



**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 31, 2021**

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Immaculate Conception  
Holy Redeemer Church**

**Corpus Christi Parish  
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West Pittston, PA 18643**

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**Msgr. John J. Sempa, Pastor  
Mr. James Meizanis, Deacon  
Mrs. Joyce Ceccoli,  
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  
January 24, 2021**

**Weekly \$6,303.00  
E Giving 1,633.86  
TOTAL \$7,936.86**

To sign up for E Giving..... Just go to our parish website [www.corpuschristinepa.com](http://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 [lkasisky1@epix.net](mailto:lkasisky1@epix.net).

**SUNDAY & DAILY MASS**  
on our  
**WEBSITE**  
[corpuschristinepa.com](http://corpuschristinepa.com)  
and  
**FACEBOOK**  
[www.facebook.com/corpuschristiparishpa](http://www.facebook.com/corpuschristiparishpa)

**Feast of Saint Blaise/Blessing of Throats**

In this time of pandemic due to the necessity to maintain physical distancing, we are not permitted to perform the individual blessing of the throats. Instead, the parishes of our Diocese are asked to utilize the general blessing of throats. Instead of touching the throat of each person with two candles joined together in the form of a cross, the priest or deacon will give the blessing to all assembled by extending hands, without crossed candles, over the people while saying the prayer of blessing. Please know the efficacy of the blessing lies in the intention of the person offering the blessing and not on the proximity of the recipient to that person.



**2020 Parish Donations**

For a recap of your donations to the parish for the calendar year 2020, please contact Lori at 570-654-2753 or e-mail Lori at [lkasisky1@gmail.com](mailto:lkasisky1@gmail.com)

**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.

**Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation**

In our parish, boys and girls who are in 2nd grade are eligible to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist and students in 8th grade are eligible to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this year. Due to the limitations COVID has placed on us, we do not have definite dates set for these Sacraments. Students in grades 2 and 8 who are enrolled in public school should be registered in our parish Religious Education program. Students enrolled in Catholic school do not have to attend Religious Education classes at the parish. But please register your child to receive the Sacraments by contacting Joyce at the rectory 570-654-2753 or e-mail [jceccoli50@gmail.com](mailto:jceccoli50@gmail.com).

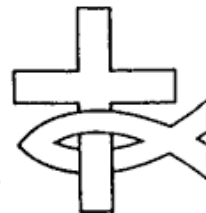
**January 31 thru February 6, 2021**



**Altar Candles**

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **James Nocito** are donated by Joy, Tom & TJ Orth.

**Liturgy Intentions  
For The Week**



**February 1 thru 7, 2021**

**Holy Family Candle**

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Steve Sokach** Is donated by Wilbur & Mary Dotter.

**Sanctuary Candle at ICC**

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Carmella Chimento** is donated by her family.

**Sanctuary Candle at HR**

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Leonard Cumbo** is donated by M/M Ed Ackerman.

**Winter Lottery Winners**

Congratulations to last weeks lottery winners...

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|---------|------|-------------------|----------|
| 1/21/21 | #435 | Patty Sidari      | \$50.00  |
| 1/22/21 | #625 | Mary Sempa        | \$50.00  |
| 1/23/21 | #642 | Nick/Geri Anzelmi | \$50.00  |
| 1/24/21 | #458 | MaryAnn Sokoloski | \$100.00 |
| 1/25/21 | #285 | NO WINNER         | \$50.00  |
| 1/26/21 | #509 | Thomas Kovaleski  | \$50.00  |
| 1/27/21 | #490 | Amy Switzer       | \$50.00  |

Special Drawing winner this week:  
1/25/21 Jay/Cheryl Charney \$50.00

**Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor**

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska at (570-862- 7551).

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| Mon   | 7:30AM  | <b>Elizabeth Skibinski</b><br>By Edward Holub             |
|       | 8:30AM  | <b>Theodore Hughes</b><br>By Joan DePietro                |
| Tues  | 7:30AM  | <b>Carmella Chimento</b><br>By Family                     |
|       | 8:30AM  | <b>Mary Lou Langan</b><br>By Ruby & Edward Argonis        |
| Wed   | 7:30AM  | <b>Joseph Bonomo</b><br>By Rev. Lucian & Shari Urbaniak   |
|       | 8:30AM  | <b>Honorable James M. Munley</b><br>By Neil T. O'Donnell  |
| Thurs | 7:30AM  | <b>Cheryl Devers</b><br>By Friend, Rosella                |
|       | 8:30AM  | <b>Marilyn Fessler</b><br>By Family                       |
| Fri   | 7:30AM  | <b>Grace Aritz</b><br>By Sam & Karen Aritz                |
|       | 8:30AM  | <b>Fred Lokuta</b><br>By Tom & Dorothy Sheridan           |
| Sat   | 4:00PM  | <b>Helen Yakobitis</b><br>By Pat, Eileen & Patrick Cawley |
|       | 5:30PM  | <b>Jack Rose</b><br>By Mom, Dad & Children                |
| Sun   | 7:30AM  | <b>James Nocito</b><br>By M/M Patrick Solano              |
|       | 9:00AM  | <b>Samuel Marranta</b><br>By Carla & James Lemardy        |
|       | 10:30AM | <b>Donnie Carsia</b><br>By Family                         |