

# Corpus Christi Parish



*“As members of the Body of Christ, Corpus Christi Parish celebrates 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 10, 2024**

**Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Immaculate Conception Church**

**Holy Redeemer Church  
St. Anthony Church**

**Msgr. John J. Sempa, Pastor  
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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

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

12:10PM St. Anthony

**Tues** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

**Wed** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

12:10PM St. Anthony

**Thurs** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

**Fri** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

8:30AM Holy Redeemer

12:10PM St. Anthony

*Watch Sunday & Daily Mass at*

[www.corpuschristinepa.com](http://www.corpuschristinepa.com)

**Weekly Collection  
November 3, 2024**

**Weekly.....\$13,234.71**

**E-Giving.....\$2,411.00**

**All Saints.....\$1,819.00**

**Total               \$17,464.71**

**No Bazaar.....\$70.00**

**Total .....\$42,590.00**

*Thank you everyone, for your generous support of our parish.*



**Veterans Day Mass & Social**

Today, Sunday, November 10, 2024 at the 10:30 Mass, please join us as we honor all veterans living and deceased. Immediately after Mass, all are invited to join our Veterans and their families in the church hall for refreshments and to thank them personally for their many sacrifices so that we may continue to live in a safe and free society.

**Second Collection Next Weekend**

Next weekend, November 16/17, at all Masses, we will take up a second collection which will benefit the Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

**Bereavement Masses & Social**

**Tuesday, November 12th at 6:00PM**

**Thursday, November 14th at 6:00PM**

All are welcome to join our fellow parishioners and friends as they remember their loved ones who have died this past year before October 15, 2024. Because of the number of deaths, we will be remembering the deceased whose last name begins with the letter A through L at the Tuesday Mass and the deceased whose last name begins with the letter M through Z at the Thursday Mass. Both Masses will be held at Immaculate Conception Church. Following the Masses, all are welcome to join us in the church hall for a social hosted by our Social Concerns Committee.



**Book of the Dead**

Each year the Church gives us the entire month of November as an opportunity to remember our loved ones who have gone before us in death, praying for their happiness and preparing ourselves to be reunited with them one day. During the month of November you are invited to enter the names of your deceased family members and friends in the Book of the Dead found in or near the sanctuary on our worship sites. We will remember those listed in the book during the entire month of November whenever we gather for liturgy.

**Winter Lottery Tickets**

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of our parish lotteries. To date, we have sold more than 800 tickets!! **For your convenience, lottery tickets will be sold before and after all weekend Masses.**

## Christian Women Bake Sale

Next weekend, after all Masses, our "Christian Women" will be sponsoring a bake sale. All parish bakers are invited to bake their specialty goodies. Part of the proceeds will be donated to Wyoming Area Friends of Rachel's Challenge (clothes closet) that supplies hygiene products and clothes to students in need. *If you are baking, please bring your baked goods to St. Anthony, Holy Redeemer or Immaculate Conception Church on Saturday, November 16 between 1:00PM and 3:00PM. Thank you!*

## Night at the Races Planning Meeting

All are welcome to attend the first planning meeting for our parish "Night at the Races" which will be held in early 2025. The meeting will be held on **Thursday, November 21 at 7:00PM in the parish rectory.**

## Social Concerns

### ► Social Concerns....Volunteer Help Needed

Please see days and times when volunteer help is needed in the next few weeks. Thank you in advance for your help.

### ► Confirmation Students

All 8th grade students from our parish who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation at our parish on May 21, 2025 are welcome to join us at any of the following days/times. All volunteer time you do will count toward your service hours for Confirmation.

► **Tues, Nov. 12th 4:00PM.....**Meet in ICC hall to set up for Bereavement Social.

► **Wed, Nov. 13th 9:00AM.....**Meet in ICC kitchen to make meatballs for Italian Wedding Soup for our homebound.

► **Thurs, Nov.14th 4:00PM.....**Meet in ICC hall to set up for Bereavement Social.

► **Tues, Nov, 19th 5:00PM.....**Meet in ICC hall to pack Thanksgiving food bags, set up donated coats and outerwear for distribution, Prepare Thanksgiving gifts for our homebound and nursing home parishioners.

► **Wed, Nov. 20th 9:00AM.....**Meet in ICC kitchen to make soup for our homebound.

► **Thurs, Nov. 21st 9:00AM.....**Meet in ICC kitchen to package soup for delivery.

► **Thurs, Fri, Sat, Nov 21, 22, 23..**Please call Joyce 570 654 2753 or [jceccconi50@gmail.com](mailto:jceccconi50@gmail.com) if you are able to deliver soup and Thanksgiving gifts to homebound and parishioners in nursing homes.

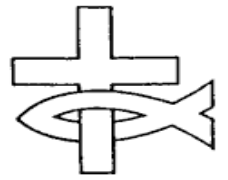
► **Sun, Nov. 24th...12 Noon...**Volunteers meet in ICC hall to help with distribution of Thanksgiving food, turkeys and outerwear which takes place between 1:00PM and 2:00PM.

### ► Thanksgiving Calendar of Giving

Thank you to everyone for your generous response to our Thanksgiving "Calendar of Giving." It is because of your continued support of our ministry, we will be able to fill bountiful Thanksgiving food bags for some 140 local families in need. Please see below the suggested donation requests for this next week. Donations of all non perishable foods, frozen turkeys or monetary are always welcome.

11/2/24	jello/puddings	11/6/24	hot & cold cereal
11/3/24	soups	11/7/24	breakfast bars
11/4/24	pasta	11/8/24	canned meats
11/5/24	macaroni & cheese		

## Liturgy Intentions For The Week



November 11 through 16 2024

<b>Mon</b>	<b>7:30AM (ICC)</b>	<b>Michael J. Fino</b> By Jeff Singer
	<b>8:30AM (HRC)</b>	<b>Gini Ciampi</b> By Mary Curley
	<b>12:10PM (SAC)</b>	<b>Robert Moss</b> By Amy Lizza
<b>Tues</b>	<b>7:30AM (ICC)</b>	<b>Dorothy Williams</b> By Family
	<b>8:30AM (HRC)</b>	<b>Ralph Nardell, Jr.</b> By Jack & Mary Claire Borzell
<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:30AM (ICC)</b>	<b>Bobby Zaloga</b> By Family
	<b>8:30AM (HRC)</b>	<b>James Biagioli</b> By Jerry & Pat Millo
	<b>12:10PM (SAC)</b>	<b>Ann Marie &amp; Daniel Cerulli</b> By Family
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>7:30AM (ICC)</b>	<b>Marie Williams</b> By Carmel Montini
	<b>8:30AM (HRC)</b>	<b>Giuliano Petraccini</b> By Christian Santarelli
<b>Fri</b>	<b>7:30AM (ICC)</b>	<b>Dec'd Membs of DeNisco, Dente &amp; Braccini Families</b> By Family
	<b>8:30AM (HRC)</b>	<b>Angeline Balzano</b> By Albina Fonzo
	<b>12:10PM (SAC)</b>	<b>Frank Colella</b> By Wife, Theresa & Children
<b>Sat</b>	<b>4:00PM (SAC)</b>	<b>Mary Pat Coleman</b> By Leonard & Celestine Bonfanti
	<b>5:30PM (ICC)</b>	<b>Mary Ann Rome</b> By Anita Fino
<b>Sun</b>	<b>7:30AM (SAC)</b>	<b>Joseph T. Pellegrini</b> By Family
	<b>9:00AM (HRC)</b>	<b>Dorothy Coolbaugh</b> By Gary & Patty Halezki
	<b>10:30AM (ICC)</b>	<b>35th Anniversary Jim &amp; Margie Gelgot</b>

## Candles

### Altar Candles at ICC

**Rae Ann Casterline.....**By Jane Slaff

### Holy Family Candle at ICC

**Moriyn & Mary Hensley.....**By Grandchildren

### Sanctuary Candle at ICC

**Moriyn & Mary Hensley.....**By Children

### Sanctuary Candle at SA

**Joan Hudycck.....**By Family

## Diocesan Annual Appeal 2024

Corpus Christi Parish Goal: \$76,066.00

Total Received:

\$33,496.00

Over/(Under):

(\$42,570.00)