



Mission Statement

We as members of the Body of Christ, through our thoughts, words and deeds, celebrate the presence of God in all people. As a community of believers, we answer Christ's call to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and love one another.

**January 3, 2021
Epiphany of the Lord**

**Immaculate Conception
Holy Redeemer Church**

**Corpus Christi Parish
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**Msgr. John J. Sempa, Pastor
Mr. James Meizanis, Deacon
Mrs. Joyce Cecconi,
Pastoral Associate**

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday thru Friday
7:30AM Immaculate Conception
8:30AM Holy Redeemer

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday
4:00PM Immaculate Conception
5:30PM Holy Redeemer
Sunday
7:30AM Immaculate Conception
9:00AM Holy Redeemer
10:30AM Immaculate Conception

**Weekly Collection
December 27, 2020**

**Weekly \$7,330.00
E Giving 1,447.00
Christmas 12,568.00
TOTAL \$21,345.00
Care & Ed for Priests
December \$701.00**

To sign up for E Giving..... Just go to our parish website www.corpuschristinepa.com, click on the green computer mouse icon. That will take you to the my E offering page for our parish. Simply sign up and begin giving online today! If you need help signing up, contact Lori at 570-654-2753 or ikasisky1@epix.net.

**SUNDAY & DAILY MASS
on our
WEBSITE**

corpuschristinepa.com
and
FACEBOOK
www.facebook.com/corpuschristiparishpa

**Religious Education
Classes**

Classes for the boys and girls in 2nd grade will resume next Sunday, January 10. This year only the boys and girls in grade 2 who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist have the choice to attend classes on site. All other grades have the option to homeschool. Students in grade 8, who are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation are virtual with classes taught by Deacon Jim Meizanis. **If your child in grade 2 or 8 is enrolled in a Catholic School, please contact Joyce at the rectory 570-654-2753 or e-mail jceconi50@gmail.com to register them for the Sacraments.**

Bulletin/Community Announcement for Holy Redeemer Church,
Falls/Harding December 30, 2020

Father Alco, a retired priest who helped us recently celebrate Mass at the Church of the Holy Redeemer in Falls, has tested positive for COVID-19. Father Alco is currently resting and doing well, experiencing only mild symptoms.

Father Alco last celebrated Mass at the Church of the Holy Redeemer at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, December 29, 2020. Out of an abundance of caution, the parish is notifying parishioners in order to fully inform and protect our community.

In continued alignment with Diocesan, state and federal public health and safety guidelines, social distancing and mask wearing is always maintained during all Masses.

In accordance with established protocols from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the areas visited by anyone with a confirmed case of COVID-19 undergo additional cleaning and disinfection measures.

Everyone in our community is encouraged to know and keep alert for any potential symptoms of COVID-19, which may include (but are not limited to) fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, muscle pain, headache or a loss of taste or smell.

We extend our prayers for healing and comfort to Father Alco who is experiencing illness and for all those affected by the coronavirus pandemic

Drive-Up Masses

You can remain in your car and listen to any of our weekend liturgies. Whether you choose to attend 4:00PM or 5:30PM Mass on Saturday or the 7:30AM, 9:00AM or 10:30AM Mass on Sunday, you can do so by remaining in your car.

To listen to Mass from the Immaculate Conception Church parking lot, tune your radio to FM 90.3 and to listen to Mass from the Holy Redeemer Church parking lot, tune into FM 89.3. At the conclusion of Mass, you will be directed to receive Holy Communion without having to enter the church.

Organ Fund Collection

The money collected from our organ fund envelopes during the month of December was **\$864.00** These funds have been deposited back into our diocesan savings account bringing the organ fund account balance to **\$12,213.25**. This would not be possible without your continued generosity. Thank you!

NORWEX Parish Fundraiser

Our total profit to date is **\$601.00**. To order, go to our website www.corpuschristinepa.com, click on the Norwex link in the middle of the homepage. Click on the link to shop, place products in your cart & checkout. **●●●IMPORTANT: To ensure our parish receives credit, click on "Add Party" and select *Corpus Christi Catalog Party 4*.** For a catalog or if you do not have access to a computer and wish to order, just call Lori at the rectory 570-654-2753.

My E Offering

Are you interested in online giving? Many of you already pay for most of your purchases electronically, whether online or with a credit or debit card. Now you can stop writing checks or having to remember to bring cash every Saturday or Sunday when you attend Mass. Simply log in to our service and set up your offering. You can set the donations to match your pay periods and even send your one-time donations to the special offerings we may have from time to time. This service allows you to give any amount, at any time, with your computer or mobile device. Now you can control how and when you give your tithes.

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Redner's Save-A-Tape Program

Recently we received a check from Redner's for \$102.90. Thank you to our parishioners who are participating in this program. If you would like to participate, stop at Redner's Customer Service to get a Save-A-Tape card. Present this card whenever you shop at Redner's, then save your tapes and either mail or drop them off at the rectory or put them in the collection. We receive 1% of the amount of the tapes submitted. If you have any questions contact Lori at 570-654-2753. Thank you for your participation!!

January 3 thru 9, 2021

Altar Candles

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Loretta Anderson** are donated by Ilene DeMola.

Holy Family Candle

Which will burn this week is requested for a **Special Intention.**

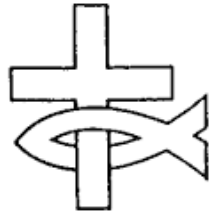
Sanctuary Candle

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Biagio & Josephine Dente, their children & grandchildren** is donated by Ross & Rosemary.

Sanctuary Candle

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Leonard Cumbo** is donated by Len Perkowski.

Liturgy Intentions For The Week



January 4 thru 10, 2021

Mon	7:30AM	Dec'd Members of the Alexander & Josephine Parente Family By Grandchildren
	8:30AM	Sandra Charney By Sam & Karen Aritz
Tues	7:30AM	David Tressler By Sam & Karen Aritz
	8:30AM	Raymond Smith By Carolyn Smith
Wed	7:30AM	Steve Sokach By Children
	8:30AM	Claire Carr By Marion & Patricia Grogan
Thurs	7:30AM	Lil & Larry Kelleher By Son, Leo
	8:30AM	Ceil Demming By Lisa Falzone & Charles White
Fri	7:30AM	John Hetro By Family
	8:30AM	Elizabeth Luczak By John & Pat Maines
Sat	4:00PM	Florence Reilly By Family
	5:30PM	Margaret Elaine Menn By Glen & Ann Gubitaso
Sun	7:30AM	Elizabeth Kneeream By Sandra & Ralph Nardell
	9:00AM	Richard Wienckoski By M/M Ken Swiderski
	10:30AM	Carole Darbenzio By Ken & Caz Vermac