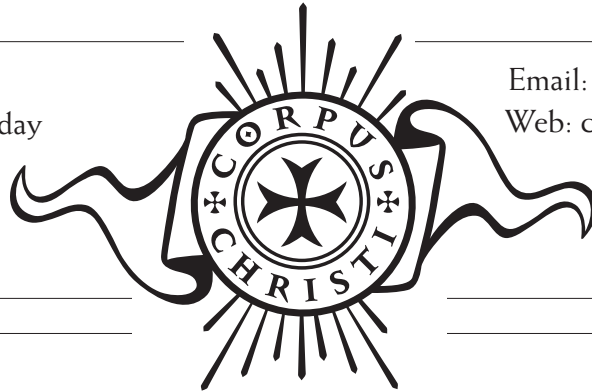


# CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

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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  
*Devotions are held after the 9:00 am mass.*

## RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation  
Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm  
*Other times available upon request.*

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

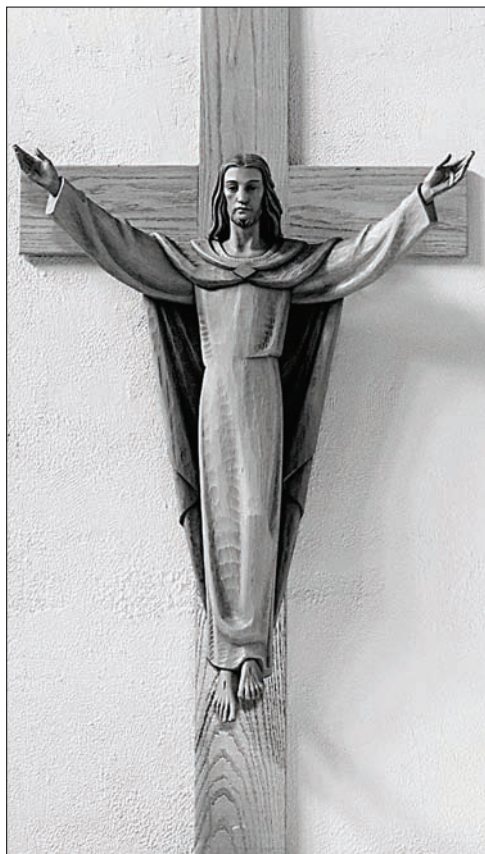
The first Friday of every month.  
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The third Tuesday of every month.  
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## SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

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## SACRAMENTS

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

## ST. VINCENT de PAUL

For St. Vincent de Paul help please call: 416-698-8930

## LIVE - STREAM MASS

Parishioners can watch live-streamed Masses from Corpus Christi Church on Sundays at 10:00 am. at <https://corpuschristito.archtoronto.org/>.

# January 9 & 10, 2021 – BAPTISM OF THE LORD



## Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Intentions
Sat.	January 9	No Mass Intention
Sun. 10:00 am	January 10	For the People <b>Livestreamed Mass</b>
Mon.	January 11	No Mass Intention
Tues.	January 12	+ Holy Souls in Purgatory.
Wed.	January 13	+ Russel Tolchard; Requested by Ginny, Jim Hughes and family
Thurs.	January 14	+ Russel Tolchard; Requested by Howard & Rochelle Norbert
Fri.	January 15	No Mass Intention
Sat.	January 16	No Mass Intention
Sun. 10:00 am	January 17	For the People <b>Livestreamed Mass</b>

### Private Prayers

Our church will remain open for private prayer on **Tuesdays and Fridays for an hour, 9:00 am to 10:00 am**. As you are aware, we can only accommodate 10 people inside the church at any given time. So please email the office at [corpuschristi1810@gmail.com](mailto:corpuschristi1810@gmail.com) to register yourself to attend. Patience Narcis, our office secretary, will email you back to confirm the date and time that you are assigned.

### Join the Live streamed Mass from our parish at:

<https://corpuschristito.archtoronto.org/>  
on Sundays at 10:00 am.

### The recorded Mass will be available at:

<https://rec.boltwave.com/scr/dir/cctp/v1.mp4>

### Donation Envelopes for 2021

Donation Envelopes are now available for pick up from the parish office. Please call 416-694-0382 or email us at [corpuschristi1810@gmail.com](mailto:corpuschristi1810@gmail.com) the parish office to book an appointment to pick up your donation envelope.

### Preauthorized Giving (PAG)

We request - if you are able - to prayerfully consider supporting the financial needs of the parish during these unique times and enroll to the PREAUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG). Please email the parish office for details or click the link below to download the PAG Enrollment Form.

<https://corpuschristito.archtoronto.org/About-Us/registrations-forms/parish-registration-form>

*Thank you for your ongoing generosity  
& constant support to our parish.*

### Change in Mailing Address

If your mailing address has been changed kindly contact the parish office to enable us update our records and mail your tax receipts to the correct mailing address.

### Marriage Sunday - 2021

Cardinal Collins has designated the weekend of February 13/14, 2021 as Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto. To celebrate the tremendous contributions of married couples who continue to strengthen our faith community, our parish is participating in a program to offer a personalized, special blessing certificate signed by Cardinal Thomas Collins to married couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2021.

*To request a special blessing certificate  
for milestone wedding anniversaries in 2021,  
please visit <https://bit.ly/2021MS-SpecialBlessing>.*

The Office of Formation for Discipleship will be processing the orders – the **deadline to order is January 17, 2021**; we will be assisting in distributing the special blessing certificate to you.

### The Eucharist in Scripture

An invitation is extended to our parishioners at Corpus Christi to join us for a **six-week online study on The Eucharist in Scripture**, beginning **Tuesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 at 7 pm**.

Produced by the **St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology**, this study is narrated on video by **Dr. Scott Hahn**, Professor of Biblical Theology at the Franciscan University of Steubenville.

To register, please place a sealed envelope with your name, telephone # and email information in an envelope clearly marked **'The Eucharist in Scripture'** with a materials fee of \$20 (negotiable if needed). Drop your envelope in the rectory mail

slot or mail it to **Corpus Christi**, 16 Lockwood Road, Toronto, ON M4L 3M8. **Please do this by January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021 to benefit from a group discount offer on materials.**

For further information please contact **Chris Kierans at 647-394-9016** or **Jan O'Brien at 647-885-9988**.

### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, January 18 – 25, 2021



The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 2021 was prepared by the Monastic Community of Grandchamp. The year's theme **"Abide in my love and you shall bear much fruit"** (cf. John 15:5-9) expresses Grandchamp's vocation to prayer, reconciliation and unity in the Church and the human family. "Abiding in Christ" is an inner attitude that takes root over time and it demands space to grow. As Christians, how can we express our personal relationship to Christ in a modern and socially oriented Church during challenging times, which can bring unity of the Christian family and all humanity? Give examples.

Read John 15:1-17, consult resources, and submit a 500-word essay that answers the given question.



Dear brothers and sisters,

This year has been incredibly challenging for each of us. Still, I look back on it with a grateful heart, as our trials have occasioned countless acts of compassion and sacrifice. We have witnessed our community at its heroic best.

In particular, I am deeply thankful for your tremendous outpouring of generosity toward ShareLife. You – the clergy, religious and lay faithful of the Archdiocese – haven't forgotten the needs of your neighbours. The pandemic has severely impacted those who are poor and marginalized, and you have chosen to care for them.

Your gifts to ShareLife are making a significant difference. Agencies funded by ShareLife quickly adapted their programs in response to the pandemic. From remote counselling for those in distress, to reaching out to isolated seniors, to supporting victims of family violence, these agencies have provided a lifeline to those in greatest need. Their work would not be possible without you.

This year, the ShareLife Parish Campaign raised \$11.68 million. Given how our parishes have been closed for much of the year, this is a remarkable achievement. Thank you to our pastors and parish staff, who have continued to educate the faithful about the work of ShareLife agencies. Thank you to the hardworking volunteers and parish committee members, who found innovative ways to raise funds in these challenging circumstances. And thank you to each and every person who showed solidarity with those who suffer by making a sacrificial gift.

In this season of Advent, as you prepare your hearts for the coming of Our Lord, I pray He will bless you abundantly for your inspiring witness of faith in action.

Sincerely in Christ,

Thomas Cardinal Collins  
Archbishop of Toronto

**Stewardship Reflection:**  
**Feast of the Baptism of the Lord**

1st Reading: Isaiah 42.1-4, 6-7

2nd Reading: Acts 10.34-38

Gospel: Mark 1.7-11 - The Baptism of Jesus

**Living out our Baptismal Mission**

This Sunday we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River. On this feast day we are invited to reflect on the meaning and importance of our own baptism as well. St. Gregory of Nazianzus beautifully expresses that “Baptism is God's most beautiful and magnificent gift.” But why is baptism so important?

The Catechism states that “Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons of God; we become members of Christ, are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission” (CCC 1213). Baptism gives us our identity as beloved children of God as well as anoints us for mission.

This baptismal mission can be readily lived out through our commitment to stewardship. As stewards, we are called to gratefully recognize that our time and talents are gifts from God and then strive to generously offer them back to Christ within our parish community. One concrete resolution we can adopt this New Year is to look into the various ministries at the parish and see which one allows us to best offer our gifts. If we currently do not take part in any parish groups, let us remember that it is never too late to start. Let us recommit to our baptismal call of stewardship and joyfully serve Christ and His Church.

**Summary**

As we celebrate Jesus' baptism we are also called to reflect on our own baptism which gave us our identity as beloved children of God as well as anointed us for mission. We can live out this mission by gratefully recognizing that our time and talents are gifts from God and then striving to generously offer them back to Christ within our parish community. This New Year, let us look into the various ministries at the parish and see which one allows us to best offer our gifts as true stewards.



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