



**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.

**August 1, 2021**

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**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

**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

**Confession**

Saturday  
3:00-3:30PM  
Immaculate Conception

**Weekly Collection  
July 25, 2021**

<b>Weekly</b>	<b>\$5,942.06</b>
<b>E Giving</b>	<b>2,148.25</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$8,090.31</b>

**Care & Education of Priests  
July 2021  
\$665.00**

**SUNDAY & DAILY MASS**

on our  
**WEBSITE**  
corpuschristinepa.com  
and  
**FACEBOOK**  
www.facebook.com/  
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**Social Concerns**

**“Back to School” Drive**

Thank you to everyone for your overwhelming response to our “back to school” drive. The backpacks, school supplies and monetary donations never cease to amaze us!!

The “back to school” drive-thru distribution will take place on Sunday, August 22 from 5:00 to 6:00PM in the parking lot of Immaculate Conception Church.

Along with the school supplies, families will receive bags of non - perishable food. If you would like to help, we are looking for assorted “back to school” snacks all kids love. For some children these are a luxury their parents cannot afford. Supplies and snacks may be left in the vestibules of the churches or dropped off at the rectory. Once again, thank you for your donations! If you or someone you know would like help with school supplies and food, contact Joyce at 570-654-2753 or email [jceccconi50@gmail.com](mailto:jceccconi50@gmail.com) to get on our list.



**No “Bazaar” Envelope**

Thank you to all who have already returned your “No Bazaar” Collection envelope. This week we received **\$4,700.00** in our “No Bazaar” collection envelopes which brings our current total for this collection to **\$33,785.00**. If you did not receive a letter and wish to donate, just mail or drop in the collection basket your check or cash donation clearly marked “No Bazaar” Collection. As always, we appreciate your continued support and generosity to our parish.

**Organ Fund Collection**

The money collected from our organ fund envelopes during the month of July was **\$902.06**. These funds have been deposited back into our diocesan savings account bringing the organ fund account balance to **\$4,835.69**. This would not be possible without your continued generosity. Thank you!

**New Altar Server Training**

There will be a training session for new altar servers on Monday, August 16 at 6:00PM in Immaculate Conception Church. All boys and girls who have received the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist are welcome to become altar servers. Please call the rectory or email Joyce at [jceccconi50@gmail.com](mailto:jceccconi50@gmail.com) to register for this training session.

**Social Concerns Meeting**

All are welcome to attend our Social Concerns Meeting on Tuesday, August 3rd at 5:00PM in the rectory.

**Religious Education Meeting**

A meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 4th at 6:00PM in the rectory for all those involved in our Religious Education program. This includes teachers, substitutes, hall monitors and parking lot attendants. If you are interested in helping out in any capacity with this program, you are welcome to attend this meeting.

## August 1 thru 7, 2021

### Altar Candles

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Dante Bovani, Sr.** are donated by Bernice & Bob Puchalski.



### Holy Family Candle

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Anthony Denisco** is donated by Nick & Ann Marie Salvo Piccini.

### Sanctuary Candle at ICC

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Joseph DeLucca, Sr.** is donated by Maria & Vince Burakiewicz.

### Sanctuary Candle at HR

Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Leonard Cumbo** is donated by Harry & Paula Rose.

### Extraordinary Ministers of Communion & Lectors

If you are a lector or an EM and wish to be put back on the Mass schedule or to make any changes to your Mass preference or contact information, please contact: **EM Coordinator** .....Teresa Crossin at 570-357-3985 or [tacrossin5@comcast.net](mailto:tacrossin5@comcast.net).

**Lector Coordinator**..... Rosalie Cullagh at 570-430-7319 or [rosan814@comcast.net](mailto:rosan814@comcast.net).

### Mass Intentions for 2022

To schedule Masses and candles for 2022, please call Dorothy at the rectory 570-654-2753 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10:00AM to 2:00PM. If you choose, you may drop off or mail in your request for Mass Intentions and candles for 2022.

### Courtesy Announcements

#### Take-Out Chicken Parmesan Dinner

Will be held at Saint John the Evangelist Church in Pittston on Wednesday, August 25th. Dinners are \$15 each and include chicken parmesan, pasta in tomato sauce, salad with dressing and Italian bread. Pickup is from 1:00 to 3:00PM in the Msgr. Bendick Pastoral Center. Call Jane at 570-905-0325 by Sunday, August 22 to place your order. They are only accepting advance payment.

#### “Angels in the Outfield”

#### Softball Tournament

**Fri, August 20 to Sun, August 22, 2021**

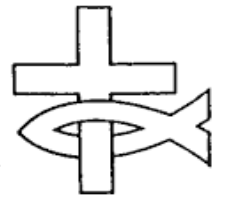
**West Pittston Little League**

**Fri, Aug 20: Steve Chipolis WA/PA**

**Rivalry Game at 8:00PM**

All proceeds go to Fallen Warriors Scholarship Fund in memory of John “Beno” Borzell, Matt Chipolis, Mark Dushok & Dr. Jennifer Sidari. Donations may be made to Ashley Aritz, 601 Monument Avenue, Wyoming, Pa. 18644.

## Liturgy Intentions For The Week



### August 2 thru 8, 2021

Mon	7:30AM	<b>Ann &amp; Paul Hreha</b> By Family
	8:30AM	<b>Margaret Novick</b> By Daughter, Karen
Tues	7:30AM	<b>Marion Krolick</b> By Anna Roche & Grandchildren
	8:30AM	<b>Bernie Martin</b> By Marion Franko
Wed	7:30AM	<b>Joseph Berti</b> By Wife, Donna.
	8:30AM	<b>John &amp; Regina LaNunziata</b> By Ky & Charlotte Saitta
Thurs	7:30AM	<b>Connie Angelella</b> By Sons, Joseph & John
	8:30AM	<b>Rosemary Balzano</b> By Pat & Ted Welter
Fri	7:30AM	<b>John, Carolyn, John, Jr &amp; Carol Cenera</b> By Family
	8:30AM	<b>Horace F. Hanna, Jr.</b> By Bob & Celeste Calpin
Sat	4:00PM	<b>Mildred &amp; Michael Barber &amp; daughters, Diane &amp; Patricia</b> By Son, Mike
	5:30PM	<b>Barbara &amp; Chuck Ritker</b> By Walleye
Sun	7:30AM	<b>Rita Monto</b> By Patti Wiatrowski
	9:00AM	<b>Jeroma Foy</b> By Daughter, Mary & Family
	10:30AM	<b>Joey Gitkos</b> By Ron & Rosemary Gitkos