

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 17, 2025
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Immaculate Conception Church

Holy Redeemer Church
St. Anthony Church

Msgr. John J. Sempa, Pastor
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Assistant 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

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 10, 2025

Weekly.....\$14,267.25

E Giving.....\$3,026.00

Total \$17,293.25

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



Attention!!
Please note the new date
for our
Foam Fun & Ice Creamers
Party
Sunday, September 7
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 Creamers.” Save the “new” date!!! See you all on September 7th!!



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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 receive the mailing, please call the rectory or e mail icecconi50@gmail.com and we will send the forms to you.

For your convenience, Religious Ed registration forms can be found on our website at www.corpuschristinepa.com or in the vestibules of the churches.

“No Bazaar” Envelope

This week we collected **\$2,985.00** in our “No Bazaar” envelopes bringing our total to date at **\$35,265.00**. Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

Knights of Columbus Council 18246

All men of our parish are welcome to join us for our next meeting on **Monday, August 18 at 7:00PM in the rectory.**

Flea Market Wrap up Meeting

A wrap up meeting will be held on **Tuesday, August 26 at 6:00PM in the rectory** for all those who helped with the recent flea market. Hope to see everyone there!!

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!

Diocese of Scranton

VOCATIONS

SCAN TO REGISTER

Open to Men 18 +

EZRA 10:4

A RETREAT FOR MEN DISCERNING THE PRIESTHOOD

Led by Rev. Alex Roche

Deadline to register:
Monday, October 20th

Holy Family Spiritual Renewal Center, Nanticoke
151 OLD NEWPORT ST, NANTICOKE, PA 18634

Hosted by the Diocese of Scranton Vocations Office

OCTOBER 24-25, 2025

REGISTER AT DIOCESEOFSCRANTON.ORG/VOCATIONS

Labor Day Triduum of Masses

On the weekend of August 29 - 31, the Oblates of St. Joseph will host their annual Labor Day Triduum of Masses honoring St. Joseph the Worker in their chapel located at Route 315, Laflin. Masses will be offered each day at 12 Noon only. Confessions will precede all Masses and devotions to St. Joseph the Worker will follow.

On Labor Day morning, a special Mass will be celebrated at 11:00AM for all area workers and the unemployed. Bread will be blessed & distributed to all as a symbol of the fruit of our labor.

Diocese of Scranton

VOCATIONS

YOUNG ADULTS

KICK OFF NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

Leave a Mark

2025

NOVEMBER 2ND

5pm Mass - Cathedral of St. Peter, Scranton

Food Trucks and Reception after Mass!

Liturgy Intentions
For The Week

August 18 thru 24, 2025

Mon 7:30AM (ICC)	Ceil Truskolaski By Michael & Bernadette Barski
Tues 7:30AM (ICC)	“Beno” Borzell By Julianna & Sam
8:30AM (HRC)	Roger Michael Belles By Mary Ann Akar
12:10PM (SAC)	Dec’d Membs of the Russo & Menarick Families By Phil & Barb Russo
Wed 7:30AM (ICC)	Beverly Byington By Family
Thurs 7:30AM(ICC)	Pasquale & Maria Cella By Cella Family
8:30AM (HRC)	Ralph Nardell, Jr. By M/M Frank Parra & Daughter
12:10PM (SAC)	John Rindgen By Daughter, Patricia
Fri 7:30AM (ICC)	Patrick Cawley By Eileen & Patrick
Sat 4:00PM (SAC)	Sonny Sidorowicz By Nephew, Walleye
5:30PM (ICC)	Cataldo, Christine & Sam Scalzo By Family
Sun 7:30AM (SAC)	Dec’d Membs of Charles & Emmanuella Mazzarella Family By Family
9:00AM (HRC)	Courtney Reeves By Mom & Dad
10:30AM (ICC)	Lorraine & Angelo Portelli By Portelli Family

Candles

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

- Altar Candles at ICC

Patrick Cawley.....By Eileen & Patrick
- Holy Family Candle at ICC

Rose & John Pannunzio.....By Family
- Sanctuary Candle at ICC

Lillian Denisco.....By Children
- Sanctuary Candle at HR

“Beno” Borzell.....By Julianna & Sam
- Sanctuary Candle at SA

Carmen Santasania.....By Wife, Theresa