

# Corpus Christi Parish

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Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM



Masses	
Tues - Fri	9:00 AM
Sat Vigil	5:00 PM
Sunday	9:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Devotions - After the 9:00 AM Mass	
Wed Rosary	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Tues - Fri after the 9:00 mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat	4:00 - 4:30 PM
<i>Other times upon request</i>	

Exposition - 1st Friday of every month	
Fri	After the 9:00 AM Mass

School Chaplaincy	
St. Denis Catholic School	

Sacraments
For more information regarding baptisms, marriages and any other sacraments 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 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 our Lay Pastoral Team to visit and bring communion.

<b>St. Vincent de Paul Help - 416-698-8930</b>
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Welcome to Corpus Christi! - To register as a new parishioner please contact the office.

# June 23 and 24, 2018 – The Nativity of St. John the Baptist



Day/Time	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00pm	June 23	People of the Parish
Sun. 9:30am	June 24 <b>Nativity of St. John the Baptist</b>	People of the Parish
Sun. 11:00am	June 24	People of the Parish
Tues. 9:00am	June 26	No Mass Intention
Wed. 9:00am	June 27	+Larry White requested by the Baker Family
Thurs. 9:00am	June 28	No Mass Intention
Fri. 9:00am	June 29 <b>Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles</b>	No Mass Intention



Since January 2015 Vi (Ms. Violeta Hughes) has been our Parish Secretary and was serving the Corpus Christi Parish Family whole heartedly and working tirelessly for its up keeping. With a great sense of appreciation and gratitude we thank her as she retires at the end of June. Her friendly and welcoming nature added beauty to the parish office, as she has been the initial contact at the front office. The Parish Family along with all ministries of the parish wish her well and pray that she may have a great time in her retired life.



We welcome our new Parish Secretary, Patience Narcis, as she assumes the office on June 26. The Corpus Christi Parish Family pray and wish her success in her new assignment.

The Collection on June 9 and 10 2018, was \$1,884.00

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

We have a special collection this month of June for the Save Summer Jobs. Envelops are in the pews.

Please consider donating through Pre-Authorized Giving - PAG. You can set-up your PAG donations on a weekly or monthly basis. PAG Cards are available at the vestibule of the church to be used instead of the regular envelopes during the offertory collection.

Also please seal your donation envelopes. When envelopes are not sealed, your donation tends to slip out of the envelopes. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

## Sacramental Calendar

**Please submit the baptismal forms four weeks before the baptismal date.** This will allow the office to gather all Information necessary for the baptism.

A Baptismal Preparation Course for parents intending to have their infants get baptized is being offered on a monthly basis. **Next Baptismal Preparation Course will take place on Sunday July 8, at 12 noon, at Corpus Christi Parish Hall.** Next celebration of the **Sacrament of Baptism is on July 15, Sunday, at 12 noon after the 11:00 am Mass.** If you are not registered, please pick up forms at the Parish Office.

## Offering Masses.....

Offering Mass for a special Intention is a long standing tradition in the Catholic Church. It is usually considered that special graces are obtained for whom the Mass is said. Masses are offered for many reasons, for the souls in purgatory, in remembrance for someone who is deceased, or in honor of a birthday, or in thanksgiving for special blessings that we received. If you would like to have a Mass said for someone, please contact the Parish Office at 416 694 0382 or drop by the office during regular office hours.



**Living the Gospel**

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**Our Parish Goal: \$ 44,000. 00**

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**- Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto.**

**Please make a sacrificial Gift to ShareLife through your parish or [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org)**

### **Canada Summer Jobs Program**

#### **Be Informed & Reach Out to Your MP**

The federal government has introduced new requirements for employers applying for the Canada Summer Jobs grant. To be eligible for funding, employers must attest that both the job and the organization's core mandate respect certain "values" as determined by the federal government including the government's position on abortion, sexual orientation and gender identity or expression. Organizations unable or unwilling to make this attestation in whole or in part will be deemed ineligible for the grant. This requirement is clearly unjust.

Many Catholic organizations throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto and many other faiths involved in charitable activity at soup kitchens, shelters, refugee welcome centres or summer camps are impacted by this decision. Please take a moment to visit [www.archtoronto.org/summerjobs](http://www.archtoronto.org/summerjobs) for more information and to find a template letter to send to your MP and the Minister responsible for this portfolio.

### **June Is Seniors' Month**

June is designated as Seniors' Month. Seniors constitute a new generation in need of ongoing faith development and support through all the challenges and opportunities that mark the second half of life. Our Church needs to do more for maturing adults (50+) and we need your help.

**Please call the office for more information.**

29 June is the day set apart in the Catholic world for the celebration of the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul. Apart from Mary, the mother of Jesus, St Joseph and St John the Baptist, these are the only human figures commemorated in the calendar of the universal Church with a day given the rank of 'Solemnity'. Like all saints, Peter and Paul did not come with sanctity ready-made from heaven. We respect them because in them the grace of God achieved its purpose. Such grace works in different ways. Sometimes God's grace, like the prophet Jeremiah, has to 'destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant' (Jeremiah 1: 10). Paul and Peter offer us instances of each of these dynamics.

In Paul's case, God's grace had 'to destroy and overthrow'. Paul boasted how 'as to the law he was a Pharisee as to righteousness under the law blameless', but, Whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things' (Philippians 3:4-7). When Paul prayed to be freed from 'the thorn in the flesh', a messenger of Satan sent to torment him, the Lord replied, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness' (2 Corinthians 12:10). As to boasting, he wrote, 'If I must boast, I will boast of the things that show my weakness' (2 Corinthians 11:30). Luke in [Acts](#) gives a dramatic instance of this grace of God at work. His account of Paul's conversion begins with Paul 'breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord', but it concludes by describing how Paul, having met the light of Christ, had to be led by the hand and brought into Damascus

As for Peter, his was a situation in which God's grace had 'to build up and plant'. Gospel incidents provide examples of such grace in action. When Peter sank below the waves after walking on the water, Jesus 'immediately reached out his hand and caught him saying, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?"' (Matthew 14:31). At the last supper the Lord said to Peter, 'Simon, Simon, listen! Satan has demanded to sift all of you like wheat, but I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail' (Luke 22:31-32). And when Peter had denied his Lord three times, Luke tells us how 'The Lord turned and looked at Peter'. He then went out and wept bitterly (Luke 22:61-62).

Peter and Paul represent two strikingly different approaches to discipleship. Peter had to learn slowly, make many mistakes along the way, but always experienced the compassionate forgiveness and encouragement of Jesus. Paul, on the other hand, came to the Faith immediately and never backed away from his zeal for Christ after that. Many of us can see both these great Apostles in ourselves. Like Peter, we sometimes fail but yet persevere. Like Paul, we must always be on fire for the Lord, and proclaim Him to everyone and in every situation, no matter how difficult it can sometimes be to do so.

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