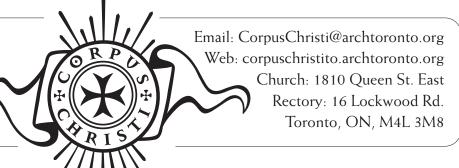
## CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

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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

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.

#### **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. 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

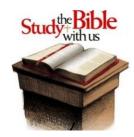
## Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00 pm	September 2	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 9:00 am	September 3	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	September 3	"Pro Populo"
Tues. 9:00 am	September 5	+ Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wed. 9:00 am	September 6	+ Augusta Matus requested by Rafaela Mairena
Thurs. 9:00 am	September 7	+ Lesbia Rivas requested by Rafaela Mairena
Fri. 9:00 am	September 8	+ Francisca Matus requested by Rafaela Mairena
Sat. 5:00	September 9	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 9:00 am	September 10	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	September 10	"Pro Populo"

The Collection on August 26 & 27 was \$1665
The Sunday Offertory Collection and PAG are our only viable source of income.

Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

#### **Sunday Scripture**



<u>Sunday Scripture:</u> 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.

### Pope's Monthly Intention for September For people living on the margins:



We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

# olunteers

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!

## <u>Celebration of the Solemnity of St. Michael &</u> <u>Conferral of the Pallium upon the Most Rev. Francis</u> <u>Leo Friday, September 29, 2023 – 5:30 p.m. – St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica</u>

The Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael, on Friday, September 29, 2023. All are welcome to join in a special celebration on that day at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.). Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass, with music from the world-renowned St. Michael's Choir School. As part of the celebration, the Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurkovič will confer the pallium on our archbishop, a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful.

Following Mass, there will be an informal reception with light refreshments in the St. Michael's Cathedral atrium and courtyard. Seating will be first come, first served. All are welcome to join in this special celebration for our archdiocese and archbishop!

#### **Sanctuary & Mother Mary's Candles**



The Sanctuary candle and Mother Mary's candles are available to light for \$20 each, for any intentions or in memory of a deceased loved one. For more information or to place your request please contact the parish office @ 416-694-0382.



The annual event of the Season of Creation begins on September 1 (the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) and ends on October 4 (the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of ecology).

Each year a theme is chosen by an ecumenical steering committee and in 2023 inspiration is taken from Amos 5:24 that proclaims, "Let Justice and Peace Flow" and the symbol is "A Mighty River."

An introductory video and resources to observe this season at home and school may be found at the following links:

#### **Resources:**

https://drive.google.com/file/d/145WzDi32U8YdlyY9Peo1 hn-aLqyi4cl6/view

#### Video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UgAbavjkTik&t=2s

#### **Post-Secondary Campus Ministry and Chaplaincy Connect**

Attention Students: Are you headed to university or college this fall? Campus Ministry is waiting for you! Connect with campus ministry to find a welcoming community of friends and faith. Visit <a href="https://ocytoronto.org/chaplaincyconnect">https://ocytoronto.org/chaplaincyconnect</a> to check out campus ministry on your campus!

Download Chaplaincy Connect Card <u>chaplaincyconnect-card.jpg</u> (1122×673) (archtoronto.org)

Download Chaplaincy Connect Poster chaplaincyconnect 2023 poster 11x17\_p3-b.pdf (archtoronto.org)

#### **Vocation Seeds**



"For what will it profit anyone to gain the whole world but forfeit their life?" Isn't there more to life than chasing the dollar? Are you being called to be a priest, deacon,

brother or sister? Humbly ask the Lord. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997; Email:vocations@archtoronto.org.

#### **Stewardship Reflection: 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1st Reading: Jeremiah 20.7-9 2nd Reading: Romans 12.1-2

Gospel: Matthew 16.21-27 – Jesus Predicts His Death

#### **Summary**

To fulfill our role as disciples and stewards, Jesus invites us to engage in three fundamental actions: self-denial, carrying our cross, and following Him. As we do this, we gain a deeper understanding of who Jesus is and become more attuned to His voice, discerning the myriad of different ways He calls us to share our time and talent. Embracing a life of sacrifice and love, which is inherent to stewardship, empowers us to actively contribute to the advancement of God's kingdom through our actions.

#### <u>The 109th World Day of Migrants and Refugees – Sunday,</u> September 24

The theme announced by His Holiness Pope Francis for the 109th World Day of Migrants and Refugees is "Free to Choose Whether to Migrate or to Stay." In his message, Pope Francis acknowledges that while the decision to migrate should always be free, in many cases it is not. This point was reflected by St. John Paul II in his message for the 90th World Day of Migrants & Refugees, in which he wrote, "building conditions of peace means in practice being seriously committed to safeguarding first of all the right not to emigrate, that is, the right to live in peace and dignity in one's own country." As he concluded his message, Pope Francis referenced the words of the Lord when He said "...I was a stranger, and you welcomed me" reminding us that the Lord's words are a "constant admonition to see in the migrant not simply a brother or sister in difficulty, but Christ himself, who knocks at our door."



- As a sign of respect to the Lord you remove your hats when you enter the Church.
- You should fast one hour before receiving Holy Communion.
- You should not eat or drink in Church.
- Cell phones should be switched off.
- You should genuflect in front of the blessed sacrament.

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