

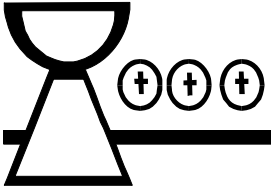
**AS  
THE  
FATHER  
HAS  
SENT  
ME,  
I AM  
SENDING  
YOU.**

John 20:21

# **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**



*Corpus Christi Parish ~ Upper Gwynedd PA  
October 20, 2013 ~ 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*



**CORPUS  
CHRISTI  
PARISH**

**PASTOR**

**Reverend Monsignor Thomas P. Flanigan, Ed.D.**

**PAROCHIAL VICAR**

**Reverend Albert J. Santorsola**

**PERMANENT DEACONS**

**Deacon Francis E. Langsdorf**

**Deacon William W. Evans**

**PARISH STAFF**

Edd Murphy	Business Manager
Sr. Mary Carroll McCaffrey, SSJ	Parish Minister
Wanda Costello	School Principal
Trish Keen	Director, Religious Education for Children
Angela McClellan	Director, Adult Faith Formation
Bobby Moren	Director, Youth and Young Adult Ministry

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900 SUMNEYTOWN PIKE ~ LANSDALE, PA 19446

**CHECK OUT OUR WEB SITES:**

**Church:** [www.corpuschristilansdale.org](http://www.corpuschristilansdale.org)

**School:** [www.ccslansdale.org](http://www.ccslansdale.org)

**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: Barbara Atkins 215-412-2459  
 Finance Com: Rev. Msgr. Thomas Flanigan 215-855-1311

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Adult Faith Formation: Angela McClellan 215-855-1311 ext. 122

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 Children's Liturgy of the Word: Trish Keen 215-362-2292  
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 Cub Scouts: Mark Fennell 215-513-1743  
 CYO Program: Mary Bagnell 215-272-2618  
 Eucharistic Adoration: Anne DeSantis 610-222-9778  
 Evangelization Coordinator: Randy Pagnotta 610-564-0921

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.: Beth Kress 267-613-8757 and Megan Montagna 215-699-0773  
 H.O.P.E.: Toby Glaccum 215-855-6752  
 Hospitality Ministry: Jean Van 215-855-5834  
 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: Matthew Klenk 215-855-0670  
 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  
 RCIA Program: Deacon Frank Langsdorf 215-855-1311 ext. 125

Respect Life: Ellie Hentschel 215-362-0160  
 Louise Mercurio 610-584-4008

Sanctuary Cleaners: Jeanne Linden-Fox 215-513-0347  
 Ushers: Deacon Langsdorf 215-855-1311 ext. 125  
 Youth and Young Adult Ministries: Bobby Moren 215-855-1311 ext. 118

# PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Parishioners,

If you have had the experience of asking someone – a child, or a spouse, or a parent – for a particular favor or, perhaps more importantly, for something that is needed, and had that request rejected again and again, you know the frustration of the person in today's gospel story.

This inability of persons to respond has become a real part of life today. Our simplest requests for service in a store, or for someone to listen in our families, seem to be falling on unhearing ears. The results are devastating for most individuals. We tend to become more and more uncaring ourselves. We begin to think that everyone has this same attitude. Worst of all, we begin to adopt it for ourselves.



Of course, there is no easy solution to this growing problem of lack of communication. But the gospel story offers us an interesting solution – a suggestion of a way to handle situations such as are described in the Gospel. If we are not going to receive an answer from those with whom we wish to communicate, we might decide to pray or talk to God about the situation.

It probably will help us to find our own solution to the problem. We will begin, after a certain amount of meditation to see the situation from another perspective, one which we can eventually accept. Our conversation with God will probably reaffirm our intention to begin to listen ourselves to the pleas and needs of others.

God bless you,

Handwritten signature of Msgr. Tom Flaxigan in cursive.

**Hold the Dates:** Our Forty Hours Devotion with Fr. Bruce Lewandowski will be held **Sunday-Tuesday November 17-19** details to follow.

## OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

**Baby Bottle Drive** - The Knights of Columbus and the Respect Life Group distributed baby bottles after Mass last weekend. We ask that you remember to fill them with your change and dollars and return them the last weekend of the month, October 26 and 27. The money collected will help with the upkeep of A Baby's Breath's ultrasound machine, the March for Life and pro-life activities.



**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)** classes started October 10th, but there's still plenty of room for you if you want to come and learn why we, as Catholics, do what we do. It is a time of "inquiry" and we more than welcome you to join us. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Deacon Frank Langsdorf at [deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com](mailto:deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com).



## 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!



## Mass of Thanksgiving in Honor of the Sisters of Saint Joseph

Since 1965 with the opening of Corpus Christi School, the Sisters of St. Joseph have been a presence in Our Parish's 50 Year history. We will take the occasion of this, our 50 Year celebration to thank and honor the sisters who have been an integral part of our past here at Corpus Christi Parish. We have invited all the sisters who are able to come so that we may give thanks to God for their ministry to attend the mass **on November 3rd at 11:30AM**. A reception will follow in the Father Francis J. Loughran Hall (gym). In order to prepare for the reception please RSVP by Wednesday, October 23rd. Place the completed announcement in baskets in the Narthex and RE room or collection basket. Contact Barbara or John Atkins for info: 215-412-2459. Thank you.

Family \_\_\_\_\_ Number of members attending Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Children: \_\_\_\_\_

# MASS INTENTIONS for the WEEK

# TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

**Saturday, October 19th**  
4:30 PM Jess Brown  
*by Anne Brown*

**Sunday, October 20th**  
7:00 AM William Walsh  
*by Rev. Georges Thiers*  
8:30 Alyce P. Roberts  
*by Hladik Family*  
10:00 Anne and Richard Ambrig  
*by Lois Trave*  
11:30 Elmer Bauer  
*by Elaine Koza*  
6:00 PM Edward Colahan  
*by Colahan Family*

**Monday, October 21st**  
7:15 AM Berta and Wilhelm Mayer  
*by Dagmar McKnight*

**Tuesday, October 22nd**  
7:15 AM Antoinette Butler  
*by Rosato Family*

**Wednesday, October 23rd**  
7:15 AM Joseph F. Smart  
*by Goepfrich Family*

**Thursday, October 24th**  
7:15 AM Millie Whitney  
*by Dan and Elaine Gansz*

**Friday, October 25th**  
7:15 AM Lillie Alexander  
*by Susan and Andy Lazzaro*

**Saturday, October 26th**  
7:15 AM John Patti  
*by Mickey and Joan Korejko*  
4:30 PM Robert Duffy  
*by Duffy Family*

**Sunday, October 27th**  
7:00 AM Jane Lowe  
*by Merck Friends*  
8:30 Vinnie Straka  
*by Bernadette*  
10:00 Harold Skip Lentz  
*by Club 50*  
11:30 Thomas Casey  
6:00 PM Jack DeCabe  
*by McNeill Girls*

## WEEKLY FINANCIAL UPDATE

October 12/13	\$ 25,807
Envelopes mailed	2,638
Envelopes returned	843
<b>Mortgage Reduction Collection</b>	
October to date	\$ 3,791

**First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13** Amalek and his people attacked the Israelites, so Moses instructed Joshua to lead some of the Israelites into battle the next day. While Moses kept his hands raised in prayer, the Israelites were winning. But when he put his hands down, they would begin to lose. So two others helped him keep his hands raised, and Joshua and the Israelites won the battle.

**Responsorial Psalm: 121:1-2,3-4,5-6,7-8** The Lord is the Guardian of Israel.

**Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2** Paul tells Timothy that the Scriptures are inspired by God and are an excellent tool in teaching others about God's expectations of His people. Knowledge of the Scriptures, coupled with faith in Jesus, will lead many people to salvation. Paul urges Timothy to continue preaching the gospel, although this will sometimes be a difficult task.



**Gospel: Luke 18:1-8** Jesus speaks about a corrupt judge who lacked respect for either God or man. A widow repeatedly asked him to settle a case in her favor. He finally settled the case, only because he grew weary of listening to her requests. Jesus points out that if even this corrupt judge eventually listened, then God, who is just, will certainly answer the pleas of His people.

## Family Connection

Children nag because it works. Parents, like the judge in the parable, often get worn down by the persistence of their children asking for things large and small. Nagging is not a positive trait, to be sure. The confidence and the persistence behind this behavior, however, confidence in the goodness of the giver and the tenacity to stay in the relationship, are traits worth emulating in our relationship with God.

Read together Luke 18:1-8. Talk about appropriate ways to make needs and desires known to one another and to God in prayer. Recall that God wants to answer our prayers. As a family, offer your needs as prayers of petition to God.



We pray for the deceased members, relatives and friends of our parish family, especially Bridget Falcone, wife of Wayne; Sr. Catherine Coleman, RSM.



Lord, support us all the day long, until the shadows lengthen, and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done.

Then in Your mercy, grant us a safe lodging, and a holy rest, and peace at the last.

*John Henry Newman*

[www.loyolapress.com/sunday-connection.htm](http://www.loyolapress.com/sunday-connection.htm)

## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE of PHILADELPHIA

A Baby's Breath Crisis Pregnancy Center will be hosting their 12th Annual Silent Auction on **November 9, 2013** at the Crowne Plaza in King of Prussia. A Baby's Breath is a pro-life organization which assists and supports mothers through their crisis pregnancies and beyond. The Silent Auction benefits all four centers located in Montgomery and Bucks counties. For more information, visit our website at [www.ababysbreath.org](http://www.ababysbreath.org). Individual- \$60 which includes: dinner reception and complimentary beer, wine, and soda. To be an Event Sponsor, donate a Silent Auction item or attend the event, **please contact Maria Diesel at 610-430-0271 or [midiesel@comcast.net](mailto:midiesel@comcast.net)**.

 On **Saturday, November 2nd**, the **Lansdale Catholic Cheerleaders** will be holding a **Crusader Community Flea Market** in the Lansdale Catholic High School parking lot. There will be a variety of vendors, a yard sale, bake sale, silent auction, clothing drive, concessions and live music performed by a local band from Mary Mother of the Redeemer called "The Mob". Anyone who would like to claim a spot in the flea market as a vendor or who is able to make donations to the clothing drive, bake sale or yard sale, please contact the program director, **Becky McAdon**, at [CrusaderCommunity@yahoo.com](mailto:CrusaderCommunity@yahoo.com). Also, any financial donations to help the team attend the 2014 Allstate Sugarbowl in New Orleans, Louisiana can be made at <http://www.lc2thesugarbowl.myevent.com/?1377103106>.

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Doylestown** presents its Annual Holiday Craft Fair on Saturday and Sunday, November 2nd and 3rd 10AM – 4PM. Free admission over 100 crafters, Craft Fair Café opens at 10AM [www.olmccraftfair.com](http://www.olmccraftfair.com).

### Annual Christmas Bazaar is under way!

**We would like to Invite You to be a Vendor in our show!** St. Titus Parish 3006 Keenwood Rd, East Norriton, PA 19403 Social Hall on Saturday, November 16th, 2013 from 9:00AM-4:00PM & after 4:30PM Mass until 7:00PM. 6' tables are \$20 if you supply your own, \$30 if you need a table supplied. Set-up is Friday, November 15th 3:00PM until 8:00PM; doors open at 7:30AM on Saturday and set-up must be completed by 9:00AM on Saturday. We hope that you will be able to join us this year and look forward to working with you. Please contact Eileen Heflin at 215-920-4523 or [heflin618@comcast.net](mailto:heflin618@comcast.net) for application and more information.

The Holiday Season is fast approaching and Elm Terrace Gardens will be hosting our **28th Annual Christmas Craft Bazaar on Saturday, November 2, 2013, from 9:30AM to 3:00PM** here at Elm Terrace Gardens. On this annual occasion Elm Terrace Gardens Christmas Craft Bazaar features: 35 local area crafters, a silent auction, baked goods, second hand jewelry, and lunch from 11:00AM – 1:00PM. There will be a drawing at 3PM for some door prizes, you must be present to win. There will be parking available across 7th Street at First Baptist Church. All the proceeds from this event go directly to enriching the lives of our residents here at Elm Terrace Gardens located at 660 North Broad Street, Lansdale PA 19446. For more information call: 215-361-5600.

### St. Charles Seminary ~ Race for Seminarians

The team invites runners and walkers of all experience levels to participate in the 2013 Philadelphia Marathon and Half-Marathon on **Sunday, November 17, 2013** as a way to support the seminary in its mission to form priests after the Heart of Jesus and to raise vocation awareness. **How Can You Participate?** Join the Team! Participants in the St. Charles Seminary ~ Race for Seminarians Team (Marathon and Half-Marathon) agree to fund raise a minimum of \$250 each. There is a registration fee of \$85 for seminarians and \$105 for non-seminarians. **Volunteer!** We are in need of a few volunteers to assist on race day at the marathon site. Please call Laura Verdi at (610) 785-6530 if you are interested. **Make a donation.** Anyone may make a donation to support a specific team member or a general donation to support the whole team, please visit <http://scs.edu/marathon.html>

### OUR LADY'S MISSIONARIES OF THE EUCHARIST (OLME) INVITES YOU TO A SPECIAL RETREAT:

#### A TIME APART WITH JESUS TO GROW IN YOUR SPIRITUAL LIFE.

**November 1-3, 2013**, Ave Maria Retreat House, Doylestown, PA. The retreat is offered by Sister Joan Noreen, Co-Founder of OLME and EWTN Host of *Eucharistic Journey*. This retreat includes Daily Eucharist, Eucharistic Adoration, conferences on Catholic Spirituality, Prayer with Sacred Scripture, Liturgy of the Hours, and much more. For more Information, please contact: Jane Evans at 215-368-8006 Leave message for a return call or e-mail: [mrsjanevans@verizon.net](mailto:mrsjanevans@verizon.net) for an immediate response, or contact OLME directly: 610-582-3333, [olme@olme.org](mailto:olme@olme.org), visit [www.olme.org](http://www.olme.org) for more information.

### Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School Open House Sunday, October 20, 2013, 1-4 p.m.

8th Grade Scholarship/Entrance Exam-Saturday, October 26, 2013, 9AM – 12:30PM  
8th Grade Visitations: Spend the day with a current Gwynedd Girl and learn why they chose Gwynedd! October through December. Registration is available online at [www.gmahs.org](http://www.gmahs.org) for all upcoming events!

### Mount Saint Joseph Academy Open House

invites all interested applicants and their parents to an **Open House on Sunday, October 20, from 12PM to 3PM**. Visitors may tour the Mount and meet with faculty, students, and graduates. To Pre-Register for Open House visit [www.msacad.org/openhouse13](http://www.msacad.org/openhouse13). The Scholarship/Entrance Exam will be given on Saturday, November 2, at 8AM For more information please call the Admission Office at 215-233-9133 or visit us online at [www.msacad.org](http://www.msacad.org).

**Lansdale Catholic High School 8th Grade Scholarship Exam** - LC will hold their annual Scholarship Exam on Saturday, October 26 at 8:15AM. You must be registered as a member of the Class of 2018 to sit for this exam. Students from regional public, private and parochial schools are encouraged to call the Admission Office at 215-362-6160 ext 194 or visit our website at [www.lansdalecatholic.com](http://www.lansdalecatholic.com) for information regarding the application process.

**Lansdale Catholic 8th Grade Shadow Program** – All area eighth graders are encouraged to shadow a current LC ninth grader for a day. Please have a parent/guardian contact Mrs. Allen at [amallen@lansdalecatholic.com](mailto:amallen@lansdalecatholic.com) or 215-362-6160 x 194 to set up a shadow appointment.

### Discernment Retreat ~ Villa Maria House of Studies October 26-27, 2013 ~ Saturday, 3PM - Sunday 3PM

Young women (18-35) are invited to join us for this retreat which focuses on the IHM Charism and the importance of listening to God's call and discovering the many ways that God speaks to us. Time will be included for personal and communal prayer as well as the opportunity to interact with the Sisters in Formation. (Contact: [ihmvoc@aol.com](mailto:ihmvoc@aol.com) or 610-889-1553)

### ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO OPEN HOUSE

The 2013 Open House at Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary will be held **Sunday, October 27th**. Let our future priests guide you through this historical landmark where you will view artwork treasures, explore the life of seminarians and learn about graduate degrees for laity. Tours last 1½ hours and begin at noon, with the final tour starting at 3:30PM. Refreshments are available throughout the afternoon. Stay for evening prayer and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 5:00PM in Saint Martin of Tours Chapel. Saint Charles Borromeo seminary is located 100 East Wynnewood Road in Wynnewood. For more information, call (610) 667-3394.



At **Joseph's People** we offer support and guidance to those who are unemployed or underemployed. Join us on the first and third Thursday of each month at 7:30PM. in the St. Maria Goretti Parish Center Library. If you have any questions-- please email [jpfhatfield@gmail.com](mailto:jpfhatfield@gmail.com).

# ADULT FAITH FORMATION at CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH



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

**Patricians** - Monday, November 4th  
7PM to 9PM; Corpus Christi Parish Library

**Mom Café** - Tuesday, November 5th

**The Guardians** -Tuesday, November 5th- For more information or to register for your first meeting, please contact Deacon Frank Langsdorf at [deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com](mailto:deaconlangsdorf@gmail.com). 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM Corpus Christi Church Religious Education Room.

**Mothers' Twilight Retreat** - Save the date Friday, December 6th, 6-9PM Sign up sheet on this page of the bulletin.

Visit us on the web at [www.corpuschristilansdale.org/aff](http://www.corpuschristilansdale.org/aff)

## TLC Ministry

Participants of the TLC 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. If you know someone who needs a little TLC, our ministry would be happy to offer you one of our handcrafted items. Simply contact us at [corpuschristiaff@yahoo.com](mailto:corpuschristiaff@yahoo.com). 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.

**Mothers' Twilight Retreat Friday, December 6, 2013**  
~ 6-9PM Corpus Christi Parish Center ~

Retreat to your heart, replenish your spirit, and deepen the understanding of your vocation by participating in this evening of renewal for mothers that includes a catered buffet dinner and a spiritual conference with guest speaker, Danielle Bean.



About Our Speaker: Danielle Bean, a wife and mother of eight, is publisher of Catholic Digest and Creative Catechist magazines. Her books include My Cup of Tea, Mom to Mom, Small Steps for Catholic Moms, and Momnipotent, an exciting new book and women's study published by Ascension Press (Fall 2013). Danielle also hosts a women's talk show, The Gist, in its third season of production on

CatholicTV. Danielle has a special heart for mothers, particularly those who struggle. She encourages women of all ages and stages of life to find humor in daily challenges and the joy God intends for every one of us. It is in her primary vocation to marriage and motherhood that Danielle finds the inspiration for all her work. Pick up a registration form on the ministry table in the narthex or fill out this form and mail with your check for \$25. to:

Corpus Christi Parish  
c/o Angela McClellan  
900 Sumneytown Pike  
Lansdale, PA 19446



This retreat fills up quickly, no email or phone reservations can be accepted!

## Mothers' Twilight Retreat

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parish \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

## The Office for the New Evangelization Presents: An Introduction to Blessed John Paul II's Theology of the Body

Presented by: Meghan Cokeley,  
Assistant Director, Archdiocesan Office for  
Life, Family, and Laity

Discover the teaching that is revolutionizing thought and transforming lives! For the first five years of his Pontificate, Pope John Paul II spent his Wednesday audiences addressing the fundamental questions: Who am I? What does it mean to be human? Why did God create us male and female? What is the meaning of the human body? This collection of teachings is commonly called "The Theology of the Body." Help your parish community learn what it's all about and why so many lives are being changed by it!

**Where:** Corpus Christi Parish Center Office -Room A

**When:** Thursday, November 14th time 7:00PM to 9:00PM

**RSVP to:** THEEVANGELIST@Verizon.net

**Or call Randy Pagnotta at 610-564-0921**

## Pot Luck Dinner

We will conclude the Year of Faith on the *Solemnity of Christ the King* with the celebration of the Eucharist followed by a traditional pot luck dinner. Sign up to bring an entrée, salad, side dish, or dessert. Celebrate your life of faith lived in and for Jesus Christ! Whether you are married with children or without, single, divorced, or widowed, all are welcome to attend.

**Saturday, November 23, 2013**

Following the 4:30 PM Mass

Corpus Christi Parish

Father Doyle Social Hall

**(Food drop-off prior to the 4:30 PM Mass)**

Please return to:  
Corpus Christi Parish Center  
c/o Angela McClellan  
900 Sumneytown Pike  
Lansdale, PA 19446  
or drop into collection basket



**Bring a Dish!**

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Pot Luck Dinner

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

I (We) will bring:

Entree \_\_\_\_\_ Salad \_\_\_\_\_

Side Dish \_\_\_\_\_ Dessert \_\_\_\_\_

A good will offering may be made at the door to cover beverages and paper products.

Please be praying  
for...

The Sick: Conrad Melton, Ken Slater, Matthew Taylor, Charles Klara, Florence Linfante, Alice Mirynowski, Joseph Taylor, Greg Pavlichko, Joanne McLuckie, Terri LaBianco, Matthew Knobel, Francis Hughes, Carmine Barbieri, James Kelly, Doris Mager, Will Weigner, Ann Smallwood, Dolores Lynch, Mary Schnee, Linda Masucci, Rosemarie Carson, Susan Stevenson, Elisabeth Highley, Bill Flear, Madeline Lukow, Daniel MacDonald, Matthew Hartman, Joan Buchler, Joanne McDonald, Debbie Gorniak, Maureen McGowan, Sara Welsh Krebs, Bob Skierski, Jeff and Holly Miller, Regina Hendrick, Baby Jace Wojcik, Joe DeRaymond, Agnes Lauman, Charles Reckner, Brian Aquilante, Sr. Cecilia Hervas, R.A., Margaret Barton, Rosemarie Kulp.



In November, the Church remembers the faithful departed in a special way. At Corpus Christi Church we will have a **Mass of Remembrance on Monday, November 4th at 7:30PM.** Participating in the Liturgy is a wonderful way to honor the deceased. All are invited.

### Comedian Joe Conklin Coming to Corpus!

~ Sponsored by Corpus Christi CYO ~  
Saturday, November 2nd from 7PM-12AM

Come out and support Corpus Christi CYO with a night of comedy, DJ, dancing, food, beer and wine! Tickets are \$45. Contact Paul Moretski for ticket information: [moretskip@gmail.com](mailto:moretskip@gmail.com).

### CLUB 50 NEWS AND TRAVEL

**Club 50 General Meeting** November 14th at 12 Noon in Father Doyle Social Center. Following the meeting Mark Dezii will entertain us as we eat lunch. Mark plays the guitar, sings and is accompanied with full orchestrations presenting a variety of popular standards.

**American Music Theater-Lancaster PA** - 2013 Christmas Show, Friday, December 6th cost \$87pp. Leaves 9:30am luncheon smorgasbord at Bird-n-Hand Restaurant (11:30am), free time for shopping and browsing at Rockville Center Outlets (1:15pm-2:15pm), Show at 3PM. Returns approx. 7:30PM, call \*215-513-1026, Alex and Betty Korsch, 463 Wilshyre Way, Harleysville PA 19438.

**Resort Casino- New Jersey** - The Kid Sings Swing. Monday, January 13th, cost \$50pp. Must show a valid photo ID to receive bonus. Package includes \$25 slot play, buffet and admission to the 3PM show performed by Brandon Tomasello. One person on the bus will receive an overnight stay plus 2 buffets and 2 show tickets for a future stay and another person will receive an extra \$100 in slot play. Call \* 215-368-0945 Peggy Butler, 1500 Berkley Way, Lansdale PA 19446; or Ann Butler at 215-368-7783.

**Eastern Carribean Cruise** scheduled for January 31 to February 9, 2014. Pick up brochures located in the narthex on the ministry table. (*Payments will be made out directly to Curran Travel, Inc. Or charged to a credit card*). Contact Elaine Koza at 215-699-5559 or Peg Butler at 215-368-0945 for cruise questions.

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

### Next week may be your lucky week !

On **October 26th and 27th** after all the Masses, we will be selling chances to benefit St. Joseph Villa in Flourtown. Over 200 aging and infirm Sisters of St. Joseph live in this 5-star facility in an atmosphere of healing and compassion. The chances are \$1.00 each or a book of 6 chances for \$5.00. Top prize - \$10,000. If you want chance books now contact Sister Mary Carroll at the Ministry Office.



### eSCRIP ONLINE MALL ~ Earn SCRIP Tuition Credits ...when you do internet shopping!

**How:** Look under the SCRIP tab on the school website ([www.ccslandsdale.org](http://www.ccslandsdale.org)) for the link to [www.eSCRIP.com](http://www.eSCRIP.com). See the instructions to register under eScrip and link your account to Corpus Christi.

**Who:** You, your family, your friends.

**What:** What you earn as a tuition credit is 50% of the amount the retailer contributes to Corpus Christi based on your spending. (Every retailer is different!)

**When:** Anytime.

**Where:** Shopping in the comfort of your own home.

**Why:** Why not? This helps Corpus Christi AND you!!!

If you do a lot of on-line shopping but do not want the credits, you can designate them to the Father Loughran Scholarship Fund. You are still shopping on the official store websites, you just click on them through the eScrip button first. Thanks for your support!!

### THE KNIGHT'S KORNER ...

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

#### JOHN E. DOYLE COUNCIL #9715



**SANTA NEEDS A SEAT!** The Knights of Columbus are still in search of an elegant chair, sofa or love seat that can be used at the annual December Breakfast with Santa in the Corpus Christi School Auditorium. The piece of furniture needs to be sturdy and large enough to comfortably seat Santa and up to two children for the photo sessions. We are seeking either a donation, or to be allowed to borrow the furniture for the weekend. If you have an item you think could work for this purpose, please contact Mike Kelly at [wlsmkelly@comcast.com](mailto:wlsmkelly@comcast.com) or 215-661-0235.

**ANNUAL NATIVITY ADVENT CALENDAR SALES AND, NEW THIS YEAR, "KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS" CARMAGNETS** - Plan now to "Keep Christ in Christmas" in your family's home this holiday season by supporting the Knights of Columbus Council #9715 Annual Nativity Advent Calendars and Christmas Cards Sale. Both will be sold in the Church Narthex after Weekend Masses from November 9-10 through November 23-24, or until supplies run out. Cards will be sold individually or in Boxes of 15. Also available this year are "Keep Christ in Christmas" Silhouette Nativity Car Magnets. Proceeds earned from this fundraiser will benefit the school children of our Sister Parish, Visitation of the B.V.M. in the Kensington Section of Philadelphia. Please contact Tim Lescoe for Pre-Orders at 215-361-9693 or [lescoe.tim@gmail.com](mailto:lescoe.tim@gmail.com).

**November 29, 2013 "Black Friday"** Annual Parish Blood Drive - The council will again be sponsoring the Corpus Christi Fall Blood Drive on "Black Friday", **November 29th** after Thanksgiving in the Corpus Christi Gym. The drive will be held from 2 to 7 PM and appointments are now available on the Red Cross website by following this link: [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org). Enter Sponsor Code **0224128**. You can also call 1-800-RED-CROSS to schedule a time.

Please sign up for a donation slot for yourself or pass the link on to a friend or family member who can use it to donate. The donate is very easy, takes about an hour of your time, and makes a clear impact on the recipient. If you have any questions, please contact Matthew Lendzinski at 215-917-7774 or [matthew.lendzinski@gmail.com](mailto:matthew.lendzinski@gmail.com)

If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus, please contact **John Atkins** at **215-412-2459** or at [kofc9715@gmail.com](mailto:kofc9715@gmail.com).

### ATTENTION GIANT SHOPPERS!

Please register your BONUS CARD in the A+ School Rewards Program under Corpus Christi (#05795) to help us earn cash for our school! **We will earn money based on all the Corpus Christi spending from OCTOBER 6, 2013 through MARCH 22, 2014.** Last year we received \$2,434.45 from Giant, thanks to your participation! You must register on a yearly basis, even if you registered last year please sign up again! Log on to [www.giantfoodstores.com/aplus](http://www.giantfoodstores.com/aplus) or sign up at the store and designate Corpus Christi with the number **05795**. No more saving cash register receipts and trying to remember to hand them in. It is all done electronically for you. Don't forget to encourage your friends and relatives to do the same. They do not have to be a member of our parish to help us out! Please call Mary Ellen McCabe (215-362-0104) with any ?'s.

# 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! We now have a monthly newsletter on our Parish Website under the Youth & Young Adults tab. 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/>

## LIFETEEN CALENDAR:

[www.corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/high-school-youth-mini-stry](http://www.corpuschristilansdale.org/youth/high-school-youth-mini-stry)

**October** 20th-Social Night-Freddy Hill Farm  
26th- Witness Leadership Day  
27th- Hunger



(7th-8th Grade Youth Group)

**October** 21st- Pope John Paul II  
28th- Samuel and Kings

Bobby Moren  
Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry  
Corpus Christi Parish  
(215) 855-1311 ext. 118 or [corpus.ya@gmail.com](mailto:corpus.ya@gmail.com)

## METANOIA ~ YOUNG ADULT GROUP

•Weekly Prayer Meetings Every Tuesday (except on Theology on Tap nights) 7:30PM at Corpus Christi, 900 Summeytown Pike, Lansdale, PA 19446 in Room B of the Parish Center



Metanoia Young Adults On October 25th, we will be having our 3rd Annual Fall Bonfire on the grounds of St. Mary's Church in Schwenksville, PA, starting at 8PM. We will be roasting s'mores, playing music, and enjoying a laid-back Fall evening. Feel free to bring a snack to share, and the event is also BYOB.

Check us out on the web:  
<http://metanoiayoungadults.weebly.com> , or on Facebook:  
[www.facebook.com/groups/MetanoiaYoungAdults](http://www.facebook.com/groups/MetanoiaYoungAdults)  
Email us at: [metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com](mailto:metanoiayoungadults@gmail.com)  
Follow us on Twitter! [@MetanoiaYA] Please check out our Twitter link in the top corner of our homepage:  
<http://metanoiayoungadults.weebly.com/>

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT REQUIREMENT - MANDATED REPORTER TRAINING

For those who are active participants in Parish activities and still need to fulfill the Archdiocesan requirement of the Mandated Reporter Training, you can now complete this training on-line. To access the training please log onto <http://www.childyouthprotection.org/> and click on "training institute". If you have any questions, please contact Connie Langsdorf at 215-855-1311 x 113 or email at [ccpco.connie@yahoo.com](mailto:ccpco.connie@yahoo.com). **Please complete this by October, 2013.**

**Safe Environment forms** are located on the web at <http://corpuschristilansdale.org/welcome/safe-environment-clearances/> (copy and paste into your web browser).

## SCRIP CORNER

### Scrip Office is Open Full Time!

The SCRIP office (located in the school's gym) is open from 9am-12:30pm every day that school is open, plus Monday evenings from 5:30pm-7:00pm when REC is in session. You may call or e-mail ([cc.scrip@yahoo.com](mailto:cc.scrip@yahoo.com)) your order in.

Please check out [www.ccslansdale.org](http://www.ccslansdale.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*

Middle States Evaluation

We are looking forward to the visit of the Evaluation Team from the Middle States Commission October 27th through October 30th! The teachers and staff have worked diligently to prepare the school report and are ready to meet the team. Thanks to all the parents who are helping with this evaluation. We will learn the results in late spring or early summer!

## Corpus Christi School KidStuff Coupon Book Sale

*Corpus Christi parishioners. A BIG Hello from the KidStuff Committee!*



The valuable, family-friendly KidStuff Coupon Books are available through our school! KidStuff Coupon Books are only sold through schools. Use just a few coupons and save more than the \$25 cost of the book...Remember to keep the book in

your car! Save money at Toys"R"Us, Babies"R"Us, Macy's, Dick's Sporting Goods, Sears, Loft, Children's Place, Payless, Michaels, Bed Bath & Beyond + many more. Family and friends will love saving with KidStuff...The books are great for gifts too! Check out all 20 valuable editions listed on the first page of your KidStuff book or visit <http://www.kidstuffcb.com/kidstuff-coupon-book-editions> Your family earns one FREE book worth \$25.00 for every 5 books you sell! **Payment is due by October 21st.** Please make checks payable to Corpus Christi Home and School. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Ellen McCabe at the school scrip office.

Monday - Friday 9am 12:30PM

Monday nights 5:30-7pm when REC is in session.

Or you may call her at 215-362-0104 for a parish office pick up.



C.Y.O Sports Activities

## CORPUS CHRISTI CYO

Boys and Girls Basketball Grades 4 through 8 and High School Basketball Registration is **NOW OPEN** and will remain open until October 20, 2013. Starting on October 21, 2013, a \$25.00 **LATE FEE** will be charged **PER PARTICIPANT**. Registration will **CLOSE** on October 25, 2013. Registration will only be accepted on-line by using the Corpus Christi CYO Web site at [www.corpuscyo.com](http://www.corpuscyo.com). Please remember, in order to be eligible to play you must either be a student at Corpus Christi or enrolled and participating in the Corpus Christi REC Program. High School students must be parishioners. Please email all questions to [Corpuschristicyo@yahoo.com](mailto:Corpuschristicyo@yahoo.com)





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

Week of 10/20 Team #6: Sue Bones at 215-631-9526  
 Week of 10/27 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 requested to pre-register for 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. October 21st or November 18th.**

**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. 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 Monday prior to 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](mailto: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

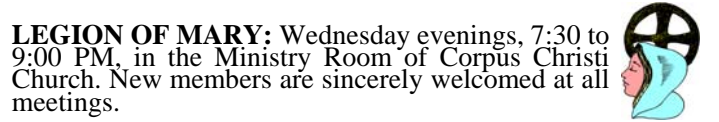
**DAILY PRAYER CHAPEL OPEN:** Those who wish to make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament during the day may do so in the Church Chapel. The Chapel is open every day until **3:30 PM except Wednesday when it is open until 6:30PM. Please enter the chapel using the entrance walk on the side of the Parish House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

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WEDNESDAYS**

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 under Novena). 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: Anne DeSantis at 610-222-9778 or [adesantis1@comcast.net](mailto:adesantis1@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 began on September 4th running through October 30th at 6:30PM in the Chapel. The Novena is preceded by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 7:45AM-6:30 PM and Benediction. All are welcome to attend and pray for healing. 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.

**PARISH LIBRARY Hours**  
*Sunday 7:45AM to 1PM*

**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.

**THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**  
**1601** "The matrimonial covenant, by which a man and a woman establish between themselves a partnership of the whole of life, is by its nature ordered toward the good of the spouses and the procreation and education of offspring; this covenant between baptized persons has been raised by Christ the Lord to the dignity of a sacrament."~CCC

**Marriages Celebrated at Corpus Christi**  
**September ~ 2013**

Deanna Slota and Robert Bentley  
 Andrea Sacchetti and Chad Altenderfer  
**Congratulations and Prayers**  
**from your Parish Family!**

