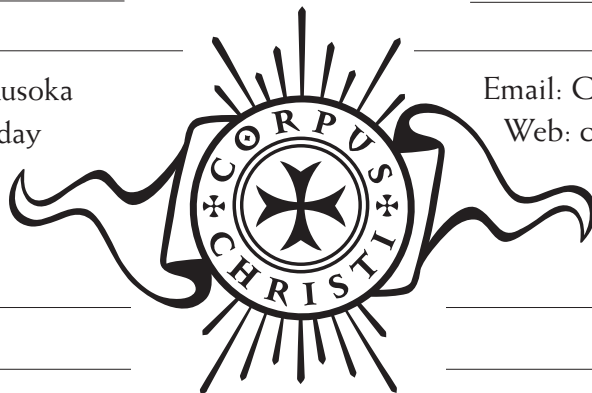


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MASSES

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
Devotions are held after the 9:00 am mass.
Saturday Rosary at 4:30 pm
Sunday Rosary at 10:30 am

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.

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



Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00 pm	April 29	+ Sally Edwards requested by the Edwards family
Sun. 9:00 am	April 30	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	April 30	"Pro Populo"
Tues. 9:00 am	May 2	+ Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wed. 9:00 am	May 3	+ George (Jr.) Bandera requested by the Bandera family
Thurs. 9:00 am	May 4	+ Lilia Talao requested by Ireneo Talao & family
Fri. 9:00 am	May 5	+ Lesbia Rivas requested by Rafeala Mariena
Sat. 5:00	May 6	+ Sally Edwards requested by the Edwards family
Sun. 9:00 am	May 7	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	May 7	"Pro Populo"

The Collection on April 15 & 16 was \$2, 197.75

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

Thank you for your continued support & generosity!



Our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to all our Altar Servers, Altar Guild, Choir, Extra Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Sacristan, Ushers, those who helped in decorating the Church and all volunteers who dedicated their time and talents and helped out during the Holy Week and Easter celebrations.

A very special thanks to our First Holy Communion Preparation Team who worked so hard into making the First Reconciliation and First Communion a moment to remember. We also take this opportunity to thank each and every one who volunteered during the classes and helped out at the reception for the First Communicants, which was a great success.

We would never have done it without you. Thank you once again and God bless each one of you.

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration



Our First Friday Eucharistic Adoration will be on May 5th, between 9:45 - 11:00am.

We begin with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and spend some time in silent prayer and conclude with benediction.

Come spend one hour with our Lord and experience a wonderful personal relationship with Him.

O Come let us Adore Him.....



Confirmation

Confession & rehearsal will be held on Saturday June 3, 2023 after the Saturday Mass, from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm.

The candidates will receive the sacrament of Confirmation by his Excellency the Auxiliary Bishop Robert Kasun on the feast of Corpus Christi vigil, Saturday, June 10th.

ShareLife ShareLife Sunday and the World Day of Prayer for Vocations

When you support ShareLife, you help educate our future priests. This past year, you invested in our Church's future by supporting 58 seminarians at St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary.

Thus far we have raised \$7,311 toward our goal of \$50,000. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Thank you for supporting ShareLife!

Bible Study & Sunday Scripture

Bible Study: All parishioners are invited to attend our Bible Study evenings held in the parish hall every Wednesday evening (7:00- 8:30 PM) into June. Join us as we prayerfully reflect on scripture guided by the video lectures on Formed Now. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

From April 12 to May 17, conclusion of our year-long journey of the Gospel of Matthew. Newcomers welcome.

Starting on May 24, we will be covering the Five Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary. (and also praying the Rosary!) For those who wish to deepen their scriptural understanding of the Rosary mysteries, this course is for you!

"Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ" - St Jerome.

Sunday Scripture: Everyone is welcome to join us on Sundays, in the parish hall from 10:00 am - 10:45 am, to read/reflect/respond to the Sunday scripture readings - together - as a way to strengthen our faith and increase its fruit, with the help of God's grace.

If you have any further questions, please contact Corpus Christi rectory at 416-694-0382.

FORMED

FORMED is an excellent online platform of Catholic resources for learning and formation for all ages. It is filled with over 4,000 Catholic studies, movies, audio dramas, talks, e-books, and even cartoons for our children. The parish has a subscription and all the parishioners can avail of this subscription for free.

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Click on the link <https://signup.formed.org/> to sign up. Be sure to search for Corpus Christi Parish on the sign-up page, or enter the parish postal code (M4L 3M8).



On behalf of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB), and with the Standing Committee for Family and Life, a warm invitation has been extended to families, parishes, dioceses and faith communities to celebrate together the **National Family and Life Week, from 7 May to 14 May, 2023.**

The official theme for the National Week for Life and Family is **“Love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another” (John 13:34).** This annual Week of prayer, reflection, and action dedicated to family and life is meant to be a springboard for greater attention to the pastoral care for persons in our local faith communities. Together, let us recognize the challenges that affect families today and discover concrete and creative ways to support and accompany one another in tenderness, joy, and love as a family of families.



Our parishioners and friends of Corpus Christi parish have been asking when we will be starting our fall craft fair and Ladies Lenten Dinner again. We are looking for volunteers as well as a new coordinator to organize one or both of these events. Our previous coordinator will be down this year. The camaraderie and the great team effort during the time as co-ordinator was uplifting and sharing of talents of our volunteers has made our parish extra special. Should you have a desire to take on one or both of these events, please feel free to contact the parish office. It is a wonderful opportunity to give back to a parish that has given us so much!

Stewardship Reflection: 4th Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts 2.14a, 36b-41

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2.20b-25

Gospel: John 10.1-10 – Jesus the Good Shepherd

Summary

Faithful shepherds labour for their flock by journeying with them, seeking out the lost sheep and defending them from any ravaging predators. As Christians we are called to imitate Christ in all things including being a shepherd, which means we too should labour for others, putting their needs before our own. Let us labour for Christ and His Church in thanksgiving for how he labours for us.

Catholic Education Week



On **Wednesday, May 3, 2023 at 1:30 pm**, His Grace Archbishop Francis Leo, will celebrate Mass for Catholic education. All are welcome to join us in-person at the Cathedral or via [livestream](#) to pray for the close to 300,000

students attending Catholic schools in our archdiocese, as well as all those who faithfully guide them each day.

For more information please visit the [OCSTA](#) website.



The Catechism in a Year

Ascension has launched **“The Catechism in a Year”** (with Fr. Mike Schmitz).

With this podcast, Catholics will:

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Keep up-to-date on all things Catechism in a Year (CIY) by joining our Facebook group:

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