Corpus Christi
CATHOLIC PARISH

MARCH 6, 2022 | THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Pastor
Fr. Ryan Krueger

Pastoral Associate
Deacon Mark Hibbs

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses
Friday | 8:20am

Weekend Masses
Saturday | 4:30pm
Sunday | 7:30am, 10:30am

Confession
Saturday | 3:30pm - 4:00pm
First Friday | 7:50am
Other | By Appointment

Welcome!

It is our mission to continue the work of Jesus through the building of a vibrant Catholic Community of Word, Worship and Service.

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GOSPEL MEDITATION

1st Sunday of Lent

One of the greatest temptations human beings face is leaving the truth of who they are, where they came from and who created them in pursuit of more personal satisfactions. When we consider all that desires our attention in a given day, there are many lures that attract us to illusions about ourselves. We can easily find ourselves distracted or tired, preoccupied with preserving our status in life, social relationships, current trends, and corporate demands, and intrigued by pursuing what we perceive to be the "path of least resistance." The daily concerns of life can quickly take our eyes off of our truth, making the empty promises of worldly accomplishments and ideologies seem so attractive. What is at risk in giving into this temptation?

We cease giving thanks to and worshipping our Creator as we pursue our own self-sufficiency, power, and prestige. We replace the true God with a "pet" one. While many do not totally dismiss the idea of God and pretend to remain at least remotely connected, they do not invest themselves heart, mind, and soul in the relationship either. That is why we are so easily swayed. If something attractive comes along, we lunge for it. After all, having a position above and over everyone else is a good thing, isn't it? In more honest moments, many have to admit that they believe this to be true. The Evil One is very convincing. But he can only gain control if we allow him to.

About temptation, St. Basil remarks, "As the pilot of a vessel is tried in the storm, as the wrestler is tried in the ring, the soldier in the battle and the hero in adversity, so is the Christian tried in temptation." And here is found the reason for Lent. It is a wonderful opportunity to get a handle on the attractive lures of illusion that easily captivate us and bring us off track. It is also a time for some honest reflection rooted in prayer, fasting, and selfless giving that can bring us to temptation's remedy: love. Love of his Father gave Jesus resistance. It can do the same for us. ©LPi

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 5 |
03:30-04:00pm | Adoration & Confessions
04:30pm | Beatrice Marchant (deceased)
Sunday, March 6 | 1st Sunday of Lent
07:30am | Nursing Home Residents
09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary
10:30am | People of Corpus Christi
Tuesday, March 8 |
10:00am | Rosary in the Church
09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary
05:00-6:30pm | Holy Hour at Corpus Christi
Wednesday, March 9 | Mass Closed to the Public
08:20am | James Jilot (deceased)
Thursday, March 10 |
09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary
Friday, March 11 |
07:50am | Rosary
08:20am | Fr. David Zimmerman (deceased)
Saturday, March 12 |
03:30-04:00pm | Adoration & Confessions
04:30pm | People of Corpus Christi
Sunday, March 13 | 2nd Sunday of Lent
07:30am | Mark & Catherine Hibbs (both deceased)
09:00am | Mass at Holy Name of Mary
10:30am | Fr. David Zimmerman (deceased)

STEWARDSHIP

For the Week of Feb. 23-Mar. 01, 2022

Parish Support.....$5,118.00
Online Giving.....$3,587.00
Offertory.....$610.00
Total Deposit.....$9,315.00
Budgeted Weekly Expenses.....$6,698.17
Weekly St. John Bosco School Subsidy.....$3,461.54
Weekly Shortage.....($844.71)

Bishop's Appeal....Needed Amt. $37,885.00
Received $13,006.00.....Need $24,879.00

Corpus Christi Catholic Parish Support 2022 & 2021 Calendar Year Comparison

Parish Support	Jan. 1-Mar. 01, '22	Jan.1- Mar. 01, '21
Support Envelopes	$48,276	$47,199
Loose Collection	$5,195	$3,185
Online Giving	$11,239	$11,602
Total	**$64,710**	**$61,986**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [cf. 15b]/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13
Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/Lk 11:29-32
Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12
Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8/Mt 5:20-26
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-48
Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

EDGE LIFE TEEN

Middle & High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry News

Youth Ministry this week:
Life Teen March 6th 6-7:15pm at St. Joseph

Edge at Holy Name of Mary March 9th 6-7:30pm

Sturgeon Bay Edge March 9th: 6-7:15pm at St. Joseph

Are you looking for new ideas this Lenten season? I'll never forget the Lent when I was 10 years old. I came home from school one day and my daily chore was already completed. I was so confused and my 13 year old brother (who I didn't get along with very well at the time) did it for me. I was in shock! He said, "I really listened at Mass last week…Fr. Jerry challenged us to do something for a family member we don't usually show our love to. And we may fight, but I do love you." THAT memory will forever be in my brain. Maybe this Lent, do something for a family member that you don't always show your love to. I promise you, it will make an impact!

Genesis Religious Program: Grades 1-5
Class Wed. March 9th at St. Joe's 5:30-6:45pm.

GIVE ONLINE! WWW.CCPARISH.NET

Don't forget to purchase Scrip!

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Wilderness God, as we journey into places unknown, remind us of those who have little bread to eat, little clothing to wear, and sometimes no place to lay their heads.

May our prayers, our resources, and our gathering hold all people in our hearts, that we may work towards the mending of creation, and justice in the world. In Jesus' name, Amen.

CLWR prayer for the First Sunday in Lent: Mark 1:9-15

PARISH NEWS

Your Gift to the Bishop's Appeal Helps Those Who Grieve

The loss of a loved one is an experience many of us can understand. For grieving families throughout our Diocese, Catholic Charities is a guiding light. Perhaps a person or family is dealing with the loss of a son or daughter, or maybe a mother or father. In many tragic situations it is difficult to begin the grieving process without help. This is where you can make a difference. By giving to the Bishop's Appeal, you help Catholic Charities do the compassionate work of Jesus. Through your generosity, its counselors can reach out and help people cope with loss when they do not know where else to turn. So please prayerfully consider mailing in your gift today.

Esto Vir Men's Conference Sat. Mar. 19th at the Shrine

Registration now open to all men. Their mission is to engage, cultivate and challenge men to become Catholic servant leaders of their families and communities. To register go online estovir.com.

Blessing Box

We do have a blessing box on our campus-outside the Duluth side door of church. Please help yourself if you are in need. If you wish to donate-please only dry food items-due to freezing temperatures. Suggested items.... cereal, boxed food items, hats, gloves, kleenex, toilet paper, etc.

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PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Lenten Fast & Abstinence Rules

Each Catholic is asked to preserve the penitential purpose and character of Lent, which begins Ash Wednesday. Catholics who have celebrated their 14th birthday are bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and each Friday of Lent. Catholics who have celebrated their 18th birthday, in addition to abstaining from meat, should fast, on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. The obligation of fasting ceases with the celebration of one's 59th birthday.

Holy Hour: Tues. March 8th 5-6:30pm

Join us for this prayerful night at Corpus Christi Church. The night will include exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 5pm, 3 readings at 5:15pm, 5:30pm and 5:45pm. Benediction at 6:20pm. Please note no confessions offered this evening.

Lenten Journey

Perhaps, for your Lenten journey you will make time to volunteer at church. Please prayerfully consider sharing yourself with your parish family! We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers, Choir Members/Music, Lectors, Ushers, Children Altar Servers, and more! Contact the parish office or go online to our website to see the ministries and volunteer form.

40 Days of Life Campaign

The Lenten 40 Days for Life (24/7) Campaign starts Mar. 2nd-Apr. 13th, on the sidewalk near the Planned Parenthood Clinic on Oneida St. in Green Bay. The D.C. parishes are set for Sunday afternoons 12-2pm on Mar. 13th, Mar. 27th and Apr. 10th. Let's join together in prayer and fasting in order to build a culture of life. Please come to G.B. to pray with us. For car pooling or information please call Dianne at 920-743-2260.

Quilting: Thursday's Feb. 24-Mar. 31st 8:30am-noon

Join us for quilting on Thursday in the parish center-2nd floor. Donations are welcome for flat bedsheets, thin blankets, pillowcases and large fabric pieces. Questions-please contact Elise at 920-743-6425.

The Parish Connection

St. John Bosco School is shaping future leaders by providing academic excellence in a caring 4K-8 Catholic environment where God's gifts are nurtured and where faith is put into action.

St. John Bosco Catholic School

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From the Principal

Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week provided an opportunity for our St. John Bosco students to celebrate. A spirited, fun-filled week took place at the beginning of February. It takes a lot of planning and preparation and makes for a crazy week, but the students love it and that makes it all worthwhile. This week-long observation gives us the opportunity to focus on the value a Catholic education provides to our young people and its contributions to our church, our community, and our nation.

Thank you to all who have helped support us thru church subsidies, tuition assistance, Econo receipts, volunteering, and direct donations to the school. We appreciate everything you have done. Thank you.

Mrs. Dassler

Lenten Activities

During the Lenten season, each Monday at 8:10, St. John Bosco staff and students will be praying a Lenten prayer together over the PA system. On March 10th, Grades 1-8 will be praying the Stations of the Cross with Deacon Mark. On March 16th, Grades 3-8 will be celebrating the sacrament of Reconciliation right after mass. Thanks to Fr. Tony, Fr. Tom, Fr. Ryan, Fr. Bob, and Deacon Mark for fitting SJB students into your busy Lenten calendar!

Rice Bowls

Families at SJB are participating in the CRS Rice Bowl Collection. This is a good almsgiving practice to do during the Lenten Season.

Wrap up of Catholic Schools Week

St. John Bosco School had a wonderful Catholic Schools Week. We started the week playing an all-school game of bingo while mixing it up with our craziest outfits and hats. We enjoyed dressing in our PJ's and playing Kahoot and wearing our brightest neon colors as we danced in our classrooms during the glow stick dance party. While dressed up as our favorite book character we read our books in the dark with our flashlights. On Wednesday, each grade dressed in their designated color. Check out the school's Facebook page to check out some more pictures from our favorite week of the year.

Gala of Giving Raffle

As you are reading this, St. John Bosco's largest fundraiser is occurring or will have occurred last night. Our virtual Gala of Giving Raffle occurred **Saturday, March 5th**. 7 lucky people have had their names drawn and were awarded $10,000 worth of prize monies. Hopefully, your name will be or was one of them. Thank you to the parishioners who bought a ticket or two and supported SJB with this fundraiser. Names of the winners will be listed in next month's Parish Connection.

Registration Open at SJB

St. John Bosco School is accepting registrations for the 2022-2023 school year. We have spaces open in grades 4K-8. Remember that new this year, SJB is offering a 4K half-day and full day program. Contact the school office if interested in receiving a registration packet. 920-743-4144

Easter Candy Sale

For the first time, SJB will be selling Beerntsen's Candies for Easter.

Beerntsen's Candies

Families will be selling milk chocolate bunnies, crosses, fudge eggs, and 4 varieties of boxed chocolates. All proceeds will benefit the Washington DC trip for the SJB class of 2023. Last day to place an order is Sunday, March 27th. Ask any SJB family or call the school office to place an order.

Classroom Gala Smileys

As an incentive, when a Gala raffle ticket was purchased from a student, that student received a raffle smiley face to be placed on their classroom door. The class with the highest percentage of smiley faces and the class that sold the most tickets will receive a special treat! As of Tuesday afternoon, SJB had sold 513 tickets, and Grade 3 had sold the most raffle tickets with 76 and had the highest percentage of smiley faces. Our students were wonderful salespeople!

Grade 2 Celebrates Reconciliation

SJB's second graders celebrated the sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday, February 12th at Corpus Christi Church. We are so proud of these second graders for participating in this important sacrament. Congratulations!

Spring Break – No School

St. John Bosco School will not be in session the week of March 21-25 due to spring break. We will be back in session on Monday, March 28th.

1st Grade Habitats

The 1st grade class worked hard on building their habitats with their families. They turned out great. Way to go 1st graders!

4th Grade Humane Society Donation

Mrs. Koller's 4th grade class raised $60.00 for our local Wisconsin Humane Society – Door County Branch. Way to go 4th grade and thank you for working hard for our local pets in need.

Ice Cream Reward

Thank you for supporting our school. Students and staff enjoyed an ice cream sundae reward for selling over 300 raffle tickets. Thank you to Culvers for donating the custard. Next up, a bowling party at Apple Valley Lanes, on Thursday, April 14 for selling 500 tickets. The final goal is 600 tickets and the reward would be a day off for students and staff!!

Culver's Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone that came out to support the 7th grade fundraiser at Culvers. Students had a great time delivering food to customers. They raised $521.99 during the dine in and curbside share. Thank you, Culvers, for the opportunity for these students to raise money for their Washington D.C. trip.

6th Grade Social Studies

In 6th grade Social Studies, students learned about Ancient Egypt. They were put into groups and instructed to choose a pharaoh (leader). They then had to complete different tasks that would help them eventually build a pyramid, all while managing their money and defending themselves from possible enemy attacks.

Trash to Treasure

Each year, your collecting efforts bring in $1000's of dollars (really!) to our school. Please continue to support our school by collecting these items and turning them into the school office.

What we collect

- ✓ Econo Foods Receipts
- ✓ Box Tops for Education
- ✓ HuTerra Receipts (Mobil, Pizza Hut, BP, etc.)

Thank you to our volunteers who organize and count the items we collect!

Box Tops Coordinator – Ginny Monfils

Econo Foods Receipts – Tara DePrey

HuTerra Receipts – Kristine Matysiak

Kwik Trip Scrip

Thank you to everyone who purchases SCRIP. Purchasing SCRIP is an easy way to help bring in money for our school. We are excited to announce that Corpus Christi Parish now has Kwik Trip scrip in stock. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the school office.

Stay Informed about St. John Bosco

School Website – The website includes current news and a calendar of events for the current month. https://johnboscoschool.org

Facebook – Dozens of photos from school activities fill St. John Bosco's Facebook page. Anyone can access it from our website.