

Corpus Christi Catholic Church

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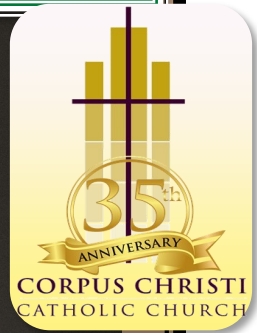
January 26, 2025 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME.

LUKE 4:18



Mass Intentions

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

Saturday, January 25 Conversion of St. Paul

5:00 p.m. ✠ Pilar Dadvias by Lourdes Abeleda
SI Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Malo, wedding blessings

Sunday, January 26 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. ✠ Vickie Davorec
SI Zachary Crockett by Crockett Family
SI Corpus Christi Parishioners

10:00a.m. ✠ Godofredo F. Angara, Jr.
✠ Godofredo J. Angara, Sr.
✠ Paul Rotella by the Molinaro Family
✠ Michael Denisford

11:30a.m. ✠ Marianna Jurzyk
Mass in Polish ✠ Stanislaw & Zdzislaw Olszakowski

Monday, January 27 St. Angela Merici

9:00 a.m. SI Father Mark Jurzyk by the Hartigan Family

Tuesday, January 28 St. Thomas Aquinas

9:00 a.m. SI Jane Schubert by the Crockett Family

Wednesday, January 29 3rd Week in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. SI Jane Evans, healing

Thursday, January 30 3rd Week in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. ✠ Bill and Dorothy Valunas

Friday, January 31 St. John Bosco

9:00 a.m. ✠ Luciano Canlas, anniversary of death

Saturday, February 1 First Saturday

9:00 a.m. SI Shannon and Jaxon Aguayo

5:00 p.m. ✠ Francisco Erdencia by Leah Hernandez
✠ Margaret Sweeney by the Molinaro Family
✠ Paul Bennett by the Yting Family

Sunday, February 2 Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

8:00 a.m. ✠ Father James E. Flynn by Letty Dino
SI Matthew Crockett by the Crockett Family
SI For All Parishioners of Corpus Christi

10:00a.m. ✠ Rosemary Alvino by the Dominic Alvino Family
✠ Paul Rotella by Mrs. Dedic's Class

11:30a.m. ✠ Holy Souls in Purgatory
Mass in Polish

Shannon & Jaxon A.	Dr. Dan Haraf	Sue Patterson
Joe Ernest Alonto	Samantha Harvey	Lucy Pope
Adnan Alonto	Louise Harrison	Kathy Reich
Javier-Maria	Daniel Hartzell	Mary Dee Reitz
Joseph Annunzio	Donna Hawko	Sarah Ridgeway
Melanie B.	Debbie Henke	Anthony Rondinella
Pat Baker	Fr. Bob Hoffenkamp	AJ (Austin) Rose
Asuncion Baldwin	Linda Hoffman	Melissa and Joe
Brian Bennett	Asha J.	Reynolds
Geri Tillman Bentel	Pamela Jacobs	Dolores Salerno
Jason Birms	Patricia Johnson	Martin Salerno
Nelly Bonugli	Geoffrey Johnson	Donna Sanchez
Cathy Brill	Shawn Jurgensen	Christine Scardina
William Boyle	Logan King	Russell Schauer
Brittany Brinkman	John Kinsella	Mary Beth Shepardson
Bud Brown	Maria Klisz	Antonio Sievert
Theresa Bull	Ann Krueger	Alberto Sievert
Camille Burns	Westin LaFever	Evelyn Simonetta
Dave Calderone	Jackie Lower	Nicki Simonetta
Jack Cieslak	Patricia Lucchesi	Jeffrey Skrobott
Terry Cook	Paul Lutz	Steve & Barbara Smith
Alan Demascus	Keegan Manz	Mark Smith
Tessa Dante	Enrique Martinez	Lorraine Standiford
Karen Deering	Maria	Arzy Staten
Tom Donnell	Darnell Matesi	Kathy Staten
Denise Ealy	Kevin McKinney	Marie Storino
Joe Fenton	Larry Miller	Arlene Strawn
Stephanie Sliwa	Josephine Miller	Tatiana Tarazona
Freiwald	Jean Mondrala	Lorenzo Tamburello
Betty Funer	Mark Muzer	Dominic Teapthong
Carol Gatti	Tim Myscofski	Baby Kyle Templin
Mike Gebhardt	Elida Navarro	Deacon Bill Thomas
Chris Gries	Michael Novak	Julie Tkaczuk
Clarence Groves	John Numrich	Mike Tkaczuk
Rose Gulhan	Bill Ohlhaber	Juanita Torronio
Rocella Hampton	Thomas O'Neil	Valentine Family
Richard Hanrahan	Dominic Pascucci	Rita Whitney
	Carol Pasker	

In Loving Remembrance

Jolene Melles, Elena Rojas, Rose Marie Lambert, Michael Densford, Paul Rotella John Kinsella

May they Rest in Peace

ROSARY FOR LIFE

Come pray the Pro-Life Rosary at Corpus Christi on Tuesday mornings in the church after the 9 am Mass.



Readings for the Week of January 26, 2025

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11/Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 4:1-20
Thursday: Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Mk 4:21-25
Friday: Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40/Mk 4:26-34
Saturday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Mk 4:35-41
Next Sunday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

The 2025 Mass book is available. Please call the office 630-483-4673 or email at corpuschristicc@sbcglobal.net with your intention.

Jubilee Year of Hope 2025

Bishop Ronald A. Hicks has designated Corpus Christi Catholic Church to be a place of pilgrimage.

Beginning Sunday, February 2 and every Sunday from 3 to 4 pm, there will be a Holy Hour with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

Confession will be available from 3 to 3:30 pm.

Beginning Thursday, February 6 and every Thursday, Mass will be celebrated at 6 pm. Confession and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will precede the Mass at 5:30 pm.

There will be no 9 am Mass on Thursdays.

Candlemas

Next weekend, as we celebrate the Presentation of the Lord, we will offer a blessing of candles at all weekend Masses. **Bring your own candle or buy a Jubilee Year Candle in the narthex before all Masses for \$10. Proceeds from the sale of the Jubilee Year candles will go to the Holy Family Church in the Gaza Strip (the only Catholic church in Gaza, Palestine).**

The Presentation of the Lord is a proclamation of Christ as Messiah and Priest, Lord and Savior. Jesus is the light who came into this world to dispel sin and darkness. For this reason, traditionally at least since the seventh century, candles have been blessed at Mass this day that will be used throughout the year. (Hence, the Mass for the Presentation of the Lord has traditionally been called "Candlemas.")



Feast of St. Blaise and Blessings of Throats Next Weekend



St. Blaise was a physician before he became a priest and then a bishop, and he was martyred in the fourth century. He once miraculously cured a boy on the verge of death with a bone stuck in his throat. Candles are crossed in a special candelabrum used to bless throats. The blessing of the throats is a sacramental of the Roman Catholic Church, celebrated on February 3, the feast day of Saint Blaise asking for his aid in delivering the faithful from throat ailments and other evils.

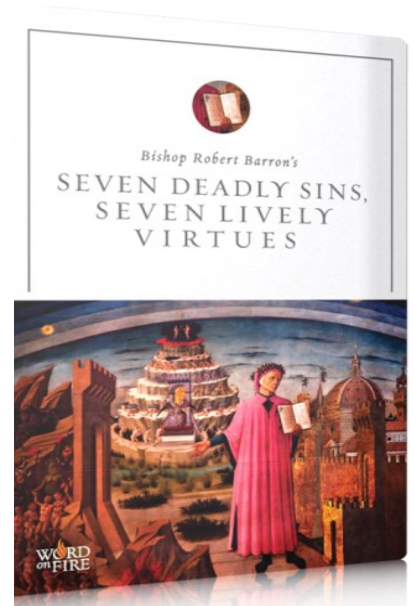
There will be a general blessing of throats at all Masses February 1-2 in observance of the feast of St. Blaise.

Corpus Christi Church Presents:

Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues

8-Week Bible Study Program

By Bishop Robert Barron



Bishop Robert Barron presents on the seven deadly sins, those great spiritual blocks that inhibit our flourishing in relationship with God and one another. Based on Dante's writings, the seven deadly sins correspond to the seven stories of Dante's Mt. Purgatory. Pride, envy, anger, sloth, gluttony, avarice and lust are all presented as patterns of dysfunction within us that lead to unhappiness.

Bishop Barron shows us how to counteract these seven sinful patterns through a conscious process of opposition, known as the "seven lively virtues." These offer antidotes to each sin and help set us on the right path to healing and happiness.

Starting February 19, 21 or 22, 2025

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Days/Times: (please check ONE session)

Wednesday (9:45 am - 11:15 am, begins Feb. 19)

Friday (7:30 pm - 9 pm, begins Feb. 21)

Saturday (9 am - 10:30 am, begins Feb. 22)

Location: St. Francis Room; Questions: Elizabeth Mazur, cmission77@gmail.com or 630-483-4673, ext. 105.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Number of study guides needed: _____ Cost of Material: \$20 (includes study guide)

(Please note: this study does not offer online access to the presentations.)

Checks to: Corpus Christi Catholic Church, 1415 W. Lies Road, Carol Stream, IL 60188

JUBILEE YEAR 2025 JANUARY CELEBRATIONS



Throughout this year, our Holy Father will be remembering in prayer, and with special activities in Rome, various groups of peoples. We have been asked to do the same. On January 24-26, the World of Communications will be remembered. How have the activities of Communications assisted all people in becoming “neighbors” to each other? How have we used Communication tools and techniques to better our life and the life of all peoples? Do you know someone who works in the World of Communications? If so, this would be a good time to thank them for their service to others.

[Jubilee 2025 | USCCB](#)

St. Cecilia's Children's Choir & Family Mass January 26, 10 am



Your 2nd Grader and up is most welcome to join our St. Cecilia's Children's Choir. This choir sings at our 10 am Family Mass once a month during the school year. Please contact our Music Director Agata Olszakowska

ccmusicnote@gmail.com or 630-483-4673 x 107 or check out our Music Ministry website page at <https://corpuschristicarolstream.org/music-ministry/>

Join the **Diocese of Joliet** for the

ILLINOIS MARCH

Tuesday, March 25, 2025 Springfield, IL

Buses will be departing from 2 locations at 6:30am, returning by approximately 6pm:

Blanchette Catholic Center

16555 Weber Rd.
Crest Hill, IL 60403

Corpus Christi Parish

1415 W. Lies Rd.
Carol Stream, IL 60188

Register for either bus for just \$25 per person.



<https://catechesis.diojoliet.org/ministries-of->

Day includes:

- Mass celebrated by the Bishops of Illinois
- Pro-life March around the state capital
- Dynamic speakers

Buses are only for individuals ages 18 and up. For families wishing to drive themselves, a limited amount of gas gift cards are available. Email sdidomizio@dioceseofjoliet.org.



Religious Education News



Calendar

- 1/26 9am - Mandatory Confirmation Parent Meeting
- 2/9 9am – Mandatory Communion Parent Meeting

Next Parent Meeting

Please mark your calendars for our next mandatory parent meeting. All parents of students in Genesis I, Genesis II, Grade 1, and Grade 2 classes should plan to attend.
February 9th at 9am

First Communion Retreat

All Genesis II and Grade 2 students and (at least) one parent must attend the First Communion Retreat. Please mark your calendars for:
March 23, 2025
11am
Marian Hall

Good Deeds

- Junior** - cleaned up after opening presents
- Emmy** - got ready for Santa and cleaned the house
- Jimmy** - helped Dad cook dinner
- Isabella** - helped



Confirmation



Sofia Lech
Confirmation Coordinator

Confirmation Retreats

All students in Confirmation preparation classes are required to attend a retreat.

The Confirmation I Retreat will be held:
Saturday, February 22nd from 10am-6pm

The Confirmation II Retreat will be held:
Saturday, March 1st from 10am-6pm

Service Projects

Students are required to complete ten (10) hours of service each year.

Service Opportunities:

- **Attend Youth Ministry meetings on Sundays at 6pm**
- **Host Greet at Mass or read at the Family Mass**
- **Assist with YM Stations of the Cross**

Contact corpuschristiccym@gmail.com to sign up or request further information.

Confirmation II Requirements

March 1st is coming quickly!

Please be sure that your child is working on his/her requirements:
Letter to Fr. Mark, Sponsor report,
Sponsor verification form and Saint report.



Our Lady is calling... for prayer, penance and sacrifice



The 3rd Monday of each month, the Holy Souls Prayer Group, a World Apostolate of Fatima cell (fka Fatima Prayer Group) meets at Corpus Christi at 7:30 pm

We invite you to join us on a journey of prayers and study concerning the messages of Fatima.

- Learn & discuss the Fatima messages from 1917 to discover how they pertain to us today
- Discover & discuss how Fatima not only conforms with the Bible teachings, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and the teachings of the saints, but also provides a solid pathway that leads to Christ and the plan of salvation

How is God, and Mary, calling you to participate in His story?

Meetings begin promptly at 7:30 pm with the Rosary followed by study & discussion until 9 pm. Please bring your Rosary and your Catechism if you have them. Open to all adults that want to impact our world. If you have questions, call Diane at 630-200-0745.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society



If you are in need of help, please call our confidential hotline number: 331-229-9069.

We welcome new members!



There will be a Feed My Starving Children outing on Saturday, February 15th. We will be volunteering from 9AM to 10:45AM at 555 Exchange Court, Aurora. Packing meals at FMSC is a very rewarding experience and it is great for families to do together. Please submit your name by February 4th if interested. Sign up in the narthex or email Brian Smith at smith.brian194@gmail.com.

Join in the fun!

BE FORMED

A 90 DAY DISCIPLESHIP EXPERIENCE
FOR MEN AND WOMEN

EXPERIENCE PRAYER,
SCRIPTURE,
THE SACRAMENTS,
COMMUNITY,
AND THE TEACHINGS & TRADITIONS OF
THE CATHOLIC CHURCH



SEASON 10 - THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
February 10th - May 10th, 2025

Register online December 20th
through January 12th, 2025

Late registrations run
through February 2nd, 2025





KNIGHTS KORNER



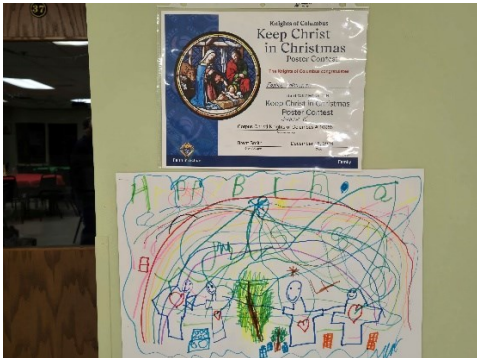
Corpus Christi Council #10958 – Serving Corpus Christi and St. Luke parishes in Carol Stream

POSTER CONTEST WINNERS!

Once again, we have seen the tremendous talent and creativity of our children in the Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest entries. This year's winners at the Council level were:

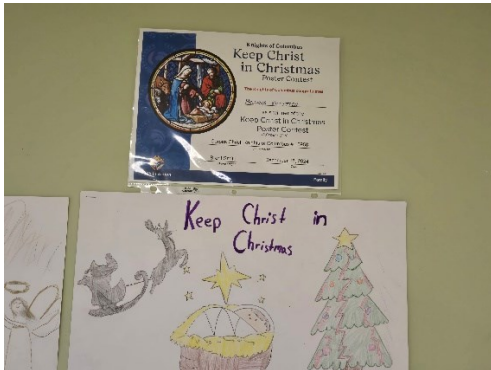
Grade K: Frank Capoccia

Grade 1-2: Isabella Cygan



Grade 3-4: Brianna Brittich

Grade 5-6: Jenna Brittich



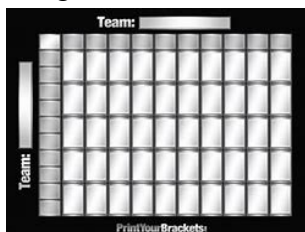
These winning posters now move on to the State Judging level! Good luck to you four and THANK YOU for all the awesome entries this year! Looking forward to next year!

ANNUAL VOCATIONS SUPPORT – Recap and Winners

Thank you to all those that supported the Annual Vocations Support Raffle and purchased tickets from our Council. This is a statewide fundraiser, with proceeds supporting the seminarians. Winners of the Raffle are posted on the State Council website and can be found with this website link address: www.illinoisknights.org/charity/vocations

Superbowl Squares

Squares sales starts January 11. See the Knights in the Narthex



Annual Basket Raffle

Proceeds this year will go towards Parish banners. Please consider donating a basket to help.





CCW 
Council of Catholic Women

Corpus Christi Council of Catholic Women (CCW) Corner

What a productive meeting... It was great to see everyone and those unable to attend the meeting, you were missed. We received the wonderful news that for the Jubilee Year Corpus Christi was chosen to be the West DuPage Deanery's Pilgrim Church. With this in mind we will have our meetings February-December of 2025 at 7 PM to accommodate the 6 PM Mass that will be added. We will be working on a few things for February and March, so check the bulletin for updates...

Upcoming CCW Events

Thursday, February 6th - CCW Meeting in Marian Hall at 7:00 PM

LOVED ONES FOR WHOM CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS WERE MADE:

Joseph and Gloria La Berg

John Talbot

Celestia Zerfahs

William T. Hepperle

Father William Welsh

Angela and Adam Domaracki

Anna & Frank Izban, Sr.

Frank & Gerrie Izban

Rick Ferdinand

Jacob & Virginia Glick

Deceased Members of the Jennings

Family

Bart Moccia

Tom Warick

Grace Stasi

Leroy & Violet O'Neil

Paul & Betty Deening

Rose Marie, Joe, & Tim Lambert

Lee & Jim Ginski

Elizabeth Marecek

Nancy Houdek

Carl & Cecilia Roth

Bob Osbourne

Paula Fatte

Waclaw & Karol Rusewicz

Jan & Marianna Manczuk

Teresa Swirydziuk

Donald & Lois Parro

Antoinette & Theodore Dedic

Alicia Nehrkorn

Maria Luisa Diaz

Linda Gillard

Jim Murray

Jerry Wawrzyniak

John & Carol Pietrusiak

John & Genevieve Bierman

Kathleen Lizama

Shirley Rickert

Bud Yelk

Hartigan Family

Guili Family

LaGattuta Family

Meneghini Family

Our Lady of Fatima wishes to visit your Home

Last year, 2024, 64 families of our parish welcomed Our Lady of Fatima into their homes. How awesome to hear each of the family testify to the spiritual peace, love and loving comfort that they felt as they prayed the Rosary each night for a week.

So again, the Legion of Mary invites you, especially those with young children, empty nesters, single parents, to spend a week with Mary in your home. Experience her presence. Our Mother wishes to be a part of your prayer life and to bring you closer to her Son, Jesus.

We will provide the prayer packet you will need.

Please email the Parish Office at corpuschristicc@sbcglobal.net or leave a message 630-483-1673 to schedule a date. You can also contact Letty Dino at ldino518@gmail.com
Our Lady is waiting for you!

Here are the latest comments from our host families:



Szklanny Family

"There is a comforting peace in the house when Mary visits. We ask for help to pray for my children."

"We love having Mary in our house. We think she likes it here because she looks pleased when we sit and pray with her. Thank you Mary and to the women who bring her to us."

"We have such peace and love when the Blessed Mother is in our home. Thank you Mother, for continuing to bless us."



Myrna and Jun Austria Family

"Our Lady often speaks of peace in her messages and her presence in our home brought us peace, comfort and calm which I truly appreciated and experienced. Please pray for the efforts of all heavenly prophets, messengers, mystics and ministers of the truth. May the Holy Spirit inspire us all to recognize His message."

"Once again, as always, Mother Mary brought peace and comfort to me."



Do you want to know more about the works of the *Legion of Mary*? **It is an association of lay Catholics through Corpus Christi Pastor Father Mark Jurzyk, and under the powerful leadership of Mary Immaculate, Mediatrix of all Graces, who is fair as the moon, bright as the sun, terrible as an army set in battle array,** formed themselves into service in the spiritual warfare against the world and its evil powers to bring everyone to her beloved Son, Jesus. **We meet every Wednesday at 7 pm in Marian Hall.**

Contact Letty at ldino518@gmail.com for more information or leave your number at the Parish Office so we can contact you.

Send in Your Photos for Our Parish's 35th Anniversary!



CORPUS CHRISTI
CATHOLIC CHURCH

We kicked off our 35th anniversary celebration with our parish picnic on September 15th and requested your photos. We are still looking for pictures of memorable moments at Corpus Christi – Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Wedding, Mission Trips, or any other special events or activities. Any pictures from the 1990s and 2000s will be especially appreciated. We will use them for a collage of our beloved parish to display in the narthex throughout the next year. Help us celebrate 35 years of sharing the Good News of the Gospel with faith and love. Please submit pictures digitally or via snail mail to the Parish Office at corpuschristicc@sbcglobal.net or Corpus Christi Catholic Church, Attn: 35th Anniversary, 1415 W. Lies Road, Carol Stream, IL 60188.



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://corpuschristic Carolstream.org/im-new>

Date Registering _____ Envelope # (*Parish Office use only*) _____

Family Last Name _____

Address _____ **City** _____ **Zip** _____

Name of Male Head of Household _____

Primary Phone _____

Primary Email _____

Religion: Roman Catholic Other: _____

Name of Female Head of Household _____

Primary Phone _____

Primary Email _____

Religion: Roman Catholic Other: _____

Marital Status: Married Single Widowed Divorced Separated

What Mass do you regularly attend? 5pm Sat 8:30am Sun 11am Sun 12:30pm Sun.

Name(s) of Child(ren) and Age(s) (*living at home*):

First Child _____ Second Child _____

Third Child _____ Fourth Child _____

Fifth Child _____ Sixth Child _____

Other information:

- Or -

SUBMIT/UPDATE your EMAIL and/or MOBILE PHONE NUMBER

(Or email this information to the Parish Office at corpuschristicc@sbcglobal.net)

First and Last Name _____

Home Address _____

Email Address _____

Mobile/cell phone # _____

Pastor

Rev. Mark Jurzyk

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Chief Stewards 2024

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Parish Pastoral Commission

John Achacoso	Debbie Molinaro**
Sara Glas	Anna Pechous
Andrew Jalove	Joanne Talbot
Mark Jateczak	Laura Wiley**

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