



Corpus Christi Catholic Community

Building the Body of Christ

November 4, 2018

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Reflection

The Invitation To Love



"You are not far from the kingdom of God." What does it mean to be close to God's kingdom? In today's Gospel, Jesus is in a dialogue with teachers of the law. They know well the Law of Moses, with its complex codes, expectations, and punishments. What will Jesus say?

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength ... You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Jesus effortlessly distills all the books of law into two commands. The simplicity of the Gospel message doesn't mean it's easy to follow. Far from it! The simplicity of the Gospel indicates its totality. Anything that requires the passions of our heart, the choice of our soul, the reason in our mind, or the strength of our body — all of this ought to be animated by love. As you can imagine, that means pretty much everything! The love of God and love of neighbor is meant to flow into our entire lives.

The Gospel can appear complicated because life is complicated. Not every outcast *(continued on page 3)*

Give Them Light and Peace

God, who gives life to all who believe, you dwell in unapproachable light, yet your mercy leads those who hope in you to a place in your presence before your throne.

Grant light and peace to our brothers and sisters who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith and who have trusted in your never-ending love.

Bring the faithful departed into your kingdom of light, happiness, and peace. Give them a secure dwelling place in the mansion of your holiness, and let them shine with the light of your glory.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Amen.



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Corpus Christi Directory

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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

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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.

at Corpus Christi

Monday, November 5

8:30 am MASS

7:00 pm Bible Study

Tuesday, November 6 (Election Day)

8:30 am MASS

6:30 pm Detroit Election Commission Workers

Wednesday, November 7

8:30 am MASS

10:00 am SVDP ECO Works Class

4:30 pm NWDYC Executive Committee Mtg

5:00 pm New Hope Board Mtg

6:30 pm Hospitality Committee Mtg

Thursday, November 8

8:30 am MASS

6:30 pm Stewardship Commission Mtg

Friday, November 9

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Saturday, November 10

Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

9:00 am Trinity Vicariate Confirmation Preparation
@ Solanus Casey Center (thru 3 pm)

10:00 am SVDP Food Pantry

11:00 am GOF Set Up

2:00 pm Recovery Group

4:00 pm MASS

Sunday, November 11 (Veterans Day)

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10:45 am Noah's Ark Nursery

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

11:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd I

12:30 pm GENERATIONS OF FAITH

12:30 pm Confirmation Preparation 5

4:00 pm Better Men Outreach

5:00 pm Once More Marriage Preparation

YOUR VOTE *Matters*

Make Your Voice Heard Nov 6!

"Some Catholics may feel politically homeless, sensing that no political party and too few candidates share consistent concern for human life and dignity. However, this is not a time for retreat or discouragement. We need more, not less engagement in political life. We urge Catholics to become more involved." — US Catholic Bishops

Good Stewardship for Students

The stewardship way of life is for everyone, even those who are young. Here are ten things to help young people reflect on good stewardship:

1. **God has given you the gift of intellect and it should be used wisely.** Do not try to just get by in your classes; offer your best effort.
2. **The work you do in class is your gift to God.** At this time in your life, you are called to be a student. What you do in class is your unique offering to God.
3. **Don't waste the gift of time.** For generations, students have put off studying or class projects until the last minute; learn to manage the resource of time.
4. **Always remember you are part of a community, even if you don't feel like it.** Peers, parents, and school staff will help you discern what is best for you.
5. **Be grateful for the chance to be in school.** Millions of children are missing the chance to learn basic knowledge allowing them to prosper in the world.
6. **God is calling you today in your classroom.** God is asking something of you each day. Be aware and stay mindful of all those who cross your path each day.
7. **Hold yourself accountable.** Don't fall into the temptation of slacking off, not doing your work, or cheating. Integrity is a precious gift not be tossed away.
8. **Embrace the entirety of your life as a student.** God has filled this world with people to meet, sports to play and moments to rejoice in life. Get involved.
9. **Begin and end each school day with prayer.** Allow God to walk with you throughout your day by creating bookends of prayer for your day.
10. **Stay committed.** Make a commitment to stay focused and not fall behind. The good thing is, if we fail, we can recommit ourselves and begin again.

Don't let anyone look down
on you because you are young,
but set an example for the believers
in speech, in conduct, in love,
in faith and in purity.
1 Timothy 4:12

Sunday Reflection *(continued from page 1)*

is easy to love. We lack the knowledge or compassion to heal everyone who suffers. Personal sacrifice is not always noticed or valued. In the face of the unknown, fear can be easier than faith. Life's circumstances can seem like obstacles to God's love, not opportunities. And yet Jesus' command still stands. As you reflect this week, examine those areas where it's easy to love. Thank God for them! But take some time to consider the people and circumstances that challenge you. Ask God to show you what it means to love there. How is He inviting you to enlarge your heart, strengthen your soul, open your mind, and persevere in your strength? How is He inviting you to love?

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Young Adult News

SIMPLE SERVICE SATURDAY

Saturday, November 17, 2018, 9:00 am
@ Solanus Casey Center
1780 Mount Elliot St, Detroit

Young adults aged 18 to 35 are invited to lend a hand to help out those in need on the 3rd Saturday of each month. The morning begins with Mass at 9 am, followed by 2 ½ hours of service, then concludes at 12 noon with lunch and discussion about the experience. Space is limited. Call Sally McCuen at 313-579-2100 ext. 149 for more information or to reserve your spot.

SUMMER JOBS AVAILABLE!

Camps Connect, a collaborative between St. Vincent de Paul camps and CYO camps, is hiring camp counselors, activity specialists, team leaders, and health officers. This is an opportunity to positively influence youth, develop your career skills, enhance your leadership skills, collaborate with a great team, and spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ. For more information or to apply online, please visit www.campsconnect.orr/work-at-camp.



Church of the Home

students, from infancy through Upper School. Current faculty, staff, and parents will be available to discuss curriculum, athletics, enrichment and leadership opportunities. Families will receive custom tours of their areas of interest led by current Sacred Heart students. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, call 248-646-8900 or visit www.ashmi.org.

Advent Journey With Jesus

Parents, save the date for Advent Journey With Jesus! Children in Grades 1 through 6 are invited to participate in this Advent - Christmas preparation program on Saturday, November 24 from 10:00 am to 5:15 pm. This year's theme is "Jesus, the Prince of Peace, Is Coming. Prepare The Way." The day will include Bible study, arts and crafts, singing, games, food, and more. Parents can go shopping while their children learn more about the life of Jesus and His followers and return to join their children as they participate in a special way at the 4:00 Mass. Adults and youth in Grade 7 and up are welcome to help with this program. For more information, contact Sr. Therese.

Take Your Children To The Polls



Faithful Citizenship

have received from Jesus Christ." If possible, bring your kids to the local voting station this month so they can experience faithful citizenship firsthand.

ASH Open House

The Academy of the Sacred Heart's all-school open house will take place next Sunday, November 11 from 1 to 3 pm at 1250 Kensington Road, Bloomfield Hills. This event will

showcase the breadth and depth of the Academy's offerings for students, from infancy through Upper School. Current faculty, staff, and parents will be available to discuss curriculum, athletics, enrichment and leadership opportunities. Families will receive custom tours of their areas of interest led by current Sacred Heart students. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, call 248-646-8900 or visit www.ashmi.org.



Don't Miss It!

**Youth
Mission Trip
June 23 - 30,
2019**

All 8th - 12th grade students are invited to consider participating in Corpus Christi's 4th Annual Youth Mission trip. Registration is now open! For more information, contact Jenny Long, Mission Trip Coordinator, at 248-231-7850.

Five Simple Ways To Be Generous

Generosity doesn't always come naturally. Teaching children simple, concrete ways to be generous fosters growth of this virtue in everyday life. During this season of Thanksgiving, promoting generosity also encourages gratitude. Here are five suggestions:

1. Give each child a dollar and let them give it to the person of their choice.
2. Write a note to the first person that crosses your mind, telling them you were thinking of them.
3. When grocery shopping, buy an extra item of a family favorite to give away.
4. Take your neighbor's trash can back from the curb.
5. Pay for the next person in line. Afterward, explain to your children why you did it.

Everyday Stewardship

You can ask many Christians if God is the most important person in their life, and without much thought, they will respond, "Yes." However, just saying it does not make it true. It is the answer that we have been programmed to give, but I am not sure most people reflect too long on what the answer really means. Is God more important to you than all your worldly possessions? Is God more important to you than your spouse or your children?

Oftentimes, we would like to believe that God holds the most important position in our lives, but our actions give us away. We do and say things demonstrating (cont. on page 7)



BULLETIN BOARD

VETERANS RESOURCE FAIR: The Wayne County Treasurer's Office will hold its 2nd Annual Veterans Resource Fair on Thursday, November 8 from 10 am to 2 pm at Northwest Activities Center, 18100 Meyers Road, Detroit. Visit WCTOEvents.com for registration. For more information, call 313-224-5990.

RIDE HOME FROM MASS NEEDED: Parishioner living in the 14 Mile Road/Main Street area of Clawson needs ride home after the 11:00 Mass; needs some help with wheelchair; call Beverly at 313-819-8060.

CAR NEEDED: A single woman needs a running car in good condition; has \$1000 cash and can do installments for any other price up to \$500 more. Call Tamu at 313-482-5971 or Denise at 313-646-1259.

UNITED STATES CENSUS BUREAU HIRING: Field Representative Positions are available in Wayne County. Starting salary is \$19.52 - \$25.37/hr (varies by location); flexible hours, mileage reimbursement. For more information, email Chicago.Recruiting@census.gov or call 1-800-865-6384 ext. 15.

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.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DROP OFF: At 200 East Ferry Street, Detroit. Thu, 7:30 am - 2 pm; 4th Sat, 8 am - 2 pm. Free for Detroit residents.

TRAUMA SUPPORT GROUPS: Open Arms provides supportive services, court advocacy, resources, and intervention to crime victims on Wednesdays from 4 pm to 6 pm at Victory Community Church, 14025 Hubbell, Detroit. For more information, call 313-369-5780.

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.

Time & Talent Opportunities



☐ Hospice Volunteer

A few hours of your time can make a difference to a hospice patient. Reverence Hospice is seeking volunteers to provide in-home, nursing home, or hospital visits to hospice patients in Macomb, Oakland, St. Clair, and Wayne Counties. Your caring presence would allow family members the chance to run errands or keep appointments or lonely patients to have visits from a new friend. Training, ongoing education, recognition, and support are provided. Flexible hours. For more information, contact Sarah Hemenway, Volunteer Coordinator at sarah.hemenway@ahah.net or 586-464-4865.

☐ Spiritual Care Volunteer

The Spiritual Care Department at DMC Sinai-Grace Hospital is seeking volunteers to provide spiritual care to DMC Sinai-Grace patients and family members. Benefits include free training, free meal during 4-hour shift (2 to 4 hour shifts available during the day, evening, weekdays or weekends), and free parking. For more information, please contact Rev. Doris Montgomery, Staff Chaplain, at 313-966-3458, 313-966-3452, or dmontgom@dmc.org.

☐ 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. The nursery is located in the Activities Center (convent building). Commitment is 1 ½ hours every 6 weeks or on-call for other parish events (Infant baptism classes, young married couple events, etc.) Parish registration and background check required. Please call Miriam at 313-537-5770.

COMING EVENTS:

Nov 5 Christian Yoga

Come to Manresa Retreat House, 1390 Quarton Road (corner of Woodward), Bloomfield Hills on Monday, November 5 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. Bring your exercise mat, woven blanket (if desired), yoga block, and a strap or resistance band. Call 248-644-4933 for details.

Nov 6 Grief Support

11/6 Tue 6 - 7:30 pm Bloomfield Hills
Hospice of MI *Living On* 248-334-1323

11/6 Tue 1 - 2:30 pm Southfield
Reverence Hospice *Healing the Heart* 586-464-4841

Nov 10 Confronting Pornography

Pornography effects the entire church, whether you or someone you love is fighting the battle or whether you are just feeling alone. "Whispered In The Dark: Confronting Pornography In Our Community" offers the best tools and resources to face, battle, and overcome pornography on Saturday, November 10 from 9 am to 4 pm at Sacred Heart Major Seminary. Visit www.whisperedinthedark.com.

Nov 11 Contemporary Jazz Mass

St Mary of Redford Parish invites you to join them for the James Tatum Contemporary Jazz Mass on Sunday, November 11 at 4 pm. The church is located at 16098 Grand River Avenue, Detroit. All are welcome. Free will offering. For more information, call 313-273-1111 or visit www.stmarysofredford.com.

Nov 13 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 pm. All are welcome for prayer and worship.

Nov 13 Hope For The Holidays

Hospice of Michigan will host their "Hope For The Holidays" grief support event on Tuesday, November 13 at 6 pm at James H Cole Home for Funerals, 2624 West Grand Boulevard, Detroit. To register or for more information, call Jackie Morris at 313-578-6328.

Retreat Schedule

• Mon, Nov 5, 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.

• Fri - Sun, Nov 9 - 11

"Living From The Soul" Silent Retreat

@ St Mary's Retreat House
775 W Drahner Rd, Oxford

When we live from the soul, we live from our truest self, where we learn to listen to God and do God's will. Directed by Fr. Cornelius Okeke. For more information or to register, call Jeanne at 810-278-0659.

• Sat, Nov 10, 8:30 am - 3 pm

Amidst The Struggle, My Identity In Christ

@ Sacred Heart Major Seminary
2701 West Chicago, Detroit

Spend a day exploring our identity in Christ and reflecting on the strength that identity gives us on our journey through difficult times. This FREE day begins with Mass and includes refreshments and lunch. A free will offering will be most appreciated. Reserve your place by calling Patricia Cruz at 313-596-7411 or email cruz.patricia@aod.org.

• Sat, Nov 10, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Living Our Mature Years: The Best Is Yet To Come

@ Visitation North Spirituality Center
7227 Lahser Rd, Bloomfield Hills

If we don't listen to the world's stereotypes, myths, and jokes about getting older, life is filled with possibilities, growth, depth, and joy. A morning for maturing persons facilitated by Sr. Janet Schaeffler, OP. Suggested offering is \$25. To register, call 248-433-0950 or visit www.visitationnorth.org.



Collection Report

Weekly Budget	\$ 7762.00
Sunday Offerings 10-28-2018	\$ 8544.90
World Mission Sunday 10-28-2018	\$ 300.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 0.00

Everyday Stewardship *(continued from page 4)*

that position of top importance belongs to things, circumstances, or simply ourselves. If we placed God first in our lives, we would be more generous, happier, and more fulfilled. The amazing thing here is that the ultimate self-help action is to turn from our own wants and desires and focus all that energy on God. We actually help ourselves the most by thinking of ourselves the least and turning it all over to someone else. Of course, God knows that. God does not ultimately benefit by anything we give Him. The fruits come to us by putting Him at the top of the list. Then we give Him those fruits to find we have now even more than when we started.

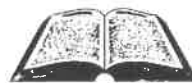
How important is God in your life? Your answer could be the key to life that you have been looking for all along.

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**Please
Return Your
Covenant Form**



During last weekend's Masses, we were all invited to make a covenant with the Lord of our time, talent, and treasure. If you did not turn in your form yet, please complete it and return it as soon as possible. Covenant forms are available at the back of church for adults, teens, and children. You may also request a copy by calling the parish office.



Scriptures for the Week

Readings for the Week of November 4, 2018

Sunday:	Dt 6:2-6/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34
Monday:	Phil 2:1-4/Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday:	Phil 2:5-11/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday:	Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday:	Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10
Friday:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Saturday:	Phil 4:10-19/Lk 16:9-15

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1 Kgs 17:10-16/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44



Questions of the Week

First Reading

Moses reminds the Israelites to teach their children and grandchildren the greatest commandment given to them by God just before they were entering into the Promised Land. What are you teaching your children and grandchildren about God?

Second Reading

The author of Hebrews continues to emphasize Jesus as the perfect and eternal holy, heavenly high priest who intercedes to God for us sinners. For what sins in your life do you need Jesus' intercession?

Gospel Reading

We hear today a positive encounter between Jesus and a scribe. Jesus affirmed the scribe because he answered Jesus "with understanding." Why do you think so many of the religious leaders of Jesus' day misunderstood him?



**Marjorie Dumont and
Pierna Pierre-Louis**
cousin and great-aunt of Jinette
Chapman

Michael Yanke (10/15)
cousin of Barbara Robinson

James Garner (10/16)
brother of Dionne Garner



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).



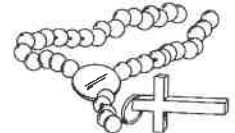
**Nov 5
thru
Nov 11**

Monday	8:30 am	+ Tom Garrett (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Tuesday	8:30 am	+ Joseph Harper (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Wednesday	8:30 am	+ George El-Hajj Jr (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Thursday	8:30 am	+ Marvis Givens (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Friday		<i>No Mass or Communion Service</i>
Saturday	4:00 pm	For Our Veterans
Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 pm	For Our Veterans + Our Deceased Veterans (req by Miriam Hudson)



Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

Andrea Baier	Roy Ford	Bob Lindsay	Sally Rimbart	Homebound:	Ronald Hills
Ken Banka	Rosemary Givens	Nancy Loper	Joy Robinson	Synia Benjamin	Marie Leonard
Doris Billion	Gary Greening	Valerie McDonald	Leatrice Robinson	Jackie Bodenhorn	Jim Lorenger
Paul Billion	Sr Rachel Harper	Kathy Montgomery	Tanisha R-Erickson	Evelyn Brantley	Beverly Miller
Marcelle Blackmon	Clint Harris	Virginia Moyer	Elyse Ryder	Beverly B-Johnson	Margaret Nielsen
Wanda Bradley	Irma Horton	Margaret Neumann	Pauline Simpson	Michelle Cagle	John Onwudinjio
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	Richard Kohler	Sharon Ortman	Charlotte Turner	Judories Fort	Mary Pat Shelton
Sheri Dargin	Fannie Larkins	Sue Padalino	Irene Unsleber	Margaret Gassoway	Robert Wheelwright
Mary Davis	Myrna Leonard	Helen Parkman	Adele Waddell	Martha Harris	
Kevin DeMatas	John Johnson	Vernard Plain	Kathy Wilson	Ed Hill Jr	
Renita Fletcher	Sharon Lewis	Phyllis Raines	Maureen Zink	Ruth Hill	



Please Pray For Our Relatives and Friends:

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

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

Dear Brothers and Sisters In Christ,



The U. S. Bishops are joining together in a commitment of prayer and reparation leading up to the bishops' general assembly, where we will be making critical decisions in response to the clergy sexual abuse crisis. With my brother bishops across the nation, I will be dedicating myself to seven days of intensified prayer and fasting from Monday, November 5 through Sunday, November 11. The intentions for this period of prayer and sacrifice are three-fold:

- For the healing and support of all victims of clergy sexual abuse.
- For the conversion and just punishment of perpetrators and concealers of sexual abuse.
- For the strength of the bishops to be holy shepherds in protecting and leading our sheep from all harm.

If you feel called to do so, you are welcome to join me in praying for these intentions.

I would also be grateful for any prayers for me and my brother bishops during our general assembly, that we may follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit in responding to the tragedy of clergy sexual abuse in the Church.

In sending you this letter, these words of St. Paul come to mind: "Bear one another's burdens, and so you will fulfill the law of Christ" (Gal 6:20). It is my solemn duty as Archbishop to assume in prayer the burdens of our wounded Church. Thank you for your willingness to consider praying with me and for me as I join my brother bishops in this nationwide effort of prayer and reparation. Please be assured of my prayers for you, as well.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

— Most Rev. Allen H. Vigneron, Oct. 30, 2018

Please Report Clergy Abuse

The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others — no matter when the abuse occurred. Individuals may contact local law enforcement authorities and/or they may report to the Archdiocese of Detroit by calling the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (866) 343-8055 or by emailing vac@aod.org. In addition, the Michigan Attorney General's Office can be contacted at its toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 (Monday through Friday, 8 am - 5 pm) or by email at aginvestigations@michigan.gov. More information about the Archdiocese's efforts to address abuse may be found at protect.aod.org.

Don't Miss Generations of Faith!



"Poor in Spirit, Pure in Heart"

Trying to live "poor in spirit" and "pure in heart" in today's fast-paced, chaotic world can seem daunting at best. A few years ago, young people were wearing bracelets with WWJD — "What would Jesus do?" But an even deeper question is "What are we to do?"

Each of us is equally responsible to Jesus and to one another. What do we do? We follow in Jesus' footsteps — we love and serve as Jesus did. But how do we love in today's crazy world? What does it mean to be "poor in spirit" and "pure in heart" in 2018? Can we find the roadmap in these two Beatitudes?



Mrs. Faith Offman from the ministry team at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center will join us for our second Generations of Faith session, which will begin [after the 11 am Mass next Sunday, November 11.](#)

Mrs. Offman is one of the weekend retreat presenters at St. Paul of the Cross. She was a Pastoral Associate for 20 years at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish in Redford, then became Associate Director for Family Ministry at the Archdiocese of Detroit. She is married with two adult children and five grandchildren.

Generations of Faith will begin at 12:30 and includes an opening session, delicious lunch (\$5 donation), and activities for all age groups. The session ends at 3 pm. Call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to sign up.



PRAY
and give generously



Thanks For Your Mission Voice!

Thank you for being a voice for mission on World Mission Sunday! Our parish offered \$1258 to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith for the missionary work of the Church. This is a real

blessing for the Missions! Please continue to pray for missionaries, and for the people to whom they bring the "Good News" of Jesus. May God bless you for your generous missionary spirit!

It's Time To Go Nuts Again for the Holidays!



KOEZE NUT FUNDRAISER

The Koeze Nut Fundraiser has begun! Catalogs and order forms will be available in the gathering space of the church. You may place your order after

Mass or turn it in to the parish office during the week. Please include full payment with your order. Make your check payable to "Corpus Christi Parish." Please return your catalog to the church so the Fundraising Committee can use them again!

Annual Haiti Outreach Mission (HOM) Meeting

Sunday, November 4, 2 - 4 pm
at St. David Episcopal Church
16200 12 Mile Rd, Southfield

All HOM Members and supporters are invited to the Annual Haiti Outreach Mission Board and General Membership meeting. Please use the parking lot behind the church; enter the rear door on the left.

Prayer for FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

Gracious and loving God,
let your Spirit be with us today.
Hear our prayers,
and increase in us the will to follow your Son Jesus.

Help us to draw on the resources of our faith
as we use the opportunities of our democracy
to shape a society more respectful
of the life, dignity, and rights of the human person,
especially the poor and vulnerable.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity
of the Holy Spirit,
one God forever and ever.
Amen.



NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK



November 4-10, 2018

National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW) is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promote vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. NVAW began in 1976 when the U. S. bishops designated the 28th Sunday of the year for NVAW. In 1997, this celebration was moved to coincide with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, which falls on January 13 in 2013. Beginning in 2014, NVAW was moved to the first full week of November.

Weekend Ministries Schedule ■ November 10 / 11 ■ 32nd Sunday in Ord Time

	LECTORS	EMES	SERVERS	GREETERS	LITURGY OF WORD W/ CHILDREN	LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
Sat 4:00	Marcia Closson Denise Limbach	David Loper Sr Ellen Schmitz	Stanley Abulu Jared Webb	Elaine O'Neill	-----	Parris Kenney
Sun 9:00	No Mass ----- (Gen of Faith)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Sun 11:00	Mary Power Denise Bryson	Team 1+1 - Shirley Myles	Connor Mueller David Mueller Nathan Mueller Juliana Obia	Shirley Myles Cynthia Heath	Sr Ellen Schmitz Cynthia Adams Lynnette Mueller	Ron Marine
	SUNDAY BUS DRIVER	NOAH'S ARK NURSERY	COFFEE/DONUTS 9:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00
	Christine Woloszyk	Jessica Lopez Chioma Dike	No Coffee/Donuts -- (Gen of Faith)	-----	-----	-----
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Jinette Chapman Carlton Walker Juliana Obia, Ijeoma Osuoha		Sr Frances Gerhard		No Class (Generations of Faith)		Christine Woloszyk

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Call the Siena Literacy Center at 313-532-8404 for one on one tutoring in reading, math, and ESL.

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

Q November is called the month of All Souls. More recently, it has been called the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed. Can you tell us more about this feast and the remembrances of this month?

A November 2nd, the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, dovetails with November 1st, the feast of All Saints. The saints, our models of Christian living, are one with God in heaven. All the faithful departed are those who have died with hope and trust in a loving God who calls us to greater growth and development, even beyond death. This growth and development occurs in a state of being that we have traditionally called purgatory.

While the Western Church has emphasized the cleansing and purifying nature of purgatory, the Eastern Orthodox Church has emphasized the growth and development aspect of it. Today, belief in purgatory allows one who has died in Christ to continue growing and developing before meeting God face to face. God continually invites communion with these loved ones, but some feel the need to continue growing and developing before entering into full communion with God.



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