

Corpus Christi Parish



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SECRETARIES

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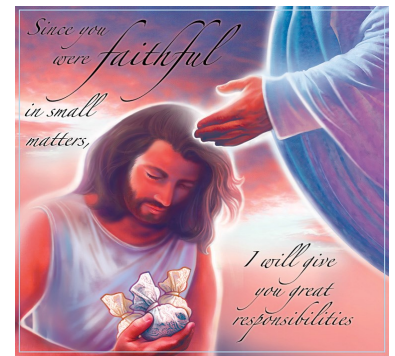
Daniela Pastorius

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19, 2017

Blessed are you who fear the LORD.
— *Psalm 128:1a*

Mission Statement

Corpus Christi Parish is an open, transparent and inclusive Roman Catholic Community, guided by the Holy Spirit, dedicated to the Word of God, the teaching of his Son, Jesus Christ, celebrating the Eucharist and Sacramental Rituals, praying together, serving those in need and modeling the Gospels through our outreach.



SACRAMENTS

(Parish Registration required)

BAPTISMS Sundays by Appointment, requiring participation in the Baptismal Preparation Program. Baptism Preparation Classes are scheduled on Sundays at 7:00 pm — November 19/17 and January 21/18. Call the office to register & make an appointment.

MARRIAGES Arrange one year in advance. Please call the office for an appointment with the priest.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 11:00 to 12 Noon or
By Appointment - Anytime - Call the office

CONFIRMATION

First Class November 28/29

FIRST COMMUNION

Classes will begin in January, 2018

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Registration is now closed.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY AND NURSERY Sundays
10 am & noon Masses.

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday to Friday - 8:30 a.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS Welcome to our new parishioners! Registration sheets are available at the Welcome Desk of the Church. Drop off completed forms into the collection basket the following week. We affirm and welcome your gifted presence in the life of our parish.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Please call the parish office if you or a member of your family is hospitalized or confined to home because of illness. A member of the parish staff or a Eucharistic Minister will be happy to visit and bring Communion.

VISITATION COMMITTEE We have developed a group of volunteers to visit our Shut-ins for a social moment. The thoughts that guide this ministry are to go have a cup of tea and to listen. Members of the committee and parish staff, will be happy to arrange for a Eucharistic Minister to bring Holy Communion. Please call the office to schedule a visit 519-969-5292.

Office Hours: Monday - Friday , 9 am - 4 pm
(closed 12 - 1 pm)

Pastor's Note



Rest in Peace -

After an enormous ill health filled couple of years Fr. Dennis Wilhelm has gone home to God. The efforts that Fr. Dennis put forth in the last while at Our Lady of Guadalupe were remarkable; hopefully all of the priests of the diocese are gifted.

Dennis' life will be celebrated at Our Lady of Guadalupe on Monday, Nov. 20th at 11:00 am, preceded by Prayer and Visitation on Sunday afternoon from 3-9 pm.

Seminary Affirmation

Last week the Diocese of London was asked to make their mark, their part in the Renewal program for St. Peter's Seminary.

If you happen to catch a glimpse of the scaffolding, the new and approachable driveways, the wooded windows and then new stonework - the work is on going and needs your support - A new way and new world will open for those on the journey to the altar on for Pastoral work.

Altar Servers Orientation and Renewal

We've been missing a few altar servers lately - I think it's because of extra-curricular activities like Hockey! - But we are counting on you to make the Christmas Season bright!

New Altar Servers will come together with the "already trained" servers to help dispatch fear and anxiety - on **Saturday November 25th at 11:00 am** in the Church. All those in Grade 3, 4 or more are eligible to join our Altar Servers Alliance.

Fr. Roche and Fr. Chris will be at the training session to assist and help - We need your presence early to measure the new servers for cassocks and surplices and to regroup the old because they have too much leg showing - They have grown a couple of inches - Yeh! Team.

JR

World Day of the Poor – Nov. 19

In his message from the Vatican on June 13, Pope Francis made this request: "[...] help make this World Day of the Poor a tradition that concretely contributes to evangelization in today's world. This new World Day, therefore, should become a powerful appeal to our consciences as believers, allowing us to grow in the conviction that sharing with the poor enables us to understand the deepest truth of the Gospel."

For message from Bishop Fabbro, please see insert.

School of Faith & Reason II

with Fr. Chris Pietraszko
Fridays 7 - 8:30 pm during



Nov 24-Priesthood Part II- Why can't women be ordained?

Please pray for the faithful departed:

Sister Margaret Ferris, CSJ and Father Dennis Wilhelm



*We welcomed at the Baptismal Font:
Lauren Mia Chorney, daughter of David and
Laura (Andreozzi)*

Development & Peace 2017, Fall Campaign

This fall, let's pay tribute to women who build peace. Across the world, brave women are coming together to struggle, to resist and to build a more peaceful world. "You'll find introduction to 3 of these women inserted in today's bulletin". In June 2017, the minister of International Development and la Francophonie presented Canada's new International Assistance Policy. Canada therefore committed to ensuring that women and girls have the opportunity to take active roles in establishing and maintaining peace in their communities. Despite its remarks in support of women and peace, the government did not increase the international aid budget and chose instead to increase the military budget by 70% over 10 years. Next week, let's take action for peace.

Bishop Fabbro has asked to share with you the following documents:

<https://dol.ca/news/interfaith-letter-concerning-bill-c-51>

Copies of the letter can be found at the Welcome Desk along with the petition.

Altar Serving Training

will take place on Saturday November 25th @ 11:00 am at Corpus Christi Par-



2018 Sunday Missals

2018 Missals will be available Nov 25/26. Bring \$5.00 for the Sunday Missals and be ready for all the Saturdays/Sundays for Advent and 2018. Children's Missals are also available for \$10.00

Catholic Men's Retreat

Holy Family Retreat House in Oxley
December 1-3rd, Led by Father Chris
Register by emailing : fatherpietraszko@icloud.com
Cost is \$175



General Meeting Monday December 4th at 7pm. We will have a guest speaker, Lawyer Anita Berecz who will talk on "wills".

Windsor CWL Regional Advent Tea will be held here at Corpus Christi on Monday, Nov. 27th at 6pm. Bring a dish to share, (lighter fare, tea sandwiches, dips, etc.) your own tea cup and wear a hat if you wish. The 2018 Membership dues are \$25 and may be put in an envelope with your name, address and phone number and placed it in the collection basket. Please mark CWL dues on the outside of the envelope. Memberships paid by our **December 5th Christmas Dinner at Other Place Catering** will be eligible to win one of two \$25 membership prizes. Doors open at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Tickets are \$30 for a full turkey dinner. Call Lila at 519-966-5983. **All ladies are welcome.** Deadline is November 26th.

SSVP GIVING TREE

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, through the kindness and generosity of our parishioners, is sponsoring our Giving Tree. On the brightly coloured tags, is the information we need for our families. The number at the top identifies the family. The initial tells us the person. Children up to 15, have a tag for an item of clothing and another for a toy or game. Older children have one item, often a gift certificate. We have family gifts, in lieu of separate gifts for adults, although in some cases they are given personal items. We call each family, and discuss what their needs and wants are. Each case is different, and we try to be good stewards of your donations, listing items which are reasonably priced. We are not asking for expensive name brand items. Please wrap the gift if you can, and attach the tag to it. The Crafty Ladies have made a very generous donation toward our turkeys, for which we are very grateful. There are envelopes for donations which will cover the cost of milk, bread, eggs, bacon, juice, margarine, and all of the fresh fruits and vegetables. There are also tags for other food items. We will have approximately 60 families.

We ask that you return the gifts as soon as possible. Everything must be in by Dec. 10th, as our delivery will be Sun. Dec. 17th. There will be a sign up sheet for volunteer drivers at the back desk.

Right to Life Christmas Cards will be available for purchase before and after each Mass November 18/19.



Pray for ...

There is a group of parishioners who pray for the sick everyday. To add or remove someone's name, please call Sharon Arsenault at 519-972-1244.

For the sick:

Mary Koncovy, Joan Goulet, Thérèse Bombardier, Brad Bertram, Anita Renaud, Helen Bedard, Mason Howatt, Martha Lloyd, Elsie Perussutti, Walter Cunningham, Angelo Merucci, Kiki Ugorji, Gladys Rodricks, Dorothy Iler, Cheryl Bondy, Ferd Vuksani, Rita Rudge, Rosa Maria Santos, Ryan Fuerth, Miranda Mullins, Tina Paquin, Ted Alexander, Lou Naccarato, Richard Martin, Thomas Fournier, Elsa & Irene Tejada, John Noade, Eric Zorzit, Phyllis Park, Jamie Caille, Taylor Scot, Shirley Bondy, Annette Phillips, Cheryl Jobin Pancerny, Marilyn Langbridge, LeeAnne Schuchard, Rick MacDonald, Sue Raymond, Peggy Ramey, Dot Grant, Nellie Siddall, Barbara Hooper, Mike Malerba, Cesaris, Ricardo, Andoni and their families, Philip Conway, Elizabeth Wong, Francis Renaud, Maddox Chartier-Linton

Ministry Schedule for November 18/19

Saturday, November 18, 5:00 pm

Euch Min: M Simone, c Burney, T Burney, M DiPonio, M Fabbro, C Gagniew, D Iannetta

Lectors: L Bannon, E Sebben Cerchie, D Martin

Greeters: D Raper

Sunday, November 19, 8:00 am

Euch Min: M Muzzin, R Vallance, A Blain, K Bryant, M Sbrana

Lectors: S Lira, N Renaud, M Sandre

Greeters: Jennie Greggs

Sunday, November 19, 10:00 am

Euch Min: B DeLuca, A Hormiz M Hormiz, MA Laporte, A Rivard, MA Roberts, M Rocha

Lectors: M Leblanc, R Norman, G Norman

Greeters: MR Sparrow, J Carley

Sunday, November 19, 12:00 noon

Euch Min: S Srokosz, C Zorzit, J Clarke, M Ferraro, MC Koopman, C McBride

Lectors: J Biswas, R Biswas, K Bondy

Greeters: A Berthiaume

*Eucharistic Adoration
Mondays 8 am - 8 pm*

Weekly Offertory	1230*
November 12, 2017	
Reg Offertory	6902
St Vincent/Mission	40
STV	20
Thanksgiving	350
World Mission	5
Assessment	65
Donations	350

Envelope vs Pre-Authorized Payment - Help us save money by switching to Pre-Authorized Payment. If you are interested, please pick up an enrolment form at the Welcome Desk.

Loan Account Update

Loan Balance at Beginning of Campaign (Oct 2015)		\$ 1,680,445
Celebrate Our Faith in Family Campaign Total Pledges	\$ 888,707	
Pledges Received	\$ 562,897	
Expenses Paid	\$ (105,714)	
Loan Payments to Diocese	\$ (455,000)	\$ (455,000)
Bank Account Balance	\$ 2,183	
Donations of Shares		\$ (23,363)
Loan Interest Paid (from Operating Fund)	\$ 130,518	
Interest Rebate Credit		\$ (22,800)
Current Loan Balance		\$ 1,179,282



MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, November 21 - 8:30 am

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Frank Cayea - Dorothy Horrobin

Trena Stachura - Bruno Stachura

Giselle Emery - Mom

Wednesday, November 22 - 8:30 am

St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr

John Nicholls - Wife & Family

Barbara Wissent - Wissent Family

Pasquale & Italia Bombardieri - Larry & Pat

11:00 am Kensington Court Mass

Ray Renaud - Ann & Wilf Gravel

Thursday, November 23 - 8:30 am

St. Clement 1, Pope Martyr, St. Columban, Abbot

Souls in Purgatory

Evelyn Slobasky - Larry & Cecilia Bannon

Luigi Mariutto - Renato & Carla

Friday, November 24 - 8:30 am

St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

Gladys, Duffy & Ella Mae - Doug Reaume

Paul Faubert - Children & Grandchildren

Friesen, Finn & Lund Families - Clarice Freisen

Saturday, November 25

St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin, Martyr, Our Lady's Saturday

10:00 am - Huron Lodge CS

11:00 am - Confession

5:00 pm - Priests & Parishioners of Corpus Christi Church

Sunday, November 26

Feast of Christ the King

8:00 am
10:00 am
12:00 noon

} Priests & Parishioners
of Corpus Christi Church

SCHEDULED EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sun, Nov 19	10:00 am 12:00 noon 7:00	Children's Liturgy Children's Liturgy Baptism Preparation
Mon, Nov 20	8 am - 8 pm 1:00 pm 7:00	Adoration Euchre K of C Executive Meeting
Tues, Nov 21	4 - 9 pm	Soul to Sole Dance
Wed, Nov 22	11:00 am 6:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:00pm	Crafts Hearts Together For Haiti PPC Meeting Recovery AA Meeting
Thurs, Nov 23	10:00 am 6:30 pm	TOPS First Reconciliation Prep #6
Fri, Nov 24	7:00	School of Faith and Reason
Sat, Nov 25	11:00 am	Confessions
Sun, Nov 26	7:00 pm	Baptism Preparation

Some of our parishoners will be removing trees from the church yard on Sat. November 25th @ 9:00am. We will need help cutting and taking the wood to the recycle centre or you may take it home to burn. If you can help, please bring saws, trucks/ trailers and meet in the church yard. Any questions please call Gary Norman at 226-348-0876 or email rose-gary79@hotmail.com.



Marie Rose Place — 318-320 Randolph St.
Monday, November 20, 10am-3:30pm
Lion: The Gift of Adoption

Based on a true story, Lion re-affirms that the "longing for home is so universal there is even a special name for it, which is of course homesickness." (Frederic Buchner, the Longing for Home: Reflections on Midlife.) All our stories are stories of searching for a place we can call home. What is your story? Fr. Paul McGill will share his story. A great cast and rich photography make this emotional film a pleasure to watch. Join us!

Facilitator: Paul McGill CSB Suggested offering: \$30 includes lunch

MADONNA HOUSE APOSTOLATE
1307 Pelissier Street
Windsor, Ontario N8X 1M4

ADVENT OFFERING

Madonna House will be having a Soup and Study evening starting Monday, November 27th from 6 – 8 PM. It will run for four weeks ending December 18th. We will be using the Book Poustinia: Encountering God in Silence, Solitude and Prayer by Catherine Doherty.

Poustinia is a Russian word which means "desert." Poustinia is a going apart from our usual Day to fast and pray using only the Bible. We will read from her book and discuss it together and there will be opportunity for people to "make" a Poustinia during Advent if they wish.

Please contact us at 519-252-9236 if you are interested in joining us for this time of prayer and reflection.

Save the Date!

We invite you to join the Gallery Choir of Corpus Christi Parish for our 4th Annual Festival of Choral Music and Carols :

Sunday December 3 at 7 pm.

Please share this event with family and friends as we celebrate the wonderful gift of the season.

Free Will Offering will be gratefully received.



SCRIPTURE READINGS

33rd Sunday Ord Time

Proverbs 31.10-13,16-18,20,26,28-31++
1 Thessalonians 5.1-6
Matthew 25.14-15, 19-21

34th Sunday Ord Time

Ezekiel 34.11-12, 15-17
1 Corinthians 15.20-26, 28
Matthew 25.31-46