

# 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.”*

**July 5, 2026**

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Immaculate Conception Church  
Holy Redeemer Church  
St. Anthony Church**

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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

**Wed** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

**Thurs** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception  
8:30AM Holy Redeemer

**Fri** 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

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

## **Weekly Collection**

**June 28, 2026**

**Weekly.....\$10,591.05**

**E Giving.....\$3,473.00**

**Total           \$14,064.05**

## **2nd Collection**

**\$1,998.51**

*Thank you to everyone for your continued generosity to our parish*

## **Parish Flea Market.....FREE DAY!!!**

**Yes, everything is FREE.....Tuesday, July 7th, between 6:00PM and 8:00PM!!! All are welcome!**

## **Social Concerns Project: “Back to School”**

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 a child needs. For a low income family, this could be impossible. Once again, our Social Concerns Committee is conducting a back-to-school drive to collect school supplies and personal hygiene products for kids in Pre-K through high school. Listed below are the suggested items we are asking for this week from our “Back-to-School Calendar of Giving.” Your donations may be left in the vestibules of the churches, in the boxes provided, or dropped off at the rectory. As always, thank you for your kindness and help with this project.

- July 5           College Ruled Notebooks**  
**Shelf Stable Milk**
- July 6           Wide Ruled Notebooks**  
**Granola Bars**
- July 7           Markers/Highlighters**  
**Peanut Butter/Jelly**
- July 8           Binders (All Sizes)**  
**Body Wash/Shampoo (Girl)**
- July 9           Simple or Scientific Calculators**  
**Assorted Boxed Snacks**
- July 10          Drawstring Bags**  
**Toothpaste/Mouthwash**
- July 11          Composition Notebooks**  
**Individual Size Fruit Snacks**

## **Help for “Back-to-School”**

If you or someone you know is struggling financially and could use help with back to school supplies, personal hygiene products and non-perishable food, please contact Joyce at the rectory 570 654 2753 or e mail [jceccconi50@gmail.com](mailto:jceccconi50@gmail.com).

## **On Line Giving**

My E Offering is a service which gives you the ability to send your weekly offering online. Once you sign up for E Offering, we will stop your envelopes. To sign up, just go to [www.corpuschristinepa.com](http://www.corpuschristinepa.com) then click on the icon. For help signing up, call 877 393 3330 Monday to Friday from 8:00AM to 4:00PM. For more information, call Lori at the rectory 570 654 2753 or e mail Lori at [lkasisky1@epix.net](mailto:lkasisky1@epix.net).

## **Religious Education...Teachers Needed!**

Religious Education Classes begin in our parish on Sunday, September 13, 2026 and run through Sunday, April 18, 2027. Our classes for grades K through grade 5 are held on Sunday mornings from 9:00AM to 10:10AM and classes for grades 6, 7, and 8 are held on Sunday afternoons from 4:00PM to 5:00PM. This year we are looking for some additional teachers and/or substitutes. If you can help or if you would like to hear more about our program, please contact our DRE Loretta Semenza at 570 313 0099 or [raetta@gmail.com](mailto:raetta@gmail.com).

**Homebound/Nursing Home Parishioners**

To help us keep our records current, if you or someone you know is homebound or residing in a nursing home, please e-mail Joyce at [icecconi50@gmail.com](mailto:icecconi50@gmail.com) or call the rectory at 570 654 2753.

The spiritual needs of our sick, homebound, hospitalized and nursing home parishioners are very important to us. We want to keep them in prayer and provide visits and communion. You can help us minister to these parishioners in a variety of ways.

You can bring communion to our homebound or you can help with deliveries of holiday gifts and monthly soups to our parishioners who are homebound and those residing in nursing homes.

**Courtesy News**

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Festival**

116 Hughes St, Swoyersville, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 9, 10 and 11, 5:00PM to 11:00PM nightly. Games, prizes, refreshments and delicious homemade foods!! Entertainment nightly....Thursday-John Stevens' Doubleshot, Friday-Picture Perfect, Saturday-Hoopla. Everyone is welcome!!

**St. Nicholas-St. Mary Parish Summer Bazaar**

Will be held at St Nicholas Church grounds, 226 S. Washington St, Wilkes-Barre on Thursday and Friday, July 16 and 17 5:30PM-10:30PM and Saturday, July 18 5:00PM-10:30PM. We will feature a large variety of Traditional, Ethnic, Mexican and Caribbean foods, a "Giant Flea Market" on Thursday 1:00 PM-9:00PM and Friday and Saturday 3:00PM-9:00PM, plus Bountiful Baskets, games, and many different booths for all ages. Live music daily 7:00PM-10:30PM. Thursday- "Flaxy Morgan", Friday -"Popstar Drive", and Saturday- "Kartune". For more information, please call the Parish Office (570-823-7736).

**Prince of Peace Parish Take-Out Chicken Dinner**

Take-Out Roasted Chicken Dinner, Basket Raffle and 50/50 Drawing on Sunday August 16<sup>th</sup> from 11:00AM-3:00PM at Arcaro and Genell Parking Lot, Main Street, Old Forge. The dinner will be prepared by Arcaro & Genell. Cost is \$17 which Includes ½ roasted chicken, corn, pasta salad, roll and dessert. For Tickets call the rectory 570-457-5900



**Saturday, August 8th**

DOORS OPEN AT 10:00AM  
BINGO FROM 12:30PM TO 3:30PM

\$25 pre-sales; \$30 at the door  
Includes 20 games of BINGO

**Regular Game Prizes of \$100  
Specials (\$5 ea) \$300-\$1,000**

(extra games may be purchased)

Food & Beverages will be available for purchase.

**Space is limited!**

For tickets contact St. Maria Goretti Parish Office at 570-655-8956 - Mon. thru Fri. 9AM - 2PM



**Mass Intentions**

**July 6 through 12, 2026**

**Mon 7:30AM (ICC) Lucy & Dominick Occhiato**  
By Family

**Tues 7:30AM (ICC) Joseph Jumper**  
By Wiedl Family  
**8:30AM (HRC) Daniel Smitka**  
By Family

**Wed 7:30AM (ICC) Jim Wiedl**  
By Family

**Thurs 7:30AM(ICC) Barry Hosier**  
By Grace & Children  
**8:30AM (HRC) Stanley Archkosky**  
By Wife, Barb

**Fri 7:30AM (ICC) Mary Pat Coleman**  
By Patti Wiatrowski

**Sat 4:00PM (SAC) A.J. Mikelski**  
By Charlotte Thomas  
**5:30PM (ICC) Caroline & Joseph Just**  
By Daughter, Geraldine

**Sun 7:30AM (SAC) Louise Castellani**  
By Daughters, Gloria, Lisa & Families  
**9:00AM (HRC) Esther Zavrotny**  
By Romaine Panek  
**10:30AM (ICC) John Radkiewicz**  
By Wife, Cheryl

**Candles**

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

**Altar Candles at ICC**  
**Helen Manganiello.....**By Family

**Holy Family at ICC**  
**Florence & John Hafferty.....**By Family

**Sanctuary Candle at ICC**  
**Edward Drevitch.....**By Mother & Brother

**Sanctuary Candle at SAC**  
**Barbara Sowa .....**By Linda & Leonard

**Sanctuary Candle at HRC**  
**Dr. Paige Evans.....**By Bob & Linda Gruner  
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