

# Corpus Christi Parish

May

19

2019

Fifth Sunday of Easter



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TOTUS TUUS YEAR 2  
REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN

# Parish Information

## Corpus Christi Parish

70 Pleasant St., Waterville ME 04901

Business Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:00AM - 4:00PM

Fri 8:00AM - Noon

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### Parish Staff

**Rev. Daniel J. Baillargeon**, Pastor

**Rev. Patrick Finn**, Parochial Vicar

**Kim Suttie**, Pastoral Life Coordinator

**Deb Hebert**, Parish Business Coordinator &

Director of St. Francis Cemetery

**Theresa Poulin**, Business Administrative Assistant

**Marge Veilleux**, Pastoral Administrative Assistant

**Joan Hallee**, Pastoral Receptionist

**Valerie Wheeler**, Principal St. John Catholic School

## Mass Times & Intentions

**Monday, May 20, 2019 -Friday, May 24, 2019**

**NO DAILY MASSES**

Fr Dan and Fr. Patrick will be away at the annual Clergy Institute. Please keep them in your prayers.

### SATURDAY

4:00 PM ND

### May 25, 2019

Roland and Lorraine Roy by daughter, Jeanne and son, Michael

4:00 PM SJ

Laurie Vigue by her parents

6:00 PM ND

Gerald and Mae Hart by their children

### SUNDAY

7:30 AM SJ

### May 26, 2019

William and Mary Kervin Snow by Elaine and family

9:00 AM ND

Parishioners of Corpus Christ Parish

10:00 AM SJ

Donald, Peter, Mark Poulin by the family

10:30 AM ND

All enrolled in Corpus Christi Memorial Book

12:15 PM ND

Spanish Mass

## The Week Ahead

<b>Sun., May 19</b>	10:30AM ND	Fr. Chris 50th Jubilee
	5:00PM SJ	AA Meeting
<b>Mon., May 20</b>	9:00AM SJS	Hands of God
	2:00PM ND	Prayer Group
	7:00PM SH	KC #341 Meeting
<b>Tues., May 21</b>	7:00PM FFC	Al-Anon
<b>Fri., May 24</b>	<i>No Adoration or Confessions</i>	
<b>Sun., May 26</b>	10:00AM ND	Coffee Hour
	12:15PM ND	Spanish Mass
	5:00PM SJ	AA Meeting

## Sacramental Information

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays, 3:00PM at St. John Church, Winslow and Notre Dame Church, Waterville

### Sacrament of Baptism

Families who would like to have their child baptized need to attend our Baptism Preparation Program. Classes are offered on the last Tuesday of most months.

**Registration is required**, please call the parish office.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Couples should make arrangements by calling the parish office at least 6 months prior to the wedding date and before making reception plans.

### Anointing of the Sick

Anyone wishing to receive the Sacrament of the Sick is asked to call the parish office. If you or a loved one are admitted to MaineGeneral Medical Center please contact the Hospital Chaplain's Office. If you are at Inland Hospital please call the parish office.

### Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays 7:00-7:45AM St. John Church

## Keep in Your Prayers

Please remember Harlan Michaud, Sylvia Plourde, Marguerite Barnes, Carroll Denis, Ronald Denis, Jeannie Genest

*May God's healing touch come down upon our brothers and sisters in faith.*

Please call the Parish Office to be included in our Prayer Line.

## Please remember in your prayers

Sr. Laurette Levasseur, died May 11, funeral May 15

Lucien Veilleux, died May 5, funeral May 16

Patricia A. Smith, died May 13, funeral May 18

## Sanctuary Candle

In thanksgiving by a parishioner (SJ)

### CORPUS CHRISTI MEMORIAL FUND

Raymond Mathieu, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Roland and Lorraine Roy, Richard Besson, John McQuillan, Jeannette Charette, Wilfred Bartley, Donald Poirier, Jeannette Pare, Joseph Martin, Leon Richard, Sr. Cecile Chagnon, Marcel Dubois, Charles and Theresa Crocker, Robert Bourget and Stephen Pooler

## Nursing Home Mass Schedule

**All Masses at 1:45PM**

2nd Friday, each month at Lakewood, Waterville

3rd Friday, each month at Oak Grove, Waterville

4th Friday, each month at Woodlands, Waterville

# Sunday by Sunday

## Fifth Sunday of Easter

### BUILDING UP THE CHURCH

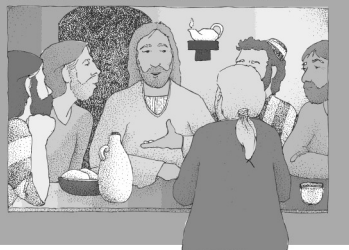
It is certainly an important ministry to go and make disciples; it is equally important to ensure the continued strengthening of these disciples. Paul and Barnabas, in our reading from Acts today, are not only adding new disciples to the church of Christ. They are making sure that the work of the church will continue by appointing elders and otherwise organizing these new communities of faith. Structure is essential to the work of the church. Just as the skeleton gives form to the body, the organizational structure of the church ensures that the church stays true to its mission, that new disciples are well formed in the message of salvation, that the work of the church can continue from generation to generation.

### THE WORK OF THE CHURCH

Today's second reading, from Revelation, and the Gospel reading from John together help us to understand the radical nature of Christ's message of love. In Revelation, we are told that now the sea, the symbol of the chaos of the past, is no more. The new Jerusalem has come down from heaven and is joined with humanity for all time. Christ dwells within each of us, the baptized, in a radical new way of joining together. Christ is here, now, for all time, within each and every one of us. This is why Jesus' commandment of love is so very new. We are commanded to love each other as Christ loves, for when we love, we reveal Christ's presence among us. This is a love beyond any human concept of love, a love without concern for cost, a love that calls us to feed the hungry, comfort the afflicted, and grant mercy to enemies. This is the love demanded of us by our baptism, the radical love of others as we are loved by God. This love is our work, the work of the church of Christ on earth.

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#### LOVE ONE ANOTHER



#### Today's Readings:

Acts 14:21-27 - End of the first mission

Revelation 21:1-5a - New heavens and new earth

John 13:31-33a, 34-35 - A new commandment

**Question for Adults** - When have you seen the power of love overcome a bad situation?

**Question for Kids** - Do you believe love is stronger than hate? Why?

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If you are interested in the daily Mass readings they are available on our parish website [www.corpuschristimaine.org](http://www.corpuschristimaine.org) and on myParish app.

## Stewardship of Time & Talent

### With Sincere Appreciation

Thank you to those who have done such a beautiful job decorating our churches for the Easter Season. We are truly blessed by your ministry to the church.

#### Did you know that we offer Electronic Transfer?

Electronic Transfer allows you to have your offertory taken directly from your bank account on a monthly basis. This is a safe and convenient means of making your weekly contributions to the parish without having the worry of writing checks and scrambling for your envelopes each week. For more information, call Deb Hebert at the parish office at 872-2281.

## Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory for May 12 - \$17,558.60  
Average offertory to date - \$16,042.76

The budget is based on an weekly average offertory of - \$16,257.37

**Thank you for your continued support of our parish.**

## Prayer of the Week

### Act of Faith

O my God, I firmly believe that You are one God in three divine Persons, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. I believe that Your divine Son became man, died for our sins, and that He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths which the Holy Catholic Church teaches, because You have revealed them, who can neither deceive nor be deceived.

### Act of Hope

O my God, relying on Your almighty power and infinite mercy and promises, I hope to obtain pardon of my sins, the help of Your grace, and life everlasting through the merits of Jesus Christ, my Lord and Redeemer.

### Act of Love

O my God, I love You above all things, with my whole heart and soul, because You are all good and worthy of all love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of You. I forgive all who have injured me, and ask pardon of all whom I have injured.

#### Like us on facebook at:

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Corpus-Christi-Parish-Waterville-Maine/177705012271056>  
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View photos, videos and get inspired through fellowship with other parishioners!

# In Our Parish and Diocese

## ELEMENTARY FAITH FORMATION & JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY

Classes are held at the Faith Formation Center attached to St. John Catholic School, September-May.

Thanks for another terrific year of Faith Formation in Corpus Christi Parish. Have a great summer. See you in the fall!



## Totus Tuus - Totally Yours - Year II

August 4-9

St. John School

Grades 1-8

Mon. - Fri.

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Grades 9-12

Sun. - Thurs.

7:00 - 9:00PM



Totus Tuus is a Catholic youth program for students from 1st through 12th grade dedicated to teaching the Gospel and deepening love for the church through catechesis, prayer, Christian witness, and the sacraments.

**MISSION** - The mission of Totus Tuus is to inspire in young people a true longing for holiness, a deep desire for daily conversion, and an openness to their vocation by challenging them to give themselves entirely to Christ through Mary and by strengthening their prayer lives in imitation of her.

**REGISTRATION** - Cost: \$50 per student/maximum of \$100 per family. Please register online to help us simplify the paperwork [www.totustuusmaine.org](http://www.totustuusmaine.org).

**FMI OR FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**- Contact Kim Suttie 872-2281 or [kim.suttie@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:kim.suttie@portlanddiocese.org).

**HELP** - We are once again in need of the following help from parishioners:

- Housing for the members of the Totus Tuus team (2 homes needed to house 2 students each) for the week—includes feeding them breakfast each day
- One lunch and/or dinner for the 4 Totus Tuus team members
- Volunteers to be at the school during the sessions.

*If you are willing and able to help please contact Kim Suttie, 872-2281 or [kim.suttie@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:kim.suttie@portlanddiocese.org).*

## Our Parish has Mass in Spanish!

The next Mass in Spanish will be celebrated on Sun, May 26, 12:15PM at Notre Dame Church. There will be Mass in Spanish every 2nd & 4th Sun., at 12:15PM, at Notre Dame.

## Rosary at St. Bridget Center

Come and join us to say the rosary at 2:00PM on May 21, June 4, 18  
864 Main St. Vassalboro, ME  
Questions—616-3148



## HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday Evenings 6:00 - 8:00PM

Youth Ministry Room on the 2nd Floor at St. John School  
(enter by the Grotto)

**High School Students: join us for food, fun and faith. Come as often as you can, or only come once in a while.**

## SENIOR MINISTRY

Ministry to, for and by our  
Corpus Christi Senior Parishioners

## Senior Club

2nd Tuesday of the month after the 12:15PM Mass.  
Gather in the hall at Notre Dame for coffee, tea & cookies.

Tues., June 11 - Watercolor Painting with Dorene Hebda  
Class is limited to 20 participants - please pre-register by calling the Parish Office.

*Funded by a grant from the Catholic Campaign for Human Development*

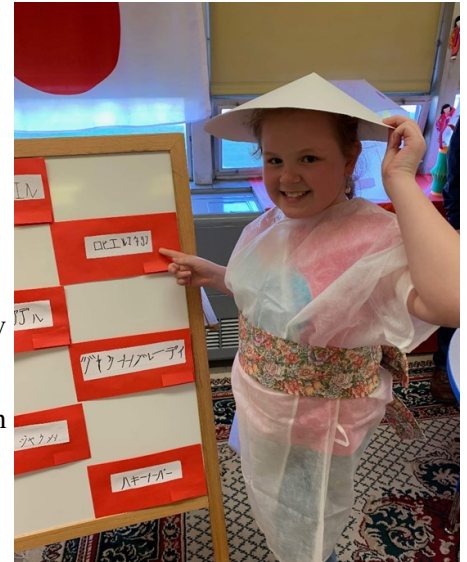
## ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

South Garand St., Winslow 872-7115

[www.stjohnschoolwinslow.org](http://www.stjohnschoolwinslow.org)

**Thank you to all who were able to join us for Countries Night!**

Congratulations Vanessa and Matthew Holman, winners of the Countries Night/Open House drawing!



St. John Catholic School is currently seeking a long-term substitute for the remainder of the school year. Must hold a current CHRC. If interested, please contact the school office at 872-7115.

## St. Theresa's Guild Scholarships

Attention High School Seniors:

St. Theresa's Guild of Corpus Christi Parish awards 2 annual scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 each. To apply please send a letter describing your academic history, extra curricular activities and parish involvement to:

Eileen Bolstead  
78 Oak St.  
Oakland, ME 04963

Deadline is May 24, 2019

# In Our Parish and Diocese

## Spring Into Action!

**You can do this** by investing a few hours a week to an isolated senior through a friendly visit, a ride to the grocery store, or a phone call. If you are interested in becoming a **volunteer** or FMI please contact the SEARCH program- Lynn Kidd (207)530-0137 or lkidd@ccmaine.org.



## Construction Volunteers Needed



*Do you like to build and paint things?  
Did you know Waterville Habitat for Humanity does more than build houses?*

We are looking for a core groups of volunteers who can commit to regular projects such as weatherization and small home repairs in the thirteen communities we serve.

*So if you like to paint, do small home repairs,  
or build things we can surely use your help.*

Have time but don't know how to do painting and small home repairs? No problem! We can teach you!

For more information please email Linda Santerre at [lsanterre@watervilleareahfh.org](mailto:lsanterre@watervilleareahfh.org)

## Awakening the Future of Our Faith 2019 Catholic Appeal



*"Ask Jesus what he wants from you and  
be brave - Pope Francis*

*Your generous gift to the 2019 Catholic  
Appeal will be felt by people all across  
Maine as ministries like these continue to  
serve those who need it most:*

Catholic schools and college campus outreach  
Hospital chaplaincy and services for the  
elderly and infirmed  
Catholic Charities and its work in our  
statewide community  
Hispanic and Native American Ministries  
...and so many more.

[www.portlanddiocese.org/appeal](http://www.portlanddiocese.org/appeal)

## Sew for a Cause

All are welcome as we work on a variety of projects for those in need.

May 23, June 6 & 20 10AM-4PM  
come for part or the whole day

St. Bridget Center - 864 Main St. Vassalboro  
FMI: 616-3148, [stbridgetcenter@gmail.com](mailto:stbridgetcenter@gmail.com) or  
[facebook@stbridgetcenter](https://www.facebook.com/stbridgetcenter)



Dear sisters in Christ-are you a high school student or early college and want to learn more about your faith, form solid friendships with other young Catholic women and explore the great plans that God has for your life? Join us-Tuesday evenings at the Blessed Sacrament Convent in Waterville. Mass at 530PM, meeting from 6 -830PM in the undercroft. We pray, study and discuss our faith and share a meal. We have frequent visits from priests and religious sisters that share their discernment journey and help us with ours. Come and see ! 101 Silver St. Waterville. FMI: 877-4479 or [kristinaannking@gmail.com](mailto:kristinaannking@gmail.com).

## Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibition St. Agnes, Pittsfield

The Vatican International Exhibition "Eucharistic Miracles of the World" will be displayed in the St. Agnes Church parish hall, 238 Detroit Ave, Pittsfield. **When?** June 1st 10AM-7PM & June 2nd following the Sunday 8AM Mass to 3:30PM. Sunday 3:30PM we will have Eucharist Adoration in the Church. The exhibit features 152 beautiful panels that highlight some of the most powerful Eucharistic miracles of the world. There will be an official Vatican narrated video of the miracles playing in a Faith Formation classroom for those who may not be able to stand for long duration's. The panels feature both graphic and written depictions of the miracles. Open to the public. Church & Parish Hall are wheelchair accessible. 11AM-1PM each day, the Knights will serve hamburgers, hotdogs & fries at a minimal charge for those at the exhibit around the noon hour.



## Catholic Charities Corner

### Bargains are just the beginning

*when you visit one of Catholic Charities 5 Threads of Hope Thrift Stores...*

The Portland and Sanford stores support 20+ programs statewide, and shopping in Aroostook County supports the Food Bank.

Welcoming your spring cleaning donations, shoppers and volunteers,  
*Threads of Hope* thrives on community support!

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