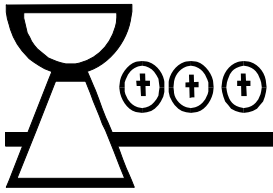


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*Corpus Christi Parish ~ Upper Gwynedd Pennsylvania
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ June 30, 2013*



**CORPUS
CHRISTI
PARISH**

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Reverend Monsignor Thomas P. Flanigan, Ed.D.

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Reverend Albert J. Santorsola

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Deacon William W. Evans

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CARING & SHARING

215-855-1311 ext 133

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: Mary Halinski 215-368-2559

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

Adult Faith Formation: Angela McClellan 215-855-1311
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CYO Program: Jim Herron 215-696-9000

Eucharistic Adoration: Anne DeSantis 610-222-9778

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Extraordinary Ministers:

Schedules Masses - 215-855-1311 ext. 133

To Visit Home Bound - Deacon Langsdorf

215-855-1311 ext. 125

Gift Certificate Program: Mary Ellen McCabe 215-362-0104

Girl Scouts: Tracy Okeke 215-362-5562

Greeters: Henry Hartman 215-362-1463

The Guardians - Fathers' Support Group:

Deacon Frank Langsdorf 215-855-1311 ext. 125

Home & School Assn.: Mary O'Sullivan 215-513-0361

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Knights of Columbus: John Atkins 215-412-2459

Lectors: Deacon Langsdorf 215-855-1311 ext. 125

Legion of Mary: Carol Romano 215-855-9832

M.A.S.S. Drivers: Paula Manchester 215-275-4943

The Mom Café - Mothers' Support Group:

Angela McClellan 215-855-1311 ext. 122

Music Ministry: Toni Pultorak 610-584-1583

Parish Library: Angela McClellan 215-855-1311 ext. 122

Prayer Garden: Don Janssen 215-361-8558

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

Pre-Cana Program: Jack & Mary Ann McGowan

610-584-5569

Pre-Jordan Program: Deacon Langsdorf 215-855-1311

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Youth and Young Adult Ministries: Bobby Moren

215-855-1311 ext. 118

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Parishioners,

In the readings for today's liturgy we watch several people being invited to a life journey of discipleship. In the first reading Elijah throws his cloak over Elisha, a sign that he had been called by God to become a prophet among the people. In response to God's call, Elisha immediately disposes of his property, says good-bye to his parents and follows Elijah. He has gotten rid of anything that would stand in the way of his prophetic vocation. Discipleship demands a real commitment to the mission to which God is calling.

In the gospel Jesus sets out for Jerusalem and encounters a variety of people. The Samaritans did not welcome Jesus who was on His way to worship in Jerusalem. The hostility that they held for the Jewish people was so ingrained in their culture, that they could not accept Jesus. It seems as though Jesus understood their rejection; it came out of their sincere belief, and so He accepted it. He rebuked His companions for wanting to use the power of God to punish those who had slighted them. A disciple must accept the fact that following Jesus often brings rejection from those who do not understand.

When Jesus later met someone who wanted to follow Him, He practically said, "Are you sure? You won't be able to stay in one place and must be willing to go wherever you are sent." When Jesus says that the foxes have lairs, but He has nowhere to lay His head, we must not take Him too literally. He was perhaps alluding to the fact that His disciples must live as if they had no permanent dwelling to tie them to one place. Evangelization must be on-going.

The next person asks to be allowed to bury his father before following Jesus. Jesus' response to him was puzzling. Burying the dead was a sacred duty among the Jewish people, so this seemed like a legitimate request. In the early Christian communities, believers were considered to be among the living, while the unbelievers were considered to be spiritually dead. Jesus was saying to let the spiritually dead bury the physically dead. At any rate, Jesus emphasized the importance of proclaiming the good news. For a disciple nothing must be allowed that would prevent performing this sacred duty.

Finally, a third person approaches Jesus with the promise to follow, but only after saying good-bye to those at home. Jesus indicates that the call to discipleship comes before all other demands. A person cannot plow a field or accomplish the task ahead by constantly looking back. The early Christians called the Christian life "the way". Jesus tells us He is the way, the truth, and the life. Just as Jesus experienced misunderstanding and rejection, so must we expect misunderstanding and rejection. We must be willing to give a total commitment to this, our own journey. Sounds pretty demanding – and it is, but love makes it easy. Let us ask God for hearts ablaze with love.



God bless you,
Msgr. Tom Henigan

Plans are underway for this year's celebration of our Fiftieth Parish Anniversary which will culminate in June 2014. Just to give you an idea of what is being planned, dates and details will be forthcoming as events are worked out: Casserole Project, Coat Drive, Movie Night, Trunk or Treat, Local Pilgrimages, Taste of Philly, Trivia Night, Lenten Retreat, Closing Banquet, **Parish Pilgrimage** to Italy in the Fall of 2014.

Invitation to Haiti

Join Father Chuck's Challenge (FCC) on its third annual Pilgrimage/Mission Trip August 5-9, with Food for the Poor to Haiti. Close up experiences with the Haitian poor! Includes e.g. visits to two FCC Fishing Villages, one near Leogane, close to the epicenter of the 2010 great earthquake; the other, St. Mary's Village, on Gonave Island. Cost approximately \$1950pp. Limit: 15 persons. Deadline is July 1st. Please email corneliahunt3@gmail.com or phone 610-265-2380.

CORPUS CHRISTI VILLAGE

Father Chuck's Challenge (FCC) reports that FCC has dedicated a new village, "Corpus Christi"

In Nicaragua in honor of our Eucharistic Lord – and our parish and parishioners. Mass was celebrated there June sixth in that little village (30 homes, 195 people) nestled among very beautiful mountains near La Dalia. Msgr. Patrick Sweeney, Father Charles Kennedy (Cathedral Phila.) and Msgr. Francis X Schmidt joined two local priests at Holy Mass. Rev. Mr. Peter Niche (St. Maria Goretti, Hatfield) assisted as deacon. Twenty others, mostly from our immediate area, were in the FCC pilgrimage group.

In God's name, hundreds of generous donors to the expanded, ongoing Corpus Christi Project, have recently provided funding – over \$800,000 – for 200 homes in four newly developed villages (for over 1300 very poor people). The project also includes two chapels, a rectory, two schools – and a church (at Wali) still under construction.

We thank God – and all the people – who have blessed the poor in such a dramatic, fundamental, permanent way.

(Another trip will be planned for next summer. Please contact Connie Hunt at corneliahunt3@gmail.com or 610-265-2380 now if you maybe interested in being notified of details in the future).

MASS INTENTIONS for the WEEK

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

- Saturday, June 29th**
4:30 PM Sue Mandato
by Pinder Family
- Sunday, June 30th**
7:00 AM William Walsh
by Shirley Walsh
8:30 Antonio Davoli
by Ted and Josie Jupina
10:00 Skip Lentz
by Joe and Janet DePolo
11:30 George DiDomizio
by DiDomizio Family
6:00 PM Edward Pajka
by The Pajka Family
- Monday, July 1st**
7:15 AM Skip Lentz
by Beth Lentz
- Tuesday, July 2nd**
7:15 AM Gerald McDermott
by Bucci Family
- Wednesday, July 3rd**
7:15 AM Rachel Tavaris
by Francis and Yvonne Gonsalves
- Thursday, July 4th**
9:00 AM Deceased Members of the Armed Forces
by The Langsdorf Family
- Friday, July 5th**
7:15 AM Lawrence D'Souza
by Yvonne and Francis Gonsalves
- Saturday, July 6th**
7:15 AM Edwin Markel
by Margaret Markel
4:30 PM Margaret Cabbage
by Rich and Jean Cabbage
- Sunday, July 7th**
7:00 AM William Walsh
by Joanne and Patrick O'Donnell
8:30 Francis Langsdorf, Sr.
by Deacon Langsdorf
10:00 Anna McGuinn
by Regina and Walt Kenworthy
11:30 Jane and Charles James
by Drew and Helen Soltis
6:00 PM Joseph Kraynak, Sr.
by Richard and Margrit Marino



We pray for the deceased members, relatives and friends of our parish family especially Ruth Kish.

(Funeral arrangements at Corpus Christi Church are now listed on our website as soon as we are notified by the Funeral Director: www.corpuschristilansdale.org)



“Come to their aid, O saints of God; come forth to meet them, angels of the Lord, receiving their souls, presenting them to the Most High.”

WEEKLY FINANCIAL UPDATE

June 22/23	\$23,938
Envelopes mailed	2,598
Envelopes returned	840
Mortgage Reduction Collection	
June to date	\$ 3,972

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:16b,19-21 Elijah the prophet followed God's instruction to appoint a man named Elisha as his successor. Elijah threw his cloak over Elisha, who went and said good-bye to his family, then followed Elijah without question.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 16:1-2,5,7-11 I set the Lord ever before me.

Second Reading: Galatians 5:1,13-18 Paul reminds us that people were freed from the old law through Christ. But he makes it clear that this freedom does not mean giving in to evil desires. Instead, we must be guided by the Spirit and most importantly love our neighbor as ourselves.

Gospel: Luke 9:51-62 Jesus set out for Jerusalem, and passed through a town where He was not welcomed. He reprimanded His disciples for desiring vengeance against the town. One man wanted to follow Jesus when he had finished his duties at home. Jesus expressed that a man who begins a task, but constantly looks back is unfit for the reign of God.



Family Connection

Parents are always striving to help their children to set priorities. Children need to learn to finish homework before watching TV or going out to play. They need to know that they have to finish their chores before they can go out with their friends. They need to know that paying attention to curfews for their safety is more important than being popular.

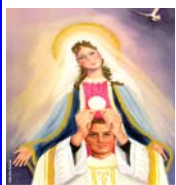
As a family, talk about these examples of setting priorities. Share examples of how you learned to prioritize as you were maturing. Explain that in this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus talks about the importance of making him the number-one priority in our lives.

Read aloud Luke 9:51-62. Talk about how going to Sunday Mass as a family is an important way of keeping God at the center of our lives. Talk about other ways that the family can make Jesus a priority.

www.loyolapress.com/sunday-connection.htm

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE of PHILADELPHIA

ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA ANNOUNCES PARTICIPATION IN THE "SPIRITUAL MOTHERHOOD PRAY FOR MY PRIEST" PROGRAM



The Archdiocese of Philadelphia will participate in the ministry of Spiritual Motherhood and Adoration Cenacles, a program begun by the apostolate Pray For My Priest. It seeks to organize faithful Roman Catholic women to put the spiritual care of all priests in the Archdiocese at the forefront of their prayer life and good works.

Its goal is to match each priest anonymously with a "Spiritual Mother", a woman of prayer, who will raise her "priest son" up to God unceasingly in prayer and sacrifice so that he may best fulfill his vocation to serve God and His people.

Additionally, Adoration Cenacles for Priests will invite the faithful to come together in prayer for one hour in front of the Holy Eucharist specifically for the sanctification and fortification of priests.

Contact and additional information may be found at :

<http://www.archphila.org/spiritualmotherhood/spiritualmotherhood.php>. Contact for Corpus Christi parish is Rosemary Doyle at rdoylerd@comcast.net ~ 215-368-5875 or Maria Richardson at marichar@comcast.net.

Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage!



The Retrouvaille Marriage Program offers help for struggling marriages. It gives you the chance to rediscover yourself and your spouse. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending a Retrouvaille weekend and the six post sessions that follow it. Retrouvaille is not just a social gathering or series of seminars, but rather a way to rediscover and rekindle the loving relationship in your marriage. **The next program begins on the weekend of August 9-11 at the family life center in Malvern, PA.** For more information, or to register for our upcoming weekend, visit our web site at: www.HelpOurMarriage.com or call 800-470-2230 or 215-766-3944. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

REUNIONS ...

West Catholic High School alumni and friends will hold the 26th annual **Burrs at the Beach** celebration rain or shine at Westy's Irish Pub North Wildwood on Sunday, July 7th from 1-7PM. Proceeds assist needy Catholic students with tuition financial support. Tickets are \$20 in advance (\$25. day of) for tickets and/or info about bus transportation from the Philadelphia area to North Wildwood, please contact Marty Moran '56 610-356-6072, Charles 'Bud' Tucker at 610-494-2133 or the school office: George Light at 215-386-2244.

St. Matthew Parish "Ride the Tide" Parish and School reunion on Saturday, July 13th, 3-7PM at Keenan's Irish pub, North Wildwood. Purchase tickets on line by July 10th at www.friendsofsaintmatthew.com/upcoming-events, more info at SMSRidethetide@gmail.com or call donna at 215-264-2032.

St. Martin of Tours Parish in Northeast Philadelphia will hold its eighth annual **Tours at the Shore** reunion for alumni, friends and current and former parishioners on Saturday, August 24, from 3-7PM at Keenan's Irish Pub, at 113 Olde New Jersey Avenue in North Wildwood, NJ. Tickets cost \$30pp and include domestic bottled beer, wine soda and food. Tickets are available at the door. For more information, please call St. Martin's at 215-535-2962. Thank You!

John W. Hallahan H.S. Class of 1963 50th Reunion will be held on September 29th 1-4PM at the LaVeranda Restaurant, Pier 3 on the Delaware, valet parking available. Cost \$63pp, cash bar. Send checks to John W. Hallahan HS, 311 N. 19th Street, Philadelphia PA 19103-1198; attn. Reenie Ednie. For additional information please contact Ann Kerns, aekerns@yahoo.com or 610-322-9947.

Lansdale Catholic High School Summer Programs: Lansdale Catholic High School and Dr. Richard Fuller offers our summer programs which include: Algebra I enrichment program (grades 5-9); "Critical Thinking and Study Skills" program (grades 8-12); and a PSAT/SAT Program (with a student teacher ratio of 8:1) summer classes start July 22, 2013. For more information call Dr. Fuller 610-275-9660 or LCHS 215-362-6160 ext. 145.

STEP RIGHT UP! It's Fair Time at SACRED HEART PARISH in Royersford!!

Lewis Road and Walnut Street - Opening at 5 PM Daily - Wednesday--Saturday, July 10 - 13
Rides galore, Live Music every night, Bingo, Scrumptious Ethnic Foods, 50/50 Drawings, Homemade Baked Goods, Attic Treasures (you won't believe the deals!!!), Dunk Tank, Speed Ball, Grocery Wheel, Games for the Little Ones, Games for the Not So Little Ones, Plinko, Face Painting, Pot of Gold, Beergarden and oh so much more!!! (Our fantastic Fair Committee is once again working their magic for more surprises so it'll be a fun experience just for you.) They'll be plenty of parking on surrounding streets or at the 9th Grade Spring Ford Elementary School.

We hope YOU can join us and contribute to making this year an extra special one. You know it's been said, "It's the fair that tickles your heart and makes you smile." So come on down and share your smile with us!!!

Join us also on Facebook at:

https://www.facebook.com/?ref=tn_tnmn#!/pages/Sacred-Heart-Fair-Royersford/340598702715797



PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY!

Accompany Father Al Santorsola on his FIRST pilgrimage to Italy!!!!
DESTINATIONS: Rome, Tuscany, Florence, Venice, Assisi!

DATES: APRIL 26 TO MAY 4, 2014

PRICE: \$3599 ALL included! - airfare, 4 and 5 star hotel accommodations, breakfasts and dinners, lots of wine, and more!!

TRAVEL AGENCY: PROXIMO CATHOLIC TOURS

TRIP NAME: "ITALY REGULAR"

For more information, contact Linda Delvy (Corpus Christi parishioner) @ 610-585-0561.

N.B. This pilgrimage is not a parish sponsored tour! It is initiated by Proximo Travel, Linda & Don Delvy and Fr. Santorsola!

Lansdale Catholic High School Admissions - Lansdale Catholic is now accepting applications for the Class of 2017. If you are interested in receiving an Application Packet, please contact Mrs. Allen at 215-362-6160 ext 194 or e-mail your request to amallen@lansdalecatholic.com.

Founded by the Sisters of the Holy Redeemer, **Holy Redeemer Home Care and Hospice** offers comprehensive, compassionate home health services. Whether you need home care after surgery or an accident, or for a relative who is coping with a chronic or life-limiting illness, you can rely upon Holy Redeemer Home Care and Hospice's expertise. Our highly qualified, staff delivers advanced clinical care in the home, meeting your needs with caring, individually-focused care to help you enjoy the best quality of life possible. We are now servicing the Lansdale area. For more information, please call 1-888-678-8678 or visit www.holyredeemer.com/homecare.

Lighten Up! Why did the scientist install a knocker on his door? He wanted to win the No-bell prize!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION at CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH



Our Lady's Bible Study - Mondays 8:30-9:30AM
Parish Library

Patricians - Monday, July 1st Topic "Is the status of
women better under Christianity?"

7PM to 9PM; Corpus Christi Parish Library

Mom Café - On Summer Recess until October 1st

The Guardians - Tuesday, August 6th- (see ad below) For
more information or to register for your first meeting, please
contact Deacon Frank Langsdorf at
deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com. 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM Corpus
Christi Church Religious Education Room.

Visit us on the web at www.corpuschristilansdale.org/aff

The Guardians

This monthly support group for fathers of all ages, is named in honor of Saint Joseph, Guardian of the Redeemer. It provides opportunities for members to learn from one another by sharing their insights about challenges they face in married and family life, in the workplace, and in their spiritual life. Through fellowship, prayer, and discussion of relevant issues, participants come to a deeper understanding of the richness of their Catholic faith and their identity as husbands and fathers. This year, the Guardians are viewing the DVD series, *Crossing the Goal* with a focus on the virtues.

Tuesday, August 6, 2013
Corpus Christi Church
Religious Education Room

(Please use side entrance of church to enter.)

For more information or to register for your first meeting,
please contact Deacon Frank Langsdorf at
deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com or 215-855-1311 ext. 125.

The Parish Library

When individuals strive to grow in the interior life, one of the essential spiritual exercises is spiritual reading. The Parish Library functions as part of the Adult Faith Formation Ministry at Corpus Christi Parish and provides individuals the opportunity to borrow Catholic books and resources that might not be available in public libraries or a typical bookstore. The library is located on parish grounds next to the playground area. It is a fully heated and air-conditioned modular unit with ramp access. It is comprised of unique areas for the faith formation of adults, teens, and children. Books, games, DVDs, and CDs may be borrowed for a period of three weeks and can be renewed upon request. View our library policies and procedures and obtain a complete listing of more than 1,500 books and resources by logging onto our parish website at www.corpuschristilansdale.org.

Hours: Sundays: 7:45 AM to 1:00 PM (closed Independence Day weekend)

Saint Maria Goretti Parish Invites You to Celebrate Our Saint!

Celebrate the liturgical feast of our patroness, Saint Maria Goretti, on **Saturday, July 6th**. Enjoy refreshments in the narthex following the 5:00 PM Mass and the movie, St. Maria Goretti, on the big screen in church. No cost and no registration required. Come, celebrate with us!

Walking Pilgrimage of Faith- Save the date! All Catholics of the Archdiocese, especially youth, young adults and families are invited to join in a walking pilgrimage to the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul on Sunday, October 13. Walk, drive, take the train – or any combination of these three. – to arrive at the Cathedral in time for prayer and praise and 6:30PM Mass with Archbishop Charles Chaput. Gather a group and plan to come! For more info, visit www.archphila.org/yearoffaith.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Our faith community at Corpus Christi would like to invite anyone who is not Catholic or wants to be fully initiated into the Catholic Church to learn about our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program. It is a process of prayer, reflection on Scripture, and teachings that center on the Catholic faith and on our relationship with our Lord. If you or someone you know would be interested in inquiring about this process which begins in October, **please contact Deacon Frank Langsdorf at 215-855-1311x125 or you may email him at deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com** for more information.



Visit CatholicPhilly.com for Catholic news in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia every day. Sign up for a free, weekly email newsletter at catholicphilly.com/newsletter.

Corpus Christi Wednesday Eucharistic Adoration



The Blessed Sacrament is exposed every Wednesday in Corpus Christi's Chapel. Adoration starts after the 7:15 a.m. Mass until 6 p.m. Benediction follows Adoration.

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: Anne DeSantis at 610-222-9778 or adesantis_1@comcast.net.



"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest." Do not burden, for God knows that you want to have peace and love in your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are August 23-25 at St. Mary of St. Mary of Providence Retreat Center, Elverson, PA and October 5-6 TBA. Early registration is highly

recommended. For more information visit our website at www.wwme.org

TLC Ministry

Participants of the T L C Ministry create handcrafted items, such as, shawls and blankets, and then offer them as an act of stewardship to anyone in our parish who needs a little Tender Loving Care. These items embrace and comfort the wearer with the tender loving care and prayers of the maker and the faith community.

Recipients may be experiencing a difficult time in their life, undergoing medical procedures, grieving, or family members of fallen soldiers. Do you know of someone who needs a little TLC? If so, contact us at corpuschristiaff@yahoo.com.

If you are a knitter or enjoy crocheting, new members to our ministry are always welcome. Drop off your item at our Parish Center or Parish Library during regular hours. Please mark the bag "TLC" and don't forget to include your name.

Learn how to make Mission Cord Rosaries

Wednesday, July 10, 2013, 9 AM to 12 Noon,
R.E.C. room in the Church

Wednesday, July 17, 2013, 9 AM to 12 Noon,
R.E.C. room in the Church

This is an opportunity for men, women, young people and children to learn how to make Mission Cord Rosaries. It's easy. It's fun. It helps people to pray and to learn to love Our Lady. We need as many teachers as possible to help our budding Rosarymakers. Questions? Call Dick Pultorak 610-584-1583.

Youth News

High School Youth Group

All 9th-12th grade teens are invited to join the youth group for our weekly meeting *every Sunday night from 7pm-9pm* in the RE Room. The night will include, dinner, time with friends, games, prizes, some talks about the faith and time of prayer. All are welcome and we hope to see you soon! If you need info on any trips or the youth group happenings, check out our Youth Group table in the Narthex or visit us on **Facebook** or the parish web at <http://corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/>

LEAP CALENDAR:

www.corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/high-school-youth-mini-stry

June: 28th-30th- Steubenville Youth Conference
July: 7th-Freddy Hill
11th-Sky Zone (no youth group on July 14th)

Middle School Youth Group


www.corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/middle-school-youth-ministry If you have any questions or would like to sign up please contact our Youth Minister Bobby Moren at 215 - 855- 1311 or corpus.ym@gmail.com.

METANOIA ~ YOUNG ADULT GROUP


•**SAVE THE DATE!** 2nd Annual Metanoia Camping Retreat ~ Friday, August 9th-Saturday, August 10th

Theology on Tap is always the third Tuesday of the month; our future topics are posted on line.

Follow us on Twitter! [@MetanoiaYA] Please check out our Facebook ([facebook.com/groups/MetanoiaYoungAdults/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/MetanoiaYoungAdults/)) & Twitter links in the top corner of our homepage:
<http://metanoiayoungadults.weebly.com/>

 **COUGAR FOOTBALL** - Students in 5th through 8th grade (September 2013) interested in playing CYO football for the Cougars can register on-line. Please log on to the Corpus Christi Website at www.corpuscyo.com and click on the link for Cougar Football registration. Registration will remain open until July 15, 2013. Any questions concerning registration or REC requirements, please contact Dave Saulino at dwsaulino@comcast.net.

On-Line Registration is now available for the following Fall Sports:

 Girls JV and Varsity Volleyball - Grades 5 thru 8
Coed JV and Varsity Soccer - Grades 5 thru 8
Cross County - Grades Kindergarten thru 8
Registration will only be accepted on-line by using the Corpus Christi CYO web site at www.corpuscyo.com

To *all volunteers* interested in coaching, head or assistant, there are NEW coaching requirements that must be completed. Please go to the CYO web site at www.corpuscyo.com and click on the Coaching Resources tab for required Training and Certification.

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.

SCRIP CORNER

Summer Hours Are Here!

Every Tuesday: 9AM to 12:30PM (Except July 2nd)

You may call or e-mail (cc.scrip@yahoo.com) your order in, which I can fill on Tuesdays, then you can pick it up at the Parish Business Office anytime, Mon. - Fri., 9AM - 12:30PM and 1:30PM - 5PM, OR at the Parish Rectory on Sunday mornings, 9AM - Noon.

Please check out www.ccslandsdale.org under the SCRIP tab (see the SCRIP Order Form button) to learn what this program is all about. This program benefits anyone who is attending any Catholic educational institution, school or religious education program!!

Credits are good for anyone you designate at ANY Catholic school, from PRE-K THROUGH POST-GRADUATE education. You can set up an account to accumulate and save your credits for future use if your children are not yet in school. If you have any questions or would like more information about this major fund raising program, you can reach Mary Ellen McCabe at 215-362-0104 during office hours, or send an e-mail!



CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL NEWS

A Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

The school offices will be closed the month of July. Phone messages will be checked periodically during the month. If you have an important message, please leave it on the voice mail and someone will return your call as soon as possible.

We re-open the school offices in August on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays for the first two weeks and then every day for the remainder of the month. The offices hours are 9A.M. until Noon each day in August!

Enjoy the summer months with your children. We will miss seeing them!

IMPORTANT SAFE ENVIRONMENT NOTICE!!

As part of the Safe Environment requirements, the Information and Communication Technology Addendum is again available on-line, for those who were unable to complete the training when it was first offered in 2011. The website is: <http://www.childyouthprotection.org>. Click on the "Staff and Volunteers" tab at the top of the webpage, then "Required Training" on the drop down menu. Scroll to the bottom of this page and follow the instructions. Print and return the confirmation of training completion form to Connie Langsdorf at the Parish Office.



Attention - Boys in 6th, 7th, 8th grade ~ **Corpus Christi Boy Scout Troop 303** is accepting new members. Boys experience a vigorous activity program and peer group leadership to achieve the BSA's objectives of developing character, citizenship, and personal fitness. Camping, fun with friends -- and more. Boys need not have been a cub scout. For more info contact: Joe Rakszawski (joerak@aol.com, 610-584-0333)



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 6/30 Team #6: Sue Bones at 215-631-9526

Week of 7/7 Team #7: Mary Medoff at 215-412-2263

If you have any questions please call Hope Coordinator, **Toby Glaccum at 215-855-6752**. 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. , July 15th, August 19th.**

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 married in the Catholic Church and celebrating the sacraments regularly. This person must 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 Monday prior to weekend of publication by 12 noon. It can be faxed or dropped off to the Parish Center but the preferred method is by e-mail to corpuschristibulletin@yahoo.com with the word "bulletin" in the subject line. 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
7:45 AM TO 6:30 PM



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 Anne DeSantis at 610-222-9778 or email adesantis_1@comcast.net).

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.

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.

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.

PARISH LIBRARY Hours:
Sundays 7:45AM to 1PM
Closed Independence Day Weekend

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.