CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

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MASSES

Tuesday-Friday Saturday Vigil Sunday

9:00 am 5:00 pm

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

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.

The third Tuesday of every month. 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

Saint Denis Catholic School

NEW PARISHIONERS

To register please contact the office.





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.

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



Day	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00 pm	November 9	+ Menas Asis
Sun. 9:00 am	November 10	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	November 10	"Pro Populo"
Tues. 9:00 am	November 12	+ Ian & Patricia McLean requested by the McLean family
Wed. 9:00 am	November 13	No Mass Intentions
Thurs. 9:00 am	November 14	Intentions of Maria & Fr. Martin Mairena requested by Rafaela Mairena
Fri. 9:00 am	November 15	+ Souls of the D'Cruz & Narcis family
Sat. 5:00 pm	November 16	+ Sarah & Robert Marrocco requested by Mary Marrocco
Sun. 9:00 am	November 17	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	November 17	"Pro Populo"

The Collection on November 2 & 3 was \$1,969.15 Monthly PAG for September is \$4,500 Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

Christmas Craft Fair

Saturday, Aovember 9th From 10:00 am - 7:00 pm Sunday, Aovember 10th From 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Our Craft Fair has arrived! This weekend, we are celebrating the values of our volunteers who have given much to this worthwhile event. Come and join us for a snack, sweets to take home, time for the children to play and create; it is one big opportunity to join with family and friends, share stories and have a good time together.

Our vendors have some wonderful surprises for you this year. Come and see - and buy! Gifts for all occasions are available so stock up for some of your favourite people!

Saturday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

See you at the Craft Fair!

Cancellations

The Sunday Scripture Reflextion group and the Sunday Children's Liturgy will be cancelled on November 10th.

The Wednesday, Bible Study group will be Cancelled on November 13th and will resume on November 20th.

Pre-Authorized Giving

The Finance Committee invites parishioners to consider signing up for Pre-Authorized Giving. The forms are still available at the entrances to the church. If you have filled out the forms, please return them to the parish office where they can be processed. If you are considering an increase in your PAG donation, there is no need to re-submit the forms - just email the parish office with the request, and the bookkeeper will respond. Thanks again for your support!

Helping our Neighbours in Need



The St. Vincent de Paul Society of Corpus Christi is appealing to the generosity of you, our parishioners, to show your financial support for our neighbours in

need.

In 2024, requests for help have increased by 25% while donations have not kept pace with the demand.

We use your financial donations to directly feed, provide beds and clothing within our community.

Our mission is one of direct service to persons of all faith communities who are in need. We, as volunteer members, try to give those in need a sense of hope and dignity, reaching out in friendship with helping hands.

Donations to St Vincent can be made using the St Vincent de Paul envelopes located at the back of the church and drop into the poor boxes also located at the back of the church at each exit.

With gratitude, SSVP volunteers at Corpus Christi.

All Souls Day Envelopes



During the month of November, we pray in a special way for our departed loved ones. Throughout the month Holy Mass will be celebrated for the Souls in Purgatory.

Envelopes are at all exits. Please write the names of those to be prayed for and drop the envelope into the box provided. All envelopes will be kept on the altar during the whole month.

SUNDAY MISSAL

The 2024 - 2025 Sunday Missals are available for purchase at \$5.00 after all Masses at the vestibule and the parish office during office hours Tuesday to Friday.

The Shepherds' Trust Special Collection

There will be a second collection on Nov. 17, 2024 for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.

SL ShareLife

Make a ShareLife gift: Your YES goes twice as far!

NEW: Your gift will double in value! From November 1 until year end, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$500,000.

Every day, individuals and families silently face depression, anxiety, grief, and trauma. Through ShareLife-supported Catholic Family Services, your YES extends God's love to those struggling with mental health challenges, offering the lifeline they need to find hope.

"Your generosity allows us to assist some of the most vulnerable and marginalized members of our community. Without access to free support, they would be left alone and unable to get the help they need. Each donation impacts a life for the better. Thank you." — Elizabeth Pierce, Catholic Family Services of Durham.

Our goal this year is \$49,000. To date we have achieved \$43,359.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Come & See - Discernment Weekend Retreat

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, Nov. 15 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, Nov. 17 (2 p.m.). This Retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this event in your parishes, during your announcements as well as including this event in your respective parish bulletins, it would be greatly appreciated. We have also attached a poster and ask that you kindly display it on your respective bulletin boards. Thank you in advance for your assistance as we work together to build a culture of vocations.

Registration: Must be done online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee

Contact: For more information, please email vocations@archtoronto.org.

Poster: https://drive.google.com/file/d/10h7Lg2-z717JJ85QFKLdylJ4t SxHCJJ/view?usp=drive link

Update Your Parish Record



The parish office is in the process of updating the parish database in preparation for the offertory envelopes for next year and the tax receipts. Please advise the parish office if:

- You have a change of address or phone number.
- You are moving out of the parish.
- You would like to use (or no longer want to use) envelopes.

Fall Retreat Programs

Queen of Apostles Renewal Center in Mississauga is pleased to offer the following day retreats. **Nov. 25** - Day of Retreat Meditating on the Last Things (Death, Judgement, Heaven and Hell). **Dec. 7** - Advent Retreat. **Dec. 14** - Bereavement Day of Retreat. For info or to register please call 905 278 5229 or visit www.qoa.ca.

GLORIA! St.Michael's Choir School Christmas Concert at Massey Hall Saturday, December 14 at 7:00 PM

St. Michael's Choir School presents GLORIA!

A magical blend of secular and sacred choral repertoire to usher in this Christmas season. A Toronto holiday tradition, this is the Choir School's 59th annual Christmas concert, packed with exceptional works including Vivaldi's *Gloria*, *Carol of the Bells*, and *The Star Carol*. With close to 300 voices, 5 choirs consisting of students, and alumni, taking the stage, this year's programme is sure to be one of the best yet!

Tickets are now available at www. <u>masseyhall.com</u>. Please use Promo Code: STARLIGHT.

For more information, please call 416-397-6367.

RENEW Toronto

RENEW Toronto is a conference for all young adults ages 19—39 taking place on **Saturday, Nov. 23, 2024** at Canada Event Centre. The day includes keynotes by Dr. Andrew & Sarah Swafford, worship lead by Steadfast Worship, various workshop speakers, Confessions, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and fellowship. This conference offers unique opportunities for students, young adult professionals and young couples.

"Those who hope in the Lord will run and not be weary." – Isaiah 40.31.

For more information and to register, visit:

www.renewtoronto.org

Website: www.renewtoronto.org
Contact: youth@archtoronto.org



Let us also take time to honour and remember those brave men and women who had courageously volunteered and dedicated their lives to serve our country and protect our freedom. Please consider attending the cenatoph at Kew Gardens at 10:45 am and please wear a poppy.



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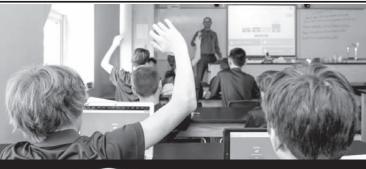


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