
Aloysius Craig	Audrey Gulley	Bea & Kim Marx	Cyndi Pask	Donald Sims Sr	
Ronald Crane	Cora Harper	Michael Mathis	James Pefley	Emily Smale	
Leona Curtis	Joseph Harper	Scott McDonald	Alicia Penman	Kathy Smith	
David Dare	Alfonzo Harris	Anthony McNeal	Ethel Person	Beverly Sneed	
Brenda Debose	Millie Harris	Michael McNeece	Marquon Perry	Sam Sombom	

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

Marriage & Banns

III. Daphne Pierre-Louis
and Jobert Exsatel



Corpus Christi's
Evangelization Committee
invites you to

"Bring Your Grandchild
To Church!"

September 8 /9, 2018

National Grandparents Day is celebrated each year on the first Sunday after Labor Day. Invite your grandchildren (and their parents) to come to Mass with you on September 8th or 9th. Grandparents will receive a special blessing at all Masses. If you do not have your grandchildren living close to you, bring a photo and hold it close to your heart as you receive your blessing.

Get Your Healthy On!



Women's Society Annual Salad Fest
Sunday, September 9th
after the 9:00 & 11:00 Masses

Join the Women's Society in the Rainbow Room after Mass for a healthy and tasty "build your own" salad. Cost is \$3/plate for adults, youth, and children. (no refills!).

Do you know someone
who is curious about the
Catholic faith?

Do you know someone who
is thinking about becoming
a Catholic?



Invite them to ...

INQUIRY

Tuesdays

August 28, September 4, 11, and 18
7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Rainbow Room

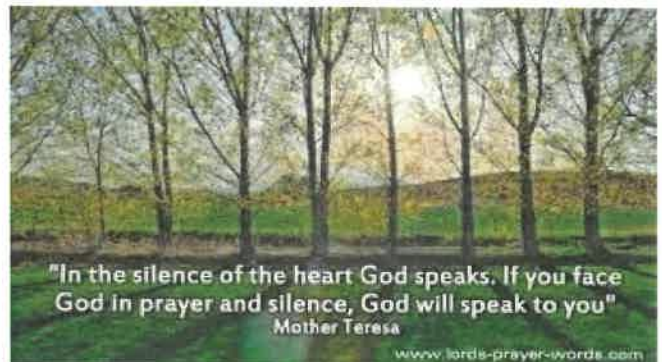
Perhaps you know someone who is curious about our faith, about Corpus Christi, about our community. Here is a way to help a friend, relative or spouse find the answers they seek! Invite them to Corpus Christi's Inquiry — and plan to attend a session or two (or more!) with them.

COMING SOON...

**The Sacrament
of the Anointing of the Sick**

**Saturday,
September 29th**

**during the
4:00 pm Mass**



"In the silence of the heart God speaks. If you face
God in prayer and silence, God will speak to you"
Mother Teresa

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ARCHBISHOP OF DETROIT

August 2018

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

I would like to share some of the fruits of our efforts to unleash the Gospel in southeast Michigan and beyond. Later this fall, we will replace *The Michigan Catholic* print newspaper with *Detroit Catholic*, a comprehensive digital news website and service designed to broaden our reach and to provide daily, engaging and timely news coverage of our local missionary activities.

To facilitate our news transformation, *The Michigan Catholic* newspaper will cease publication after the August 24 issue with an anticipated launch of *Detroit Catholic* in November. This new online news source will be free of charge and will continue providing the award-winning news and feature stories *Michigan Catholic* readers expect. This transition will allow us to enhance coverage about our parishes, schools and the many life-giving ministries in the archdiocese.

This digital transformation will enable us to post more local news and share national and global articles about the Church throughout the week. Readers will have the option to subscribe to free daily, weekly or monthly news summaries delivered via email. In addition to our online news service, and to help feed “all those engaged or seeking engagement with the Church,” we will launch a multi-channel faith-formation and evangelization communications effort early next year. This innovative plan will include online and print publications that will help inspire and form our readers as they grow into joyful missionary disciples.

Please join me in prayer and thanksgiving as we begin this next chapter of news and storytelling in the archdiocese. As I wrote in *Unleash the Gospel*: “Those around us are thirsting for the Gospel, the words of eternal life, even if they do not realize it. How can we fail to share generously what we have freely received?”

Sincerely yours in Christ,

The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron
Archbishop of Detroit

UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

Weekend Ministries Schedule ■ September 1 / 2 ■ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

	LECTORS	EMES	SERVERS	GREETERS	LITURGY OF WORD W/ CHILDREN	LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
Sat 4:00	Colleen Flaherty Marcia Closson	Sr Ellen Schmitz Barbara Robinson	Jared Webb Juliana Obia	Shirley Myles	-----	Merrick Harris-Carter
Sun 9:00	Sheila Finch James Hines	Debra McGuire Kim Procter	Donald Harris Tara Lewis	Ernie Buckner Lynn James	-----	Nestor Munis
Sun 11:00	Christeena Livingston-Long Richard Kohler	Team 3 - Ernestine O'Neil	Chidi Dike Chioma Dike Chisom Ezeanya Justin Martin	Verna Kelser Cherry Smith	Mariet Kmett Cynthia Heath Charlotte Turner	Paul Moore
	SUNDAY BUS DRIVER	NOAH'S ARK NURSERY	COFFEE/DONUTS 9:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00
	Anthony Bronaugh	Jessica Lopez Sylvia Onyegbule	Knights of SPC - Nestor Munis	Vickie Hodnett Yvonne Nemeth	Gussie Nichols Nicole Smiley	Elsie Spencer Jermile Upshaw
CATECHESIS OF GOOD SHEPHERD 1		CATECHESIS OF GOOD SHEPHERD 2/3		RCIA CLASS		RCIA DISMISSAL
TBD TBD TBD		Sr Frances Gerhard		No Class		No Dismissal



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Q Our prayer group has been reading the lives of some saints, and we were struck by how some of them thought they were such sinners. Why would such holy people think they had such serious sin?

A Professional athletes practice the fundamentals of their sport over and over again, reaching for better form, consistency, and better performance. They focus on the basics, review past performances, and visualize greater success. Practice makes better, if not perfect!

Spiritual masters such as the saints also looked for perfection. They practiced their faith in the search for holiness, grace, and virtue. Through sacraments, prayer, study, good works, and penance, they raised their level of awareness, their sensitivity to the presence of God, the demands of the Gospel, and the workings of the Holy Spirit. They examined their consciences daily, reviewing the day for moments of failure and times that they could have been more virtuous in one way or another. They resolved to do better, be more attentive and alert!

Therefore, anything that would distract them or interfere with their relationship with God would be like a small black spot on a bright white wall — you can't miss it! The great saints were aware of sin and the presence of evil because they were so tuned in to the struggle between good and evil that was fought in their own lives, hearts, and souls. We must guard against becoming desensitized to sin in our lives and unaware of the harm it causes us. A goal of any spiritual practice is to become more aware of our sinfulness so that we seek God's forgiving and healing love.



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