

The Linked Parishes of Corpus Christi and St. Barbara



“As members of the Body of Christ, the linked parishes of St. Barbara and Corpus Christi celebrate the presence of God in all people through our thoughts, words and deeds. We answer Christ’s call as a community of believers to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and love one another.”

July 17, 2022

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Immaculate Conception Church

**Holy Redeemer Church
St. Anthony Church**

**Msgr. John J. Sempa,
Pastor**

Corpus Christi Parish

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St. Barbara Parish

224 Memorial Street
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[Weekend Mass Schedule](#)

Saturday

4:00PM St. Anthony

5:30PM Immaculate Conception

Sunday

7:30AM St. Anthony

9:00AM Holy Redeemer

10:30AM Immaculate Conception

Confession

Saturday

3:00PM to 3:30PM

St. Anthony Church

Daily Mass Schedule

Mon 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

Tues 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

Wed 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

12:10PM St. Anthony

Thurs 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

Fri 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

12:10PM St. Anthony

Watch Sunday & Daily Mass on

Corpus Christi Facebook

www.facebook.com/corpuschristiparishpa

Weekly Collection

July 10, 2022

St. Barbara

Sunday \$5,326.00

Corpus Christi

Sunday \$ 7,263.00

E-Giving 3,135.93

Total \$10,398.93

Corpus Christi Parish “No Bazaar” Envelope

Thank you to all who have already returned your “No Bazaar” Collection envelope. This week we received **\$10,385.00** in our “No Bazaar” collection envelopes which brings our current total for this collection to **\$ 13,355.00**. 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.

St. Barbara Parish Flea Market

July 22, 23 & 24

Friday & Saturday 5:00PM to 9:00PM

Sunday 12 Noon to 3:00PM

In addition to shopping at our massive flea market, you may stop by our pavilion to purchase delicious potato pancakes for \$1.00 each...add sour cream-.50. We will be selling soda and water for \$1.00 each. Food orders are cash only, no pre-orders. **Please note.....The last day we will accept donations for the flea market is this Monday, July 18th.**



**Corpus Christi Parish
“Back-to-School” Drive**

Social Concerns is running a “Back-To-School” program to help equip local students with the tools they need to be successful in school. The best part? Everything is free!! If you have school-age children, you know how expensive it is to get them ready for school. Not considering clothes and shoes, it is costly to get the supplies every child needs. For low income families, this is just about impossible.



We put together a list of back to school items needed by every child, depending on his or her grade. Whether you choose from the list below or donate any other items, they will be greatly appreciated!!

- Totes and drawstring bags (for high school students)
- Backpacks (for elementary students)
- #2 pencils/pens (blue, black, red)
- Colored pencils (8-10 colors)
- Markers (wide 8-10), crayons (24 box)
- Pencil pouches (for 3 ring binder), pencil boxes
- Pencil sharpeners
- Calculators (simple or scientific)
- Scissors (elementary/Friskars)
- Paper (wide ruled & college ruled)
- Notebooks (spiral & composition, 1 or more subject)
- Folders (plastic or paper, with or without pockets)
- Stapler/staples
- Ear buds (cheap)
- Flash Drive
- Binders (3-ring 2”)
- Rulers, protractors
- Hand sanitizer, tissues (small packs)

**Candles
July 17 thru 23, 2022**



Altar Candles at ICC.. Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Jamie Oliveri** are donated by his sister, Janine & Family.

Holy Family Candle at ICC.....Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Joseph & Edith O'Malley and Harry & Lelia Corcoran** is donated by Ann & Blair Corcoran.

Sanctuary Candle at ICC..... Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Margaret & John Hoover** is donated by the Cawley Family.

Sanctuary Candle at HRC.....Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Ralph DeLucia** is donated by the Hreha Family.

Sanctuary Candle at SAC...Which will burn this week in loving memory of **Louise Castellani** is donated by her husband, Herman, and daughters, Gloria, Lisa & Sharon.

**Corpus Christi Parish
"Back-to-School"
Drive continued:**



► Personal Hygiene Donations

Establishing proper hygiene is key to a sense of self and better health. If you can help, we are asking for donations of personal hygiene products for children and teens. Some suggested items could include: toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, shampoo, body wash, deodorant, soap, etc.

► Food and Snack Donations

Along with the back-to-school and personal hygiene products, we will be gifting families with a gift certificate to Gerrity's, bags of non-perishable foods including fun lunch size snacks of cookies, crackers, puddings, etc., the items all kids like to pack for school.

► Donations/Monetary Donations

All donations may be left in the vestibules of the churches or dropped off at the rectory. If you prefer, you can make a monetary donation to Social Concerns for the back-to-school drive and a member will do the shopping for you. All donations will benefit children in our parish community and children residing in the surrounding communities. Thank you for your continued support!!

► To Request Back-to-School Help

If you or someone you know of needs help getting their children ready to go back to school, please have them call the rectory at 570-654-2753 or e-mail Joyce at jceconi50@gmail.com.

**Liturgy Intentions
For The Week**



July 18 thru 24, 2022

- Mon 7:30AM **(ICC)** **Deceased Members of the Graham Family**
By Family
- Tues 7:30AM **(ICC)** **Paul Karasinski**
By Ann & Michael Branley & Children
- 8:30AM **(HRC)** **Bernie Martin**
By Wife, Chris & Family
- Wed 7:30AM **(ICC)** **Patricia Yunkunis**
By Family
- 12:10PM **(SAC)** **Jack Brogan**
By Catholic Choral Society
- Thurs 7:30AM **(ICC)** **Gil Dominick**
By Sandy & Toni Scalzo & Family
- 8:30AM **(HRC)** **William O'Brien Longstreet**
By Mom & Dad
- Fri 7:30AM **(ICC)** **Margaret & John Hoover**
By Family
- 12:10PM **(SAC)** **Elmer & Ethel Stella**
By Children & Grandchildren
- Sat 4:00PM **(SAC)** **Mary Giordano & Doris Vacula**
By Ross & Margaret Giordano
- 5:30PM **(ICC)** **Helen Yakobitis**
By Ron Yakobitis
- Sun 7:30AM **(SAC)** **Frank Galonis**
By Family
- 9:00AM **(HRC)** **George Mason**
By Donna & Children
- 10:30AM **(ICC)** **Christopher Manganiello**
By Family

- (HRC) Holy Redeemer Church*
- (ICC) Immaculate Conception Church*
- (SAC) Saint Anthony Church*

Rectory Office Hours

- St. Barbara Parish**
Monday thru Thursday 9:00AM-3:00PM
(office closed Fridays)
- Corpus Christi Parish**
Monday thru Thursday 9:00AM-4:00PM
(office closed Fridays)