

CHURCH IS FORMALLY CLOSED UNTIL MAY 31ST - BISHOP FABBRO

Corpus Christi Parish



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MAY 17, 2020
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*Peter and John laid their hands on them,
and they received the Holy Spirit.*

— Acts 8.5 - 8, 14 - 17



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.

PASTORAL ADMINISTRATION

PASTOR

Rev. James F. Roche

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Rev. Christian Amogu

DEACON

Art Williams

PASTORAL TEAM

Cyril Bagin

SECRETARIES

Sherri Zorzit

Daniela Pastorius

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 — Postponed until further notice.
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

FIRST RECONCILIATION

September 2020

CONFIRMATION

Next Class —Postponed until further notice.

FIRST COMMUNION

Next Class - Postponed until further notice.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY AND NURSERY

12 Noon Mass

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 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.



The Sacrament of Confirmation

We are hoping to celebrate The Sacrament of Confirmation on Wednesday, June 17 and Thursday, June 18 at 7:00 pm. Archbishop James H. MacDonald, Archbishop Emeritus of St. John, Newfoundland will be the celebrant. Archbishop MacDonald is now in residence at the Holy Cross Community Retirement Centre in Welland, Ontario.

We are indeed fortunate that the Archbishop has accepted our invitation to be the Confirming Prelate for our young men and women confirmandi. This might be the only occasion that they will indeed interact with a bishop. Archbishop MacDonald is truly a trouper; he has passed the impressive age of 94; he is a good friend. I applaud his faithfulness and his commitment to the Church.

There will be 81 young men and women celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation, the last of 3 Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation.

About Confirmation and First Communion

We have attempted to plan dates for Confirmation and First Communion.

We do not know whether we will be open for ceremonies in June.

Please stay tuned to our bulletin on our web site.

Whether we are on target for right planning or off, you will see. **Stay tuned...stay safe!**

The Rosary

With the Luminous Mysteries

The Joyful Mysteries

1. The Annunciation of Our Lord
2. The Visitation
3. The Nativity of Jesus
4. The Presentation in the Temple
5. The Finding in the Temple

The Luminous Mysteries

1. The Baptism in the Jordan
2. The Wedding at Cana
3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God
4. The Transfiguration
5. The Institution of the Eucharist

The Sorrowful Mysteries

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The Scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion and Death

The Glorious Mysteries

1. The Resurrection of Our Lord
2. The Ascension into Heaven
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
4. The Assumption of Mary
5. The Coronation of Mary



May ... a month to honour Mary, the Mother of God and Mother of the Church

There are many times in the calendar year that we honour Mary, the Virgin Mother of Jesus, our Lord and our Saviour: October, during Advent and the individual feasts such as the Assumption in August, her birthday in September, the Immaculate Conception in December, the Annunciation in March. Yet May, even though we are celebrating EASTER AND PENTECOST, continues as the traditional month to honour Christ's Mother and ours as well.

We are singularly blessed in having Mary as an advocate before her Son, Jesus and God's throne. The traditional pathway of prayer, "AD JESUM, PER MARIAM - To Jesus through Mary" is as solid as ever. Even though this pathway was considered to be so far out of our reach, we know that Mary's great "FIAT" "Let it be done according to Thy will" ranks her as a force to help us always.

Mary enabled the early Church of the Apostles to grow in grace; her affirmation and presence demonstrated the calm and peace that was always her way — following God's will. Let us remember that this calm and peace comes about when one is intimately connected to the Son. The best way for us to build that calm and peace is through prayer.

Our late Pope, John Paul II, has called great attention to the Rosary as a prayer form in which to honour Mary. He has provided us with five new mysteries on which to meditate when we pray the Rosary, these "LUMINOUS" mysteries of the **Baptism in the Jordan**, the **Wedding Feast of Ana**, the **Proclamation of the Kingdom**, the **Transfiguration**, and the **Institution of the Eucharist** have been added to the **Joyful**, the **Sorrowful** and the **Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary**.

Family First Communions

The Celebration of Family First Communions originally scheduled the weekend of April 18/19 and continue for the next two weekends, have been canceled.

We are proposing to celebrate Formal Solemn First Communion on Sunday, June 14th, The Feast of Corpus Christi, at 2:30 pm.

There will be no procession in honour of the Feast of Corpus Christi this year.

The Diocese of London: *Being a mission-oriented Church that forms disciples of Jesus*

FAMILY OF PARISHES

Prior to the activation of our Family of Parishes sometime in the future as laid out by the bishop, a committee was formed in September 2019 comprised of the pastors and 4 parishioners from each of the parishes involved: Our Lady of Mound Carmel, St. Phillippe and St. Ane Thanh Vietnamese Catholic Church, St. Yu Jin-Gil Korean Catholic Church and Corpus Christi. Committee, named the Development Team, has been meeting monthly; it will be followed by a Transition Team before the actual activation takes place.

Diocesan parish Development Teams have been asked to focus on 3 things:

- 1) to come together with a goal of getting to know one another better before reaching out to the broader community,*
- 2) to determine where we can begin to work together as a family,*
- 3) to discern a path that will help us as a parish to become more other-centered or mission-Oriented*

Let's all pray that this new diocesan vision for the church will be successful in bringing us closer to Christ and to each other.

VICTORIA DAY - Holiday Monday - May 18th -
 - In honour of Queen Victoria
FEAST OF ASCENSION - Sunday, May 24th

Envelope vs Pre-Authorized Payment - Help us save money by switching to Pre-Authorized Payment. If you are interested, please check our website. This option is the most cost effective for the parish with zero fees.

Weekly Offertory	May 10, 2020
Regular Sunday Offertory	\$2,920
Initial Envelope	20
Easter	705
Share Lent	40
St. Peter's Seminary	45
Donation	1300
St Vincent de Paul	130
Assessment	36

Loan Account Update (Feb 27)

Loan Balance at Beginning of Campaign (2015)	\$ 1,680,445
Capital Campaign Total Pledges	\$ 971,543
Pledges Received	\$ 899,778
Expenses Paid	\$ (106,314)
Loan Payments to Diocese	<u>\$ (790,000)</u>
Bank Account Balance	\$ 3,464
Donations of Shares	\$ (24,073)
Loan Interest Paid (from Operating Fund)	\$ 263,208
Interest Rebate Credit	<u>\$ (50,149)</u>
Current Loan Balance	\$ 816,223

 Pray for ...

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

For the sick:

Joe Talerico, Leze Precetaj, For those affected by the Coronavirus, Torry & Heidi Robertson, Jerry MacDonnell, Janis Bartlett, Mary Koncovy, Jorg Kagi, Richard MacDonald, Mike Malerba, Loretta D'Agnillo, Pragna Mecwan, Dorothy Iler, Betty Denomme, Tina Paquin, Brock Hasson, Eric Zorzit



Please pray for the faithful departed:

Sergio Schincariol



ONLINE DONATIONS

We are now accepting Visa and MasterCard (debit and credit) donations. Parishioners and visitors can make donations online using a computer, laptop, tablet, or any mobile device. You can use your Visa or Mastercard for any type of donation or payment you wish to give or make.

Getting Started Is Easy: Using your mobile device's camera, scan the QR code (in the bottom right corner), and simply follow the instructions on the screen to make your donation OR on your computer or electronic device, go to our website: cc.dol.ca, then choose "Donate" and follow the instructions.

Frequently Asked Questions

Question: Am I charged a fee to use this service?

Answer: There is no charge for the individual making the donation. The Parish is charged a small fee for each transaction.

Question: Can I decide where my donation goes?

Answer: You can choose from a variety of categories (examples: Regular Sunday Offertory; Easter; Christmas; Thanksgiving Appeal; Building Fund; and more.

Question: Will I get a charitable donation receipt?

Answer: Your donation(s) will be included on your annual charitable donation receipt.

Question: Is the system and my personal information secure?

Answer: Pllenty Inc. runs on Amazon Web services and meets strict Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards (PCI DSS) for service providers.





**MASS INTENTIONS
WILL BE CELEBRATED IN PRIVATE LITURGIES
BY FR. ROCHE & FR. CHRISTIAN**

Monday, May 18 - Victoria Day - Office Closed

St. John 1, Pope, Martyr

Tuesday, May 19

Bill Waugh - His Family
Karen Diemer (1st Ann.) - Betty
Bella Smith - Clarice Friesen
Melanie Wenzel - Margaret

Wednesday, May 20

St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest
Violet Letteri - Vito Garrisi
Marie Jarecki - Corpus Christi CWL
Sister Jean Zadorian - Colleen Pare
Nicolo & Francesca Miceli - Girolama Fazio & Family

Thursday, May 21

St. Eugène de Mazenod, Bishop, St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, Martyr, and Companions, Martyrs
George Thomas - Larry & Cecilia Bannon
Oliva Guerra - Funeral Luncheon Committee
Lou Cocchetto - Rose Valoppi
Layla Girard - Serena Stowe

Friday, May 22

St. Rita of Cascia, Religious
Lori Brokalakis & Connie Raper - Don & Family
Bea, Jack & Vince LePage - Doug Reaume
Steve Schulz - Anne Yatscoff
Elda Cavallin (3rd Ann.) - Norman & Family

Saturday, May 23

Sunday, May 24

The Ascension Of The Lord
8:00 am } *Priests & Parishioners*
10:00 am } *of Corpus Christi Church*
12:00 noon

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Tuesday, May 26

St. Philip Neri, Priest
Nina White - Frank & Rita Coletta
Antonio Melaragni - Anna Maria DiPonio
Madeleine Level - Pat Bedard & Family
Mary Louise da Silva - Anne Berthiaume

Wednesday, May 27

St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop
Fr. Richard Cartier - Margherita DiPonio
Carmen Rigo - F. Belaire
Gerard & Rosemary Marentette - Jenn, Rob, Karen
Int. Claudia Symchyshyn - Sherri Zorzit

Thursday, May 28

Natalina DalFarra
Andy Harcar - Tovell Family
Rita Knapp - Sam & Mary Anne Roberts
Fred Nixon - Claudia Symchyshyn

Friday, May 29

St. Paul VI, Pope
Olinda Cirino (13th Ann.) - Family
Mike Pare (2nd Ann.) - Colleen Pare
Hackney Family - Robert Fortier
Frank Cayea - Dorothy Horrobin

Saturday, May 30

Sunday, May 31

Pentecost Sunday
8:00 am } *Priests & Parishioners*
10:00 am } *of Corpus Christi Church*
12:00 noon

OUTREACH RESOURCES

The diocese has a webpage that will be continually updated with resources for the faithful <http://dol.ca/outreach>.

Join us in the newly added "House of Prayer" initiative.

Please promote this page to your parishioners and others to help them find online Masses, Catholic publications and activities for families, children and youth.

Bishop's Dinners for 2020 are Cancelled

From David Howie, Executive Director, St. Peter's Seminary Foundation: Present circumstances and uncertainties for the future render the prospects for this year's Bishop's Dinners very problematic. Out of an abundance of caution, it has been decided to cancel both Bishop's Dinners, in London and Windsor. We reached this decision in consultation with diocesan and St. Peter's Seminary Foundation leadership, and with our Bishops.

Plans are in place to have our celebrations in 2021. Details will follow in due course.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sixth Sunday Of Easter

Acts 8.5 - 8, 14 - 17
1 Peter 3.15 - 18
John 14.15 - 21

The Ascension Of The Lord

Acts 1.1 - 11
Ephesians 1.17 - 23
Matthew 28.16 - 20



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Pentecost Sunday

Genesis 11.1 - 9
Romans 8.22 - 27
John 7.37 - 39

The Solemnity Of The Most Holy Trinity

Exodus 34.4b - 6, 8 - 9
2 Corinthians 13.11 - 13
John 3.16 - 18

