

IN REMEMBRANCE

DAVID W CRARY · RICHARD L CULLEN · JOHN P CULP · HOLLIS R HALE · PETER
JOHN M DASHNAW · DENNIS P DAY · DELFERD B DUNIFER · TED W
QUENTIN W BINDER · CRISTOBAL FIGUEROA · GILBERT L HAMILTON · JAMES A
GARY L GABEL · LEANDRO G · JOHN L JONES · FRED W JANSONI · RALPH A
LEANDRO G · JOHN E MALONEY Jr · DONALD E MARTIN · LARRY L MITCHELL · HUGH
FRANCISCO MACHADO Jr · DENNIS J MILLER · ROBERT J OATES · HILBERTO ORTEGA
CHARLES W PERMALOFF · WAYNE L SAPP · DONALD PRICE Jr · JOE H PRINGLE · VINCENT P LANDO
WAYNE P NEWCOMB · JAMES C PAYNE · HUBERT L REESE · HOMER A
WILMER POTTS · STEVEN L RANEY · DELBERT L REESE · ROGER L SCHNEIDER · G
STEVEN L RANEY · THOMAS M ROSS · FELIX ALVARDO RUIZ · HURLEY A SMITH · JOHNIE M
DANNY RAY NORTH CUTT · DONALD B SMALL · MICHAEL D STOTLER · RICHARD A SWEDEN · JOHNIE M



*Corpus Christi Parish ~ Upper Gwynedd, Pennsylvania
May 28, 2017 ~ Seventh Sunday of Easter*



**CORPUS
CHRISTI
PARISH**

PASTOR

Reverend Monsignor Thomas P. Flanigan, Ed.D.

PAROCHIAL VICARS

Reverend Albert J. Santorsola

Reverend Shaji Silva

PERMANENT DEACONS

Deacon Francis E. Langsdorf

Deacon William W. Evans

Deacon Steve Currie

PARISH STAFF

Edd Murphy

Business Manager

Sr. Mary Carroll

McCaffrey, SSJ

Parish Minister

Maureen Lafferty

School Principal

Trish Keen

Director, Religious

Education for Children

Danielle Gallo

Youth/Young Adult

Minister

PARISH CENTER OFFICE

215-855-1311

PARISH CENTER FAX

215-855-3631

SCHOOL

215-368-0582

SCHOOL FAX

215-361-5927

REL. ED. OFFICE

215-362-2292

MINISTRY OFFICE

215-368-5750

MAILING ADDRESS

900 Sumneytown Pike ~ Lansdale, Pa 19446

ELECTRONIC GIVING LINK:

<http://corpuschristilansdale.org/welcome/registration/>

CHECK OUT OUR WEB SITES:

Church: www.corpuschristilansdale.org

School: www.ccslansdale.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Masses: 7:15AM

Saturday Masses: 7:15 AM.....4:30 PM

(Vigil Mass for Sunday)

Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 (Children's Liturgy of the Word for Grades K,1,and 2 at 10AM Mass)

11:30 AM, and 6 PM

Holy Day Masses: 7:30 PM (Vigil)

7:15AM, and 12:05PM

Confessions:

Saturday, after 7:15AM Mass, 3:15 to 4 PM, and also upon request at the Parish House.

COMMITTEES & ORGANIZATIONS

Pastoral Council: Steve Finley 267-648-0027

Finance Com: Rev. Msgr. Thomas Flanigan 215-855-1311

Adult Faith Formation: 215-855-1311

Aid for Friends: Barb and Fred MacIntosh 215-256-1161

Altar Linens: Lori Neri 215-828-4763

Altar Servers: Deacon Currie/Trish Keen 215-362-2292

Bereavement Group: Eileen McCullough 215-361-0978

Bingo: Laurie Ponticello 610-584-5694

Boy Scouts: Joe Rakszawski 610-584-0333

Casserole Project: Kay Smerke 215-855-1783

Catholic Charities: www.catholiccharitiesappeal.org

Charismatic Pr. Grp: Kathleen McCarthy 215-740-0349

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Trish Keen 215-362-2292

Club 50 of Corpus Christi: Bob Pecharo 267-222-8396

Cub Scouts: Rinaldo Rossi 610-715-7025

CYO Program: Pete VanThuyne 267-337-1548

Eucharistic Adoration: Barbara Atkins 215-412-2459

Extraordinary Ministers: Schedules Masses - 215-855-1311 ext. 133; To Visit Home Bound - Deacon Currie

deaconcurrie@gmail.com 215-855-1311

Funeral Coordinator: Odette Liddle 215-699-3862

Gift Certificate Program (Scrip): Erin Miller 215-362-0104

Girl Scouts: Cathy Roberts 215-393-7891

Greeters: Henry Hartman 215-362-1463

The Guardians - Fathers' Support Group:

Deacon Frank Langsdorf deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com

Home & School Assn.: Alyson Horcher & Lisa Scaduto

corpuschristihomeandschool@gmail.com

H.O.P.E.: Mary Medoff at 215-412-2263

Knights of Columbus: Richard Ray 267-446-8533

Lectors: Deacon Evans 215-855-1311

Legion of Mary: Helen Walker at 484-681-4868

M.A.S.S. Drivers: Joanne McDonald at 215-855-5307

The Mom Café - Mothers' Support Group: Jess Woehr

jesswoehr@hotmail.com

Music Ministry: Matthew Klenk 215-855-0670

Parish Library: 215-855-1311

Prayer Garden: Don Janssen 215-361-8558

Prayer Line: Anna Marie O'Reilly 215-368-4672

Pre-Cana Program: Jack & Mary Ann McGowan

ccprecanateam@gmail.com 610-584-5569

Pre-Jordan Program: Deacon Langsdorf

deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com

RCIA Program: Deacon Currie deaconcurrie@gmail.com

and Deacon Langsdorf deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com or

215-855-1311

Respect Life: Ellie Hentschel 215-362-0160

Louise Mercurio 610-584-4008

Sanctuary Cleaners: Jeanne Linden-Fox 215-513-0347

Ushers: Deacon Evans 215-855-1311

Weekend Parish House Volunteers: Sr. Mary Carroll

ccpc.marycarroll@yahoo.com 215-368-5750

Youth and Young Adult Ministries: Danielle Gallo

corpus.ym@gmail.com 215-855-1311 ext. 118

PASTOR'S MESSAGE



Dear Parishioners,

We are in a season of mystery, celebrating in faith the mighty works of God in our lives. Who is not moved in some way by the words of today's gospel? Yet who can fully understand this gospel? God's glory is felt in the heart, not comprehended with the head. Like love and blessing, glory is a two-way word. God loves us; we love God. God blesses us; we bless God. God glorifies us in Christ; we glorify God in Christ. In loving God, we serve Him faithfully. In blessing God, we praise Him for His goodness. In glorifying God, we allow ourselves to rest in the Spirit of God and we allow the Spirit to rest on us, as today's second reading explains. The whole year is the season of God's love. Advent and Christmas are the seasons of God's blessing, given to us in the Christ Child. Easter and Pentecost are the seasons of God's glory, when we accept the Spirit of power into our lives and celebrate our call to give the Spirit to the world.

As we approach the feast of the founding of the Church in the outpouring of the Spirit of glory, we see today's gospel as a bridge between Easter and Pentecost. The prayer of Jesus that God would give Him glory for the salvation of the world was answered in the resurrection. His prayer that He might bestow eternal life on His disciples was fulfilled in the descent of the Holy Spirit, who comes upon every new generation of Christians in the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation. We are privileged to share in the glory of God by continuing the work of Jesus in the world until He comes again.



"I have given You glory on earth by finishing the work You gave Me to do." In this simple sentence, Jesus sums up the whole purpose of His life's work. He had only one goal in life, to give glory to God. He achieved His goal by sticking to one task and doing it to the best of His ability, the task of doing the work which the Father gave Him to do. Jesus did not presume to devise elaborate plans for meeting His goal in life. If He had one secret of success, it was that He found the mark of the Creator in the ordinary people, events, and situations of day-to-day living. Jesus gave glory to God on earth by evoking God's glory from the earth.

We Christians have always been aware of our duty to love God and our neighbor. We are also accustomed to blessing God for His goodness and to blessing our neighbors by praying that God may bless them. How do we rate in giving glory to God? We have a few fixed occasions of prayer when we are reminded of our obligation to glorify God, such as when we pray the Gloria at Mass. Do we know how to glorify God in our actions? What about glorifying our neighbor? In colloquial usage, this sounds like making someone out to be greater than they are, almost deifying them. However, the concept also has a Christian meaning. We glorify someone in the eyes of God when we do something which enables them to radiate the glory of God to us. We, who possess the Spirit of Glory, can and should, give the Spirit to others by speaking and acting in a Christian manner. God's glory is contagious. Those who possess the Spirit cannot help but share it with others. In this way, not only is God glorified in His creation, but all creation is glorified in God.

Today's second reading reminds us that the moment of our greatest glory in Christ is often the time when we feel most deeply the pain, rather than the joy, of being followers of Christ. It is precisely because they propel us into the life of glory that these difficult moments become opportunities for deepening our faith, hope, and love. The Spirit of glory sustains us in the time of trial and enables us to surmount every obstacle for the sake of the gospel.

The glory of God is all around us, ever present to our touch, ever hidden from our sight. We reveal God's glory by using the things of this world in ways which enhance our human condition, especially the lives of the poor and oppressed among us. When we search out the hidden potential for goodness in a person burdened by poverty or handicap, when we uncover the unsuspected peaceful use of wartime inventions, when we look for ways to humanize our dehumanized institutions, to melt their hearts of stone and give them hearts of flesh, when we do any good activity, we reveal the glory of God in ourselves and in the world around us. God has given His glory to us so that we may live for Him. If we do nothing else in life except seek out His glory and give it back to Him in action and in prayer, we will find at the end of our journey that we have built up from the many ordinary things of our lives an offering pleasing to the Lord, an acceptable sacrifice of praise.

God bless you,

PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

The Pastoral Council serves Corpus Christi Parish by advising the Pastor on parish priorities, developing programs and activities for the parish community and coordinating communication across all aspects of parish life. ***Nominations for the Corpus Christi Parish Council are now open and will continue through June 4th.*** Elections will take place June 10/11 and June 17/18. All parishioners are asked to prayerfully consider nominating themselves or another member of the parish to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council. Nomination forms are available in the Church Narthex.

Members of the council serve three year terms and may serve up to two terms. Candidates for Pastoral Council must be at least 18 years of age and be active members of the parish. For more information, please call Steve Finley at 267-648-0027.

The Blessed Virgin Mary came to us in Fatima, Portugal ~ May 13th to October 13th, 1917

To Honor Our Lady of Fatima's appearances 100 years ago, ***we will be praying the Holy Rosary after all masses in the month of May.*** We will meet in the chapel immediately following every mass.



MEMORIAL DAY

The Parish Center Office will be closed for the Memorial Day holiday on Monday, May 29th, reopening on Tuesday.

MASS INTENTIONS for the WEEK

- Saturday, May 27th**
4:30 PM Steven Miola
by Pauline Sarday
- Sunday, May 28th**
7:00 AM Nicholas and Ann Circolone
by Richard, Tracy and Olivia Riccio
- 8:30 John Dwyer
by Anna Menta
- 10:00 Joseph Ly Nguyen
by Huynh Dinh
- 11:30 Adam and Anna Pienta
by Elaine Koza and Family
- 6:00 PM Will Feulner
by Patricia Carroll
- Monday, May 29th**
9:00 AM Noreen M. LaPira
by Mary and Ed Borkowski
- Tuesday, May 30th**
7:15 AM Matthew Landherr
by Joseph and Joanna McClintock
- Wednesday, May 31st**
7:15 AM Dorena Colonnello
by Bill and Carol Colonnello
- Thursday, June 1st**
7:15 AM William Gaasche
by Robert and Marian Schuler
- Friday, June 2nd**
7:15 AM Edward Wojcik
by Jeanette Wojcik and Family
- Saturday, June 3rd**
7:15 AM Rudolph and Betty Surovic
by Dan and Jan Fischer
- 4:30 PM Thomas Richards, Sr.
by Maureen Branigan
- Sunday, June 4th**
7:00 AM Peggy E. Walton
by Wayne and Carol Walton
- 8:30 Joseph and James Montisano
by Rose Mullaly
- 10:00 Fred and Florence Pienta
by Elaine Koza and Family
- 11:30 John Hoffman
by Catherine Hoffman
- 6:00 PM Ken Kern
by Dave and Kiersten Hafer



We pray for the deceased members, relatives and friends of our parish.

Lord Jesus Christ,

by Your own three days in the tomb, You hallowed the graves of all who believe in You and so made the grave a sign of hope that promises resurrection even as it claims our mortal bodies. + Amen



SEVENTH SUNDAY of EASTER

WEEKLY FINANCIAL UPDATE

Target for Fiscal Year 2016-2017	\$1,560,000
Weekly Target for Fiscal Year 2016-17	\$ 30,000
Collection for May 20/21	\$ 28,473
Electronic Giving (130 participants) May 20	\$ 16,612
Over (Under) Target Week	\$ 15,085
Over (Under) Target YTD Fiscal Week 47	\$ 62,398
Facilities Improvement Year To Date Through May 21st	\$ 69,087
Total Envelopes Mailed	2,559
Total Envelopes Used (May 21st)	771
Balance Due on Mortgage	\$ 2,703,569

First Reading: Acts 1:12-14 After Jesus ascended into heaven, the eleven apostles returned to Jerusalem and prayed in the upstairs room. With them were some women and Mary, the mother of Jesus

Responsorial : PS 27:1, 4, 7-8

R. (13) I believe that I shall see the good things of the Lord in the land of the living.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 4:13-16 Christians are exhorted to rejoice in suffering because through suffering, they share in the life of Christ.



Gospel: John 17:1-11a This is a continuation of Jesus' prayer at the Last Supper. He tells the Father that He has made His name known, that He has finished the work His Father has given Him, and that He wishes now to share in the glory at His side.

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

Jesus raised His eyes to heaven and said, "Father the hour has come. Give glory to Your Son so that Your Son may glorify You, just as You gave Him authority over all people, so that Your son may give eternal life to all You gave Him. Now this is eternal life, that they should know You, the only true God and the One You have sent, Jesus Christ...I pray for them."

Gifts are given. One considers who the receiver is and what that person might like or need. After deliberating a choice is made and the gift is offered.

Gifts are received. One opens his hands to receive them and gratefully accept what has been chosen.

The greatest gift ever is the gift of eternal life. By His dying and rising, Jesus wanted to give us this gift. We call it grace, the very life of God, communicated to us freely by Him and accepted. As I reflect upon this awesome care of God for me, at this very moment, I do not need to send a thank you note, but prayerfully take, protect and guard this incredible treasure.

My response can be my prayers of thanks to Him.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE of PHILADELPHIA

Quo Vadis Days 2017

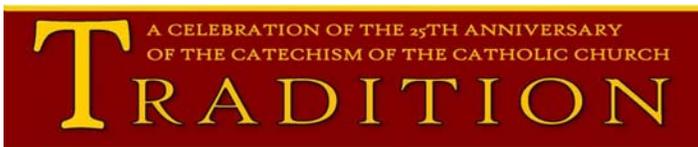


June 26-29, 2017
Black Rock Retreat Center
Retreat for young men graduating
8th – 12th grade
Registration \$35.00 / person
Register by Friday, June 9th

Gather with the Philadelphia Seminarians and other high school men for 4 days of dynamic talks, small group discussions, meaningful prayer experiences, and a fun environment including a ropes course, swimming pool and a lake, basketball, soccer, ultimate frisbee, and more.

To Register, or for more information, visit:
www.heedthecall.org

Questions? Contact the Vocations Office for the Diocesan Priesthood at (610) 667-5778



Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, this conference will focus on the four pillars of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Presentations will be given by nationally recognized speakers. Plan now to attend this very exciting and inspirational day!

Monday, June 19, 2017 ~ 7:30 am - 5:30 pm

Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown Hotel ~ Phila, PA 19103
SPEAKERS: Jeff Cavins (Keynote)

Scott Hahn • Mother Assumpta Long, O.P.

Matthew Bunson • Deborah Savage • Jonathan Reyes

COST: \$65 per person; TO REGISTER GO TO:
www.phillyocf.org and click on the TRADITION banner.
Deadline to register is Tuesday, May 30th!

Calling All Veterans for a Day of Honor Report to Duty

Honor Flight Philadelphia, a local non-profit organization, is currently looking for veterans who would like to travel with us to Washington, DC for a day of honor and recognition, where we will view the memorials dedicated to their service and sacrifice to our great nation so that we can live in a free society. This is at NO COST to the veteran.

Our next Honor Flight trip is scheduled for: **June 10, 2017** departing from St. Kevin's in Springfield, Delaware County, PA. Transportation, breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided as well as memorabilia, a Heroes Welcome home and a USO style show. Although we can never repay you for your service, an Honor Flight trip is a small token of our appreciation for your service to our great country, and for our freedom. Please contact Cathy at 610-613-3865 or cdomizio23@gmail.com

Gift of Days: Spirituality & Aging Retreat

June 6 – 8 (mid-week)

Marianist Family Retreat Center
Cape May Point, NJ 08212

This retreat (intended for those 55+) will explore the mystery of aging and God's desire for our spiritual fulfillment and development. This retreat will consist of input, quiet personal time, prayer rituals, Mass and small group sharing.

Cost: \$125 per person (includes program, lodging & meals)
Sign up online at www.capemaymarianists.org or call 609-884-3829 for more information.

IHM Nun Run

Join us on **Saturday, June 3, 2017** for the IHM Nun Run, a 5K run/walk at Villa Maria House of Studies, Immaculata, PA which is across the street from Immaculata University. Start time is 8:30 am. Proceeds benefit Camilla Hall, the retirement home for the aged and infirmed Sisters of IHM. Registration information: www.ihmnunrun.org, **May 30th is the last day to register.** No race day registrations.

Men & Women of Malvern

Malvern Retreat House offers traditional weekend retreats throughout the year with our Men & Women of Malvern programs. Each retreat has a name based on the history of their formation, but all teens and adults are invited to attend any group weekend that works with their schedule. The retreats include Mass, confession, presentations and much needed time for reflection. For a list of traditional retreats, visit www.malvernretreat.com/malvern.

THE NEW EVANGELIZATION

Starting on **Monday, June 5, 2017**, the Miraculous Medal Shrine in Germantown will celebrate our Annual Novena of Hope. This summer, the Novena of Hope will span nine consecutive Mondays and follow the normal Monday Novena schedule with eight services, culminating on Monday, July 31. The theme for this year's Novena of Hope is: "The New Evangelization." For more information please visit: www.cammonline.org/novenaofhope/ or see the schedule on one of the bulletin boards in church.

The Second Annual Padre Pio Festival

The Second Annual Padre Pio Festival at St. Bede the Venerable Parish in Holland is being held on the weekend of June 23, 24 & 25, 2017. Friday evening: Youth and Young Adult Night: Holy Hour, Exposition, Confessions followed by live entertainment, food trucks Saturday: 5:30 pm Vigil Mass (blessing with relics)

Sunday: 12:30 pm Solemn Mass, followed by street procession; 2:30 pm Healing Service (blessing with relics / confession)

On Saturday and Sunday afternoon & evening there will be an outdoor festival, with several food and beverage vendors, craft vendors, inflatable children's amusements, live entertainment. For more information visit www.padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com



The Annual AOH Irish Festival will be held at St. Michael's Picnic Grove, Mont Clare, PA on the weekend of June 2-4. Musical entertainment includes a Ceile with Tom McHugh and the McGillians on Friday evening, continues on Saturday with the Shanty's and the Paul Moore Band finishes on Sunday with Ray Coleman and McHugh and O'Neil Irish Thunder Pipes & Drums will also be performing on Saturday and Sunday, as well as the Coyle School of Irish Dance. There will be vendors, food and good cheer. Tickets \$7 on Friday, \$10 on Saturday and Sunday or \$20 for a full weekend pass. For tickets or information call Mark Ryan 610-277-2738 or go to www.aohnd1.com

All Proceeds Benefit AOH Charities



Upcoming Events **The Guardians - Tuesday, June 6th- 7PM**

Religious Education Room in Church. For more information or to register for your first meeting, please contact Deacon Frank Langsdorf at deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com.

Mom Café - Monday, June 5th - 9:30-11AM Date Change!

Monday, June 5 will be the last meeting until October. If you've been looking for a way to meet other moms in the parish, or have wondered what this group is about, come join us at this or in the fall meetings. *All are welcome, including the children.* Have coffee and talk with a supportive group of women discussing all kinds of topics! Questions may be directed to Jess at jesswoehr@hotmail.com

Malvern Family Festival

Malvern Retreat House will host a Family Festival on **Sunday, June 11 from 1pm-6pm.** The day will kick off with outdoor Sunday Mass presided by Bishop Edward Deliman at the Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine. After Mass, other activities that will be offered include performances by The Donut Man and Grammy-Nominated Singer/Songwriter Marty Rotella, children's games, food, and DJ-directed music and activities. The cost is only \$25 per car, including food. Please visit malvernretreat.com or call 610-644-0400 for more information.

Morning of Reflection for Grandparents

Celebrate the blessings and challenges of grand-parenting by joining us at Saint Jude Church in Chalfont for this morning of reflection for all grandmothers and grandfathers. This special day begins with the **9:00 AM Mass** celebrated in honor of Saints Joachim and Ann, the grandparents of Jesus. Following Mass, we will enjoy a continental breakfast and a conference by our guest presenter, Deacon David Schaffer who currently serves at Saint John Neumann Parish in Bryn Mawr. *Cost is \$10.00 per person.* Contact Angela McClellan for more information at 215-822-9225 (ext. 234) or faith@stjudechalfont.org.

Wednesday, July 26, 2017

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Chapel/Church Meeting Room

Guest Presenter: Deacon David Schaffer
Please register using the form that can be found on St. Jude's parish website at www.stjudechalfont.org. Please mail form along with payment.

The **Friends of Fertility Care Philadelphia** are pleased to introduce Dr. Delia Larrauri, a pro-life ob/gyn who is trained in the Creighton Model Fertility Care System and NaPro Technology. The evening begins at 7PM with the film NaPro: A Quiet Revolution. Afterward there is a presentation and Q&A session. Come meet Philly's most recent NaPro trained health care professionals. Q&A with Philadelphia's newest NaProTechnology trained ob/gyn physician: **Holy Saviour Parish, 407 E Main St, Norristown, PA 19401 May 31, 7PM.** The event is free but registration is requested. Please go to <http://fertilitycarefriends.org/NaProRoadShow>

FAITH † FORUM

Over 100 Sacred Relics will be on display on **Thursday, June 1, 2017, at St. Rose of Lima Parish Center - Fr. Murphy Room** from 10:00AM - 7:30PM, followed by a short talk by Rev. Jason Kulczynski, Pastor, Holy Martyrs Church in Oreland, PA. Father Kulczynski will speak about the history and veneration of relics and there will be time for questions. Included in the collection are the True Cross of our Lord, relics from Mount Calvary and the Birthplace of our Lord. Also included are relics of the Cloak of St. Joseph, St. John the Baptist, The Cave Shrine of St. Michael the Archangel, St. Anthony of Padua, St. John of the Cross, St. Francis of Assisi, St. John Neumann, St. Katharine Drexel, St. Teresa of Calcutta, St. John Paul II, Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati, St. Damian of Molokai, Therese Benedicta (Edith Stein), Venerable Fulton J. Sheen, Servant of God Fr. Walter Ciszek, and many others.

THE KNIGHT'S KORNER - Updates from the Knights of Columbus Council #9715



MONDAY, MAY 29, 2017 MEMORIAL DAY

MASS – In commemoration of Memorial Day, the Father John E. Doyle Council of the Knights of Columbus will honor those family, friends and fellow service members who gave their lives in defense of our nation. The names of our honored War Dead will be read during the 9:00AM Mass on Memorial Day and the members of the Knights of Columbus will present an honor guard during the Mass. *Please join us for this special Mass in commemoration of Memorial Day on Monday, May 29 at 9:00AM*

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2017 "PASTA KNIGHT"!

The Father Doyle Council of the Knights of Columbus will be holding a PASTA "KNIGHT" at **5:30PM on Saturday Evening, June 17th, 2017** in the Father Doyle Social Hall as a way to help celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi! (The dinner will occur right after the procession around the grounds of the Church for the Feast). The menu will include Penne Pasta with Marinara Sauce; 2 Meatballs and 1 piece of Italian Sausage; Salad with choice of dressing; Bread; Dessert; and Assorted Sodas and Water (BYOB). *Tickets will be sold in advance (in the narthex of the church after the Masses the weekend of June 10 – 11).* The cost of an adult ticket is \$10.00 in advance and \$12.00 at the door, and the cost of a child ticket (12 years of age and under) will be \$5.00 in advance and \$6.00 at the door. Proceeds will benefit the annual ARC campaign. *For more information or if you have questions, please contact Anthony Rosato at 215-361-7464.*

2017 Knights of Columbus Annual Collection for "Arc"

ARC is the largest advocacy organization in the United States for citizens with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and their families. Your kind financial support will benefit many of our neighbors in the Montgomery, Bucks and Berks Counties! Thank you to everyone who has opened their hearts to help the Knights of Columbus with our annual collections for ARC. Because of your generous contributions, last year we were able to donate over \$5,000.00 to this very deserving cause. Please watch for the Knights as they are collecting donations around the community and at Corpus Christi during May and June!

2017 "Change for Life Baby" Bottle Fundraiser for Pro-life

Corpus Christi Respect Life Committee and The Knights of Columbus Council #9715, the joint coordinators of this "Change for Life" Campaign, remind our parishioners that you can still return any additional Baby Bottles and donations to members of the RL Committee and the K of C Council. Funds raised will be divided equally between the Respect Life Committee and the Knights of Columbus to support Pro-Life efforts, including the on-going maintenance of the Ultrasound Machine Donated to "A Baby's Breath" in October 2011 by our Knights of Columbus Council. **PLEASE HELP US HELP OTHERS MAKE A CHANGE FOR LIFE!** Thank you in advance for your support!

A Thank You to:

Corpus Christi Parishioners,
Thank you for your continued support of the Pro Life Union of Greater Philadelphia and Guiding Star Ministries. On May 19, we held a Community Baby Shower in the West Oak Lane section of Philadelphia. This event brings expectant mothers from the area and local ministries together to celebrate life. Because of the many donations you contributed, we were able to support 50 growing families. Thank you so much!
The Pro Life Union and Guiding Star Ministries



Please be praying
for...

Bill Flear, Daniel MacDonald, Joan Buchler, Joanne McDonald, Maureen McGowan, Sara Welsh Krebs, Katelyn Bonner, James Donnelly, Kathy Donia, Bonnie Maday, Annamarie Hutchinson, Samuel Smith, Joe Dwyer, Thomas Roy, Peter Schumacher, Frank Griffith, Pat Mozi, Leonard Balk, Luca Paciente, James Herron, Sr., Mike McGonigle, Sue Kunze, Patricia Wright, Joseph Bintner, Frederick Scheetz, Robert Shea, Drew Fantozzi, Ken Slater, James Stento, Antonio Jacinto, Michael Rafter, Holly Miller, Betty Olden, David Dawson, Mary Rexer, Dorothy Reckner, Lily Anna Rose Pagnotta, Elaine (Kim) Deimeyer, Dan Ungvarsky, baby Benjamin Matthew Schuyler.

CLUB 50 NEWS AND TRAVEL

June General Meeting – This meeting will be held on **Thursday, June 8, at 12:00** in the A-B-C meeting rooms. There will be pizza for lunch, and **Bingo with cash prizes** (cost is \$5.00 for five games). **Important – there will be an election at this meeting for President of Club 50, as another candidate has come forward (only members may vote).** Any questions, please contact - Janet Stankus, (215-368-1785), or Kathleen Kemp, (215-368-4075).

NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME!

Rail & Paddle Wheel, Middletown, PA- Thursday, June 1, 2017. Cost \$90. Round trip motor coach transportation, tax and tip for the driver included. Scenic ride on the Middletown Hummelstown Railroad (10AM), sit-down luncheon at Alfred's Victorian Restaurant (12NOON), 45 minute sight-seeing cruise aboard the "Pride of the Susquehanna" (3PM)

Choice of Entree: 1) Lump Crab Cake; 2) Cannelloni Bolognese (crepes filled w/veal, chicken & beef, topped w/marinara sauce)

3) Chicken Flake (chicken breast rolled in crushed almond & corn flakes).

Departs 7:15AM returning approximately at 6:30PM.

Payment due at sign-up - No refunds after the vendor is paid in full! Call 215-368-0421, Rose Wilson, 1377 Pickwick Lane, Lansdale, PA 19446 or call 267-263-2622 Mary Slater, 512 Dock Drive, Lansdale, PA 19446.

Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada - Tuesday-Friday, October 3-6, 2017. Cost ranges from \$625 single, \$485 double & triple - Insurance \$75 or \$50. Round trip motor coach transportation. 3 nights accommodations at the Clifton Victoria Hotel. 3 full breakfast buffets at the hotel. 1 luncheon at the Mandarin Restaurant, 2 other dinners. Guided tour of Niagara Falls. Many other interesting sights. For full details pick up a **BROCHURE** in the Narthex of the church or at Club 50 meetings. Deposit payment at sign-up \$50. Final payment due August 11, 2017. For reservations and Information contact: 215-393-8786 John and Mary Woodcock, 261 Beth Drive, Lansdale, PA 19446.

***All checks which are due at sign-up should be made payable to "Club 50 of Corpus Christi."**

Evangelization Newsletter

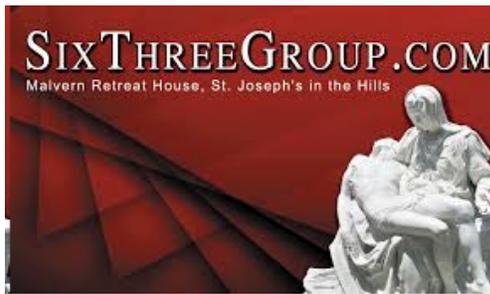
For a list of events occurring around the Archdiocese of Philadelphia please sign up for the monthly Evangelization Newsletter at <http://www.phillyevang.org/inform/> There are so many activities geared to all age groups! Don't miss out!

The **PRAYER GARDEN** is a quiet and peaceful place to pray and meditate surrounded by nature. Come anytime, any day, it is always open, and stations of the cross booklets are available for your use. New additions to the garden last year include a Gazebo, a paver patio, Alleluia Lane, and two nature trails. Come often, you will be glad you did.

Corpus Christi Bingo



Every Tuesday, 50 weeks a year. Check website *Organizations* for further details! www.corpuschristilansdale.org



A Retreat for Fathers and Sons will be held **Father's Day weekend, June 16 - 18th** at Malvern Retreat House. Participants should be home before 1PM on Sunday. **There is**

no charge for grade or high school students who attend with father or male relative. Visit www.SixThreeGroup.com for more details or contact Don McAvoy at 610-539-7881.



Looking for that special gift? If you want something that brings lasting joy, why not consider giving each other a **Marriage Encounter Weekend**? The world we live in seems to get busier each year, to taking the time to focus on each other and to grow in our understanding and love is so important. The next Weekend in this area is **July 7-9 at Our Lady of**

Czestochowa in Doylestown. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: www.wme-philly.org. You can also contact Al and Mary Liz Heumann at Applications@wme-philly.org or call 610-449-1859.

CORPORATE MATCHING GIFTS FOR SCHOOL

Many companies have a Matching Gift program that is available for schools. If you've thought about making a donation to Corpus Christi School, and are employed at one of these companies, obtaining a form from the Human Resources Department could add on to your personal gift and would be a great way to support our school. Ask your employer if they have a Matching Gift or similar type program for schools.

CORPUS CHRISTI LIBRARY

The library is now open.

All are welcome to browse the stacks during the following times:

Wednesday – 10:00AM to 12:00PM

Sunday – 8:00AM to 11:00AM (closed 5-28)

All books are available for take out.

Parish Library Samplings....

To encourage our parishioners to take advantage of its many books and DVDs...

Let's begin with a few Saints.

- Theresa, the Little Flower
- Padre Pio
- Anthony of Padua
- Edith Stein
- Jeanne Jugan
- Maximilian Kolbe, and many, many others.



2017 GIVING HOPE to All: You may contribute to the Catholic Charities Appeal in many ways: • Pledge Gift • Electronic Fund Transfer (EFT) • Gifts of Securities • Planned Gifts • One Time Gift • Credit Card Gifts • Matching Gifts. For more information on any of these options please visit our website at

www.catholiccharitiesappeal.org, email us at cca@adphila.org or call us at 215-587-5650.

(Corpus Christi with 440 contributors is at \$81,967, 54% of our \$152,684 goal for 2017 as of May 19th.)

Youth News

High School Youth Group

Check out our Youth Group table in the Narthex, visit us on **Facebook** or on the parish website: <http://corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/>
LIFETEEN CALENDAR: For details regarding each week's activities, visit the youth section of Corpus Christi's website.
www.corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/high-school-youth-ministry

CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL NEWS



CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL
~ a Blue Ribbon School of Excellence ~
WELCOMES YOU

Corpus Christi Catholic School New Student Registration Information

Registration for the 2017-2018 School Year is currently taking place. Please call Mrs. Barb Casee in the school office at 215-368-0582 to arrange a time to come in and register your child.

Items Needed for Registration:

- ❖ Original Birth Certificate
- ❖ Baptismal Certificate
- ❖ Immunization Records
- ❖ \$50.00 non-refundable registration fee

Have any questions??? ... Or if you would like a private tour, please call the school office and ask to speak to Mrs. Casee at 215-368-0582 or email barb.casee@corpuschr.org.

Check out this year's dance=athon fund raiser video:

<http://tinyurl.com/ke7gx24>!!!!

METANOIA ~ YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Metanoia is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County, PA. The group supports Catholics in their 20s and 30s who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. Our ministry includes: Theology on Tap, faith based meetings, community service, retreats, and outdoor events. We meet on Tuesdays at 7:30pm unless otherwise noted. Our upcoming events are listed on facebook, contact metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com for more information and events please visit

www.metanoiayoungadults.weebly.com. Check out our Twitter link on homepage: <http://metanoiayoungadults.weebly.com/> or for more details visit our Facebook Page:

www.facebook.com/users/metanoiayoungadults

May 2017:

Tuesday, May 30: Holy Hour at Mary Mother of the Redeemer in North Wales

June 2017

Tuesday, June 6: Froyo at Swirled Peace in Lansdale @ 7:30PM

Tuesday, June 13: Bible Study @ Corpus Christi Parish, Lansdale @ 7:30pm

Tuesday, June 20: Theology on Tap @ Appalachian Brewing Co., Collegeville; Doors at 7:00pm, Talk Starts at 7:30pm

Tuesday, June 27: Holy Hour @ Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Parish, North Wales; 7:30pm

CYO News:

Fall Sports registration is open now and will close on **July 31st** at <https://corpus-christi-cyo.siplay.com/site/>. Late fees will apply after that date and space is not guaranteed on rosters after that date. The registration fees are the same as last year. Additional information for each sport is available at www.https://corpuscyo.wordpress.com/.

Cheerleading - Includes Varsity (7th & 8th Grade, \$75) and JV (5th & 6th Grade, \$75) divisions for girls. The season runs through both Fall and Winter, as the Cheerleading teams will perform at Corpus Football and Basketball games. The teams will also participate in several competitions.

Cross Country - Includes Novice, Minor and Cadet divisions for K through 8th grades for boys and girls, \$45. All runners compete in the Archdiocesan weekly meets and can qualify for the Archdiocesan championship.

Football - Includes Varsity (7th & 8th Grade, \$195) and Junior Varsity (5th & 6th Grade, \$195) divisions for boys. Varsity can qualify for the Archdiocesan Tournament.

Soccer - Includes Co-ed Varsity (7th & 8th Grade, \$85), Co-ed Junior Varsity (5th & 6th Grade, \$85) and Co-ed Mini (3th & 4th Grade, \$65) divisions. Varsity plays in the Region 20 Tournament and can qualify for the Archdiocesan Tournament.

Girls Volleyball - Includes Varsity (7th & 8th Grade, \$70) and Junior Varsity (5th & 6th Grade, \$65) divisions for girls. Varsity plays in the Region 20 Tournament and can qualify for the Archdiocesan Tournament.

Volleyball Camp (Girls & Boys) - Learn to Play Volleyball! Improve Your Skills!

VARSITY is for girls and boys entering 7th and 8th grades in Fall 2017. - 1st week of Aug, dates/times TBD shortly, \$65

JV is for girls and boys entering 5th and 6th grades in Fall 2017.

-1st week of Aug, dates/times TBD shortly, \$65

Student Coaches - High School students can register to be Student Coaches on our grade school CYO sports teams (Volleyball, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Cheerleading).

They will always be supervised by the adult Head and Assistant Coaches and will act as assistants. For those high school students interested, register under the specific sport, selecting "Student Coach". Registration is free and completion of the season will qualify for high school service hours at the discretion of the Head Coach. Space is not guaranteed and will depend on the number of grade school teams, the level of experience the high school student has with the sport and the approval of the Head Coach, Coordinator and Athletic Director.

If the high school turns 18 prior to or during the Fall season, they will need to complete all the clearance requirements before the start of the season. This program is a great way for high school students to develop leadership skills while serving the community and staying involved with parish life.

Corpus Christi CYO is now on Twitter! For information on sign-ups, scores, reminders, alumni news, and more, follow us @CYOCorpus!

Get our Emails - Set-up an account in our online system so you receive all of our emails for CYO sponsored events and CYO sports. There is no cost to create an account. You can set-up an account at <https://corpus-christi-cyo.siplay.com/site/>

CYO Open Positions - Registrar, Uniform Manager and others. If interested contact cc-cyo@verizon.net

SCRIP CORNER

CORPUS CHRISTI SCRIP PROGRAM

e-mail: cc.scrip@yahoo.com; on the web: www.ccslandsdale.org
Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9am to 12:30pm (when school is in session); Monday evenings 5:30pm to 7pm (when REC is in session) Erin Miller (215) 362-0104

HOPE Our Corpus Christi H.O.P.E. volunteers perform **WORKS OF MERCY** for our parishioners. We appreciate it if you make appointments 2 weeks in advance.

Week of 05/28 Team #1: Mary Medoff at 215-412-2263
Week of 06/04 Team #2: Karen McFadden at 484-552-8129
If you have any questions please call Hope Coordinator, **Mary Medoff at 215-412-2263**. Thank You!

BAPTISM INSTRUCTION SESSIONS: Parents and Godparents must attend **Pre-Jordan Sacramental Preparation** before the Baptism takes place. Prior to attendance, *parents are required to pre-register those attending the session by contacting the Parish Center Office, 215-855-1311*. Although instruction sessions are mandatory for both Parents and Godparents, you are required to attend one time only. If you have attended previously you are not required to come again. Ideally, attendance at the preparation session should occur before the child's birth. Upcoming sessions are scheduled in the RE Room (in the church), at **7:00 PM on the 3rd Monday of the month: i.e. June 19th, July 17th.**

REQUIREMENTS FOR GODPARENTS

- must be a registered member of a Catholic Parish and receive a Certificate of Eligibility* from that Parish and have attended the Pre-Jordan Baptism class
- must have completed his/her 16th birthday
- must have been Baptized - Confirmed - and has received First Holy Communion - and actively practicing their faith - e.g., attending Mass, receiving Holy Communion - receiving the Sacrament of Penance
- if married - must be living in a valid sacramental marriage
- cannot be the parent of the child to be baptized
- the godparents are to be one male and one female
- one godparent may be a non-Catholic Christian witness with proper proof of his/her baptism — if a non-Catholic is asked to be a Christian witness - the other godparent **MUST** be Catholic
- a person who has left the Catholic Faith for any reason, may not be asked to carry out this responsibility

Please note: **The paperwork for the child's baptism and certificates of eligibility* MUST be completed at least two weeks prior to scheduling a baptism date.** Certificates of eligibility must have a parish seal and cannot be faxed; they must be the original.

***CERTIFICATES OF ELIGIBILITY:** *A certificate of eligibility is asking for a priest to sign and acknowledge that the person is 16 years of age or more, confirmed (and if married, marriage took place in the Catholic Church) and celebrating the sacraments regularly. Ideally, this person should be registered and an active member of the parish for at least six (6) months.*

Baptism is administered at **12:30 PM EVERY SUNDAY.**

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please send your bulletin announcements to the Parish Center Office no later than the Friday 8 days prior to publication. The preferred method is by e-mail to corpuschristibulletin@yahoo.com with the word "bulletin" in the subject line but it can be faxed or dropped off to the Parish Center. Thank you for your cooperation!

Confessions: Saturday after 7:15AM Mass, 3:15PM – 4:00PM, and also upon request at the Parish House

DAILY PRAYER CHAPEL OPEN: Those who wish to make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament during the day may do so in the Church Chapel. The Chapel is open every day until **3:30PM except Wednesday when it is open until 6:30PM.** Please enter the chapel using the entrance walk on the side of the Parish House facing Supplee Road. The main Church is closed after the 7:15 Mass each morning.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WEDNESDAYS
7:45AM TO 6:30PM Eucharistic Adoration is scheduled every **Wednesday, from 7:45 AM til 6:30 PM** in the Church Chapel. Benediction is at 6:30 PM. (Novena devotions immediately following, see below). **Please enter the chapel using the entrance walk on the side of the Parish House facing Supplee Rd.** (Please consider signing-up to be a weekly Adorer. There is a sign-up list in the Chapel if you would like to make a weekly commitment to a specific time each week. For more information, please call Barbara Atkins (215-412-2459.)



LEGION OF MARY: Wednesday evenings, 7:30 to 9:00 PM, in the Ministry Room of Corpus Christi Church. New members are sincerely welcomed at all meetings.



MARRIAGES: Couples who are planning to be married are required to notify one of the parish priests no less than six months prior to the marriage and attend a Pre-Cana session. To check on the next session at Corpus Christi— Contact ccprecanateam@gmail.com for information. Please confirm your date with the church before booking your reception.

METANOIA is an active community of Catholic young adults in western Montgomery County, PA. The group supports Catholics in their 20s and 30s who are looking to deepen their faith and meet fellow Catholics in the area. Our ministry includes: Theology on Tap, faith based meetings, community service, retreats, and outdoor events. We meet every Tuesday at 7:30 pm. The schedule is as follows: *First Tuesday*- Social Event (not always on a Tuesday); *Second Tuesday*- Bible Study at Corpus Christi (920 Sumneytown, Lansdale); *Third Tuesday*- Theology on Tap at Appalachian Brewing Company; (Collegeville). *Fourth Tuesday* - Holy Hour at Mary Mother of the Redeemer (North Wales) Contact: metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com or visit our Facebook pages: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/metanoiayoungadults>

NOVENA DEVOTIONS: Devotions honoring the Immaculate Heart of Mary are offered on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month, and devotions to honor St. Peregrine, Patron Saint of Cancer Patients, are offered on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month, at 6:30PM in the Chapel. For information please call 215-855-1311.

OUR LADY OF HOPE PRAYER LINE: The Prayer Line may be called if you are in need of prayer. Call Anna Marie 215-368-4672.

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS: Weekdays from 9AM to 12:30PM) and 1:30PM to 5PM. Please come in or telephone during these hours concerning documents, registration, Mass cards, baptismal arrangements, etc.

PRAYER GROUP: to which ALL are invited meets on Thursday evenings in the Church Chapel at 8 PM.

PREGNANCY HOTLINE: **800-CARE-002** Twenty-four hours/seven days per week hotline for individuals seeking assistance with a pregnancy. Offers assistance to explore pro-life option, supportive counseling and linkage with needed resources.

REGISTRATION: Our diocese requires that all Catholics should be registered in the parish of their residence. If you have moved into our parish and have not registered with us, it is important that you call the Parish Center Office (215-855-1311) and make arrangements to do so as soon as possible. Certificates of Eligibility to act as a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation, **cannot be issued** unless you are already (preferably for 6 months) registered with us. **Please be aware that young adults over 21 (25 if in college) should register separately.**