



# Corpus Christi Catholic Community

*Building the Body of Christ*

**February 24, 2019**

**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Sunday Reflection



***What Does Love Look Like?***

This Sunday, Jesus continues his challenging Sermon on the Mount. "Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you? Give to everyone who asks of you, and from the one who takes what is yours do not demand it back." Words like these are challenging! Many of us have grown up in a culture of independence and retaliation against those who harm us. Today's Gospel reminds us that the way of the world is not necessarily the way of the disciple.

In many spiritual texts, saints describe the first stage of the spiritual life as mercenary love of God. That is, we love Him because he "pays" us with graces and good things. Consider for a moment, why do you do the good that you do? Take volunteering, for example. How often do we talk about the good feelings service evokes and how you "get so much more than you give." This is still based on an attitude of return on our investment. Would we volunteer if we knew it was good to do, but we didn't (continued on page 3)

## A Prayer for Workers

God our Creator,  
Your Word worked wonders to create  
the heavens and the earth and all they contain.

Jesus Christ our Savior and Brother,  
You labored alongside your foster father Joseph,  
living the life of an ordinary worker.

Holy Spirit, we are baptized into your life.  
You live and move and have your being in us  
as we go about our daily tasks.

On Employee Appreciation Day,  
may all who work recognize their intrinsic value.

Show them that their worth depends not  
on any task, responsibility, or skill.

Remind them that their dignity lies in You, Lord.  
In all of our labors,  
may we remember that we imitate You. Amen.

**Employee Appreciation Day**  
**March 1, 2019**

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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

### Weekend Masses:

Sat 4 pm, Sun 9 am & 11 am

### Daily/ Holy Day Masses:

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, February 25

8:30 am MASS

7:00 pm Bible Study

### Tuesday, February 26

8:30 am MASS

### Wednesday, February 27

8:30 am MASS

10:00 am SVDP ECO Works Class

5:00 pm GOF Announcement Committee Mtg

### Thursday, February 28

8:30 am MASS

6:00 pm OPCA Black History Month Dinner

### Friday, March 1

### Saturday, March 2

11:00 am FUNERAL MASS (Ron Marine)

1:00 pm SVDP - Corpus Christi Conference Mtg

2:00 pm Recovery Group

4:00 pm MASS / Rite of Sending

### Sunday, March 3

8<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Knights of Peter Claver Mtg

10:45 am Noah's Ark Nursery

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

11:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level 1

12:30 pm GENERATIONS OF FAITH

12:30 pm Confirmation Preparation 7

4:00 pm Better Men Outreach



## Get Ready For Lent

by Michele Hudson

Wonder if your life is only about being stitched together and coming undone, being stitched together and coming undone. Wondering if there is a way to feel whole? In today's time what is vital, is everyday prayer at all times, ask for a healing from pain suffering and brokenness.

Prayerful moments bring us love from feeling unloved. We are all worthy of such a healing miracle especially our young people. Our young disciples are actively seeking their personal relationship with Jesus; their healer.

The season of Lent will bring several moments for our inner self to get closer to the awesome love Jesus has waiting for us. Here at Corpus Christi be attentive to the dates our Emmaus Groups will begin.

Lenten planning is underway for Teens to meet on Saturdays at Corpus Christi. Reflections will focus on Re-Discovering Jesus. Teens may invite friends.

Special thanks to Marilyn Webb for sharing her time and talents this year.

In our greater catholic community, YFACT is calling all Teens to a Prayer Service on Friday March 1st from 6:30-9:00pm @ Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit. Our Fr. Patrick Gonyeau will lead the Prayer Service for Teens this year. Preparation for this year's Prayer Service is supported by Joyce Francois who is our Archdiocese of Detroit Central Regional Coordinator for Youth Ministry and insights from Chris Leach, Youth Minister at St. John Newman Church in Canton. Chris shared his Teen Ministry experiences with Detroit Youth Ministry Coordinators and other YFACT Adult Leaders facilitating the Prayer Service during a recent meeting at the Seminary.

Teens mark your calendar for March 1st, dinner starts at 6:30p. Come as you are and bring a friend.

Many thanks for all who assist our Teens in their faith development! Teens can feel your care as you reflect Jesus proclamation: I give you a new commandment, says the Lord: love one another as I have loved you.

Yes, these days are challenging with stress and strain...what to do? Rest with Jesus. Seek his peace and love. Prayer opens the way and gives direction. Welcome in your best Lent.

Unleash the Gospel in your Hearts! — Ms Michele

## Sunday Reflection (continued from page 1)

"feel" good afterward? What if the people we helped seemed ungrateful, or if someone at the food pantry stole \$20 out of our purse? It can be difficult to love people when we think we might not get anything back. "For if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you?"

As Christians, we are called to imitate God. We follow a God who loves not only His closest friends, but who loves betrayers, deniers, and crucifiers. The Christian walk is one of perseverance and sacrifice. What does your love look like?

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## Young Adult News

### THEOLOGY ON TAP

Tuesday, March 5, 7 - 8:30 pm

@ Royal Oak Taphouse

714 S Washington Avenue, Royal Oak

Catholic young adults 18 - 35 are invited to Theology on Tap with Bishop Gerard Battersby (who served as Associate Pastor at St. Gerard!). Come celebrate Fat Tuesday with great food, drinks, friends, and an inspiring talk to help launch you into Lent. Check out "Detroit Catholic Young Adults" on Facebook for more details.

### YCP EXECUTIVE SPEAKER SERIES

Wednesday, February 27, 7 pm

@ Saint Peter Claver, Detroit

13305 Grove Street, Detroit

The Young Catholic Professionals (YCP) Executive Speaker Series is a FREE event for young professionals in their 20s and 30s, during which an executive shares his/her professional and faith journeys. Clark Durant, President, New Common School Foundation will be the evening's presenter, following networking and complimentary food and drinks. To RSVP or for more information, visit [www.ycpdetroit.org](http://www.ycpdetroit.org).

### PAID SUMMER WORK EXPERIENCE

Visit [GDYT.org](http://GDYT.org) to learn more or to apply.

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### Church of the Home

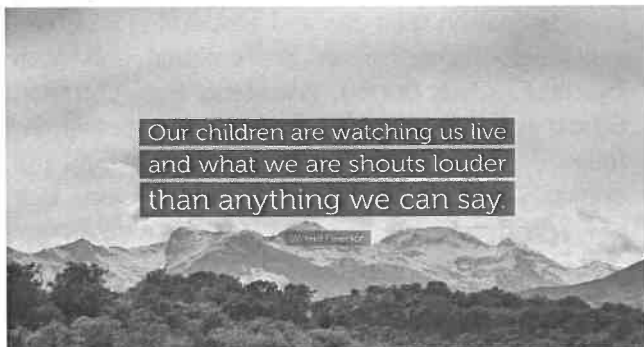
**Choral Music Program**  
The Cathedral Choir Academy of Detroit is a comprehensive after school choral music program serving both urban and suburban youth of all faiths in Grades 3 - 9. The program is held on Tuesdays from 4:30 - 6:30 pm at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament, 8944 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. Tuition is \$50 per singer (dinner is included); some scholarships are available. Program director is Susan M. Lindquist. For more information, you may call 313-883-2867 or email [cathedral.aod.org](mailto:cathedral.aod.org).

### Come Encounter Christ!

High school and middle school youth and their families are invited to attend **Come Encounter Christ for Youth and Families** on Saturday, March 9 from 5 to 7 pm at historical Ste. Anne Parish, 1000 Sainte Anne Street, Detroit. The evening will provide dynamic preaching, powerful praise and worship music, opportunities for reconciliation, and adoration of our Lord, Jesus. Free on-site parking is available.

### Camp Sancta Maria

Camp Sancta Maria is honored to have a role in the process of forming young Christian lives. At Camp Sancta Maria, your son will experience 1 – 2 weeks full of fun, personal growth and spiritual development in a technology free zone. Their time at camp is filled with activities for everyone: horseback riding, swimming, ropes course, sports, arts and crafts and more. But most importantly their times at CSM is balances out the physical activates with a strong spiritual environment with campers attending daily Mass, praying the angelus and having quiet time to reflect on their relationship with Christ. To learn more about Camp Sancta Maria or to register online, visit [CampSanctaMaria.aod.org](http://CampSanctaMaria.aod.org).



### Spiritual Healing Prayer Service for Teens

**Fri, Mar 1  
6:30 - 9 pm**

Fr. Patrick Gonyeau will lead a Spiritual Healing Prayer Service for Teens at Sacred Heart Major Seminary. High school age youth are invited to attend. The evening begins with a meal at 6:30 pm followed by prayer at 7:30 pm. To sign up, contact Ms. Joyce Francois at 313-570-8865 by Wednesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>.

### Paid Summer Work Experience for ages 14 - 24

Are you a City of Detroit resident interested in a paid summer work experience that will help build skills that will last a lifetime? Visit [GDYT.org](http://GDYT.org) to learn more and/or to complete an application. Online applications will be accepted through Friday, March 15. Please use code C1093 on your application.

### Corpus Christi Youth Mission Trip June 23 - 29, 2019

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

### Everyday Stewardship

I sometimes spend more money than I should. I make decisions based upon my wants and not my needs. Those actions can create a financial difficulty or circumstance where more sacrifice is needed. Instant gratification or selfish impulses can create havoc in one's bank account, marriage, or family. All these issues to deal with simply because I wanted what I wanted and I got it. Yes, it sounds like the actions of a child.

However, I know I am not alone. We all can easily find ourselves acting in this manner. This is *(continued on page 7)*



## BULLETIN BOARD

**HIRING:** Signet Golf Associates is seeking skilled, reliable laborers to join their operation of the Chandler Park Golf Course (313-331-7755), Detroit, the Rackham Golf Course (248-543-4040), Huntington Woods, and the Rouge Park Golf Course (313-837-5900). Full time and part time seasonal positions available; HS diploma or GED preferred; pay range is \$10 - \$12 per hour.

**JOB OPENING:** Sacred Heart Parish in Detroit seeks a full-time Business Manager. Must have knowledge or experience with non-profit accounting, human resources, and other non-profit practices. Supervisory experience. To request job description or send resume, email [Shbusmgr@gmail.com](mailto:Shbusmgr@gmail.com) by March 1<sup>st</sup>.

**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.

**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.

**PILGRIMAGE TO VIETNAM, MAY 15-28, 2019.** Discover the natural beauty, culture, and faith of exotic Vietnam and her many Catholic saints and martyrs with Fr. John Vandenakker of the Companions of the Cross. Visit [www.companionscross.org/upcoming-events](http://www.companionscross.org/upcoming-events) for details.

**PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY, JUNE 12-20, 2019:** Deacon John McKenzie invites you to join him in Italy on a pilgrimage of thanksgiving after he receives Holy Orders this year. Visit Rome, Assisi, and Norcia. Contact Pilgrimages by Corporate Travel at 866-468-1420 or visit [www.ctscentral.net](http://www.ctscentral.net) (click on pilgrimages, then upcoming tours, then enter "Deacon John McKenzie" in the Find A Pilgrimage box).



### ☐ 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; we currently have only 2 ushers serving at the 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. 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.

### ☐ 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, call 586-464-4865.

## COMING EVENTS:

### Feb 24 Black History Month Celebration

The Archdiocese of Detroit Office for Black Catholic Ministries presents "*Honoring The Past / Walking In The Future*," on Sunday, February 24 at 4:00 pm in St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, 3138 East Canfield Street, Detroit. No cost; all are welcome. A reception will follow in the St. Elizabeth Center. Call 313-596-7103 for details.

### Feb 25 Christian Yoga

Come to Manresa Retreat House, 1390 Quarton Road (corner of Woodward), Bloomfield Hills on Monday, February 25 from 5:30 to 6:45 pm for this healthy, healing practice in an atmosphere of prayer, sacred music, and scripture. Cost is \$12. Call 248-644-4933 for details.

### Feb 26-Mar 1 Grief Support

2/26 Tue 10:30 am - 12 n Southfield  
Reverence Hospice *Healing the Heart* 586-464-4841

2/27 Tue 1:00 - 2:30 pm Livonia  
Angela Hospice *Peer Support* 866-464-7810

3/1 Fri 10:30 - 11:30 am Royal Oak  
Hospice of MI *Grief and Loss* 248-334-1323

### Mar 1 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.

### Mar 2 Black Catholic Speaker Series

Part 2 of *Catholic Disciples On Mission*, a four-part speaker series for Black Catholics of Detroit, continues with *New Evangelization: Proclaiming the Church's Social Teaching* on Saturday, March 2 at 9:00 am at St. Charles Lwanga Church, 10400 Stoepel, Detroit. Dr. Mark Latkovic from Sacred Heart Major Seminary will be the presenter. To pre-register, visit <https://disciplesonmission.eventbrite.com> or call St. Charles Lwanga Parish at 313-933-6788.

### Mar 2 A Gathering Of Artists

*Creative Juices: A Spirituality of Creating*, a gathering of artists, will meet Saturday, March 2 from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm at Visitation North Spirituality Center, 7227 Lahser Road, Bloomfield Hills. Freewill offering. Call 248-433-0950 for more information or to register.

## Retreat Schedule

### • Mon, Feb 25, 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 accepted.

### • Fri - Sun, Mar 1 - 3

"Your Lifeguard Walks On Water" Weekend Retreat

@ St Mary's Retreat House

775 W Drahner Rd, Oxford

— Are you "drowning" in the challenges of life? Take some time away to reflect on how Jesus helps us through the struggles of life. Fr. Cornelius Okeke is the director. For more information or to reserve a room, call Dee Woolley at 313-999-9386 or visit [www.stmarysretreathouse.org](http://www.stmarysretreathouse.org).

### • Sat, Mar 2, 10 am - 12 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 McDevitt, IHM. Suggested donation is a free-will offering. Call 248-433-0950 or visit [www.visitationnorth.org](http://www.visitationnorth.org) to sign up or for more information.

### • Wed, Mar 6, 9:15 am - 3:00 pm

Midweek Day of Reflection

@ St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center

23333 Schoolcraft, Detroit

— Begin the season of Lent by spending some quiet time with the Lord. The cost for the day is \$30 per person and includes a delicious hot lunch; call 313-286-2800 for more information or to register.





# Stewardship UPDATE



## Collection Report

Weekly Budget	\$ 7762.00
Sunday Offerings 2-17-2019	\$ 8842.00
Solemnity of Mary 2-17-2019	\$ 25.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 0.00

### Everyday Stewardship *(continued from page 4)*

why it struck me to listen once again to the words of Jesus when he says, "Do to others as you would have them do to you." The words are reminiscent of another of Jesus' phrases, "Love your neighbor as yourself." The problem is that too often I would like for others to fulfill my wants instead of needs, and I can seemingly love myself by doing what I already mentioned above.

A stewardship way of life means that I wisely steward what I have, and I cannot give what I do not have. Have you ever given someone a present you couldn't afford and think that was love? It wasn't. We don't show love by giving what we do not possess. We show love by meeting another's needs and by sharing our very self with them. At our core, what we long for from others more than anything else is love. Would I have others give me lavish gifts and shower me with empty compliments or would I have them give to me something much more valuable: the love in their hearts? In turn, I need to love myself more by realizing that no purchase will offer fulfillment more than the love of God shown to me in Christ Jesus.

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### 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).



## Scriptures for the Week

### Readings for the Week of February 24, 2019

Sunday:	1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23 1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38
Monday:	Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday:	Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday:	Sir 4:11-19/Mk 9:38-40
Thursday:	Sir 5:1-8/Mk 9:41-50
Friday:	Sir 6:5-17/Mk 10:1-12
Saturday:	Sir 17:1-15/Mk 10:13-16

### 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 27:4-7/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45



## Questions of the Week

### First Reading

Today's reading is an excerpt from a longer story of how King David spared Saul's life. David was determined not to murder Saul - "the Lord's anointed" - despite Saul seeking to kill David. What does this reveal about the character of King David?

### Second Reading

As Paul begins to draw to a close his discussion on the resurrection of Christ, he contrasts the first man (Adam) with the last Adam (Christ). What do you find most interesting about Paul's insights about Adam and Christ?

### Gospel Reading

Jesus implores his followers to love their enemies and to stop judging others. How do you measure yourself against these moral imperatives?



**Clarence Wodarski (2/7)**

brother of Dolores Wodarski

**Brenda Feggins (2/7)**

sister in law of Pat Burnett





**Feb 25  
thru  
Mar 3**

Monday	8:30 am	+ Irene Unsleber (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Tuesday	8:30 am	+ Vivian Cook (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Wednesday	8:30 am	For a Special Intention (req by Clara Onwudinjo)
Thursday	8:30 am	For Our Homebound Members
Friday		<i>No Mass or Communion Service</i>
Saturday	4:00 pm	+ Lorna Norkus (req by Daughters of Charity) + Anna El-Hajj (req by Carol El-Hajj)
Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 pm	For the People of Corpus Christi + Irene Unsleber (req by Adele Waddell)



### Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

Ken Banka	Ella Goldsmith	Bob Lindsay	Phyllis Raines	<b>Homebound:</b>	Ruth Hill
Doris Billion	Gary Greening	Nancy Loper	Sally Rimbart	Synia Benjamin	Ronald Hills
Paul Billion	Sr Rachelle Harper	Valerie McDonald	Joy Robinson	Jackie Bodenhorn	Marie Leonard
Marcelle Blackmon	Clint Harris	Kathy Montgomery	Leatrice Robinson	Evelyn Brantley	Jim Lorenger
Wanda Bradley	Ima Horton	Paul Mueller	Elyse Ryder	Beverly B-Johnson	Beverly Miller
Alelia Busby	Mary C. Hustoles	Yve Nemeth	Pauline Simpson	Angeline Butler	Margaret Nielsen
Jefferie Cook Sr	Edward Hustoles	Gina Nunnally	Bernice Slaughter	Michelle Cagle	John Onwudinjo
Terrie C-Henderson	Gloria James	Shirley Oldenburg	Donna Storie	Joseph Cagle Sr	Evangeline Pruett
Sheri Dargin	Roswitha Jordan	Ernestine O'Neil	Colletta Sykes	Phyllis Clyburn	Hulda Reed
Mary Davis	Richard Kohler	Elaine O'Neill	Brendia Thomas	Clairmina Danjou	Isiah Searls
Kevin DeMatas	Fannie Larkins	Sharon Ortman	Charlotte Turner	Felisa Deluna	Joseph Shelton
Vickie Figueroa	Myrna Leonard	Sue Padalino	Adele Waddell	Judories Fort	Mary Pat Shelton
Renita Fletcher	Marilyn Lewandowski	Helen Parkman	Kathy Wilson	Margaret Gassoway	
Roy Ford	John Johnson	Christine Phanord	Christine Woloszyk	Martha Harris	
Rosemary Givens	Sharon Lewis	Vernard Plain		Ed Hill Jr	



### Please Pray For Our Relatives and Friends:

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

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



## Generations of Faith 2018 - 2019

### ~~Blessed~~ Beatitudes: "Going Against The Flow"

Pope Frances calls us to go against the flow of the negative values around us and to strive to live the calling of the eight Beatitudes.

On Sunday, March 3rd from immediately after the 11 am Mass until 3 pm, Corpus Christi calls YOU to learn more about two more of the Beatitudes at our next **Generations of Faith** session. By YOU we mean everyone — all ages — nursery, preschool, elementary, middle school, high school, Confirmation candidates, young adults, adults, not-so-young adults! (as usual, lunch will be served for those attending the session)

Which Beatitudes will we be studying?

**Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.**

**Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

Who will be facilitating the adult session?



**Fr. Tom Lumpkin,**  
a diocesan priest who:

- \* founded the Catholic Worker Community (Day House) in 1978 on Trumbull St in Detroit's Corktown,
- \* co-manages The Manna Community Meal Program near the old Tiger Stadium (Manna Meals serves free, hot meals 5 days a week to some 200 people.),
- \* says Mass on Sundays at the Wayne County Jail

Fr. Tom, as he prefers to be called, grew up in northwest Detroit, decided to become a priest, and studied for 4 years in France and Belgium. It was while traveling in Europe that his eyes were opened to stark poverty. After his ordination, Fr. Tom served in several suburban parishes but felt called to ask for an assignment with the poor. Since 1978, he has lived in a small room at Day House which houses women escaping domestic violence and life on the street.

Fr. Tom will share his own hunger for righteousness and his many experiences with life among the homeless and those struggling with poverty.



**From the Parish  
Health Advocacy  
Team**

## **Women and Heart Disease**

Do you know what causes cardiovascular disease in women? What about the survival rate? Or whether women of all ethnicities share the same risk?

The fact is: cardiovascular disease is the No. 1 killer of women, causing 1 in 3 deaths each year. That's approximately one woman every minute!

But it doesn't affect all women alike, and the warning signs for women aren't the same in men. What's more: These facts only begin to scratch the surface.

There are several misconceptions about heart disease in women, and they could be putting you at risk. The American Heart Association's Go Red For Women movement advocates for more research and swifter action for women's heart health for this very reason. Visit <https://www.goredforwomen.org> to learn more about the risk factors and healthy living.

The more a woman knows about heart disease, the better chance she has of beating it. The first facts you need to know are very serious: Heart disease and stroke cause 1 in 3 deaths among women each year – more than all cancers combined. Fortunately, we can change that because 80 percent of cardiac and stroke events may be prevented with education and action.

It may not be at the top of most women's to-do lists, but caring for your heart through a healthy diet and regular physical activity is the secret weapon to preventing heart disease. While many may assume that popping a few pills that your healthcare provider prescribed is enough to quell symptoms or prevent a heart attack, the real preventative power lies with real changes to your lifestyle – which can reduce the risk for heart disease by as much as 80 percent.



## Please Donate to Haiti Outreach Mission



Haiti Outreach Mission's annual trip to Haiti has been cancelled due to the dangerous conditions of unrest in the country.

Corpus Christi Parish usually takes up a collection of over the counter medications to be taken on the mission trip. The medications are still needed. Our Social Justice Committee asks you to consider a monetary donation, which will be wired directly to the priests at the mission.

Special envelopes for your donation are available in the church pews and at the back of church. Please drop it off in the basket at the back of church (not the offertory basket) when you come to Mass or at the parish office during normal business hours.



The Journey is a 6-week process of sharing, prayer, and reflection that can help everyone — active parishioner or not — grow in faith. The participant book cost is only \$5. We will also be using chapters from “Rediscover Jesus” and free copies will be available. Sign up at the back of church or call the parish office.

### Emmaus Group Schedule

(Group #) Leader	Day	Beginning	Time	Location
(1) Deacon Mark Springer	Monday	March 11	7:00 - 8:30 pm	26105 Orchard Lake Rd
(2) Leary Gilpin	Monday	March 11	7:00 - 8:30 pm	Rainbow Room
(3) Fr. Don Archambault	Monday	March 11	7:00 - 8:30 pm	Rectory Basement
(4) Elaine O'Neill	Tuesday	March 5	7:00 - 8:30 pm	Rectory Living Room
(5) Sr. Therese Mac Kinnon	Wednesday	March 6	1:30 - 3:00 pm	Outreach Center
(6) Paul Moore	Saturday	March 9	10:00 - 11:30 am	Rectory Basement
(7) M Hudson/M Webb (Teens)	Saturday	March 9	12:30 - 2:00 pm	Activities Center
(8) Fr Patrick/D Webb (YA, 18-35)	Saturday	March 9	12:30 - 2:00 pm	Activities Center
(9) Katrina Smith	Saturday	March 9	12:30 - 2:00 pm	Activities Center

## COMMUNITY

### O'HAIR PARK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION BLACK HISTORY MONTH DINNER

Thu, Feb 28, 6 - 8 pm in the Rainbow Room

Their theme this year is “Believe In Becoming!” Come celebrate African-American heritage. Enjoy dinner with Corpus Christi parishioners and neighbors. Help recognize those who have believed and became. To buy tickets or for more information, contact Yelena at 313-996-5561.

### MEET CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT BRENDA JONES

Fri, Mar 1, 8 - 10 am

at Mary's Grill One, 20804 Plymouth Rd, Detroit

Join Brenda Jones for coffee and conversation. Bring your comments, concerns, questions, and compliments.

### MARCH 6 O'CLOCK SERIES

Fri, Mar 4, 11, 18, 25, 6 - 7:30 pm

at Redford Township District Library

25320 W 6 Mile Rd, Redford Township

State Representative Leslie Love will host town hall meetings every Monday in March. The topic for March 4 is Heart Health and Diabetes. For more information, call 855-568-3010 or email [leslielove@house.mi.gov](mailto:leslielove@house.mi.gov).

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## Weekend Ministries Schedule ■ March 2 / 3 ■ 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

	LECTORS	EMES	SERVERS	GREETERS	LITURGY OF WORD W/ CHILDREN	LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
Sat 4:00	Colleen Flaherty Denise Limbach	Jinette Chapman Sr Heather Stiverson	Stanley Abulu Valerie Abulu	Gloria James	-----	Sandy Kalman
Sun 9:00	No 9:00 Mass — Generations of Faith	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Sun 11:00	Christeena Livingston-Long John Mueller	Team 3 + 1 - Ernestine O'Neil	Conner Mueller David Mueller Nathan Mueller Juliana Obia	Canelita Bennett-Thurman Verna Kelser	Miriam Hudson Cynthia Adams Lynnette Mueller	Glennys Merritt
	SUNDAY BUS DRIVER	NOAH'S ARK NURSERY	COFFEE/DONUTS 9:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00
	Kurt Thornbladh	Jessica Lopez Nancy Onyegbule	No Coffee/Donuts — Generations of Faith	-----	-----	-----
CATECHESIS OF GOOD SHEPHERD 1		CATECHESIS OF GOOD SHEPHERD 2/3		RCIA CLASS		RCIA DISMISSAL
Jinette Chapman John Mueller Chinelo Ezeanya, Chidi Dike		Sr Frances Gerhard		No Class — Generations of Faith		TBD



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### NOTARY PUBLIC

Call **313-850-6219** (cell) or **313-635-2878** (residence). Parish member. No calls after 8 pm please.

### SOCIAL SECURITY ONLINE

To apply for benefits or conduct business, visit [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://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](http://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](http://healthcare.gov) or [marketplace.cms.gov](http://marketplace.cms.gov)

**Q I read in the catechism that marriage is indissoluble. Why then does the Church issue annulments?**

**A** Sacramental marriage is indeed indissoluble. You can find this in several places in the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Indissolubility is foundational to the union of marriage (CCC 1646) and required by spousal love (CCC 1644). This quality of marriage draws its meaning from the fidelity of Jesus to his Bride, the Church (CCC 1647). Spouses give themselves forever to each other. Through the vows and their consummation, the spouses form a covenantal bond that binds them as one. Indissolubility presumes and depends on this sacramental bond between the spouses.

Sometimes, however, there are impediments to marriage that are overlooked, poorly understood, or unknown. It is possible that at the time of the vows, something was either present or absent that made the consent invalid. The ceremony itself does not bring about the sacrament. The priest is the official witness of the Church, but he is not the minister of the sacrament. The husband and wife are the ministers of the sacrament to each other. Without the full, free, and able consent of the man and the woman, no sacrament takes place. An annulment does not destroy the marriage bond. It is an acknowledgement that the sacramental bond did not form in the first place.



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