

# CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Web Site: [www.ccp parish.net](http://www.ccp parish.net) Email: [office@ccparish.net](mailto:office@ccparish.net)

## **Masses Cancelled until Mid-April LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

Saturday - 4:30 pm  
Sunday - 7:30 & 10:30 am  
Monday - 5:05 pm  
Tuesday - No Mass  
Wednesday - 8:20 am  
Thursday - No Mass  
Friday - 8:20 am  
Holy Days - *As scheduled*

**Parish Office  
(and mailing address)**  
25 N. Elgin Avenue  
743-4716  
Fax: 920-743-3711

**St. John Bosco School**  
730 W. Maple St.  
743-4144

**Church Building**  
811 W. Juniper Street  
**Sturgeon Bay, Wi. 54235**

**Established 1904**

*Let us continue the mission of Jesus  
through the building of a vibrant, Catholic  
community of Word, Worship and Service.*

**Parish Office Hours**  
Monday—Thursday  
8:00 am - 4:30 pm  
Office Closed: 1:30-2:00pm  
Friday  
9:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Bulletin Deadline:**  
Monday by Noon



## **PASTORAL STAFF**

**Pastor**  
Rev. Ryan Krueger

**Deacon**  
Deacon Mark Hibbs

**Administrative Coordinator**  
Tina Lauder-Boucher  
**Administrative Assistant**  
JoAnn Karempeles  
**RE Facilitator Grades 1-5**  
Debby Brauer  
**Youth Minister Grades 6-12**  
Sarah Gavin

**Music Director**  
Brian Fogarty

**Maintenance**  
Mike Safranski  
**Janitor**  
Michael Nemeth

**Business Manager**  
Tony Klink

**Trustees**  
James Collins  
Brian Woods

**Parish Council President**

## **CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS**

### **Baptism:**

Baptism preparation classes are held by appointment.  
Please call the parish office to register for classes.

### **Reconciliation:**

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:00 pm-Cancelled  
Penance Services are held in Advent and Lent.  
Personal Confession: By appointment with Father.

### **Marriage:**

The common policy of the Catholic Diocese in Wisconsin requests a 6 month notice before the date of marriage. Please contact the office.

### **Anointing of the Sick:**

Notify the Parish Office in case of serious illness.  
Anointing Services are scheduled twice per year.

**OUR FRONT ENTRANCE IS HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE**

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

Due to the coronavirus and Bishop Ricken, all Masses are suspended/cancelled until mid-April.

(For more information go the diocesan website [gbdioc.org](http://gbdioc.org).)

Our church will be open daily starting at 6am until 9pm for anyone who wishes to pray.

Bishop will celebrate a 30 minute Mass each Sunday during the suspension of public attendance and it will be broadcast over the local CBS affiliate, WFRV Local 5 at 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass is also available diocesan-wide via broadcast television on ABC affiliate WBAY at 5:30 a.m. Sunday morning, and on CW14 at 8:00 am. Radio Mass is available on Relevant Radio, 1050 AM at 9 a.m.

Daily Mass is livestreamed Monday through Friday from the campus of Relevant Radio here in Green Bay. You can access the Mass at the Relevant Radio app, or at this link <https://relevantradio.com/faith/daily-mass-video/>.

**Area Churches: Open for praying**

Holy Name of Mary church will be open

Tues. 8am-2:30pm, Wed. 8am-2pm and Thurs. 8am-3pm.

St. Joe's church will be open Mon.-Fri. 7am-4pm and 9am-noon on Sat. & Sunday.

**Scripture Readings: 4th Sunday of Lent**

Sunday 1Samuel 16:1B,6-7,10-13A, Psalm 23:1-3A,3B-4,5,6,Ephesians 5:8-14, John 9:1-41

Monday Isaiah 65:17-21, Psalm 30:2&4,5-6,11-12A&13B, John 4:43-54

Tuesday Ezekiel 47:1-9,12, Psalm 46:2-3,5-6,8-9, John 5:1-16

Wednesday Isaiah 7:10-14;8:10, Psalm 40:7-8A,8B-9,10,11, Luke 1:26-38

Thursday Exodus 32:7-14, Psalm 106:19-20,21-22,23, John 5:31-47

Friday Wisdom 2:1A,12-22, Psalm 34:17-18,19-20,21&23, John 7:1-2,10,25-30

Saturday Jeremiah 11:18-20, Psalm 7:2-3,9BC-10,11-12, John 7:40-53

-Taken from Today's Missal: Ocp.org.

**PARISH NEWS****Holy Water**

Due to the coronavirus holy water at all entrances have been removed and the holy font in the front of church has been emptied. We will have baskets at the entrances with filled blessed holy water bottles for you to take home.

**Parish Support**

We have been receiving calls regarding parish support. If you wish and/or are able to give, you may mail them in or place them in the locked box in the main church entrance. Locked drop off boxes are also available outside the parish office entrances too.

**Online Giving & ACH**

Go to our website at [ccparish.net](http://ccparish.net) for information on our online giving. You can also have your support taken from your bank account and electronically deposited in the parishes' bank account (ACH). Contact the parish office for assistance on this.

**WHAT'S HAPPENING**

All events on campus-church, school, and parish center are cancelled until mid-April. Dates could be extended. This includes "Light is On", stations, religious programs and Seder Meal to name a few.

Parish office is open Mon.-Thurs. 8-1:30pm; 2-4:30pm and Friday 9-1pm. Phone calls and emails are preferred.

**PARISH REPORT**

Deposit week:	Mar. 09-15
Parish Support .....	\$8,688.00
Offertory Collection.....	\$438.00
Votive Candles .....	\$90.10
Technology & Capital.....	\$20.00
Donations .....	\$205.00
Perpet. Care/Garden.....	\$45.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT.....	\$9,486.10
Budgeted Expenses for the Week.....	\$10,419.96
Weekly Shortage	(\$933.86)

**\$CRIP REPORT**

03/09-03/15/2020: Sales: \$ Profit: \$

Amounts not available at bulletin publication.

Scrip is available to purchase in the parish office on Thursday's 11:30-1pm.

**PARISH NEWS****World's Poor Collection & Holy Land (Good Friday)****Collection: Postponed**

Watch the bulletin for dates.

**Bishop's Appeal: Funds Needed \$36,147.00**

Collected \$25,657.17 (134 gifts) Needed Yet \$10,489.83

**2020 Bishop's Appeal Matching Grant Now Available**

Through the Catholic Foundation a generous anonymous donor has given our parish a \$3,000.00 Bishop's Appeal new donor matching grant. For all new donors making a gift to the Appeal by July 1<sup>st</sup> their gifts will be matched up to \$500. A new donor is considered to be anyone who has not given to the 2017, 2018 or 2019 Bishop's Appeal or who is a new member of the parish. Go online now to give at [www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give](http://www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give).

**40 Days of Life**

The Lenten 40 Days for Life (24/7) Campaign is still happening until April 5<sup>th</sup> on the sidewalk near the Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida Street in Green Bay. Door County parishes are set for Sunday afternoon March 22<sup>nd</sup> and April 5<sup>th</sup> 12-2pm to walk and pray. For more information on this call Dianne at 743-2260.

**Walk for A Cause**

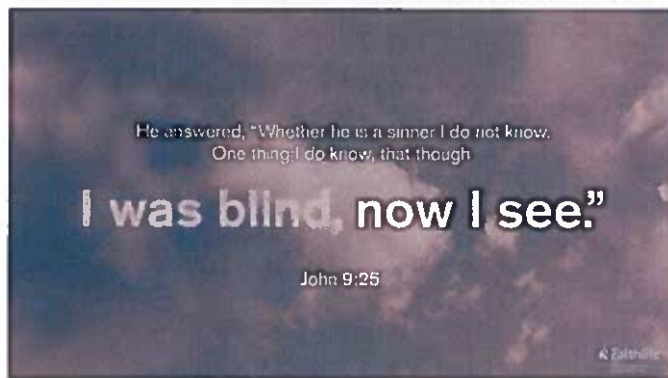
Walk for a Cause in May will be postponed. Please watch the bulletin for date and details.

*"In this world you will have trouble but, be not afraid! For I have overcome the world!"*

*~Jesus speaking to you right now. (John 16:33)*





**PARISH NEWS****PARISH & OTHER NEWS****Coronavirus News: NO MASSES**

Due to the coronavirus and the decision by Bishop Ricken and the diocese-**NO MASSES** until mid-April. This means no events will be held also. The church will be open for prayers 6am-9pm daily. There will be no "Light is On", as well as any other church events including religious education programs. Parish office will be also closed to any meetings and/or events. The parish office will remain open at this time. Phone calls and emails are preferred. The Public Health Department is suggesting limited contact to prevent exposure and spread. Protecting yourself and others, such as elderly, and those with compromised immune systems. We will continue to do online updates on our website, flock notes and a weekly online bulletin. Please stay home and stay safe. **Pray for all!**

**Lent**

Lent is at time of repentance, reconciliation and renewal. It is a time for us to think about our relationship with Christ, Our Savior, and all our relationships. Catholics 14 years old and up are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays in Lent and Good Friday. Fasting on Ash Wed. and Good Friday 18 years old to 59 years old also.

**Year of St. Joseph**

Bishop Ricken after much prayer and consultation, is declaring a special year of prayer in honor of St. Joseph. The Year of St. Joseph will be March 19, 2020-March 19, 2021. Stop in the church to pray for a bit by the picture in the front of church-by St. Joseph statue.

**Prayer Chain Volunteers Needed**

At this time, we would like to develop a prayer group that addresses those in need of any kind. Volunteers would pray for specific individuals when informed of their need. Confidentiality would be maintained. What a great addition to your Lenten journey. Call the office today.

**Edge and Life Teen****Middle & High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry****From the Diocese:**

"The Office of Religious Education and Youth Ministry (Child and Youth Faith Formation) requests that all parish Religious Education classes including Confirmation classes and youth ministry events be canceled, starting on Wednesday March 18th, 2020 through Monday April 6th, 2020."

We of course will follow this request for the safety of our youth, volunteers, and our community.

**There will be no Edge until at least April 8<sup>th</sup>.** If the schools stay closed longer, we will also not have Edge classes.

**There will be no Life Teen until April 19<sup>th</sup>** (April 12<sup>th</sup> is Easter and we wouldn't have Life Teen that evening anyway).

We haven't made the decision yet about the April 5<sup>th</sup> Life Teen Mass. Please stay tuned to Mass announcements, Sarah's Facebook page, Sturgeon Bay Edge and Life Teen, St. Joseph, or Corpus Christi's Facebook pages. Sarah will also be emailing parents on a regular basis.

We can't stop youth ministry all together...in fact we **NEED** Jesus more now. We **NEED** Jesus to calm the storm. Stay tuned for online offerings of Bible Studies, "classes" and even small group discussions.

**PARISH & OTHER NEWS****Genesis Religious Education for Grades 1-5****Classes Cancelled Until April 8<sup>th</sup>**

Please be aware that this date may be extended.

**Loaves & Fishes Program Update**

After careful and thoughtful consideration of the guidelines established for the Covid-19 pandemic the Board of Directors has decided to cancel the Community Meals for Fri. March 20<sup>th</sup>. This is done for the safety of our patrons and volunteers. They are looking at the possibility of holding a carry out program for the April 3<sup>rd</sup>-depending upon the status of guidelines by the Health Department.

***Let us be disciples of Christ and help and pray for each other during this time!***

Blessings in Christ!

Be not afraid! That's the most repeated line in Scripture. Be not afraid! Those are the first words Pope John Paul II said publicly upon being elected Holy Father. Be not afraid!

At times like this, I know how the human heart has a tendency to let fear creep in, but be not afraid!

The coronavirus can strip our lives of many things, though we pray people have access to the necessary things. People feel isolated. They can lose hope. But, I repeat, be not afraid! Christ is more powerful! Be assured that I am holding all of you in my prayer everyday!

At this time, as you know, the Mass cannot be celebrated publicly, but be assured I am offering Mass everyday for you, my parishioners. Mass continues to be celebrated for you! I am praying for you! And I am also available if anyone would like to go to confession, or have something blessed, like water, or if you just want to talk. For any of that, just let the office know.

This being the season of Lent, my mind is drawn to thinking about our Lord's Passion and how He suffered for us. A line from the Gospel, as Jesus is about to be nailed to the cross, sticks out: "They stripped him, and divided his garments." Right now, the Lord is allowing us to be stripped of many things along with him. And the key word is "allowing". He allows it. Meaning he is still in control. He was in control of things during His Passion. He is still in control now. And two things he will never strip from us are Himself and each other. We get through this by staying united to Him in our prayer and united to each other by finding ways to help; to think of another's need first.

Jesus is still here for you!

I am still here for you!

Now, Our Lord is asking all of us to join him in being stripped of many of our securities in this life. But only so we can learn to cling to him more fully, and have a greater part in his victory when he overcomes the Cross and rises on Easter morning!

"In this world you will have trouble but, be not afraid! For I have overcome the world!"

~Jesus, speaking to you right now. (John 16:33)

Your Pastor,

Fr. Ryan

# DISCIPLES ON THE WAY

Spiritual Support During  
the COVID-19 Outbreak



Diocese of  
Green Bay

## PRAYER FROM POPE FRANCIS DURING THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC

[www.vaticannews.va](http://www.vaticannews.va)

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope.

We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith.

You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us.

He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test – and deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.



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