

Immaculate Conception Holy Redeemer Church

Corpus Christi Parish 605 Luzerne Avenue West Pittston, PA 18643

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Msgr. John J. Sempa, Pastor Mr. James Meizanis, Deacon Mrs. Joyce Cecconi, Pastoral Associate <u>Daily Mass Schedule</u> 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

| May 23, | 2021 |
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| Weekly | \$7,269.10 |
| E Giving | <u>2,036.98</u> |
| TOTAL | \$9,306.08 |

Second Collection \$589.90 Care & Ed for Priests (May) \$606.00

To sign up for E Giving......Just go to our parish website <u>www.corpuschristinepa.com</u>, 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 <u>lkasisky1@epix.net</u>.

> SUNDAY & DAILY MASS on our WEBSITE corpuschristinepa.com and FACEBOOK www.facebook.com/ corpuschristiparishpa

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.

May 30, 2021 The Most Holy Trinity

Diocesan Guidelines for Masses

•Individuals who are fully vaccinated from COVID-19 are not required to wear masks while attending Mass. Fully vaccinated individuals are welcome to continue wearing masks at Mass if desired for personal protection and/or comfort.

•Individuals who have NOT been fully vaccinated MUST continue to wear masks while attending Mass and receiving Holy Communion, only removing it briefly to consume the host.

•All individuals aged two or older who are not fully vaccinated, must wear a mask while attending Mass.

•Priests, Deacons and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion are still required to wear a face mask during the Distribution of Holy Communion even if they are fully vaccinated.

•All parishes MUST post signage in all entrance areas stating that anyone who is not fully vaccinated is expected to wear a mask and anyone with COVID-19 symptoms should not enter.

•At no time should church leaders demand information about vaccination status (or any other protected health information), request vaccination cards be shown on admittance, or pressure attendees in any way to show proof of vaccination. When in doubt, parishes should continue to plan their gatherings with the caution that some participants may be unvaccinated.

•We will continue to sanitize the churches daily.

Baptism Ministry

Members of this ministry assist Msgr. Sempa and Deacon Jim at all Baptisms. On behalf of the parish, they gift each child with a Baptism candle, a lovely handmade bib embroidered with a cross and a beautiful handmade baby afghan. Each child is also given "My Baptism Book" which is a gift from the Holy Name Society. At this time, we are looking for some volunteers to make the baby afghans. For more information or if you can help

e-mail mmatysczak@gmail.com.

please contact Marianne at

Altar Servers

570-693-1216 or

Now that our COVID restrictions are relaxing, we will be bringing altar servers back to assist at all Masses. If your son or daughter is an altar server and would like to resume his/her duties, please contact Joyce at 570-654-2753 or e-mail <u>icecconi50@gmail.com</u> so he/she can be put back on the schedule. <u>Please note, if not fully vaccinated, altar</u> <u>servers MUST wear masks.</u>

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Graduation Mass....Save the Date!

We are in the process of planning a Graduation Mass



honoring our high school graduates. The celebration will take place at the 10:30AM Mass on Sunday, June 27, 2021. Details will follow in next weeks bulletin.

May 30 THRU June 5, 2021 Altar Candles

Which will burn this week in loving memory of Loretta Anderson are donated by llene De Mala.

Holy Family Candle

Will burn this week in loving memory of the Deceased Members of the Brown, Serafin, Bishop & Pasternak Families is donated by John & Maryellen Serafin.

Sanctuary Candle at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of Fran Laskoski is donated by her sister, Jane.

Rectory Office Closed

In observance of Memorial Day, the rectory office will be closed Monday, May 31st. We will reopen Tuesday, June 1st. May you all enjoy a safe and happy Memorial Day celebration!

First Communicants

To the boys and girls who received their First Reconciliation and First Communion this May, call or stop by the rectory to pick up your personalized lamb. For your convenience, next weekend, June 5-6, the lambs will be in a basket in the vestibule of Immaculate Conception Church.

Organ Fund Collection

The money collected from our organ fund envelopes during the month of May was \$650.00 These funds have been deposited back into our diocesan savings account bringing the organ fund account balance to \$7,584.75. This would not be possible without your continued generosity. Thank you!

Homebound/Nursing Homes/Hospitals

If you or a family member is confined to their home, residing in a nursing home, or is in a hospital or health care facility, please call Dorothy at the rectory 570-654-2753. With the HIPAA privacy rules, it is not always easy to get the information we need when a parishioner is admitted to a hospital or health care facility.

2021 "NO BAZAAR" Collection

As most of you are probably aware, once again this year we will not be having our annual parish bazaar. Hopefully next year will be different! Once again this year, in the next couple of weeks we will be sending a letter to our parishioners requesting your help by making a donation to our "NO BAZAAR" collection. Please know, we always appreciate your continued support and generosity to our parish.



May 31 thru June 6, 2021

| Mon | 7:30AM | In Honor of Donna & Nelson Chepalonis 52th Anniversary By Family |
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| | 8:30AM | Pat Martin By Bernie & Chris Martin |
| Tues | 7:30AM | Dante Bovani, Sr. By Mike & Sue Fanti |
| | 8:30AM | Robert Hamlin By Family |
| Wed | 7:30AM | Elizabeth Skibinski By Brother, Edward Holub |
| | 8:30AM | Marie Guarnieri By Patti, Pat & Family |
| Thurs | 7:30AM | Edward & Sally Hennigan By Family |
| | 8:30AM | Margaret & Jack Hoover By Hoover Family |
| Fri | 7:30AM | John & Susan Pivarnick By Elizabeth Luczak |
| | 8:30AM | Michael Peter Mancos By Aunt Marilyn |
| Sat | 4:00PM | Jack & Carmella Salvaggio By Children & Grandchildren |
| | 5:30PM | John Borzell, Sr. By Frank & Angie Serino |
| Sun | 7:30AM | Samuel Angelella By Sons, Joseph & John |
| | 9:00AM | Anna Wierbowski By Joseph Goldberg |
| | 10:30AM | Gloria Piatnik By Gerald & Katharine Stofko |