

Corpus Christi Parish



“As members of the Body of Christ, Corpus Christi Parish celebrates the presence of God in all people through our thoughts, words and deeds. We answer Christ’s call as a community of believers to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and love one another.”

September 29, 2024
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Immaculate Conception Church
Holy Redeemer Church
St. Anthony Church

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:00PM St. Anthony

5:30PM Immaculate Conception

Sunday

7:30AM St. Anthony

9:00AM Holy Redeemer

10:30AM Immaculate Conception

Confession

Saturday

3:00PM to 3:30PM

St. Anthony Church

Daily Mass Schedule

Mon 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

12:10PM St. Anthony

Tues 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

Wed 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

12:10PM St. Anthony

Thurs 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

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Fri 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

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Watch Sunday & Daily Mass at

www.corpuschristinepa.com

Weekly Collection

September 22, 2024

Weekly.....\$13,169.27

E-Giving.....\$3,792.00

Total \$16,961.27

Thank you everyone, for your generous support of our parish.

Religious Education Classes

Classes for Grades K through 5 are held on Sunday mornings from 9:00AM to 10:10AM and classes for Grades 6, 7, and 8 are held on Sunday afternoons from 5:00PM to 6:00PM.

Bereavement Group

Our Bereavement Group will meet next Wednesday, October 2, 2024, at 6:00PM in Immaculate Conception Rectory. For more information or to register, please contact Rita Wall 570 388 6967. All are welcome!

Memorial Mass for Pat & Don Jacobs

This Mass for Patricia A. & Donald M. Jacobs will be held on **Saturday, October 5th at 10:00AM in Immaculate Conception Church.** Pat loved this parish and asked for this Mass to be held the month of their wedding anniversary. Their children and their families will be in attendance and would love to meet her friends and people who made this church a home. Immediately following the Mass, all are invited to join Pat and Don’s children and families in the church hall for a luncheon. Please mark your calendars. . .

Youth Choir

All boys and girls are welcome to join our parish Youth Choir. They will begin rehearsals next **Sunday, October 6th at 6:00PM in Immaculate Conception Church.** Our Youth Choir will sing at our Halloween Family Mass on Sunday, October 27th, at 10:30AM.

Knights of Columbus Coat Drive

Beginning next weekend, September 28/29, The Knights of Columbus Council 18046 is conducting a coat drive in our parish. For your convenience, there will be boxes in the vestibules of the churches. They are asking for new or gently used coats in all sizes from infant and children through teen and adult. Your donations will be greatly appreciated.



Parish “Twilight Bingo”
Saturday, October 12, 2024
7:00PM

Immaculate Conception Church Hall

All are welcome to join us for a fun evening of bingo-with all cash prizes. Children under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. All attendees, children and adults, must have a ticket to enter. ***NO ALCOHOL IS PERMITTED AT THIS EVENT.*** Ticket order forms have been mailed to all parishioners. Additional order forms can be found in the vestibules of the churches. Just send in the order form with payment via the weekend collection or by mail and the tickets will be mailed to you.

Corpus Christi “No Bazaar” Collection

This week our “No Bazaar” collection envelopes brought in **\$70.00** bringing our current total to **\$41,750.00.** Thank you for your generosity. Please know if you use **E** giving, you have the option to make your donation on line.

Diocesan Annual Appeal 2024

Corpus Christi Parish Goal: \$76,066.00
 Total Received: \$7,747.00
 Over/(Under): (\$68,319.00)



Trunk or Treat

Save the date!!! October 26th from 3:30PM-5:30PM at Howell Lussi Funeral Home, 509 Wyoming Avenue, West Pittston. *Anyone who is interested in participating by entering a car, please call 570 654 3741.* Thank you!

WACtoberfest at Susquehanna Brewing Co.

Raise a glass while raising money for WAC at the inaugural WACtoberfest on Sunday, October 6th at Susquehanna Brewing Co. from 2:00PM-5:00PM. Presented by WAC PTG & Booster Club, this private 21 and older event is exclusive to WAC families, friends and alumni. Tickets are \$25 in advance or \$30 at the door. Purchased ticket includes 2 drink tickets and 1 raffle prize ticket. We will have 50/.50 tickets and a basket raffle. Live entertainment courtesy of Jeanne Zano & Gary Flanagan. J&A Farms food truck will be onsite.



Fall Theology Series

A Fall Theology Series will be held in the Sacred Heart of Jesus School of Religion, 219 Lackawanna Ave., Dupont, for adult learners on Wednesdays Oct. 23, 30 and Nov. 6 from 6 - 7 p.m. Bill Jones will conduct the classes. Proposed classes: Oct. 23, "Mary is: the Mother of God; Our Lady; and much, much more." Oct. 30, "The Koran and Its References to Jesus, Mary and Christians." Nov. 6, "Modernism: The Unknown Threat." The presentation will expand on its influence upon the Church and society, and our relationship with God. All are invited to attend this free series.

Steph's Fall 5K

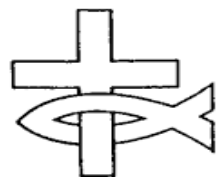
Stephanie Godri-Johnston, an avid cross country runner, passed away from Colon Cancer in May 2012 at 32 years of age. Steph's Fall 5K was created as a way for her children, family and friends to honor and keep her memory alive. Proceeds from the race help fund the Stephanie Godri-Johnston Memorial Scholarship and provide screening assistance related to the second leading cause of cancer deaths in the US-Colon Cancer. To date, the event has awarded \$51,000 in scholarships and an additional \$43,000 in colon cancer screening financial assistance.



Not interested in a shirt, but would like to donate? Please click on the following link and thank you in advance for your generosity!

<https://stephsfall5k.redpodium.com/stephs-fall-5k-donations-t-shirts-affle>

Liturgy Intentions For The Week



September 30 through October 6, 2024

- Mon 7:30AM (ICC) John D. Cenera, Jr.**
By Robert & Charlotte Pace
- 8:30AM (HRC) Michael J. Fino**
By Bob & Mary Jon Wierbowski
- 12:10PM (SAC) Richard Trotta**
By M/M Raymond Wasko
- Tues 7:30AM (ICC) Edward Bernard**
By Bob & Celeste Calpin
- 8:30AM (HRC) Betty Hughes**
By Fonzoni Family
- Wed 7:30AM (ICC) George Morgan, Sr.**
By George & Stephanie Morgan
- 8:30AM (HRC) Samuel Chairge**
By M/M Gerald Stofko
- 12:10PM (SAC) Stacie Ann Powers**
By Mary Clare Hetro & Family
- Thurs 7:30AM (ICC) "Beno" Borzell**
By Mom, Dad, Julianna & Sam
- 8:30AM (HRC) Marion Franko**
By Romaine Panek
- Fri 7:30AM (ICC) Charles Montante**
By Brothers & Families
- 8:30AM (HRC) Joseph Kuhar**
By Paul & Lorraine Pugliese
- 12:10PM (SAC) Antoinette Manganiello**
By Linda & Lenny Blandina
- Sat 4:00PM (SAC) Richard Olechna**
By Mary Ann & Andy Chotka
- 5:30PM (ICC) Shirley Guarneri**
By Jim & Mary Claire Kelly & Family
- Sun 7:30AM (SAC) Rev. Michael Finn**
By Nick & Geri Anzelmi
- 9:00AM (HRC) Janice Poceschi**
By Husband, Children & Grandchildren
- 10:30AM (ICC) Robert & Doris Caruthers**
By Children & Grandchildren

Candles

The following candles will burn this week in loving memory of the following:

- Altar Candles at ICC**
- Rae Ann Casterline**By Jane Slaff
- Holy Family Candle at ICC**
- Dec' Membs of Brown, Bishop, Serafin & Pasternak Families**.....By John & Maryellen Serafin
- Sanctuary Candle at ICC**
- "Beno" Borzell**.....By Mom, Dad,Julianna & Sam