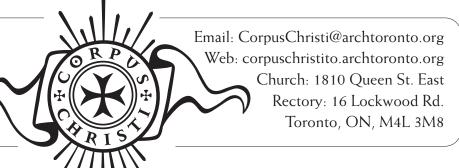
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MASSES

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	November 25	Intentions of Linda & Tony Taylor requested by Elizabeth Hannah & John Kennedy
Sun. 9:00 am	November 26	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	November 26	"Pro Populo"
Tues. 9:00 am	November 28	No mass Intentions
Wed. 9:00 am	November 29	No mass Intentions
Thurs. 9:00 am	November 30	+ James Baker requested by the Baker family
Fri. 9:00 am	December 1	+ Lesbia & Mario Rivas requested by Rafaela Mairena
Sat. 5:00	December 2	Intentions of Linda & Tony Taylor requested by Elizabeth Hannah & John Kennedy
Sun. 9:00 am	December 3	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	December 3	"Pro Populo"

The Collection on November 25 & 26 was \$1,608.25
The Sunday Offertory Collection and PAG are our only viable source of income.

Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

Sacramental Preparation







<u>First Holy Communion</u>: The Parent's Catechism meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 13th from 6:00 – 8:00 pm in the parish hall.

<u>Confirmation:</u> The Parent's Catechism meeting will be held on Friday, December 15th from 6:00 – 8:00 pm in the parish hall.

The meeting is mandatory for both sacraments.



The donation envelopes for 2023 is available in the vestibule for pick up. They are arranged alphabetically by the last name. Please note that the envelopes numbers have been changed for a few people so as to

have a chronological flow of numbers.

Anyone interested in getting a new box of envelopes may please contact the parish office.

<u>Pope's Monthly Intention for December</u> For persons with disabilities



We pray that people living with disabilities may be at the centre of attention in society, and that institutions may offer inclusive programs which value their active participation.





The Advent Reconciliation at our parish will be celebrated on:

Friday, December 22	9:30 am – 11:00 am &
	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Saturday, December 23	10:00 am – 12:00 noon &
	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Please make use of this opportunity to prepare ourselves to celebrate the birth of Christ.

Christmas Flowers



Help us refresh the Church this coming Christmas. We are hoping that we can count on you for any amount of donation that will go towards the lights and flowers, and other decorations that will brighten our Church. Envelopes are in the pews. Corpus Christi thank you for your support and consideration.

<u>Christmas Tree Donation by the Beaches Lion Club</u>



We are very grateful to David, Derek, Pete and Steve who run the Beaches Lion Club Christmas tree lot and are once again donating a tree to us. We thank these gentlemen who have been delivering a Christmas tree every year to our parish for the past 30 years. Please drop by and help support them. Their lot is on the Lakeshore at the foot of Woodbine just west of the Olympic Pool.

Bible Study & Sunday Scripture

<u>Wednesday Bible Study</u>: Our Wednesday Night Bible study group will have its last session on November 29th, 2023. We will pause during Advent and Christmastide and resume on January 10th 2024.

<u>Sunday Scripture</u>: Everyone is welcome to join us every Sunday, in the parish hall 10 am - 10:45 am to read/reflect/respond to the Sunday scripture readings - together - to increase our faith and its fruit, with the help of God's grace.

If you have any further questions and for more info contact the parish office 416-694-0382.

Proceeds from the Craft Fair

The total amount collected at the Craft Fair was \$4,338.

We thank each one of you once again for all your efforts to make this event a grand success.



Corpus Christi Parish will be hosting our annual parish Christmas celebration after the 11am mass on Sunday December 17th! Please mark your calendars! The celebration will be from 12:00 -3:00 pm and will include lunch, desserts, caroling, Christmas movies and lots of prizes and activities for the kids. We will also have Christmas challenges for anyone interested in testing their luck, and this year to keep up with the times we are adding a selfie Christmas station where you or one of our volunteers can take a photo of you or in a group with your friends and family to share. In recent years including last year we have had well over 150 parishioners join and this year we hope to have all parishioners come out to help raise each other's Christmas spirit and enjoy some of the magic this season brings. See you all there!

Interfaith Luncheon

The Corpus Christi Interfaith Luncheon needs the following items. As this change, we will update the list.

Tuna, tinned meat, tomatoes large cans, chick peas & margarine large tubs.

Financial donation is always welcome to the parish office. God bless you all for your generosity.

<u>Archdiocesan Consultation Underway – your</u> assistance is requested!

Our archbishop, the Most Rev. Francis Leo, is inviting Catholics throughout the archdiocese to share their key priorities to help inform and guide an updated Pastoral Plan. To participate in the consultation, visit: www.archtoronto.org/consultation to complete a brief survey by December 15, 2023, where you can offer your suggestions and insights.

The process should take just a few minutes and we ask that you complete the short survey as soon as possible. We look forward to hearing from the Catholic community throughout the archdiocese. Thank you in advance for sharing your insights, ideas and discernment.



A common Catholic symbol is ashes, which are ancient signs of penance. Catholics place ashes on their foreheads at the beginning of Lent as an outward sign of repentance.

St. Vincent de Paul Society - Christmas Appeal, 2023



Parishioners at Corpus Christi have always been extraordinarily generous in their support of neighbours in need in our community. Your donations have allowed the Society to assist those neighbours with food vouchers, clothing and occasionally furniture. Christmas is the time when people need us

most, and we strive to provide as many neighbours as possible with gifts and the means to have a special meal.

We are hoping we can count on your financial support for our outreach program this Christmas. Our outreach program consists of a variety of ways of giving: We have set aside the weekend of December 2/3, 2023, as our SSVP Giving Weekend. You can help with a monetary donation (you will find SSVP Christmas envelopes in the pews), or you can purchase and donate gift cards from Shoppers' Drug Mart or Walmart. On that weekend, and any time up until December 9/10, you may place your donations or gift cards in the Christmas Giving Box. This box has been placed by our Angel Tree near the Kurelek mural.

To support the children of our families in need, we have set up our Angel Tree. The paper ornaments contain the age /gender of a child/teen. Please take an ornament(s), purchase an age appropriate gift and return it unwrapped with the ornament taped to it. For any children who are teenagers (13+), please purchase a gift card of our choosing. All gifts will be gathered December 10.

It is with grateful hearts that we thank you for your generosity during the Christmas season and for your ongoing support throughout the year.

FRIARS STUDENT WRITING CONTEST 2024 November 8, 2023 - January 15, 2024

Theme: "You shall love the Lord your God ... and your neighbour as yourself." (Luke 10:27).

High school students (ages 13-19 years) in the Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event that commemorates the global Week of Prayer for Christian Unity from January 18-25.

Write a five-hundred-word essay that explores the 2024 theme. Great prizes await the top three submissions.

Students are to consult the resources at https://rb.gy/wajo9 to understand the meaning and purpose of the theme and address the focus question found on the poster @ https://surl.li/mlfkw and submit their entries at, https://www.catholicregister.org/writingaward.

Contact: ecumenical@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400 (Ext. 527) for more information or questions.





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