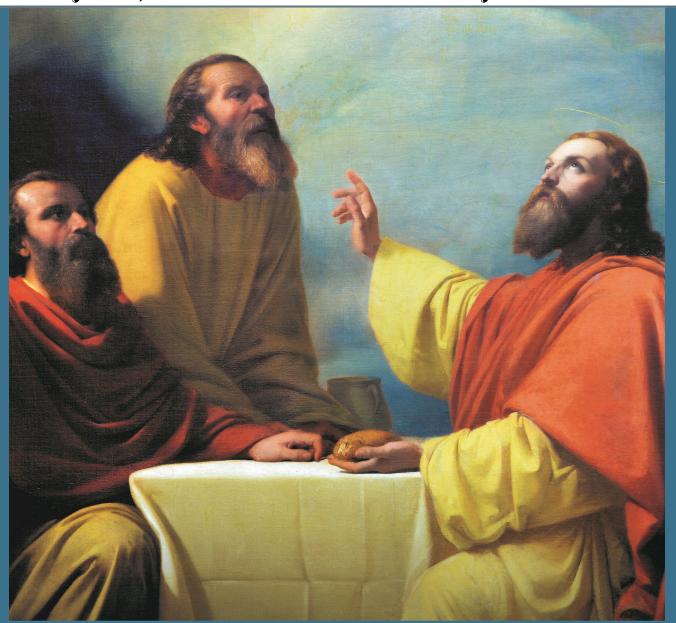
Corpus Christi Catholic Church

1415 W. Lies Road Carol Stream, IL 60188 630-483-4673 May 14, 2023 - Sixth Sunday of Easter



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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"I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth." - Jn 14:16-17a

Mass Intentions

NEW MASS TIMES

5 pm Vigil on Saturday (same)

8 am, 10 am, 11:30 am (Polish) on Sunday

Saturday, May 13 Our Lady of Fatima

5:00 p.m. # Irene Mamica by Kathie & Jim Brewer

Sunday, May 14 Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m. SI Fr. Leo Rezula by Letty Dino Sofia Gonzalez by Letty Dino

Josephine Tambirino by Dora Gibellina

Joe & Irene Mamica by Family

10:00 a.m. Rita Angara by Angara Family

Consorcia Sievert by Angara Family

Irene Mamica by Tony & Debbie Molinaro

Mary Ellen Gallo by Family Timothy Arbeen by Mother

Eileen Notini

11:30 a.m. Marianna Baranski & Stanislawa Olszakowska

Mass in Polish Jadwiga Gajda by her children

SI Wanda Mazur

Monday, May 15 St. Isidore

Bronislaw Kica 6th year anniversary of death 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, May 16 Sixth Week of Easter

9:00 a.m. # Sam Panno by Crockett Family

Wednesday, May 17 Sixth Week of Easter

9:00 a.m. SI Residents of Wood Glen

Thursday, May 18 St. John I, Pope & Martyr

Marianna Jurzyk 9:00 a.m.

SI Thanksgiving for retirement by Lourdes Abeleda

Friday, May 19 Sixth Week of Easter

Nicola Selvaggi by Family 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 20 St. Bernardine of Siena

SI Fr. James Parker by Nancy Parod 5:00 p.m.

| Irene Mamica by Mary Warick

Kathy Brunig by Tony and Debbie Molinaro

Sunday, May 21 The Ascension of the Lord

SI Fr. Dan Steiner by Letty Dino 8:00 a.m.

Kathy Brunig by Ćursillo Sisters F Gary Schultz by the Bierman family

SI Leonila Herrera and family for healing by Rivera fam 10:00 a.m.

SI Parishioners of Corpus Christi

SI Frank Cece by Santa Campobasso & Family

Dominick Campobasso by Santa Campobasso & fam Jenny Cece by Santa Campobasso & Family

11:30 a.m.

Mass in Polish

Joe Fenton Betty Funer

Joe Ernest Alonto

Asuncion Baldwin

Bryan Baylian

Brian Bennett

Adnan Alonto

Pat Baker

Janay Bell

Carol Gatti

Denise Ealy

Chris Gries

Paula Grueder

Dr. Dan Haraf

Louise Harrison Larry Hartnett Javier-Maria Alonso Daniel Hartzell Donna Hawko **Debbie Henke** Mark Herwaldt

Asha J. Pamela Jacobs

Julius Matonis

Gerri Tillman Bentel **Geoffrey Johnson** Lynn Bierman Shawn Jurgensen Cathy Brill **Austin Keating Bud Brown** Rosemarie Kelly-

Theresa Bull Cunningham Melanie B. Ann Krueger Terry Cook Westin LaFever Jeannie Culitan Rose Marie Lambert Alan Demascus Sondra Long

Tessa Dante Jackie Lower Karen Deering Keegan Manz Martha Durnil Darnell Matesi

Lisa Esposto Karen Mahrenholz **Kevin McKinney Larry Miller**

Josephine Miller Mike Gebhardt Mark Muzer

Elida Navarro Clarence Groves Mary Nekyha Michael Novak

Rocella Hampton John Numrich Bill Ohlhaber

Please pray for all those on our prayer list.. Sue Patterson

> **Betty Pilafis** Lucy Pope Rosa Rodriguez

AJ (Austin) Rose Melissa and Joe Reynolds

Dolores Salerno Martin Salerno

Donna Sanchez Marilyn Savegnago

Christine Scardina Russell Schauer Amy Sheehan

Mary Beth Shepardson Antonio Sievert Alberto Sievert

Evelyn Simonetta Lorraine Standiford

Arzy Staten Kathy Staten Bill Staunton

Robert Strawn Vicki Strawn

Lorenzo Tamburello Baby Kyle Templin Julie Tkaczuk

Mike Tkaczuk Juanita Torronio Annette Golome Turk

Tom Warick

In Loving Remembrance

Irene Mamica, Christina Upp, Kathy Brunig, Mario Talavera Sr., Ann Stankiewicz

May they Rest in Peace

Readings for the Week

May 13 Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

May 14 Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

May 15 Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a

May 16 Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11

May 17 Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

May 18 Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 16:16-20

May 19 Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

May 20 Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28

May 21 The Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments"

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments." — these are the words with which Jesus begins this Sunday's Gospel. We know that we are called to love our Lord. But how can we do this if we do not see Him and we do not hear Him? We can see, hear, and interact with those we love on earth. So, one can think that this commandment is not realistic and is a product of God's pious longing. Our culture is infected by pop culture which understands love mostly as a sentimental, emotional movement of the heart. People think that they love because they feel emotions towards another person: a spouse, fiancé, girlfriend or boyfriend, parents or children. When the emotions disappear, so does the "love".

God teaches us something entirely different: authentic love binds us with other people not on an emotional level, but in a very different way. From this perspective, the love of God means keeping his commandments with all our power and strength. In this way, we truly love God even when we have no emotions towards Him. Loving God means keeping His commandments and, in this way, being connected with Him independent of the fluctuations of our emotions. As a result, this love can last forever and grow.



We can apply this same truth to our human relationships. Today, we celebrate Mother's Day. Although we are connected with our mothers on an emotional level, there are other more important elements which surpass this kind of connection. So we can authentically love our mothers (or fathers) even if we do not have any extraordinary emotions towards them. However strange this may sound, it's true. We testify that we love our mothers when we are with them, we are part of their lives, we support them, and we pray for them (no matter how we may feel).

Dear Mothers: on this special day, may God bless you for your love and your dedication. May God grace you with His joy and peace. Continue to be witnesses of God's true love on earth.

Last Sunday, some parishioners and I had the opportunity to meet Fr. Andrew Mikucki, Director of Caritas of Lomza Diocese in northeast Poland. He shared about the enormous charitable works that they provide to help Ukrainian families who escaped the war in Ukraine. He personally visited every Catholic diocese in Ukraine, meeting with their bishops and asking for ways in which Caritas can help them.

Caritas transferred several tens of thousands of dollars in aid, in addition to many transports of food and other basic necessities. Since there are over two million Ukrainian refugees in Poland, Caritas is helping them with finding employment, lodging, education and addressing medical needs.

You may remember that last year our parish raised and donated over \$15,000 to support the efforts of Caritas Poland. This year, we also gave over \$4,000 (including one donor giving \$2,000) to help Caritas to organize aid for the victims of the catastrophic earthquake. Thank you once again for your generosity in supporting those in need.

In Christ,

Fr. Mark Jurzyk

From the Caritas website:

"Caritas Poland has already donated \$155,000 – of which \$30,000 has been allocated to the purchase of 1,200 mattresses, which have been transferred to 13 shelter and assistance points in Aleppo, Syria.

Caritas Poland supports partners on the spot, such as Caritas Syria and Hope Center in Syria, who distribute food or material supplies (blankets, mattresses) in churches and shelters.

Since 2016, more than 6,000 families in Aleppo have received monthly cash support. This allows them to meet their most pressing needs, such as buying medicines, clothes and food, or paying rent. So far, almost \$20 million has been transferred to those in need under the Family-to-Family program – not only in Syria, but also in Lebanon, Iraq and the Gaza Strip."



Marian Events May

Our Lady of Fatima Procession

On Saturday, May 13th, after the 5 pm Mass, Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, please join us for a Rosary Procession.

Honor our Lady who is a loving mother to all of us!



Let's "Chalk" to Mary, Mother of God!

Throughout the month of May, your whole family is encouraged to draw pictures or sayings on the sidewalk in front of the Marian Grotto to honor Our Blessed Mother Mary. Look for the bin outside near the Marian Grotto for the color chalk. Draw pretty flowers to Mary or write her how much you love her.



NEW MASS TIMES,
Sunday
8 am, 10 am
11:30 am (Polish)

(5 pm Vigil on Saturday - same)

Promote "Life" this Mother's Day and honor your loved one with roses!



Fresh red roses will be available after all masses the weekend of May 13-14 with proceeds to help purchase banners/ posters to promote the culture of life from womb to tomb. Donations accepted!

After Mass, please join us in offering a spiritual bouquet to

Our Blessed Mother. All are invited to the Marian Grotto (weather permitting, otherwise inside), where there are pens and paper for you to write down a prayer intention. You can then present your intention to Our Lady by placing it in the box. If you brought Our Blessed Mother a flower, you can offer it to her in thanksgiving for her maternal care by placing it in the vase.

As we celebrate the gift of mothers and honor Our Blessed Mother, we also recognize that Mother's Day can be a difficult holiday for many. We hope this spiritual bouquet provides an opportunity to pray for the intentions in your heart today.

Save the Date! The Feast of Corpus Christi Saturday & Sunday, June 10 & 11

All are invited to participate in our parish's namesake celebration during our Feast of Corpus Christi Weekend on June 10 and 11.

Saturday, June 10 8:00 am - Join us for morning Mass

8:45 am - 4K Run and 3.5K Walk at West Branch Forest

Preserve, followed by breakfast Register to run or walk*

Sunday, June 11 10:00 am - **Mass** (English and Polish)

11:00 am - Corpus Christi Procession (immediately after Mass)

12:15 pm – **Picnic and Taste of Corpus Christi** (in gardens)

*See the next page for the Run/Walk registration form.

Join the procession on Sunday. Show the community that we are proud and prayerful Catholics.

The picnic and Taste of Corpus Christi will be in the church gardens. Enjoy foods from the many nations that make up our parish. Do you have a favorite family recipe? Volunteer to share it at the Taste. For more information contact Joanne Talbot at jmt32@sbcglobal.net or sign-up to share your favorite dish at Taste of Corpus Christi (using Sign Up Genius). SignUpGenius

- All children who made their First Holy Communion this year or last year are especially invited to dress up in their dresses and suits and participate in the procession following the Mass. Please bring flower petals or pick up a basket of flower petals in the narthex.
- Parish ministries/groups who would like to decorate one of the altars of repose should contact Elizabeth Mazur at ccmission77@gmail.com or 630-483-4673, ext. 105.



4K Run/3.5K Walk



Corpus Christi 4K Run/3.5K Walk and Breakfast Saturday, June 10, 2023

Join us for a 4K run or a 3.5K walk and breakfast to commemorate our namesake celebration – the feast of Corpus Christi.

Mass: 8:00 am on June 10

Check-in: 8:45 am Start: 9:00 am

To register, please complete the form below and return it to the Parish Office. (Registration is preferred but walk-ins are welcome.)

We hope to see you at this fun event for the whole family!

Places contact Elizabeth Marry at comission 770 amail com for more information

Name (s)	
# of Adults	# of Children age 13 and under
# Running	# Walking
Email	Phone
Address	
less and defend Corpus	For myself, my heirs, assigns, executors, and personal representatives, to hold harm Christi Church and the Diocese of Joliet, its officers, directors, agents, employees any and all liability for illness or death arising from or in connection with my run/3.5Kwalk.

In the event that I should require medical treatment and I am not able to communicate my desires to attending physicians or other medical personnel, I give permission for the necessary emergency treatment to be administered. I understand that I or my insurance company will be responsible for any charges incurred.



Summer Calendar

June 11 Corpus Christi Sunday
June 19-23 Bible Truth Seekers
June 30 Registration deadline
July 17-21 Corpus Christian Camp

Summer is Coming!

It may not seem like it, but Summer is coming!
We will have two special events for children:



Bible Truth Seekers - June 19-23 -

9am-noon for children entering Grades 1-6. Children learn about salvation history while having fun. Children attend morning Mass each day. Registration will be in next week's bulletin and on our website: corpuschristicarolstream.org

Corpus Christian Camp – July 17-21 - 9am-noon. Children learn more about God while making crafts, playing games, singing songs, skits and more! Watch the bulletin and our website:

corpuschristicarolstream.org for further details.

Registration for 2023-24

Registration for the 2023-24
Religious Education year has begun. Please register early to secure a day/time. Forms are available in the RE office or on our website corpuschristicarolstream.org



Jacob - helped clean room

Alex - helped

Francesca - helped my Dad with

remodeling the bathroom

JR - helped my Dad with my brother



Confirmation



Sofia Lech Confirmation Coordinator

Congratulations!

Congratulations to our students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend!

Christian Andrychowski Anderson Campbell Anthony DelPreto Julian Gallardo **Emma Gilbert** Yessenia Gonzalez Roxana Gulik Gianna Jany **Benjamin Kallas** Joseph Kurby Iga Pabian **Victor Pietrzak Daniel Risa** John Seebauer **Keelie Steward Ewelina Swider** Morgan Talavera Aileena Zapata

Lillian Bell Lou Corona Nico Esposto **Emily Gee** Adriana Gonzalez Isla Grueder Monika Jankowska **Jared Jardis** Claudia Kulesza **Mateusz Lis Brett Papacek** Rvan Rieger **Meadow Robles** Olivia Smith **Damian Swider Pawel Swiderski** Jason Thunberg Oliva Zurko

Service Projects

The following service project is available for students in Confirmation I and II classes:

May projects are coming!

If you are interested in assisting with this project, please contact Sofia Lech at (630) 483-4222 or corpuschristiccym@gmail.com

Registration for Confirmation

Registration for the 2023-24 Confirmation year will begin on April 17th. Families may register for Religious Education and Confirmation classes on one form. Students will receive the form to take home.



Corpus Christi Council of Catholic Women (CCW) Corner

Congratulations to the newly elected incoming officers for the term September 1, 2023- August 31, 2025:

President- Debbie Hartigan Vice-President- Joanna Callahan Secretary- Louise Valentin Treasurer- Elaine Wierdak



Thank you to the outgoing officers who worked hard to make sure CCW gets back to its feet after the parishes were closed because of COVID. President: **Letty Dino**, Vice-President-**Sara Glas**; Secretary: **Patricia Srain**, Treasurer: **Josie Caravello**

Letty joined CCW in 2013, and served successively as secretary to former president Karen Mahrenholzs, and vice-president to former president Lynn Bierman.

She assumed the office of the presidency, from 2018 to end in 2020.

Then in 2019, all CCW activities ended because of the COVID epidemic.

When the parish officially reopened, the task of reorganizing and restoring its membership was the primary reason why Letty accepted to continue another term. Sara Glas, then a new parishioner, happily took the job of Vice-President. Patricia Srain continued to be the secretary and served 2 terms. The then treasurer, Shirley Rickett moved to Florida. Josie Caravello took over but left, before completing her second term. Elaine Wierdak graciously accepted to serve the remaining months of office as an interim. She also agreed to continue as treasurer for another 2 years.

Thanks to the newly elected officers, and with the guidance of our Mother of Good Counsel, CCW will now be able to continue to be a ministry of Corpus Christi.

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St. Cecilia's Children's Choir



Our next Family Mass will be May 14. If you'd like more information about your child (2nd Graders and up) joining our St. Cecilia's Children's Choir, please contact our Music Director, Agata Olszakowska at 630.483.4673 ext. 107 or ccmusicnote@gmail.com and check out our Music Ministry website page at https://corpuschristicarolstream.org/music-ministry/

Attention All High School and College Graduates!

All high school and college graduates are invited to attend the 10am Mass on Sunday, June 4, which will include a special blessing.

We want to Celebrate your accomplishments and give you a special blessing for your new endeavors!

SCAN HERE TO MAKE YOUR OFFERTORY GIFT



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Finance Update for the Month of April

Sunday Offertories	\$26,216.65
(Including Electronic)	
Building Fund	\$1,036
Flowers	\$903
Communion	\$1,441
EASTER totals to date:	
Easter	\$40,513.54
Holy Thursday	\$1,463.50
Good Friday	\$1,798.50

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!



KNIGHTS KORNER

Corpus Christi Council 10958 – Serving Corpus Christi and St Luke Catholic Church





Another successful Feed My Starving Children outing on May 6th! What a great turnout for our allotted spots!



NEXT BLOOD DRIVE



VERSITI BLOOD CENTER OF ILLINOIS

Mark your calendar now for the next Blood Drive – Sunday June 25th from 8am – 12-pm

Sign-ups will formally start in Mid-May, but mark your calendar now so you can plan your donations accordingly. We already have 5 people signed up who donated this past weekend.



The Knights of Columbus will be selling Flags after all Masses May 20-21. Drop off your old flags too. Proceeds help the Knights support Veterans related organizations in and around the community. See following page for details.

Interested in learning more about the Knights of Columbus?

Please contact a Knight you might know OR Grand Knight, Mark Jatczak at kofcmark@gmail.com / 630-263-8377 or Membership Director Kevin Callahan 630-235-6456. You can also visit: www.kofc.org and research the Knights of Columbus further to learn about the various benefits of membership available that can help protect you and your family.



POP TOPS FOR

Ronald McDonald House NEW LOCATION for the collection bin:

In the hallway by the Office entrance





Knights of Columbus

American Flag Fundraiser Program

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Flags after all Masses May 20-21.

- 3' x 5' Nylon Flag with embroidered stars and sewn stripes with 2 eye hooks Cost = \$35/each
- 3' x 5' Nylon Flag with pole hem (Slips on pole) Cost = \$50/each

Larger Flags (Limited Availability):

Larger flags are made from Poly-Extra two-ply polyester fabric with embroidered stars and sewn stripes. These flags are specifically made for all day outdoor exposure with all climates.

4' x 6' Cost = \$60/each

5' x 8' Cost = \$100/each

Treat the America Flag with respect.

Is your current flag torn, or damaged beyond repair?

Bring us your old flag. Let us properly retire your old flag with respect and dignity.





Learning about Mary's Titles with the Legion of Mary



May 13 is the anniversary of the apparition of Our Lady to three shepherd children in the small village of Fatima in Portugal in 1917. She appeared six times to Lucia, 9, and her cousins Francisco, 8, and his sister Jacinta, 6, between May 13, 1917, and October 13, 1917.

The messages Our Lady imparted during the apparitions to the children concerned the violent trials that would afflict the world by means of war, starvation, and the persecution of the Church and the Holy Father in the twentieth century if the world did not make reparation for sins. She exhorted the Church to pray and offer sacrifices to God in order that peace may come upon the world, and that the trials may be averted.

What is the central meaning of the message of Fatima? Nothing different from what the Church has always taught: it is, as Cardinal Ratzinger, now Pope Benedict the XVI, has put it, "the exhortation to prayer as the path of "salvation for souls" and, likewise, the summons to penance and conversion."

If you would like to know more about the Legion of Mary and what we do, email <u>allensec1@yahoo.com</u>



We invite you to become a registered parishioner of Corpus Christi, or to submit/update your contact information (for important church updates).

Corpus Christi Parish Registration Form Or register on the parish website at https://corpuschristicarolstream.org/im-new

Date Registering	Envelope # (Parich O	ffice use only)		
Family Last Name				
Address				
Name of Male Head of Household				
Primary Phone				
Primary Email				
Religion:Roman CatholicOthe	r:			
Name of <u>Female</u> Head of Household				
Primary Phone				
Primary Email				
Religion:Roman CatholicOther				
Marital Status:MarriedSingle	Widowed	_DivorcedSeparated		
What Mass do you regularly attend? □5pm Sat □8:30am Sun □11am Sun □12:30pm Sun.				
Name(s) of Child(ren) and Age(s) (<i>living at l</i>	<i>home</i>):			
First Child	_ Second Child			
Third Child	_ Fourth Child			
Fifth Child	Sixth Child	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Other information:				
	- Or -			
SUBMIT/UPDATE your EMAIL (Or email this information to the Paris				
First and Last Name				
Home Address				
Email Address				
Mobile/cell phone #				

South Ministry Team of everylege



We are searching for individuals devout in their Catholic faith who feel called to educate, empower, and evangelize the students in the Corpus Christi Youth Ministry program!

1. Drivers/Chaperones

Drivers will transport students to/from off-campus events.

2. Retreat Team

Passionate individuals to assist in all aspects of a successful retreat.

3. Young Adult/Adult Leaders***

Leaders that will attend youth ministry meetings some/every Sunday to assist with curriculum, games/activities, and engagement with students.

(See the parish website for more in depth information about each position)

To volunteer, please contact Sofia, Director of Youth Ministry, by email at (<u>corpuschristiccym@gmail.com</u>) or by calling the parish office at (630-483-4673).

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Chief Stewards 2023

Commission	Chief Steward	Phone	Email
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Parish Pastoral Commission

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Sara Glas	Anna Pechous
Andrew Jalove	Joanne Talbot
Peter Jankowski	Laura Wiley**

Mark Jatczak **Commission Co-Coordinators