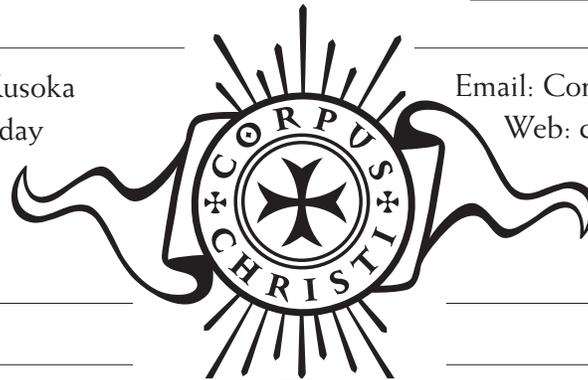


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MASSES

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.

EUCCHARISTIC 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. 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.

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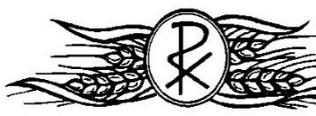
Call the office to arrange for a Priest or our Lay Pastoral Team to visit and bring communion.

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. 8:00 pm	June 18	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 9:00 am	June 19	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	June 19	"Pro Populo" Livestreaming
Tues. 9:00 am	June 21	+ M. Papaix requested by Sandy DiFelice St. Aloysius Gonzaga
Wed. 9:00 am	June 22	+ Vi & John White requested by the White famiy
Thurs. 9:00 am	June 23	+ Brett McDermott requested by Leanne Kloppenborg The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
Fri. 9:00 am	June 24	+ Francesca Matus requested by Rafaela Mairena The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Sat. 5:00 pm	June 25	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 9:00 am	June 26	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	June 26	"Pro Populo" Livestreaming

The Collection on June 11 & 12 was \$1,917.45

The Sunday Offertory Collection and PAG are our only viable source of income.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

Bible Study

Our Bible study group will be closing for summer and we will have our last session next Wednesday, June 22.

We will be resuming in September.



Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil Lamps

Blessed Virgin Mary vigil lamps burn this week, from Saturday, June 18th for the repose of the souls of the **Rita & Stanley D'Cruz**

The Sanctuary candle and Mother Mary's candles are available to light for \$20. For more information or to place your request please contact the parish office @ 416-694-0382.

Pope's Monthly Intention for June

Families: We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

A Message from Fr. Faustino's for Corpus Christi Feast

Today, we celebrate in the universal Church the solemn feast of *Corpus Christi*. At our parish level, it is a thanksgiving celebration of the 102nd Anniversary of our Church named after the Most Precious Body and Blood of Christ – *Corpus Christi*. Our Mother Church established this feast for three purposes. First, to give God collective thanks for Christ's abiding presence with us in the Holy Eucharist and to honor Him there. Second, to instruct the people in the mystery, faith and devotion surrounding the Eucharist. And, third, to teach us to appreciate and make use of the great gift of the Holy Eucharist, both as a sacrament and as a sacrifice. In the three-year cycle (A.B.C.) of the Sunday liturgy, there is a different theme each year for this *Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ*. In the first year the theme is the Eucharist as our food and drink; in the second year the emphasis is on the Eucharist as the sign of the Covenant; and in the third year the theme focuses on the priesthood of Jesus. Although we celebrate the institution of the Holy Eucharist on Holy Thursday, the Church wants to emphasize its importance by a special feast, formerly called "*Corpus Christi*." This is one of the few feasts left in which we observe a procession and a sung "*Sequence*."

Let us, therefore, thank God for our Church. Under the Covid-19 limitations we could not celebrate our Corpus Christi Parish centennial (1920-2020/22). Nonetheless, we lift our hearts to God in gratitude for our beloved Parish. Happy Anniversary to all and each member of our Parish-Community!

Fr. Faustino Kusoka

SOLLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST



PRAYER

Jesus, Body and Blood, nourish us by your life.
 May the way we live as your Body on earth let us participate in your feeding the hungry of our world.
 May our very bodies and our blood bear witness to the life you desire for all your people. Amen.


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Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org.

Sunday Mass Obligation

Given that most of the health and safety restrictions in our parishes are no longer in place and the faithful are able to attend the celebration of the Eucharist once again, the basis for the dispensation from the Sunday obligation has dissipated and is no longer in effect.

The Church does not obligate people to do the impossible. If individuals, based on their conscience, cannot attend Mass for a grave reason, including a great vulnerability to COVID-19 or because they are self-isolating to limit the spread of illness, then they are excused from their Sunday obligation, as the law of the Church allows.

After two years of COVID-19 restrictions, many have been deprived of the opportunity to attend Mass and to receive the most Holy Eucharist and all of us have missed the opportunity to experience community, including members of our parishes. As we come to the celebration of Pentecost this weekend, we invite and encourage the faithful to return to the practice of attending Mass in-person.

Call for Catholic Lawyers

If you are a lawyer, we would like to hear from you! The Archdiocese of Toronto has spent a number of years creating a network of Catholic lawyers who understand our faith and can provide professional service related to Will preparation and writing to other Catholics in our archdiocese. Be a part of our network where you have the opportunity to integrate your spiritual and professional life.

For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 or development@archtoronto.org.

Stewardship Reflection:

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

1st Reading: Genesis 14.18-20

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 11.23-26

Gospel: Luke 9.11b-17 – *Feeding the Five Thousand*

Summary

One important moment in Mass is the Offertory because this is where we offer our gifts, the bread and wine, but also our time and talents, and essentially, our very selves, in order to be miraculously transformed by God. We may think that we cannot offer God anything spectacular, yet this is why the Offertory is such a powerful moment. The same way that God can transform simple bread into His very body, so too can he turn our small efforts of charity and stewardship into great graces for the Kingdom.

Chaplaincy Connect and Catholic Campus Ministry

Attention Grade 12 students: If you're going to university or college in the fall, campus ministry is waiting for you! Connect with the Catholic community on your campus by visiting: www.chaplaincyconnect.ca!

CONTACT: Eliza Trotter

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Prayer for the Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

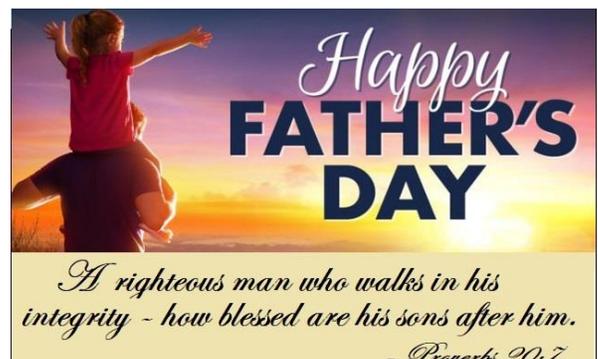
*I give thanks to you, Lord,
For the blessing of a long life
For, to those who take refuge in You,
Grant always to bear fruit.*

*Forgive, O Lord,
Resignation and disillusionment,
But forsake me not
When my strength declines.*

*Teach me to look with hope
To the future you give me,
To the mission you entrust to me
And to sing your praises without end.*

*Make me a tender craftsman
Of Your revolution,
To guard with love my grandchildren
And all the little ones who seek shelter in You.*

*Protect, O Lord, Pope Francis
And grant Thy Church
To deliver the world from loneliness.
Direct our steps in the way of peace. Amen*





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