

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.”

November 13, 2022

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Immaculate Conception Church
Holy Redeemer Church
St. Anthony Church
Msgr. John J. Sempa, Pastor

Corpus Christi Parish

605 Luzerne Avenue
West Pittston, PA 18643
Phone (570) 654-2753
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St. Barbara Parish

224 Memorial Street
Exeter, PA 18643
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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

November 6, 2022

St. Barbara

Sunday.....\$6,294.05

Corpus Christi

Sunday.....\$8,711.00

E-Giving\$3,024.43

Total \$11,735.43

Thank you for your contributions!

Second Collection Next Weekend

Next weekend at all Masses we will take up the Diocesan collection which benefits “Catholic Campaign for Human Development.” Your generosity is always appreciated.

Bereavement Mass & Social

At Corpus Christi Parish, the Bereavement Mass & Social will be held on Tuesday, November 15th at 6:00PM in Immaculate Conception Church. Following this liturgy, everyone is invited to join us for fellowship and refreshments hosted by Social Concerns in the church hall.

Memorial Mass & Social

At St. Barbara Parish, the Memorial Mass & Social will be held on Thursday, November 17th at 6:00PM in the parish center. Following the liturgy, fellowship and refreshments will be hosted by Social Concerns.

St. Barbara Parish
“Bake Sale” this weekend
sponsored by
Christian Women Group
After 4:00PM & 7:30AM Masses



Social Concerns “Soup Ministry”

This week, Wednesday & Thursday, November 16 & 17 at 9:00AM, members of our Social Concerns Committee will meet in Immaculate Conception Church hall to resume making their delicious homemade soups which will be delivered to the homebound parishioners of Corpus Christi Parish. If you can help deliver soup on Friday or Saturday to a few homebound parishioners, please contact Joyce at 570-654-2753 or icecconi50@gmail.com. Thank you!



FEED THE HUNGRY

Social Concerns Thanksgiving Food Project

Thank you to everyone for your monetary donations and donations of non-perishable foods for this project. It is because of your kindness and generosity, we are able to help 138 less fortunate families in our area have a happy Thanksgiving holiday.

Distribution of our Thanksgiving food will take place on Sunday, November 20. This is a drive-thru distribution which takes place behind Immaculate Conception Church from 4:00PM to 5:00PM.

Volunteers will be needed on Saturday, November 19 at 10:00AM at Immaculate Conception Church hall to fill the Thanksgiving food bags.

Please note, we welcome our 8th grade Confirmation students from both churches and any other teens needing service hours to assist with this project. If you can help, please be in the church hall on Saturday morning at 10:00AM and 3:00PM on Sunday afternoon. Thank you!!

Corpus Christi Parish Diocesan Appeal

2022 Goal: \$30,000.00
Raised: \$27,045.00
Over (Under) (\$2,955.00)

St. Barbara Parish Diocesan Appeal

2022 Goal: \$31,000.00
Raised: \$14,048.00
Over (Under) (\$16,952.00)

St. Barbara Parish Cosmopolitan Seniors

Will meet on Tuesday, November 15 at 1:00PM in the parish center. New members are always welcome!

St. Barbara Parish Social Concerns

Will meet on Monday, November 21 at 6:00PM in the rectory. All are welcome!!

St. Barbara Parish Mass Intentions

On Tuesday, November 1st, we will begin scheduling Masses and Sanctuary Candles for January thru June 2023. Please know we can only allow 1 weekend (Saturday/Sunday) Mass and 2 weekday Masses per family per year. Thank you for your cooperation.

Corpus Christi Parish "Winter Lottery"

If you would like additional "winter lottery" tickets (\$25.00 each), just e mail needtickets123@gmail.com. To become a winner, just match the evening Pick 3 drawing (straight) of the PA Daily Lottery. You can win \$50 Monday thru Saturday, \$100 on Sundays or \$150 on the following bonus days: January 1 & 15, February 1 & 15 or March 1 & 15.

Gluten Free Hosts

If you have a gluten allergy, please know we do have gluten free hosts available at all Masses. At Immaculate Conception Church and Holy Redeemer Church, the EM distributing on the Tabernacle side of the church will have gluten free hosts. At Saint Anthony Church, the EM distributing communion on the right side of the altar (as you face the altar) will have gluten free hosts. When you approach the Extraordinary Minister, just mention to him/her you need a gluten free host.

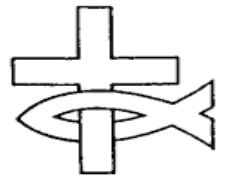
Exeter "Turkey Trot"

The Exeter Events team will be sponsoring our 1st Turkey Trot Run on 11/26/22 in Exeter Borough beginning 10 am at St Anthony's Church parking lot. Our event has a 3 mile run and a 1 mile walk through the borough streets.

The Exeter Events team is a non-profit 501c3 organization, whose mission is to hold community affairs that will bring our borough to the foreground of municipality leaders who are making a difference in their communities by offering continuing platforms of entertainment events and philanthropy that will be used for the betterment of our community. We thank you for helping us achieve our goals and look forward to seeing you on November 26th, 2022. To register and for details visit runsignup.com



Liturgy Intentions For The Week



November 14 thru 20, 2022

- Mon 7:30AM (ICC) **Joseph, Lois & Joann Lepore**
By Patty, MaryAnn & Shirley
- Tues 7:30AM (ICC) **Fred & Rose Ciampi**
By Marianne & Family
- 8:30AM (HRC) **Ann & John Eldemar**
By Dianne & Ray Smith
- Wed 7:30AM (ICC) **Ross, Sr, Rita Ann & Anna Maria DeNisco; John & Rose Dente & Frank Braccini**
By Ross & Rosemary
- 12:10PM (SAC) **Dec'd Members of Blandina & Manderson Families**
By Leonard & Linda Blandina
- Thurs 7:30AM (ICC) **Leonora Ford**
By Petruncio & Remplewicz Families
- 8:30AM (HRC) **Anthony Luczak**
By Helen Shannon
- Fri 7:30AM (ICC) **John & Lola Rindgen**
By Patricia
- 12:10PM (SAC) **Marion Cecconi**
By Family
- Sat 4:00PM (SAC) **Sr Angelina Mazzarella, MPF**
By Gloria & Gerry Kreitzer
- 5:30PM (ICC) **60th Anniversary Joseph & Mary Louise Langdon**
- Sun 7:30AM (SAC) **Joseph T. Pellegrini**
By Marion & Family
- 9:00AM (HRC) **Jeannie Gashi**
By Walleye
- 10:30AM (ICC) **Dec'd Members of Brown, Bishop, Serafin & Pasternak Families**
By John & Maryellen Serafin

Candles

These candles, which will burn Nov.13 thru the 19, are donated in loving memory of the following:

Altar Candles at ICC

Margaret Hreha..... By Family

Holy Family Candle at ICC

Anthony, Sam & Brittany Berto..... By Jackie Scalzo

Sanctuary Candle at ICC

Faust Valenti By Dr. & Mrs. Tony Bruno

Altar Candles at HR

Ross DeNisco..... By Wife & Children

Sanctuary Candle at HR

Lucille Hall..... By Children

Sanctuary Candle at SAC

Sam Giordano Family..... By Ross, Margaret & Children