

CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Web Site: www.ccp parish.net Email: office@ccparish.net

Weekend Masses LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Confessions Sat. 3:30-4pm
Saturday - 4:30 pm

Sunday - 7:30 & 10:30 am

Weekday Mass

Friday - 8:20am

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

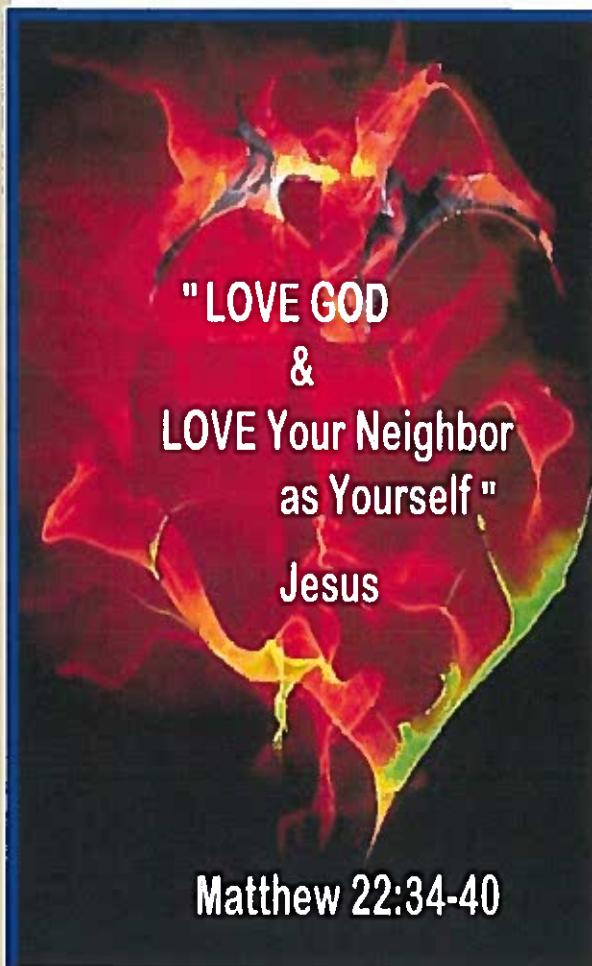
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Friday

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Bulletin Deadline:

Monday by Noon



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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

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

PARISH NEWS**PARISH & OTHER NEWS****World Mission Sunday Collection: Collected \$1,395.00**

Thank you for your prayers, generous hearts and gifts to this collection. You enable us to continue to share our love of Christ's Gospel with the church most in need.

Mass Collections

We will have a collection at all Masses. If you are unable to attend-you may mail in your givings/donations, or give online at ccparish.net or go to the Catholic Foundation www.catholicfoundationgb.org. Locked drop boxes are also available at all church entrances and the 2 entrances of the parish office (just lift the labelled drop box top lid and drop in the first slot). Thank you!

A Night of Hope: Mon. Oct. 26th 6:30-8pm

Join Bishop Ricken for a virtual night of hope where we will pray together and ask for the Lord's guidance in our lives so that we can continue to live in hope. For more information and to register: www.gbdioc.org/hope or call 1-920-272-8329.

40 Days for Life Campaign Sept. 23-Nov. 1

Join us on the sidewalk near Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida St. in Green Bay. Mark your calendar to walk & pray -our parishes are on for Nov. 1 noon-2pm. Call Dianne for more information 743-2260.

**Mark Your Calendar: Drive-Thru Food Pantry**

Drive-thru mobile food pantry at Holy Name of Mary Thursday Nov. 12th 10-noon. Stay in your vehicle and please have a clean space in trunk or backseat for food. Hosted by Fox Cares Foundation and Feeding America. A first come, first served basis.

The message of God's law is: be loving.
Love God fully. Love others sacrificially.

Hear Lord God, I bow before You as the God of infinite love. I have come to love You, because You first loved me. Yet, my love for You is so feeble in light of what You deserve and what You command. O Lord, my love for others is so often diminished by my own selfishness. I humbly ask that You would work in me a more profound love for You and a more selfless love for others, in Jesus name. Amen.

Edge and Life Teen**Middle & High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry**

We have officially kicked off our 2020-21 Youth Ministry/Faith Formation year! We are still running our meetings via Zoom until our COVID activity level is safer.

So far, it's going well! We have a great group of students who attend and they are excited to learn more about the Church...especially during these tough times.

Parents, it's not too late to register and get your middle or high schooler involved. Please email Sarah at stgavin25@gmail.com if they aren't signed up or if you have questions.

Please go "like" Sturgeon Bay Edge and Life Teen on Facebook today! And if you have an Instagram account, go follow @sturg_youth_ministry

Please pray for our newly virtual youth ministry!

PARISH & OTHER NEWS**Genesis Religious Education-Gr. 1-5 Christmas Wreath Fundraiser**

FAITH FORMATION It's that time of year again! The Genesis Program will again be selling Christmas wreaths. All orders along with payment, must be returned to St. Joseph Parish Office, 526, Louisiana St. no later than Monday, November 2. Watch the bulletin for pick-up dates! Order blanks are available in the entrance to church. Your continued support for our program is greatly appreciated.

Check This Out!

Another way to stay in touch with what is happening with the Genesis Program. Information and videos are being posted weekly. Take a moment to follow, like, comment and share the Genesis/Tri Parish Faith Formation Facebook Page with your families and friends!

**"The Time is Now" Book Discussion**

St. Joseph Parish Social Hall
Mondays at 6:00 pm
November 2 & 16



Help us meet our next challenge! Local donors have challenged the school to reach 3 goals in the annual school fund drive. As each goal is met, it will unlock additional funds. They have completed goal one of \$5000.00 in donations but now need your help for goal 2. By Nov. 1st they need to receive 175 donations of any dollar amount which then unlocks an additional \$10,000 in funds. Visit the school website or contact their office 920-743-4144.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**Saturday – October 24**

3:30-4:00pm Confessions

4:30 pm Fr. Birdsall

Sunday – October 25

7:30 am Living & Deceased Members of Corpus Christi

10:30 am † Pam Wiegand

Wednesday – October 28**Private School Mass** † Kim Greninger**Friday – October 30**

8:20 am † Adam & Matt LaLuzerne

Saturday – October 31

3:30-4:00pm Confessions

4:30 pm † Fr. Donald Rose

Sunday – November 1 All Saints Day

7:30 am † Ilene Buschmann

10:30 am People of Corpus Christi

†-Mass Intention/Deceased

Church Open to Pray

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8-4pm & Friday 8-noon

Opportunity for Prayer

Are you feeling overwhelmed, stressed, and worried? Join us on Tuesday mornings, at 10am, to pray the Rosary for our community, our country, and our own concerns. If the weather cooperates, we will meet in Father Birdsall's Prayer and Reflection Garden. On inclement days, we will meet in the vestibule of the church. Bring a chair, a mask and your rosary. We will continue to meet until further notice. In these challenging times, prayer is the answer!

**Mass Intentions**

Mass intentions are available please call the parish office (743-4716). Remember Mass intentions can be said for the living and the deceased. The mass stipend is \$10.00. Fr. Ryan will say a private Mass intention this week for...
† Robert Pomerville.

Mass Taping

We are continuing to tape our weekend Mass! Please go to our website (ccparish.net) or check us out on our Facebook page. Check out Mass by Bishop Ricken on Sunday mornings at 10am on WFRV Channel 5 as well.

Scripture Readings: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Exodus 22:20-26, Psalm 18:2-3,3-4,47,51, 1Thessalonians 1:5C-10, Matthew 22:34-40

Monday Ephesians 4:32;5:8, Psalm 1:1-2,3,4&6, Luke 13:10-17

Tuesday Ephesians 5:21-33, Psalm 128:1-2,3,4-5, Luke 13:18-21

Wednesday Ephesians 2:19-22, Psalm 19:2-3,4-5, Luke 6:12-16

Thursday Ephesians 6:10-20, Psalm 144:18,2,9-10, Luke 13:31-35

Friday Philippians 1:1-11, Psalm 111:1-2,3-4,5-6, Luke 14:1-6

Saturday Philippians 1:18B-26, Psalm 42:2,3,5CDEF, Luke 14:1,7-11

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

PARISH REPORT

Deposit week:	Oct. 12-18
Parish Support	\$3,632.00
Offertory Collection.....	\$538.81
Votive Candles	\$00.00
Technology & Capital.....	\$00.00
Donations	\$124.00
Perpet. Care/Garden.....	\$110.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT.....	\$4,404.81
Budgeted Expenses for the Week.....	\$10,419.96
Weekly Shortage	(\$6,015.15)

**Corpus Christi Catholic Parish Support
2019 and 2020 Calendar Year Comparison**

Parish Support	Jan. 1 – Oct. 20 2019	Jan. 1 – Oct. 20 2020
Support Envelopes	\$282,578	\$223,386
Loose Collection	\$38,569	\$15,665
Online Giving	\$37,740	\$50,156
TOTAL	\$358,887	\$289,207

\$CRIP REPORT

Scrip will be available to purchase before and after Masses on the weekends and in the parish office Thurs.11:30-1pm.

10/12-10/18/2020 Sales: \$3,375.00 Profit: \$123.18

Buy scrip & donate to the church!

Volunteers needed to sell at weekend Masses. Call the parish office to volunteer at 743-4716.

PARISH NEWS**Re-Instating the Dispensation from Sunday Obligation**

On Monday, October 5, Bishop Ricken reinstated the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass in the diocese until further notice. Even with the reinstatement, we will continue to celebrate the Mass publically every weekend for those who are able to attend and willing to strictly follow the proper health protocols. During this time of increased infection, our parish will to be even more vigilant in observing the health protocols shared in the diocesan guidelines to prevent the spread of disease and allow as many people as is safe to come to Mass without fear of infection. The wearing of masks is mandatory at Masses celebrated throughout our diocese. Thank you for your support and compliance as we as a community of faith come together to worship in safety.

Welcome to our Parish Family

Welcome to Sarah Jean DePrey who was baptized last Sunday. Please pray for her and her parents Chris & Tara.



FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP 2020

To learn more about the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship (FCFC)*, visit www.faithfulcitizenship.org. For additional questions, see the Wisconsin Catholic Conference 5-part Faithful Citizenship series at www.wisconsinccatholic.org.

Our Call as Catholic Citizens

What are fundamental moral issues that need to be addressed?

As the U.S. bishops explain in *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship (FCFC)*, the challenges facing our nation are many. However, as the 2019 *FCFC* "Introductory Note" points out, the following areas are particularly pressing:

- Abortion because it directly attacks life itself.
- The inhumane treatment and lack of due process for immigrants at our border, the heightened barriers for those seeking refuge and asylum, and xenophobia.
- Racism, which continues to fester, as the bishops of the United States have written in their recent pastoral letter, *Open Wide Our Hearts*.
- Religious freedom both at home and abroad.
- Poverty, both domestically and internationally.
- Violence, whether by guns, war, or capital punishment.
- The family based on marriage between a man and a woman and upholding the rights of children in that regard.
- Care for God's creation, especially those most impacted by climate change—the poor—and protection for our common home.

IT IS IMPORTANT FOR ALL CITIZENS "TO SEE BEYOND PARTY POLITICS, TO ANALYZE CAMPAIGN RHETORIC CRITICALLY, AND TO CHOOSE THEIR POLITICAL LEADERS ACCORDING TO PRINCIPLE, NOT PARTY AFFILIATION OR MERE SELF-INTEREST."
(*FCFC*, 41)

Why is protecting the unborn of such great importance?

As Pope Francis explains, "Among the vulnerable for whom the Church wishes to care with particular love and concern are unborn children, the most defenceless and innocent among us. Nowadays efforts are made to deny them their human dignity and to do with them whatever one pleases, taking their lives and passing laws preventing anyone from standing in the way of this.... [T]his defence of unborn life is closely linked to the defence of each and every other human right. It involves the conviction that a human being is always sacred and inviolable, in any situation and at every stage of development." (*Evangelii Gaudium*, 213)

What about other human rights?

"The right to life implies and is linked to other human rights – to the basic goods that every human person needs to live and thrive. All the life issues are connected, for erosion of respect for the life of any individual or group in society necessarily diminishes respect for all life. The moral imperative to respond to the needs of our neighbors – basic needs such as food, shelter, health care, education, and meaningful work – is universally binding on our consciences and may be legitimately fulfilled by a variety of means. Catholics must seek the best ways to respond to these needs." (*FCFC*, 25)

"Catholic teaching about the dignity of life calls us to oppose torture, unjust war, and the indiscriminate use of drones for violent purposes; to prevent genocide and attacks against noncombatants; to oppose racism; to oppose human trafficking; and to overcome poverty and suffering. Nations are called to protect the right to life by seeking effective ways to combat evil and terror without resorting to armed conflicts except as a last resort after all peaceful means have failed, and to end the use of the death penalty as a means of protecting society from violent crime. We revere the lives of children in the womb, the lives of persons dying in war and from starvation, and indeed the lives of all human beings as children of God. We stand opposed to these and all activities that contribute to what Pope Francis has called 'a throwaway culture.'" (*FCFC*, 45)

What is a just economy?

"Economic decisions and institutions should be assessed according to whether they protect or undermine the dignity of the human person. Social and economic policies should foster the creation of jobs for all who can work with decent working conditions and just wages. Barriers to equal pay and employment for women and those facing unjust discrimination must be overcome. Catholic social teaching supports the right of workers to choose whether to organize, join a union, and bargain collectively, and to exercise these rights without reprisal. It also affirms economic freedom, initiative, and the right to private property." (FCFC, 73)

What is the state of religious liberty in the U.S.?

"In the United States, religious freedom generally enjoys strong protection in our law and culture, but those protections are now in doubt. For example, the longstanding tax exemption of the Church has been explicitly called into question at the highest levels of government, precisely because of her teachings on marriage. Catholics have a particular duty to make sure that protections like these do not weaken but instead grow in strength. This is not only to secure the just freedom of the Church and the faithful here but also to offer hope and an encouraging witness to those who suffer direct and even violent religious persecution in countries where the protection is far weaker." (FCFC, 72)



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What immigration reform does the Church support?

"Comprehensive reform ... should include a broad and fair legalization program with a path to citizenship; a work program with worker protections and just wages; family reunification policies; access to legal protections, which include due process procedures; refuge for those fleeing persecution and violence; and policies to address the root causes of migration. The right and responsibility of nations to control their borders and to maintain the rule of law should be recognized but pursued in a just and humane manner." (FCFC, 81)

Which public policies help families?

Policies on taxes, work, divorce, immigration, and welfare should uphold the God-given meaning and value of marriage and family, help families stay together, and reward responsibility and sacrifice for children. Wages should allow workers to support their families, and public assistance should be available to help poor families to live in dignity. Such assistance should be provided in a manner that promotes eventual financial autonomy. (FCFC, 70)

What can we do to protect the natural environment and to assist the poor?

"Protecting the land, water, and air we share is a religious duty of stewardship and reflects our responsibility to born and unborn children, who are most vulnerable to environmental assault. ... The United States should lead in contributing to the sustainable development of poorer nations and promoting greater justice in sharing the burden of environmental blight, neglect, and recovery. It is important that we address the rising number of migrants who are uprooted from their homeland as a consequence of environmental degradation and climate change. They are not currently recognized as refugees under any existing international convention and are thus not afforded legal protections that ought to be due to them." (FCFC, 86)

To learn more about the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship* (FCFC), visit www.fairfaithfulcitizenship.org and www.wisconsinccatholic.org.

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