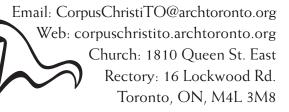
# CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

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#### MASSES

Tuesday-Friday | 9:00 am Saturday Vigil | 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am &11:00 am

#### **DEVOTIONS**

Wednesday | (

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Tuesday-Friday Rosary

Saturday Rosary at 4:30 pm

Devotions are held after the 9:00 am mass.

#### RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm Other times available upon request.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

The first Friday of every month. *After the 9:00 am mass.* 

#### SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

Saint Denis Catholic School

Welcome.

NEW PARISHIONERS
To register please contact
the office.





#### SACRAMENTS

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

#### MINISTRIES

Corpus Christi is an active and vibrant parish.
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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 11:00 am. at http://bit.ly/corpuschristiyoutube

# Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00 pm	April 2	+ George Sr. Bandera requested by the Bandera family
Sun. 9:00 am	April 3	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	April 3	+ Avelino Bandera requested by the Bandera family <i>Livestreamed Mass</i>
Tues. 9:00 am	April 5	+ Varghese Varghese
Wed. 9:00 am	April 6	+Manuel Amorim
Thurs. 9:00 am	April 7	+ Varghese Varghese requested by Ginny, Jim Hughes & family
Fri. 9:00 am	April 8	+ Francisca Matus requested by Rafaela Mairena
Sat. 5:00 pm	April 9	+ Michael Shea requested by Ginny, Jim Hughes & family
Sun. 9:00 am	April 10	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	April 10	+ Eadgar Isaac Gradek- Szabunio requested by Paul Szabunio & family Livestreamed Mass

### **SL** ShareLife

ShareLife agencies serve everyone

Today's Gospel shares the parable of the woman accused of adultery, a message of Our Lord's great love, forgiveness and respect for all people.

Likewise, ShareLife agencies are there to support the most vulnerable and marginalized members of our communities. ShareLife-funded social service agencies have an 'open intake policy' and provide help based on need—not on religion, lifestyle, gender or ethnicity.

With last week's ShareLife collection, our parishioners have contributed \$2,610 towards our goal of \$52,000.

Thank you for supporting ShareLife!



#### **Easter Flowers**

Help us refresh the Church this coming Easter. We would love to count on you for any donation towards the flowers, and other decorations that will brighten our Church. Envelopes are in the pews. Corpus Christi thanks you for your support and consideration.

### STATIONS OF THE



The Stations of the Cross will be celebrated every Friday in Lent at 6:15 pm.



# OF CONFESSION

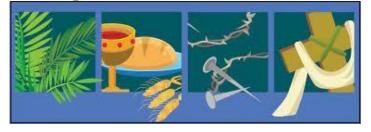
Our Lenten Confessions will be held in the church on the following dates and times:

Wednesday, April 6	9:45 am – 11:45 am
	6:00 pm – 08:00 pm

If you are unable to come on the specified dates please check the Archdiocese website for confession dates and "How to go to Confession" guides:

https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/subsites/confession/home/

## Holy Week Schedule



<u>April 10 – Palm Sunday</u> Blessing and distribution of palms at all Masses.

#### April 14 – Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:00 pm Adoration until 10:00 pm (No morning Mass)

### <u> April 15 – Good Friday</u>

Passion of the Lord - 3:00 pm

Public Veneration (kissing or touching the cross) will be omitted this year.

Stations of the Cross – 6:15 pm (No morning Mass)

<u>April 16 – No liturgies during the day</u> Solemn Easter Vigil - 8:00pm. Incense will be used.

#### <u>April 17 – Easter Sunday</u>

The Resurrection of the Lord - 9:00 am & 11:00 am

#### **Ukrainian Humanitarian Relief**

The Archdiocese of Toronto has launched a relief appeal to support the Ukrainian people. Your donation will help Ukrainians who are beset by violence and it will help some of them find a new home in Canada.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to:
   Corpus Christi Parish Ukrainian Humanitarian Relief

#### Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice,
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.
We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.
We pray for those with power over war or peace,
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.
Above all, we pray for all your precious children,
at-risk and in fear,
that you would hold and protect them.
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

### <u>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Lenten Reflection for</u> <u>Children</u>

A psalm is a beautiful prayer and can also be a song. In the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium, the children reflect upon the words of Psalm 23.

(The note below is not the same reflection as the children receive in the atrium, but simply offered as an opportunity for families to have further conversation about this psalm.)

#### Psalm 23: 4

Even when I walk through a dark valley, I fear no harm for you are at my side; your rod and staff give me courage.

• He carries a rod of iron, a type of defense weapon, and a staff at which to guide the sheep. The shepherd has all the necessary means to defend and lead the sheep. The sheep may abandon themselves with tranquility into hands such as his. (Ways to Nurture the Relationship with God by Sofia Cavalletti, p 38).

#### **Interfaith Luncheon**

The Interfaith Lunch Program needs the following items: canned beans, chickpeas, kidney beans, garbanzo, baked beans, canned tomatoes, canned soups (tomato, chicken,

mushroom), cases of water, large boxes of granola bars and cookies, large jars of mayonnaise, clean used or new grocery bags.

#### **Stewardship Reflection: 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

1st Reading: Isaiah 43.16-21 2nd

Reading: Philippians 3.8-14

Gospel: John 8.1-11 – The Woman Caught in Adultery

#### Summary

Stewardship is a lifelong journey made up of many individual decisions. St. John Paul II says that "life with Christ is a wonderful adventure." Any adventure is sure to have mountains and valleys, but what God truly desires is that we keep making positive decisions that deepen our commitment to love and serve Him.

#### **Pro-Life Flag**

Please call or email Toronto Catholic District School Board chair Angela Kennedy to urge that the newly-designed Pro-Life flag be flown at Toronto Catholic schools during the month of May, in support of the National March for Life taking place in Ottawa May 12. Flying the flag would be an eloquent reminder to students and staff that they are part of a Church which cherishes, respects and defends human life from conception to natural death.

Email: <a href="mailto:angela.kennedy@tcdsb.org">angela.kennedy@tcdsb.org</a>; Phone: 416-512-3411

#### **Steubenville Youth Conference 2022**

Steubenville Toronto will take place July 15-17, 2022 at Canada Christian College (300 Water St., Whitby). Steubenville Youth Conferences bring together some of the best Catholic speakers and musicians in North America and provide opportunities for our high school teens to encounter Christ and experience the Church in a whole new way! Our parish will not be organizing a group this year, but we invite and encourage you to create your own group of high school teens and parent chaperones. For more information and to register, visit: www.steubenvilletoronto.com.

# **Upcoming Events**

April 6 - Lenten Day of Confession (9:45 – 11:45 am &

6:00 - 8:00 pm

April 8 - Stations of the Cross at 6:15 pm

April 10 - Palm Sunday

April 14 - Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:00 pm

- Adoration until 10:00 pm

April 15 - Passion of the Lord at 3:00 pm

- Stations of the Cross at 6:15 pm

April 15 - Needs of the Church in the Holy Land (Good Friday)
Collection

April 16 - Solemn Easter Vigil

April 17 - Easter Day Mass at 9:00 am & 11:00 am

April 23 - Maintenance Collection

April 30 - ShareLife 2nd collection



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