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CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

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MASSES


Tuesday-Friday	9:00 am
Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	9:30 am & 11:00 am

DEVOTIONS

Wednesday	Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Tuesday-Friday	Rosary

All devotions held after the 9:00 am mass.

RECONCILIATION

 *The Sacrament of Reconciliation*
Saturday | 4:00 pm to 4:30 pm
or any time by appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of every month.
After the 9:00 am mass.

Third Tuesday of every month.
7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

Saint Denis Catholic School



SACRAMENTS

For information regarding baptism, marriage or any other sacrament, please contact the office.

MINISTRIES

Corpus Christi is an active and vibrant parish. We have a variety of groups and many opportunities to be of service alongside our dedicated volunteers.

If you are looking for a greater sense of community in you and your family's life and are seeking spiritual growth or if you would like to become more involved, we welcome you to contact the office for further information.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Call the office to arrange for a Priest or our Lay Pastoral Team to visit and bring communion.

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St. Vincent de Paul help: 416-698-8930

Welcome

NEW PARISHIONERS

To register please contact the office.

March 7 & 8, 2020 – Second Sunday of Lent



THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross is a spiritual exercise to remind us about our Lord's Passion and Death. All his suffering was to save us from the bondage of sin. The Stations of the Cross will be celebrated on every Fridays in Lent.

Day/Time	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00pm	March 7	For the People
Sun. 9:30am	March 8	+ Jamie Lapierre requested by Mary Lapierre
Sun. 11:00am	March 8	+ Richard McMillan requested by Anne Louise Bannon
Tues. 9:00am	March 10	No Mass Intention
Wed. 9:00am	March 11	Intentions of Linda Taylor
Thurs. 9:00am	March 12	No Mass Intention
Fri. 9:00am	March 13	+ Stanley & Rita D'Cruz
		<i>Stations of the Cross follows</i>
Sat. 5:00pm	March 14	+ Rosario Piazza requested by Josie Piazza
Sun. 9:30am	March 15	For the People
Sun. 11:00am	March 15	+ Joe Drum requested by Joan Drum and family

Schedule

Date	Time
March 13	After the 9:00 am Mass
March 20	7:00 pm
March 27	After the 9:00 am Mass
April 3	7:00 pm



ShareLife: It's who we are!

Archdiocesan Goal: \$ 13.8 Million
Our Parish Goal: \$ 53,200. 00

Catholic agencies have been serving those among us who are poor, sick and marginalized since the founding of our diocese 178 years ago - it's who we are as Catholics in the Archdiocese of Toronto! We continue that legacy through ShareLife, which funds over 40 agencies that provide unconditional care, regardless of religious affiliation.

March 29 is ShareLife Sunday
Please give generously

Stewardship Reflections – 2nd Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Genesis 12:1-4
 2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10
 Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9 – *The Transfiguration*

Becoming like God

The mystery of the Transfiguration alludes to the teaching of the Church called divinization, in which we believe that we humans will be made like God. The USCCB in their *Pastoral Letter on Stewardship* states that “God wishes human beings to be his collaborators in the work of creation, redemption, and sanctification; and such collaboration involves stewardship in its most profound sense.” Let us take some time to reflect on the teaching of divinization and strive to be greater stewards in our parishes, for to be a good steward is to be like Christ.

DAY OF RECONCILIATION & HOLY WEEK SCHEDULES

DAY OF CONFESSIONS

Tuesday, March 24 - 9:30 - 10:30 am, 7:00 - 8:00 pm
&
Thursday, April 2 - 6:30 – 7:30 pm

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday

Blessing and distribution of palms at all Masses.

Saturday, April 4 – 5:00 pm

Sunday, April 5 – 9:30 am & 11:00 am

April 9 - Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper – 7:00 pm

Adoration until 9:30 pm

April 10 - Good Friday

Stations of the Cross – 2:30 pm

Good Friday Service – 3:00 pm

April 11 - Holy Saturday

Solemn Easter Vigil - 8:00 pm

April 12 Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of the Lord - 9:30 am and 11:00 am



This year, our Women's Lenten Reflection event will be on Tuesday, March 31, 2020 from 6pm. Tickets will be sold at all masses and the cost is \$25 per person which includes dinner. We are fortunate this year to have Sr. Sheila Sullivan, CND as our guest speaker.

Sr. Sheila Sullivan, CND has moved from Montreal in the past year where she worked as a teacher, Director of Student Life, Vocation Director, pastoral assistant. In 2001, she was elected to the General Leadership Team, and for the next 10 years served her Congregation where the Sisters and Associates live and serve. After her mandate was completed, she spent some time at the Ministry to Ministers Program at the Oblate School of Theology in Texas. We are privileged to have Sr. Sheila share her wealth of knowledge and experience at our Lenten Reflection Retreat.

**Statement from Cardinal Thomas Collins
regarding Jean Vanier**

“An investigation has revealed very disturbing behaviour by Jean Vanier, revered and loved by so many, both in Canada and around the world. The news is tragic and heart wrenching.

We pray for the victims of abuse, mindful of their immeasurable pain and suffering.

In the midst of this darkness, we find a ray of light in those who so faithfully serve in L'Arche communities worldwide and have dedicated their lives to friendship, care and love.”

The Come and See Weekend

**March 13 (begins at 7:00 pm) – 15, 2020 (ends
at 1:30 pm) at St. Augustine's Seminary**



Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and

information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest.

Please register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at: 416-968-0997; or email: vocations@archtoronto.org.

Please note: Registrants 17 years old will require parental consent

Come away to a quiet place . . .

As we enter this Lenten season, we, Sisters of the Congregation de Notre-Dame would like to invite you to an afternoon of prayerful silence, reflection and sharing. The afternoon will offer an opportunity to gather with others and to listen to God's personal word for you and your life.

AT: Marguerite Residence
4 Columbine Ave.

ON: Friday, March 13 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Please indicate your desire to participate in this prayerful afternoon by signing the sheets at the back of the Church. Thank you!

Sister Sheila and Sister Jo



We are delighted to announce that on Tuesday April 7 at 7pm, the Alumni Choir of St. Michael's Choir School, including our own musical director and organist Paul Dick, will bring to Corpus Christi Church the music of Tenebrae. These responsories were composed by the school's founder, Msgr. John Edward Ronan, a giant of liturgical music in Canada. The Tenebrae service, which also includes spiritual readings, is a profoundly moving way to prepare for the Triduum. We are honoured to welcome these internationally renowned choristers in this our Jubilee Year. Please join us!

Coming Up

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| Mar 8 | : Visit of Archbishop Prendergast S.J.
(@ 11:00 am Mass) |
| Mar 13 | : Stations of the Cross after 9:00 am Mass |
| Mar 15 | : Celebration of Baptism |
| Mar 17 | : Eucharistic Adoration (7:00 pm) |
| Mar 20 | : Stations of the Cross (7:00 pm) |
| March 24 | : Day of Confession
(9:30 to 10:30 am & 7:00 to 8:00 pm) |
| Mar 27 | : Stations of the Cross after 9:00 am Mass |
| Mar 27 | : Seniors' Luncheon (12 noon to 1:30 pm) |
| Mar 31 | : Women's Lenten Reflection |

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