# 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

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N E W P A R I S H I O N E R S 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.

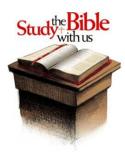
### ST. VINCENT de PAUL

For St. Vincent de Paul help please call: 416-698-8930

### Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00 pm	April 13	+ Eadgar Isaac Gradek- Szabunio requested by Anna Hudson & Paul Szabunio
Sun. 9:00 am	April 14	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	April 14	In Thanksgiving to Jesus and Mother Mary favours received
Tues. 9:00 am	April 16	+ Fr. Liam Gavigan requested by Patrick Gavigan
Wed. 9:00 am	April 17	+ Gloria Paraan requested by Northa & Steve Taylor
Thurs. 9:00 am	April 18	Intentions of Joseph Manual on his Birthday
Fri. 9:00 am	April 19	+ Robin Bailey requested by Ginny, Jim Hughes & family
Sat. 5:00 pm	April 20	+ Jack & Regena Baker requested by Dave, Sophie & Kelly Baker
Sun. 9:00 am	April 21	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	April 21	"Pro Populo"

### Bible Study & Sunday Scripture



Wednesday Bible Study: All are welcome to join our Bible study every Wednesday from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in the small study room in the parish hall. We will be learning about the early Church as we are introduced to the Acts of the Apostles and to St Paul and his letters.

**Sunday Scripture:** Everyone is welcome to join us in the parish hall from 10:00 - 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.

### **Pope's Monthly Intention for April**



For the role of women: We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

## **General Meeting**

Our parish General Meeting will take place on **Thursday, April 25, 2024 from 6.30-8 pm** in the Parish Hall. All parishioners are invited to attend. It is an opportunity to hear from heads of ministries and engage with new and long term members of the community. Hope to see you there.

### **First Communion Reconciliation and Rehearsal**



First Reconciliation and Rehearsal for the First Holy Communion candidates will be held on Saturday, April 20, 2024 at 2:30 pm. Candidates are requested to come directly to the Church.

The candidates will receive the sacrament of First Holy Communion on Sunday April 21 at 2:00 pm.

**SL** ShareLife

### Through ShareLife, you help refugees find safety and <u>freedom</u>

Your generous gift to ShareLife is crucial for immigrants and refugees establishing a new life in Canada. Your love and support have not only provided them with safety and freedom, but have also given them the opportunity to create a brighter future in our community.

Thus far we have raised **\$5,787** toward our goal of **\$49,000**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at <u>sharelife.org/donate</u>.

Thank you for living the Gospel through ShareLife!



We invite all our Senior parishioners to join us for a potluck Seniors luncheon on <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 26<sup>th</sup> between 11:00 and</u> <u>1:00 pm</u> at the parish hall. Anyone willing to contribute anything for the luncheon is most welcome. Please sign-up or RSVP the parish office if you will be attending the luncheon by Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>. The sign-up sheets are at all the exit doors.

Come spend some time with your friends and make new ones as you enjoy a wonderful meal.

### Dominican Friars Youth Interfaith Video Contest 2024 (Contest closes on April 15, 2024)

**Theme:** "This is a time when the world needs more love and compassion than ever."

High school students (ages 13–19 years) in Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event that commemorates United Nations International Human Fraternity Day on February 4 every year.

Students are encouraged to make a 3-minute video encapsulating the theme. They are encouraged to follow the guiding rules provided on the Catholic Register website and submit their entries by filling in the details on the submission form located here: https://www.catholicregister.org/videocontest

CONTACT: <u>interreligious@archtoronto.org</u> or call 416-934-3400 ext. 527 for more information or questions.



New Beginnings ministers to those who have suffered a loss through separation, divorce or bereavement and offers both women and men a learning environment which is safe, welcoming and non-judgmental.

### **Online Bereavement Introductory Program:** Wednesday, Apr 17, 2024 7:00 PM

Wednesday, May 8, 2024 9:00 PM Register at: https://nbb0424.eventbrite.ca

### Online Separated/Divorced Introductory Program:

Thursday, April 18, 2024 @ 7:00 pm Register at: <u>https://nbsd0424.eventbrite.ca</u>

For more information please contact: Arcangelo Limanni, MRE, RP (Q) <u>alimanni@cfstoronto.com</u> (647) 215-3978. Catholic Family Services of Toronto 1155 Yonge St., Suite 200 Toronto, ON M4T 1W2 (416) 921-1163 www.cfstoronto.com

### National March For Life 2024



**Theme:** *"I Will Never Forget You."* (Is 49:15)

On May 9th join thousands of students, families and Canadians from all walks of life as we gather on Parliament Hill in

Ottawa for the 2024 National March for Life.

Together let's remind our elected officials to NEVER FORGET ...

### **Stewardship Reflection: Sunday of Divine Mercy**

1st Reading: Acts 3.13-15, 17-19 2nd Reading: 1 John 2.1-5 Gospel: Luke 24.35-48 - *Jesus Appears to the Disciples* 

### **Summary**

We all love having friends and since we know what it is like to befriend other humans, we can extend this same means of friendship to Jesus because He too is fully human. However, this friendship doesn't remain like all of our other friendships but is elevated to the status of being friends with God, since Jesus is also fully God. As stewards, let us take some time each day in prayer to converse with Jesus as we would a close friend and by doing so, enjoy friendship with God.

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### Neophyte Mass 2024

Archbishop Leo will preside at a special Mass to celebrate with all those in the archdiocese who have been newly-initiated into the Church. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 21 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St., Toronto.

The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to register online. Neophytes and their guests will be assured of reserved seating. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream here: https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/.

REGISTER: https://bit.ly/NeophyteMass-RegisterApr2024 CONTACT: formation@archtoronto.org

### Life-Giving Wounds: A Healing Retreat for Adult Children of Divorced or Separated Parents

The Life-Giving Wounds retreat invites participants to move through the broken image of love that appeared to them in their parents' relationship to their deepest origin and identity as God's beloved, capable of great love. The next retreat will be from Friday, April 26 at 7 p.m. to Sunday, April 28 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Augustine's Seminary (2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough). Must be 18 or older to attend. Cost: \$290 per person (\$190 for students), which includes meals, lodging and retreat material. If cost is of concern, please contact lgwtoronto@proton.me; limited subsidies are available. For university/college students, contact your campus minister for more information. Space is limited. To register, visit https://bit.ly/LGW-TO-Retreat-Register2024. For more information, please email <a href="mailto:lgwtoronto@proton.me">lgwtoronto@proton.me</a>.



### THE HOLY EUCHARIST – (HOLY COMMUNION)

The bread and wine of the Eucharist becomes the true transubstantiated body and blood of Christ. It is not a mere symbol.



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