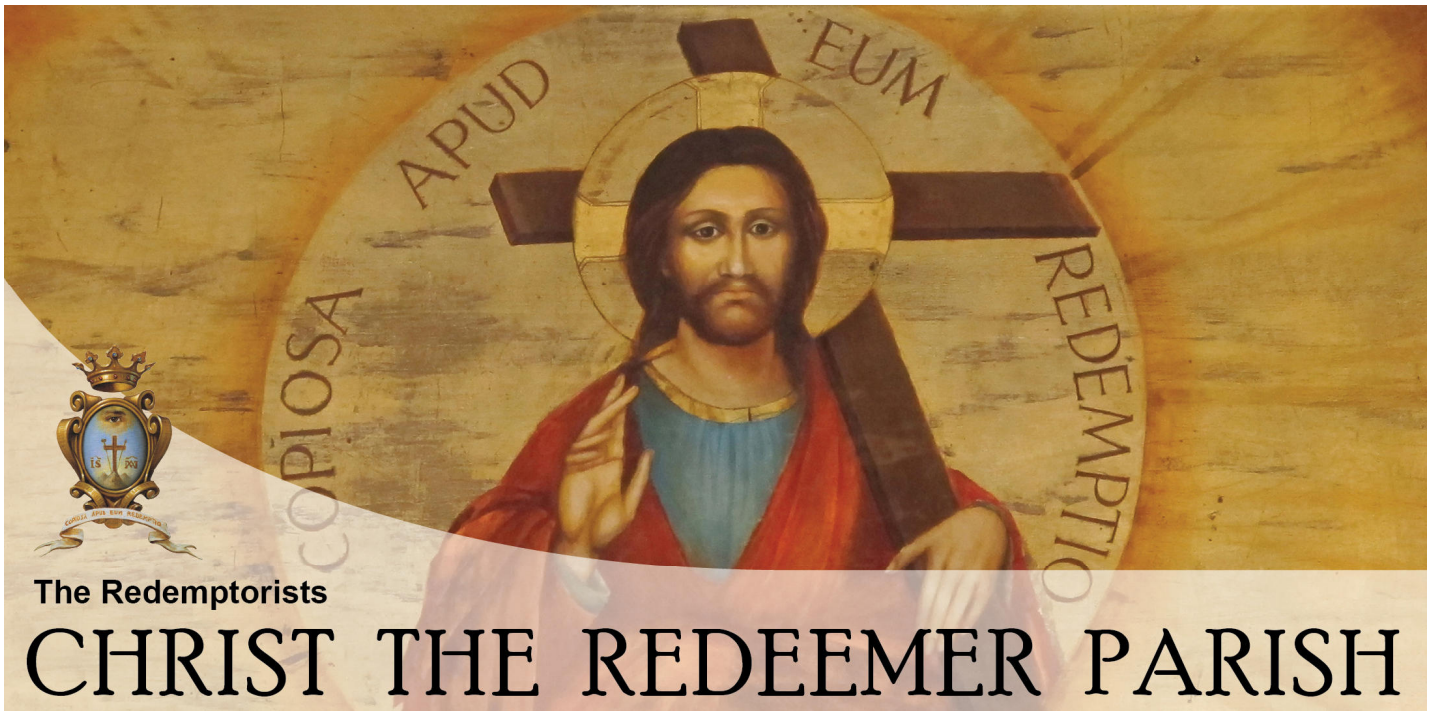


June 2, 2024

Corpus Christi



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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many. Amen, I say to you, I shall not drink again the fruit of the vine until the day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God." - Mk 14:23-25

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sacred Heart Worship Site
SATURDAY 7:30 - 8:00 AM & 4:00 - 4:45 PM

CONFESSION *(English &*

Polish) WEDNESDAY &

FRIDAY

6:30 - 7:00 PM

SATURDAY

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

4:00 - 4:50 PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Thursday 10:00AM to 3:00PM.

Office closed on Fridays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, June 3 (Poniedziałek)

Charles Lwanga & Companions

8:00AM †Wladyslawa & Stanislaw Sienicki r/o daughter & family

11:00AM †Piotr Kleszcz r/o Louise & Antoni Niecikowski

11:30AM Sacred Heart Devotions in English

Tuesday, June 4 (Wtorek)

8:00AM †Marianna & Janusz Wyporek r/o Anna Kleszcz

11:00AM †Ted Straszewski & Family r/o family

11:30AM OLPH Novena in English

Wednesday, June 5 (Środa) - Boniface

11:00AM †Anna & Janos Tardy r/o Tardy Family

11:30AM Exposition and Rosary

6:40PM Sacred Heart Devotions in Polish

7:00PM OLPH Novena & Mass in Polish

Thursday, June 6 (Czwartek) - Norbert

8:00AM †Aniela, Wladyslaw, Helen & Edward Korzeniowski r/o estate

11:00AM †Terez & Istvan Keglovich r/o Tardy Family

Friday, June 7 (Piątek) - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

11:00AM †Robert Schanzmeyer r/o John Shulte

6:40PM Sacred Heart Devotions in Polish

7:00PM †Irena & Jozef Walczak r/o family

Saturday, June 8 (Sobota) - The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00AM †Zofia Babicz r/o Marian & Maria Puzio

11:00AM †Germaine Schanzmeyer r/o Laura Riccardi

5:00PM †James & Agnes Marsicano r/o family

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 9 (Niedziela)

8:00AM †Janina & Tadeusz Mankowski r/o family

9:00AM †Living & Deceased Members of the Altar Rosary Society

†Vinny D'Aniello r/o family

†Dominik Guerrazzi r/o sisters

†Dottie Dinsmore r/o Sandy & Ray Charneski & family

†Michael Serafin r/o Donna Zamielski

†Skip Lyne r/o daughter & family

†Isabel & Russell Stefany r/o Stefany Family

†Zenaida Del La Cruz r/o Lily Panaligan

†Stanley Wasilewski r/o Fr. Stan & Staff
For the People of the Parish

11:30AM †Piotr Kurasinski r/o family



While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many."

- Mk 14:22-24

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

The best way to understand the Eucharist is to recall God's long, careful teaching process beginning in the Old Testament. This week in Exodus 24, we learn the basic pattern. Moses reads the dictates of God's law to the people, who profess their allegiance to it. Then Moses takes representatives of Israel's twelve tribes and splashes the sacrificed blood of animals in two directions: on the altar and on the people. It's clear and serious business: clear, because the participants are entering a blood-bond with God Himself; serious, because the dead animals symbolize the life-and-death stakes at play.

Many centuries later, God uses the experience at Sinai to teach us something new. At the Last Supper, like a new Moses, Jesus proposes to "pour out" blood as a new covenant. It will land on the altar of the cross and the lips of his disciples. They have promised to be obedient to him who is God's law in flesh. This renews and elevates the breath-taking romance God wants with His people, unfolding from Sinai to this Supper. The Body and Blood of Christ is the sacrificial action whereby this covenant is strengthened.

How hopeful that, like us, the Israelites and the apostles repeatedly fail to live up to their promises and discover that the blood of the covenant continually renews and refreshes them. Today the blood of Christ faithfully flows, to unite and renew, moving us forward toward where our great teacher is taking us. This week, we should say a renewed "amen" to God who so carefully teaches us how to be one with Him in this new covenant.

— Father John Muir



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

To be a community of love, a family that joyfully proclaims and bears witness to the Gospel, and which serves the poor and one another.

This Week

MONDAY, JUNE 3

GUITAR CLASSES FOR CHILDREN - 5:15PM followed by Children's Polish Choir at 6PM.

SATURDAY, JUNE 8

CLOTHING DRIVE - 9AM - 12 noon - St. John Neumann Center.

NEXT WEEKEND, JUNE 8 & 9

THE SECOND COLLECTION taken up after Holy Communion will be for Property Insurance. Please be generous.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

PONIEDZIAŁEK, 3 CZERWIEC

LEKCJE GITARY - godz. 15.15; próba polskiej scholii dziecięcej - godz. 18.00.

NIEDZIELA, 9 CZERWIEC

DRUGA SKŁADKA po komunii świętej jest przeznaczona na Property Insurance. Dziękujemy za ofiarność.

From the Pastor

If any of the following items pertain to you or your family, please check the appropriate box in front of the listed item. This information will be a great help to us. You may tear off the form and deposit in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office. Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Fr. Stan

- New in Parish and would like to register
- Change of address
- Request Collection Envelopes
- Moving out of Parish
- Need Information – Please CALL
- New Telephone Number: _____
- Family Member (Name: _____) is ill:
 - At Home
 - In the Hospital: Room #: _____
 - Would like to receive Holy Communion

Your name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____



40 Hour Devotion June 8 - June 10



Summer Festival July 24 - July 27

40 Hour Devotion

After many years, Christ the Redeemer Parish will host a 40 hour Devotion on June 8th, 9th, and 10th. There will be time for quiet and community prayer while we spend some time with the Lord. We will have a full schedule which will include Masses, The Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, along with other devotion that will happen during each day. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the Church where people can dedicate themselves to an hour or more during this event.

What is the Forty Hours' Devotion?

Forty Hours' Devotion is a special exposition of the Blessed Sacrament over a period of three days, during which prayers continue uninterrupted for an approximate total of 40 hours. It begins and ends with a solemn Mass, and there is a Eucharistic procession and benediction at the end of the final Mass. The Forty Hours is similar to a parish renewal or retreat, but with more time for mental and personal prayer, and fewer talks. It is a time to be alone in prayer with Jesus but also for the community to come together for liturgical prayer. The number 40 and period of three days is a remembrance of the 40 hours from Jesus' burial until His resurrection, but also a remembrance of the 40 days fast of Jesus in the desert. Probably the first inspiration for this devotion came from the Middle Ages, when the Blessed Sacrament was transferred to the repository tabernacle, referred to as "the Easter Sepulcher," during the Triduum. Eucharistic adoration holds a prominent place for Catholics. It's not an old-fashioned devotion, but something that is actually part of the "required" life of the faithful. The Forty Hours is extending Eucharistic adoration as Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for longer periods of time. It is a wonderful opportunity for all the faithful.

(Adopted from Forty Hours' Devotion By Jennifer Gregory Miller Nov 09, 2021 <https://www.catholicculture.org/commentary/forty-hours-devotion/>)

Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

Sunday: Angelica R.L. Ocaso
Monday: Cassie Badella
Tuesday: Terry Tardy
Wednesday: Lee Rawaich
Thursday: John Tardy
Friday: Barbara Faist
Saturday: Roberta Caswell; Elizabeth Janlonski

Please visit our parish website:

www.ctrmanville.com

up-to-date information, schedules, church bulletins, pictures from parish events and much more...

Be sure to check out our video reflections on the Sunday Readings each week. This week Deacon Bill will be presenting the reflections and next week Bonnie Giacobbe will be the presenter.

Have the parish newsletter delivered to your email. Sign up for our newsletter on the website.

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Jesus is the Passover Lamb come to fulfillment, and his sacrifice washes our hearts in the blood of the new covenant. He is passing us the cup of salvation. Let us take it and call on the name of the Lord.

SAINT OF THE WEEK EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH

Martyrs of 20th Century Chinese Persecution

Short Bio

Throughout the late 20th century and into recent times, there have been many stories of Chinese Catholic heroism — priests, bishops, and laypeople who have been martyred by anti-Catholic government officials. We remember and honor those who have died for their faith in China.

For Sale

Pierogi are on sale for \$12/dozen in the parish office during regular business hours.

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR
ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

This Is My Body

A friend in high school once asked me why I wore a Crucifix around my neck. She was a Christian and very devout, so I was surprised at her confusion. "To remember Jesus' sacrifice," I said.

Her upper lip curled in disgust. "The cross is a sign of Jesus' sacrifice," she said. "He's not on the cross anymore. It's really weird that you wear his dead body."

As someone raised Catholic, the Corpus was an image I knew intimately. We had Crucifixes all over our home, everyone in my family did. And for reasons I couldn't quite explain, I actually preferred them over the plain crosses I saw elsewhere. The crosses seemed more elegant, more refined — but the Crucifixes felt more complete. More to-the-point.

My friend's disgust compelled me to reflect, in a way I never had before, on the image of Christ's body, wounded and twisted and tortured. Why was this a visual that compelled me? It didn't make a lot of sense for someone who abhorred dead bodies so much that I found it difficult to look into a casket at a wake. So, what was different about this?

My friend wasn't wrong: Christ is no longer on the cross. The sacrifice has been made. But does that mean it is over? We re-present it every single Mass. It's the point of everything that we do. Jesus did not sacrifice his spirit; he sacrificed his body. He bought us with every tear of the flesh, with every drop of blood.

The cross is crucial, yes. But that wood didn't bleed for us. If the body wasn't the point, Jesus would not have become human at all. Jesus needed the body.

We need it, too.

"While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, 'Take it; this is my body.' — Matthew 26:26

CATHOLIC TRIVIA – JUST FOR FUN

Question: What are the three religious vows that consecrated monastic men and women of the Church take?

Answer: Poverty, chastity, and obedience.

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We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Toni Antonelli, Evelyn Appenzeller, Cheryl Argento, John Bartley, Thelma Bartus, Andrew Bartushak, Elizabeth Bednarczyk, Claire Biagini, Pat Bohar, Harold Bok, Shawn Brickley, Denise Buanano, Lorraine Burkoski, Jerry, Marylou & Jason Cebula, Sofia Chantel, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, John Clougher, Allison Collins, Bill Corson, Jean Courtney, Kaiden Crothwer, Bill and Denise Davidson, Marge Demski, Malcolm Ferraira, Maureen Femiano, Lou Fischer, Kathryn, Debbie, Madison & Michael Fisne, Valerie Frank, Nancy Franklin, Karter Fridlund, Helen, Joe & Mirella Gazo, Fred Genovese, Helen Gilmore, Savannah Hemenway, Frank Honkisz, Maryann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Maria Ingot, Raul Jaime, Lucy Jankowski-McChure, Waclaw & Stanley Jasinski, Kim Jenkins, Dennis Koslowski, Theresa Kraska, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Janice Lalley, Donna Lawler, Judy Lentzsch, Cheyenne Liccardi, William McGlinchey, Dottie Mesaris, Veronika Mleczo, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Joyce Nipps, Robert Oliver, Celeste Onka, James O'Reilly Jr., Susan, Brian, Robert & John Parlier, Irene Pastula, Dora Perna, Barbara Perone, Rosemary Phillips, Frank Piccano, Steven Pirello, Joseph G. & Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Ava & Steve Quintana, Lee Ravaoli, Marcelle Reed, Peg Reilly, Laura Rodaman, Marie Rogusky, Cindi Shandor, Michael Sheehan, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slight, Charlotte Snow, Jim Spinola, Stephen Stadler, Albert Stanski, Steve Szabo, Gertrude Szczecina, Michelle Tranter, Helen Turiano, David & Robert Urban, Carol Vinchur, Ramona Walsh, Mark Waugh, Cindy Weigel, Cathy Wildgust, Raymond Wisniewski, Veronica Wolenski, Brett Wood, Michael Zamorsky, Julia Zarbetski Kemmet, Mark Zujkowski, Maria Zurawiecki and Regina Zydalis.

God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name. Amen.



Our Men and Women in the Service

Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially

Airman Thomas Caswell

SPC Christopher Elsen

Lieutenant Colonel James A. Jablonski Jr.

Master Sergeant Kimberly Kaminski USAF

Airman Michael Edward Kassick III

Master Sergeant Michael John Lamonica USAF

Captain John Limyansky USAF

Specialist Allison Okurowski, Combat Medic

Airman Jason Pikula USAF

SR Jerry Lee Rogalski

PFC Steven Ubry

Technical Sergeant Lindsay Zaccardi USAF

Let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!

The Knights of Columbus Saint Jude Council # 6573



Council Meeting: Council Meetings are held monthly on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:00 pm; Saint John Neumann Center

Recruiting: Catholic men 18+ are invited to reach out to Chester Makowski

(chester.makowski@gmail.com) or approach any of the brother knights.

Bible Study: All are welcome to join us in the Little Red Schoolhouse, (the Saint John Neumann Center) next to the Rectory on Thursday evenings at 7pm.

Clothing Drive - June 8th - 9AM - 12 noon - St. John Neumann Center.



The next **ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY MASS** will be said on **June 9th at 9:00AM. Please join us for the PARISH ROSARY OF THE MONTH AT 8:30AM.**

The next **FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS** to Our Lady of Fatima will take place on **July 6th at 11:30AM.**



Caritas MANVILLE

God's Love in Action

The Christ The Redeemer Caritas Food Pantry depends on both monetary and grocery donations to keep its shelves stocked. Spring has arrived & our attention turns to the outdoors. However those less fortunate still are in need of your help. When going shopping please consider picking up something extra. Food items can be dropped off in the red containers in the church vestibule or at the parish office. Monetary donations can be made through on-line giving.

The Food Pantry is currently most in need of the following items:

Tomato Sauce, Spam, Instant Potatos.

Toothpaste, Body Wash, Shampoo, Bars of Soap.

Laundry Detergent, Dish Detergent.

Juice(64 oz.), Coffee (Instant & Ground), Boxed Milk(32 oz.)

Toilet paper & paper towels.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

June 2, 2024

Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 (13)/
Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7/Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16/
Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14
and 16/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef/
Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/
Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Ps 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/
Lk 2:41-51

Next Sunday: Gn 3:9-15/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
(7bc)/2 Cor 4:13—5:1/Mk 3:20-35

The daily Scripture references are printed here. If you find it helpful and have internet access, you can find the complete Daily Scripture Readings at <http://www.usccb.org/nab/>.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

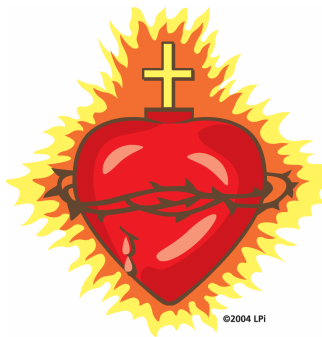
Fruits of Holy Communion

Question:

What are the "fruits" of holy Communion?

Answer:

The Eucharist, like all sacraments, offers its own unique grace. We receive a special share in God's life that helps us in our faith journey. We are given all we need to sustain and nurture our relationship with God. The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life. Everything we are and everything we hope to become is found in this sacrament. It is essential to the life of the church, to each member of the church. Without it, there is no church. The Eucharist is the center of our spiritual life and has enormous effects on our growth, our holiness, and our way of life. The fruits of holy Communion are the benefits one receives from the sacrament. These fruits of holy Communion are discussed in the catechism in the article on the Eucharist. The primary benefit is union with Christ. We become one with him sacramentally, just as we hope to become one with him for eternity. The Eucharist also separates us from sin, both past and future. It forgives the venial sins of the past and, by the love we receive, protects us from mortal sin in the future. The church community is also unified and strengthened by the Eucharist. It unites us to the poor and offers the pledge of eternal life.



The month of June is devoted to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. During the month of June, this takes place in our parish with devotions to the Sacred Heart on Mondays at 11:30AM in English and on Wednesdays and Fridays at 6:45PM in Polish at the Sacred Heart worship site.

The following are promises our Lord made to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, an apostle of the Sacred Heart in the year 1675. She and St. Columbiere were instrumental in establishing the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

I will give you all the graces necessary for your state in life.
I will establish peace in your families.

I will comfort you in all your afflictions.

I will be your secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.

I will give you a special blessing to all your undertakings.

Sinners will find in My Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.

Tepid souls will grow fervent.

Fervent souls will quickly mount to perfection.

I will bless every place where a picture of My Heart will be exposed/honored.

I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.

Those who will promote this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart – never to be blotted out.

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, honored and adored now and forever.

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, source of all goodness and healing, you have loved me from all eternity. Now I ask for the grace to love you in return.

Please increase within me your gifts of faith, hope and love. I offer you my own heart, wounded by sin, crippled by unkindness; but not beyond your power to make whole again. Jesus, I ask that you continue to touch me, calm me, and heal me. Teach me to be gentle and humble of heart, to be patient and loving. In you I live and move and have my being. In you I am healed. Keep me close to you and the life and wholeness that you bring. When I stray, give me the grace to accept your invitation to return to you. Glory to you, O Most Sacred Heart; glory and praise and thanksgiving today and every day. Amen.

*Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place my trust in you.
(Say 3 times.)*