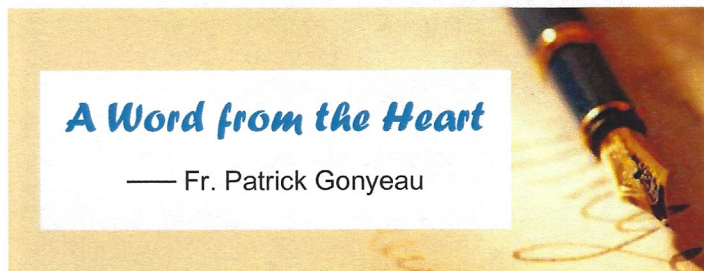


Corpus Christi Parish

"Building the Body of Christ"



We strive to radiate
the presence of Jesus Christ
in our parish and community
and invite others to join us
on our journey.



Share His Heart

In this weekend's Gospel (Mk 6:30-34) we meditate on the compassion of Jesus. After the 12 apostles returned after being sent out by Jesus, they reported to him all they had done and taught, and He said to them "come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest awhile." (Mk 6:31) Yet, as Jesus and the apostles traveled by boat to the deserted place for some prayerful restoration, we read that "people saw them leaving and many came to know about it. They hastened there on foot from all the towns and arrived at the place before them." (Mk 6:33). What happened next was amazing.

"When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd, and he began to teach them many things." (Mk 6:34) The Greek word for compassion in this passage of Mark's Gospel indicates not only a mental alertness to the situation, but an emotive response, too, as in being **deeply moved**. As Jesus looked at the vast crowd, his heart **burned** for them with love. The plans changed. His disciples most likely took a deep breath and followed their compassionate master's lead. There is wisdom here for us.

As disciples of Jesus, developing a devotion to His Sacred Heart brings special blessings. He invites us to share His divine life: "Come to me all you who are labored and are burdened, and I will give you rest, take my yoke upon you and learn from me..." (Mt 11:28-29). As we seek to share the heart of Jesus, we grow in our ability to share His compassion. We find ourselves drawn to help people in new ways, able to allow our schedules to change when Jesus reveals that He has something else on our schedule that He wants to bring us into. Our continued response to His invitation — to daily share in His divine life, loving as He loves, and sharing His Heart — is the way, the truth, and the life that brings the true and lasting joy that God created us for. (Jn 15:11)

Families of Parishes Update

Last week I was blessed to meet with the priests in our family (Fr. Jaime, Fr. Athanasius, Fr. Jim, and Fr. Jerry) to engage in the prayerful labor of putting together our priest covenant. This document will establish how we work together as a team of priests that cares for our family of parishes.

As a team of priests, we have prayed together before the Most Blessed Sacrament several times and did so for an hour before our meeting the other day. It is a great blessing to be able to be brother priests and support each other. By the grace of God, we are developing a wonderful rapport and are working well together, and thankfully...everyone has a good sense of humor as well! *(continued on page 3)*

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Corpus Christi Directory

Parish Office Hours: All parish buildings remain closed
Weekend Masses: Saturday 4 pm, Sunday 9 am and 11am
Daily / Holy Day Masses: See weekly parish schedule
Parish Address: 19800 Pembroke Ave
 Detroit MI 48219-2145
 313-537-5770
Parish Phone:
Parish E-Mail Address: ParishOffice.cc@corpuschristi-detroit.org
Parish Website: www.corpuschristi-detroit.org

Parish Buildings Activities Center, 19910 Evergreen Rd
 Outreach Center, 16000 Pembroke Ave
 School Building, 19900 Evergreen Rd

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Administrator Fr. Patrick Gonyeau
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 313-528-6933
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 313-293-8949
Christian Service Director Curtis.SimpsonJr “
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Director of Operations Carolyn.Wilson “
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 313-437-8112
Fellowship Events Coordinator Mary.Davis “
 313-506-7049
Maintenance Assistant Samuel Fooks “
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Maintenance Coordinator Gregory.Spight “
 313-486-2146
Ministers of Music Michelle.Baines “
 313-537-5770 Fannie.Larkins “
Parish Secretary/Pastoral Asst Miriam.Hudson “
 313-537-5770
Pastoral Associate Paul.Mueller “
 313-349-3896
Youth Minister Marilyn.Webb “
 313-636-1741

Deacons: Paul.Mueller@corpuschristi-detroit.org
 248-891-9387
 Aaron.Poyer@corpuschristi-detroit.org
 734-718-0150

Parish Council President: Christeena Livingston-Long christeena04@gmail.com 734-512-9570

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays, 1–3:45 pm; during Penance services; by appointment (call parish office)

Sick Calls/Prayer Requests: Please call parish office

Funerals: Please call parish office before making arrangements with the funeral home

Sacrament of Baptism: Please call parish office

Sacrament of Marriage: Please call parish office at least six months before the wedding date

Adrian Dominican Sisters Convent: 248-990-4806 19910 Evergreen Road, Detroit MI 48219-2044

The Week Ahead



Monday, July 19

8:30 am MASS

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

Tuesday, July 20

8:30 am COMMUNION SERVICE

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

9:30 am FUNERAL (Connie Phillips)

6:00 pm VON Ministry

Wednesday, July 21

Thursday, July 22

8:30 am MASS

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

11:00 am Parish Leadership Team

Friday, July 23

8:30 am MASS

9 – 3 NWDYC Summer Camp

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

Saturday, July 24

10:30 am VON Ministry

1:00 pm CONFESSIONS (to 3:45 pm)

4:00 pm MASS

Sunday, July 25

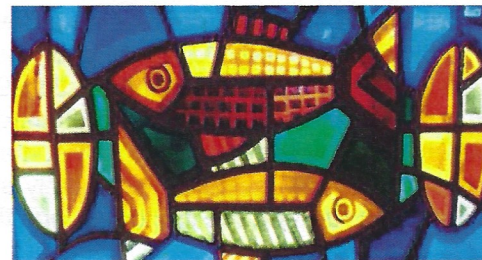
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am MASS

9:00 am Considering Catholicism

9:00 am CGS Level 2 and 3

11:00 am MASS



Holy Homework

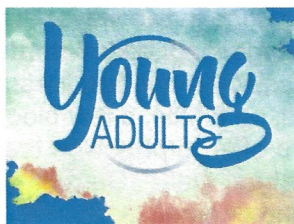
Take 15 minutes each day this week to sit with Jesus and talk with Him about the love of His Sacred Heart and how your heart can be more filled with the love of His heart.

There will be special graces you encounter this week as you keep this conversation going with Jesus all week. He likes to speak with us and also demonstrate, through life experiences, what He is teaching. 😊

A Word from the Heart (continued from page 1)

I want to thank you, Corpus Christi family, for asking so many good questions regarding FoP! It took a little longer than I'd hoped, but the questions have been answered (as best as possible) and a document with the questions and answers is available on our FoP tab on our website. Also, there are hard copies in the back of the Church. Please know that I'm also glad to talk if you want to ask questions or discuss FoP with me. Simply call Miriam and she can set up an appointment, or just grab me after mass 😊. God bless you brothers and sisters! Thank you for your witness to Jesus! Love and blessings

— Fr. Patrick



St. Aloysius Parish
Benediction, Bocce,
and Brews
Mon Jul 19
7:00 – 9:30 pm

— Join other young adults for Benediction (Holy Hour) in St. Aloysius Church and for Bocce and Brews at The Beer Exchange, Detroit (use the Grand River entrance). Street Parking with the Park Detroit App or Park Rite Garage at City Club Apartments.

To see a list of other young adult events, visit <https://www.aod.org/events/calendar/young-adults>.



Central Trinity Vicariate 1 (CTV1)

Corpus Christi Parish

<http://www.corpuschristi-detroit.org>

Presentation/Our Lady of Victory Parish

<http://presentationourladyofvictory.org/>

SS. Peter and Paul Parish (Westside)

<http://www.ssppdetroit.net>

St. Juan Diego Parish

<http://www.familiamdei.com>

St. Mary of Redford Parish

<https://saintmaryofredford.church>

St. Scholastica Parish

<https://scholastica.church/>

Learn About Your Role In CTV1!

Living the Mission as a Lay Disciple: A Personal Journey of Encounter, Grow, Witness is a 2 hour FREE online course presented in 5 modules:

Introduction

— Kate Baumer Spore, Missionary for the Department of Missionary Strategic Planning

The Detroit Model of Evangelization: Why It Matters to You

— Patty Chase, Regional Coordinator for the Office of Catechesis

An Encounter that Changes Everything

— Sarah Kaczmarek, Director of Pastoral Ministry at Encounter Ministries

Using Scripture to Grow in Faith After Encountering Jesus

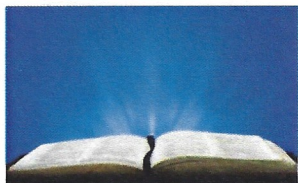
— Fr. Brian Meldrum, Sacred Heart Major Seminary Faculty Member

Let Others See Jesus in You – Giving Witness

— Fr. Patrick Gonyeau, Administrator at Corpus Christi Parish

Register at

<https://learn.egwdetroit.org/courses/living-the-mission-as-a-lay-disciple>



Sunday Reflection: A Message of Joy and Hope

The fact of the matter is that preaching the Gospel has everything to do with you, with all of us who are baptized members of the Body of Christ. There's a safe way, which many choose, to preach the Gospel — and the risky way. The safe way pretty much keeps the Gospel in church and around like-minded people. I say my prayers, go to Mass, contribute to the food pantry, tithe, and attend Bible Study. That pretty much covers the bases, right? Wrong.

The risky way is the more challenging way and for many, the “road less traveled.” Imagine those first disciples going out and into people's homes. They must have had some amazing conversations with folks about God's kingdom, changing their hearts, forgiving sins, and looking at the world differently. They must have met people who were hurting, exiled from their communities, neglected, lost, or living self-insulated lives in a society that served the rich and neglected the poor. While there were many who welcomed what they had to say and the conversations they had, there were others who no doubt rejected them and literally tossed them out on their ears! The Gospel, while being a message of joy and hope, is not always received well by those who are very comfortable keeping things as they are.

The risky way involves example and conversation. We have to take the Gospel from church and carry it with us wherever we go. What kinds of conversations do we have with others? We interact with those closest to us, in our work, social circles, institutions, corporations, in politics, and beyond. If we are really interested in seeing God's vision for the world succeed, then we will talk about it. It will become a part of our everyday conversation and find its way into our interactions with others. How will we preserve the dignity of human life and encourage others to have a relationship with God? We must be the example, live value centered, virtuous lives, stand against injustice, combating racism, and learn ways to resolve conflicts without violence.

If we are going to succeed going forward, we have to find a way to bring our prayer centered lives into the marketplace. Not everyone wants to hear what the Gospel has to say. That's a risk God asks us to take. ©LPi

It Is All About You Lord by Deacon Paul Mueller, Pastoral Associate

“His heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd.” Mark 6:34. Today's Gospel story reveals the Lord's tremendous love for people, back then 2000 years ago, and here, today, in 2021. That love includes each and every one of us ... us Corpus Christi members, us Christians, AND every other living human being. Wouldn't it be great if every living person got that message, accepted it, and then lived out a life in tune with it? Absolutely! Yes, it is called “Evangelization”, spreading the good news.

How about this? Is there someone you already know who could really use that good news? If so, how about inviting them to our program called “**Considering Catholicism?**”. At 9:30 am on Sunday mornings in the Rainbow Room we meet with people and answer the questions and concerns they have about Catholicism. “Considering Catholicism” starts today and will continue through September. The sessions end at 10:45 am with enough time for a break before the 11:00 Mass. Watch the parish calendar ... there are a couple Sundays where we will skip a session, like on Labor Day weekend.

And, how about people we **don't** know? About a dozen or so people are working on meeting with people we don't know and inviting them to find out more about Jesus here at Corpus Christi. This is being done in two ways: VON (Visiting Our Neighbors) and SFE (Store Front Evangelization). On Tuesday evenings and late Saturday mornings, depending on rain or shine (!), we go out in teams of two or three. We are visiting homes just west of Lahser between 7 and 8 Mile. We are standing outside the entrance doors at Food Land, on 8 Mile, a few blocks east of Evergreen. We give people an invitation to look into Corpus Christi and then we offer to pray with them for any needs they might have. Would you possibly like to see how we do this? How about that? Care to talk with me about that? Please see page two of this bulletin for ways to contact me via phone or email.

May the dear Lord remind us often of how much He loves us!

— **Deacon Paul**



Church of the Home

Take Time To Chat

Explore the Gospel as a family. Choose someone to read aloud **Mark 6:30-34**. Find the Gospel at <https://www.52sundays.com/sundays/july-18-2021>.

Discuss the following questions as a family:

Jesus wanted his apostles to rest after they ministered to the people. Why is it important to rest?

Jesus also wanted to spend some quiet time with his disciples. Jesus wants to spend quiet time with you too. What are some ways you can spend quiet time with Jesus?

Why were there so many people following Jesus? Why was he so popular?

Family Prayer

Pray this prayer in the evening or before bedtime.

Prayer of Saint John Henry Newman

May the Lord support us all the day
long,
Til the shades lengthen and the
evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.
Then in his mercy
may he give us a safe lodging,
and holy rest,
and peace at the last.
AMEN

Natural Family Planning Awareness Week, July 25 – 31



"To have ... To hold ... To honor, Natural Family Planning, Supporting God's gifts of love and life in marriage" is the theme of this year's National Natural Family Planning Awareness Week, an educational campaign of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) to celebrate God's vision for marriage and promote the methods of Natural Family Planning.

The dates of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week are **July 25–31, 2021**. These dates highlight the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae vitae* (July 25) which articulates Catholic beliefs about human sexuality, marriage, conjugal love, and responsible parenthood.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Nicole Joyce, NFP Coordinator at joyce.nicole@aod.org or (313) 237-5776.



TO HAVE AND TO HOLD MARRIED DATE NIGHT

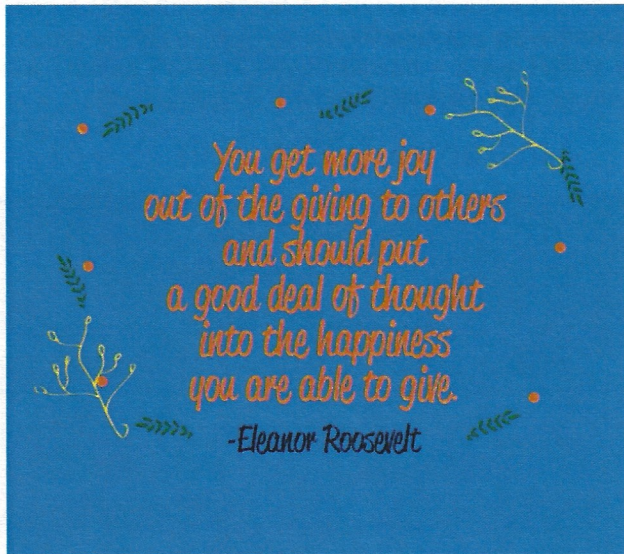
Friday, July 30 at 6:30 pm

Guardian Angels Catholic Church
581 East 14 Mile Road, Clawson
\$50.00 PER COUPLE

Register at to-have-and-to-hold.eventbrite.com/

Sunday Offertory Report

Weekly Budget 2021 – 2022	\$ 8,115.00
Sunday Offerings 7-11-2021	\$ 5,504.00
St. Christine Soup Kitchen	\$
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 0.00



Everyday Stewardship

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock! When you hear these strong words from the Old Testament, you're probably thinking, thank goodness I don't have any sheep — dodged that bullet. Nobody misled here! No flock scattered on my watch! However, we are all shepherds of a kind, called to tend our own sheep: our families, our parishes, our communities.

But it's exhausting. Don't we all sometimes just want to take a break from being a steward? The excuses are so familiar: we're tired, we've done enough, we've given all we can, what more does the parish (or my spouse, or my kids, or my boss, or my friends, or my community) want? We give ourselves permission to be selfish. So, what if the flock scatters just a little?

Jesus gets that. We can just imagine him weary with exhaustion, can't we? We see him on his boat, attempting to sneak away for a quick break — maybe just a chance to eat a bite of food in peace. He is God, but he was still human, after all. Even the most dedicated shepherds need to sleep. But people couldn't leave him alone. They were hungry for him. They needed what he could offer, and they needed it now.

As tough as it is, that's the example we are tasked with imitating. Everyday Stewardship demands accountability. It demands our showing up even when we are tired. It demands that we look at our lives, our time, our energies,

our talents, our hearts, our bank accounts and think: where do I still have more to give? — *Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS*

Readings for the Week

Sunday	Jer 23:1-6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34
Monday	Ex 14:5-18/Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday	Ex 14:21—15:1/Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Mt 13:1-9
Thursday	Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Friday	Ex 20:1-17/Mt 13:18-23
Saturday	Ex 24:3-8/Mt 13:24-30

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

"Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted."

Questions of the Week

First Reading: The prophet Jeremiah spoke of God's negative reaction to "the shepherds" (false rulers) who neglected and mislead his "sheep" (the people of Israel and Judah). What characteristics make for an ideal leader?

Second Reading:

Paul taught the Ephesians that through his cross and resurrection, Jesus established unity and peace for all believers. When have you experienced harmony in your faith community?

Gospel:

Jesus encouraged the apostles to retreat and rest after their successful missionary work, but the crowds made that difficult. What gets in your way from resting and retreating?

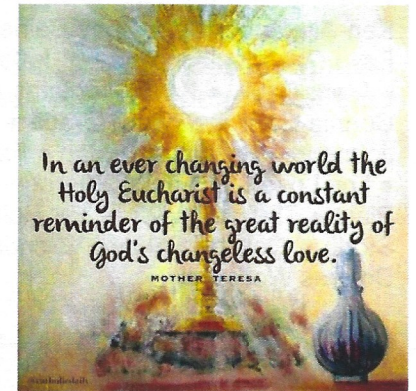


July 18 – 25, 2021

Monday	8:30 am	+ Eldridge Hollings (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Tuesday	8:30 am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Wednesday	<i>No Mass or Communion Service</i>	
Thursday	8:30 am	For Our Homebound Members
Friday	8:30 am	For the People of Haiti
Saturday	4:00 pm	For the People of Corpus Christi
Sunday	9:00 am	For Grandparents and the Elderly
Sunday	11:00 am	+ Curtis E. Spencer (req by Elsie Pitts Spencer)

Please Pray for Those with Covid-19:

Christopher Davis • Sr. Elizabeth Flaherty • Dee Hunt
 • Christopher Johnson • Cassandra Lowe • Patrick O'Neill
 • Sean O'Neill • Jean Rooney • David Slaughter
 • Matt Smale • Michelle Talley • Juan Windham



Those who are fully vaccinated are not required to wear a mask or socially distance when attending Mass, though they certainly can continue to do so if they wish. Those who are not vaccinated are asked to please continue to wear a mask and socially distance.

We expect there will be both vaccinated and unvaccinated persons wearing masks and continuing to social distance. Our medical grade air purifiers will continue to run during the masses and those distributing Holy Communion will wear masks while distributing communion with sanitized hands. At this time, we are unable to offer the Precious Blood during Holy Communion.



**Please
Wear
Your
Mask
Over
Your
Nose
and
Mouth!**



**UNLEASH
THE GOSPEL**
SENT ON MISSION

**Why Read
The Bible?**

It's well known that Saint Jerome says that ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ. Jesus Christ is the Word of the Father. He's the living Word. And so we can encounter his Word. We encounter Jesus whenever we read the scriptures. Whether we are beginning in the book of Genesis or in the Gospels, Jesus is always present.

People will often ask: where do I begin in the Scriptures? And I would say if you're just starting out, start in the New Testament. Start. Be committed to it. Spend at least 15 minutes each day delving into the Word of God. We have to be disciplined in our reading of the scriptures.

There are different ways that we can pray with the scriptures. One way is through lectio divina, or divine reading. Lectio divina calls us to spend some time to contemplate on the scriptures, to see how the Word speaks to us, and then calls us to action. Another way would be to use our imagination while we're reading the scriptures. Using our imagination means that we enter into the passage as though we we're there. We recognize the details, what the weather feels like to us, how Jesus might look at us. And then we use all of those images. Reading the scriptures is a necessary part of every Christian life. Be disciplined, ask the Lord what he wants to speak to you, and then ask for the grace to live it out.

(excerpted from <https://www.unleashthegospel.org/2021/07/why-should-catholics-read-the-bible-why/>)

Please Pray for Our Deceased Loved Ones:

Constance Wensing Phillips (7/14), former member of the parish

And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.



Please Pray for Our Sick Members:

Ken Alexander Sr. • Tony Baines • Ken Banka • Doris and Paul Billion • Marcelle Blackmon • Tanisha Bronaugh • Faye Chennault-Johnson • Jefferie Cook Sr • Karen Cook • Terrie Craighead-Henderson • Sheri Dargin • Cid Davis • Mary Davis • Kevin DeMatas • David Derouselle Sr • Renita Fletcher • Roy Ford • Bernadette and Tom Foster • Connie Gant • Richard Grace • Gary Greening • Virginia Harkey • Clint Harris • Irma Horton • Lynn James • John Johnson • Roswitha Jordan • Fannie Larkins • Myrna Leonard • Marilyn Lewandowski • Sharon Lewis • Nancy Loper • Lori Love • Felicia McPherson-Watts • Kathy Montgomery • Shirley Myles • Yve Nemeth • Helen Parkman • Vernard Plain • Thelma Polley • Joy Robinson • Elyse Ryder • Michael Sands • Pauline Simpson • Paula Springer • Donna Storie • Colletta Sykes • Brendia Thomas • Charlotte Turner • Harold Unsleber • Adele Waddell • Kathy Wilson • Dolores Wodarski

Please Pray for Our Homebound Members:

Jackie Bodenhorn • Evelyn Brantley • Beverly Brown-Johnson • Angeline Butler • Joe and Michelle Cagle • Clairmina Danjou • Vivian Dorsey • Ella Goldsmith • Sr. Rachelle Harper • Sr. Stephanie Holub • Ed and Mary Catherine Hustoles • Sharon Lewis • Clemencia Massey • Beatrice Neail • Margaret Nielsen • Shirley Oldenburg • John Onwudinjo • Sue Padalino • Milford Raines • Hulda Reed • Isiah Searls • Joseph Shelton • Mary Pat Shelton • Bernice Slaughter • Sue Vanden Berg • Irene Williford • Joyce Wilson • Audrey Zielinski

Please Pray for Our Relatives and Friends:

Susan Absher • Jim Agnello • Duncan Alfes • Gloria Alexander • Elijah Archer • Cynthia Archer-Gift • Dana Porter Ashton • Jene Baldwin • Sue Bates • Marie Beard • Joan Beckley-Fletcher • Kenneth Black • Laurie Bogart • Malcom Boudreaux • Bryan Bowman • Bria Brown • Ron Brown • James Bryant • Pam Buck • Ernest Cabule • Michael Derrick Cade • Jenny Churchill • Scott Clinton • Leah Closson • Perry Conway • Nancy Copeland • Ronald Crane • Betty Cross • Barbara Cywka • Chuck Davis • Natacha Desir • Shannon Dodd • Jerry Douglas • Chris Downing • Elizabeth Downing • Anita Eans • Lloyd Earl • Memphis Edison • Virginia Etherly • Joseph Evans • Stephen Farkus • Barbara Ford • Kyle Foster • Jerry and Patricia Franks • Mavis Frazer • Barbara Gay • Nestelyn Gay • Lydia Gift-Greer • Elwood Gneckow • Becky Goodrich • Marlene Grant • Morty Green • Jerry Grondin • Alfonzo Harris • Millie Harris • Sharon Harris • Lisa Harston-LeDoux • Bob and Jane Hazen • Arvin Heath • Donna Hebel • Summer Henry • Carol Holm • Sullivan Horton • Jean Houck • Jeranne Jackson • Robert Jarey • Aliyaa John • Arnim Johnson • El Caleb Jones • Dorie Kaiser • Fr. Larry Kaiser • Bill Kelley • Joe Kieffer • Kristin Kingzett • Katie Lutzo Kissell • Erin Knight • Fred Kolp • Paul Kruszewski • Emilia Kullman • Marta Lagos • Michael Anthony Lanton • Antoinette Litzinger • Anthony Lorenger • Shannon Lorenger • Michael Mathis • Lisa Renee McCrary • Scott McDonald • Ethan McMaster • Anthony McNeal • Michael McNeece • John and Mary Jo Meakin • Ashley Melonson • Jerry Mercier Jr • Yolanda Metcalfe • Marilyn Mills • Ben Miller • Charlotte Miller • Robert Miller Jr • Darwin Mills • Florence Mills • Willard Mitchell • James Molloy • Karen Momper • Elizabeth Moore • Shirley V. Moore • Glinda Moorer • Verita Morris • Pierce Mueller • Joyce Mulhall • Mignon Murray • Sara Nell-Wallace • Margaret Nelson • Ernestine Nimmons • Charles Nutt • Charlotte, Donna, John and Tyler O'Neill • Patty Page • Celena Parker • Willie Parker Jr. • Paula Parham • Cyndi Pask • James Pefley • Alicia Penman • Ethel Person • Marquon Perry • Matt Phillips • Reginald Phillips • Anthony Plain • Erin Plain • Robin Rau • David Remo • Sandra Reynolds • Michael Rice • Matthew Rich • Viola Richburge • Dorothy Roberson • Crystal Roberts • Eugene Rohde • Alfredo Rojas • Jean Rooney • Patrick Ryder • Tish Saldana • Frank Salem • Sherry Samuel • Ethel Mae Sanders • Larry Schneider • Mildred Scott • Alice Sheehan • Larry Shelton • Lenny Simmons • Sierra Simmons • Curtis Simpson Sr. • Donald Sims Sr. • Annice Sisco • Bee Smale • Emily Smale • Elizabeth Smith • Kathy Smith • Tyrone Smith • Beverly Sneed • Tom and Dorothy Sobota • Nicholas Stephens • Rochelle Stewart • Trevor Sullivan • Kevin Sweeney • Frances Sykes • Patt Taylor -Braxton • Anne Thieman • Rick Thompson • Carolyn Thrash • Johnny Townsend • Gerry Tremonti • Don Tront • Amy Turner • Rance Ulmer • Eleanor Ursalan • Julie Urso • Al Victors • Alicia Walker • Beverly Walker • Kelley Walker • Lance Walker • Andrea Weaver • Alonzo Wesley • Brady Wesley • The Wheeler Family • Ruth Wilson • Barbara Woods • Doris Woody • Kyle Yanke • Max Yanke

Please Pray for Those in the Military:

Caïja Campbell (Army) • Anthony Carson (Army) • Thomas Dixon (Navy) • Anthony Ford (Army) • Nick Goodrich (Army) • Anthony Hollins Jr. (Army) • Jonah and Jon LaTour • John Maurer (Air Force) • Robbie Mayes (Marines) • Christopher Maniere (National Guard) • Lance Walker II (Army)



Annual Fundraiser for Haiti Outreach Mission Saturday, September 18

The annual Haiti Outreach Mission fundraiser is taking a different shape this year — it will be a dinner cruise on the beautiful Detroit River aboard the lovely Diamond Queen!

The cruise will depart from the dock of Strohs River Place **promptly** at 6:30 pm. A generous donor has graciously offered to pay for the usual \$5/car to park! Tickets, which include a 2 ½ hour river cruise, a full buffet dinner, beverages there will be a cash bar for adults), and dessert, will be sold for \$75 beginning at the end of July. There are only 90 tickets available which must be paid in full by September 8.

Please plan on attending this important fundraiser. If you can't attend, donations to Haiti Outreach Mission are always gratefully accepted. The need is always there, especially more than ever now, with the effects of Covid 19, this week's assassination of Haiti's president, and summer storms.



We welcome **Samuel Fooks** to our parish staff as our new Maintenance Assistant!

Samuel will be supporting Greg Spight in maintaining the parish facilities.

Samuel brings both experience and joy in serving the Lord!

Volunteer Spotlight

The Image of God Catholic Pregnancy Centers (one of their centers is located in the Corpus Christi Activity Center building) is looking for new volunteers to help with counseling and simple tasks in the boutique, office, and classroom. Put your faith into action! For more information on how you can help, call Joe Monte at 313-331-4728.



Don't forget our needy brothers and sisters who rely on the St. Christine Soup Kitchen! **Corpus Christi Parish has an opportunity to help by donating the funds needed to provide a meal for the hungry men, women, children, and seniors who will come to the soup kitchen on Tuesday, July 20.** The soup kitchen hasn't re-opened for sit-down dining yet. Volunteers distribute box lunches and a kind word to all who come.

Please pick up a donation envelope from the back of church and bring your donation to church next weekend or to the parish office no later than Monday, July 19. If you are not attending Mass in person yet you may mail a donation to the parish office.

Are you curious about the Catholic Faith?



Join us for . . . "Considering Catholicism"

A small group experience
for people who want to learn
more about the Catholic faith

Sundays, 9:30 – 10:45 am
in the Rainbow Room of our school building

Call 313-537-5770 for more information

Communities Coming Together

Blood Drive

St. Scholastica Catholic Church

Activity Center
8201 W. Outer Drive
Detroit

Sunday, August 1, 2021
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, please log onto RedCrossBlood.org (sponsor code: stscholastica) or call Mary Anne Stella at 248-979-5917.

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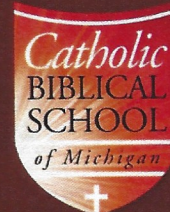
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Small World Tours invites you to join a pilgrimage to the **Shrine of Christ's Passion in St. John, Indiana** (see other side) on **Wednesday, August 11, 2021**.

When you stop onto the Prayer Trail, it is as though you have been transported back 2000 years. Here you can sit with Jesus at the Last Supper, journey with Him along the path to His crucifixion, enter the empty tomb, and finally witness His glorious Ascension into Heaven.

The **cost for this pilgrimage is \$87** (for transportation via motorcoach and lunch). Fr. Marko Djonovic will celebrate mass at the end of the day. The group will **depart from St. Moses the Black Parish** (located at 1125 Oakman Blvd in Detroit) **at 8:00 am** and return between 8 and 9 pm.

A **\$50 deposit** is required. **Seating is limited** to 36 people due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Please contact Brenda Brown, Small World Tours, at 586-774-7809 to make a reservation and/or for more information.



The Shrine
OF CHRIST'S PASSION

St. JOHN, INDIANA

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Located at 10630 Wicker Avenue (U.S. 41) in St. John, Indiana, The Shrine of the Christ's Passion is a multi-media interactive, half-mile winding Prayer Trail that depicts the last days of Jesus Christ's life. Forty life-size bronze sculptures in a tranquil setting, complete with beautiful music and amazingly sculptured gardens allow visitors to experience the story of the crucifixion and resurrection as never before! Chicago broadcaster Bill Kurtis narrates the audio recordings that you hear at listening stations along the path.

Construction on the interactive winding pathway began in 2001 and included 3,000 yards of concrete, approximately 200 semi loads of boulders and more than 1,000 trees and bushes. Created by Texas artist Mickey Wells, 40 life-size bronze sculptures, weighing 300 to 700 pounds, vividly tell the story of the last days of Christ.

The Shrine is operated by a non-denominational, nonprofit, 501(c)(3) private foundation. The proceeds from The Gift Shoppe and donations help to maintain the grounds.

<https://shrineofchristspassion.org/>

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Question:

I've heard that we become angels when we die. Is this what the Church teaches?

Answer:

As human beings, we are both spiritual and corporeal. We are body and soul. This makes us unique in all creation. No other physical creature — plant or animal — possesses an immortal soul made in God's image and likeness. Like the distinction with plants and animals, angels have an entirely different sort of existence.

Angels are pure immortal spirit, and they have been so since the moment of their creation. While they may take on an appearance of a body in Biblical history, they are not a body like we are. Angels are neither male nor female, despite the art we often see.

As the result of the Fall, human beings experience death. Our souls are temporarily separated from our bodies. However, we do not become something other than human. Every Sunday in the Creed we profess "I believe in the resurrection of the body." As Jesus was united with his body on the third day, so too will we be united with our bodies at the end of time.

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