

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.”

August 10, 2025
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Immaculate Conception Church

Holy Redeemer Church
St. Anthony Church

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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
12:10PM St. Anthony

Wed 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

Thurs 7:30AM Immaculate Conception
8:30AM Holy Redeemer
12:10PM St. Anthony

Fri 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

Watch Sunday & Daily Mass at
www.corpuschristinepa.com

Weekly Collection

August 3, 2025

Weekly.....\$13,390.10
E Giving.....\$1,835.50
Total \$15,225.60

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

Social Concerns Committee
Back-to-School Project

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of our “back to school” project. Our distribution will be held in ICC hall on **Sunday, August 17 between 12:00PM and 1:00PM**. Families who have registered will receive bags of non-perishable food, a gift certificate to Gerrity’s, personal hygiene supplies and each child will receive a backpack filled with back-to-school supplies. If you or someone you know could use help with back to school supplies, just call the rectory or e-mail Joyce at icecconi50@gmail.com. Everyone must be registered to receive these items. Thank you.



Volunteer Help Needed

Our Social Concerns members will meet in ICC hall on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 12, 13, and 14 at 5:00PM** to fill food bags, fill personal hygiene bags and prepare backpacks with school supplies for the distribution. We welcome all volunteer help to assist with this project.

Volunteer help, **especially young teens**, is needed in ICC hall on **Sunday, August 17 between 11:30AM and 1:00PM** to help with the “Back-to-School” distribution.

Holy Day of Obligation

Friday, August 15, Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation. Our Masses are as follows:

Thursday August 14 6:00PM (Vigil) St. Anthony Church
Friday August 15 7:30AM Immaculate Conception Church
Friday August 15 8:30AM Holy Redeemer Church
Friday August 15 6:00PM Immaculate Conception Church

Ministry Schedule

A new ministry schedule, which begins in September, will be prepared. All lectors, extraordinary ministers of communion and altar servers are asked to e-mail Teresa Crossin at tacross5@comcast.net or call her at 570 357 3835 before August 18th if you have any changes to your serving schedule.

Religious Education Teacher Meeting

All Religious Ed teachers and subs are asked to attend a meeting on **Monday, August 11th at 6:00PM** in the rectory.



Dress a Girl Around the World

We’ve been creating dresses for girls in need as part of “Dress a Girl Around the World.” All are welcome to join us in a classroom behind Immaculate Conception Church on:

Saturday, August 16 at 9:00AM
Bring your scissors!!

Candles

The following candles will burn this week in loving memory of:

Altar Candles at ICC

Dec'd Membs of Brown, Bishop, Serafin & Pasternak Families.....By John & Maryellen Serafin

Holy Family Candle at ICC

Lorraine Healey.....By Sister & Nephew

Sanctuary Candle at ICC

Cheryl Devers.....By Rosella & Josette Fedor

Altar Candles at SA

Robert Lasky.....By Family

Sanctuary Candle at SA

Danny Trotta.....By Family

Sanctuary Candle at SA (Chapel)

Anthony.....By Wife & Children

Religious Education News

Our Religious Ed classes for the 2025-2026 school year will begin in our parish on Sunday, September 14, 2025.

Classes for students in kindergarten through 5th grade will be held on Sunday mornings from 9:00AM to 10:10AM and classes for students in 6th through 8th grade will be held on Sunday afternoons from 4:00PM to 5:00PM. Classes will be held in Immaculate Conception School, except 5th grade, which will be held in the rectory.

A letter and registration forms have been mailed to students who attended classes here last year. If you did not attend class here last year, please call the rectory or e mail icecconi50@gmail.com and we will mail the registration forms to you.

“No Bazaar” Envelope

This week we collected **\$4,065.00** in our “No Bazaar” envelopes bringing our total to date at **\$32,280.00**. Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

Scheduling Masses for 2026

Our 2026 Mass Book is now open! To schedule Masses or candles at Immaculate Conception, Holy Redeemer or St. Anthony Church, please call Dorothy at the rectory Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays between 10:00AM and 2:00PM. Thank you!



**Foam Party!
&
“Ice Screammers”
Sunday,
September 14
Following the
10:30AM Mass**

Everyone from toddler to adults is welcome to join us for some good clean “foam party” fun. What could be better than topping it off with some delicious ice cream from “Ice Screammers.” Save the date!!! See you in September!!

Liturgy Intentions
For The Week



August 11 thru 17, 2025

Mon 7:30AM (ICC)	Helen & Chester Chernesky By Family
Tues 7:30AM (ICC)	Carol Guzzetta By Clara Rome
8:30AM (HRC)	Grace Alco By Father Jim
12:10PM (SAC)	Stacie Ann Powers By Lorraine Miller
Wed 7:30AM (ICC)	Louis, Mary, Joe & Gene Manganello By Catherine & Family
Thurs 7:30AM(ICC)	Carmen Colarusso By Carmen & Ruth
8:30AM (HRC)	Frank Schevets By Patti & Jim Cooney
12:10PM (SAC)	John Costello By Wife & Children
6:00PM (SAC)	Suzanne Skuntz By Ann & Christine Zak
Fri 7:30AM (ICC)	Michael Brown & Donna Nealon By John & Maryellen Serafin
8:30AM (HRC)	Gerald Zaleppa By Jeff, Dolores, Andy & Nathan Rozelle
6:00PM (ICC)	Kathy Masulis By Mary Petrewski
Sat 4:00PM (SAC)	Anthony Massara By Charlotte Thomas
5:30PM (ICC)	Peter J. Laure By Marie Payne & Family
Sun 7:30AM (SAC)	M/M George J. Maffei, Elaine Gager & Faith Maffei Nygren By George T. Maffei
9:00AM (HRC)	Dec'd Membs of the Timony & Mutchka Families By Patty Teehan
10:30AM (ICC)	John & Christopher Lewis By Family

**Wyoming Area Catholic School
Cash Bingo
Sun. Sept. 21, 2025**

Doors Open 12:30PM Bingo starts 2:00PM

Tickets are \$30 in advance or \$40 at the Door. There will be 4 Specials (\$3000 in payouts for special games). For tickets call 570 654 7982 or you can e-mail wacptg@gmail.com