

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 30, 2026
Twenty-Second 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
Wed 7:30AM Immaculate Conception
Thurs 7:30AM Immaculate Conception
8:30AM Holy Redeemer
Fri 7:30AM Immaculate Conception

Watch Sunday & Daily Mass at-
www.corpuschristinepa.com

Weekly Collection
August 23, 2026

Weekly.....\$10,198.47
E Giving.....\$837.00
Total \$11,035.47

Thank you to everyone for your continued generosity to our parish

Religious Education News

Our Religious Ed classes for the 2026-2027 school year will begin in our parish on Sunday, September 13, 2026. A letter and registration forms were mailed to students who attended classes here last year. If you did not receive the mailing, please call the rectory 570 654 2753 or e-mail icecconi50@gmail.com and we will send the info to you. Please know classes for grades K through 5 are held on Sunday mornings from 9:00AM to 10:10AM and classes for grades 6 through 8 are held on Sunday afternoons from 4:00PM to 5:00PM.



Everyone from toddlers 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 “Icecreamers.” Save the date!!! See you in September!!

Foam Party & Icecreamers
Sunday, September 13th
Following the 10:30AM Mass
ICC Grounds



Scheduling Masses for 2027

If you are interested in scheduling Masses for the year 2027, please watch the bulletin. We will begin taking Mass requests in the fall.

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 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.

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 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.

“No Bazaar” Collection Envelope

This week we received **\$690.00** in our “No Bazaar” collection envelope bringing our total to date **\$37,610.00**. We thank you for your continued support of our parish.



Join the Corpus Christi Adult Choir

The Corpus Christi Adult Choir warmly invites new members to join us for the 2026–2027 season. Whether you are an experienced singer or have a desire to share your voice in praise, there is a place for you in choir. Singing in a church choir enriches worship, deepens faith, builds confidence, and creates meaningful friendships. A choir is more than a group of individuals singing together—it is a family: supporting one another, growing together, and offering our gifts in service to God and our parish community. Our first rehearsal of the season will be held on Tuesday, September 8, at 7:00 PM at Immaculate Conception Church.

“He who sings prays twice.” — St. Augustine

All are welcome. Come discover the joy of making music, sharing fellowship, and lifting your voice in praise. To learn more, visit the Choir’s website at <https://sites.google.com/view/ccsb-choir/home?authuser=0>.

Courtesy News



Cub Scouting is for Boys and Girls

Cub Scouts enjoy fun and adventure with family and friends that leads to character and leadership development, fitness and so much more!! Wyoming Area Cub Packs joining nights for boys and girls in Grades K through 5 are as follows:

Pack 310 at the Exeter Scout Home (53 Lincoln St, Exeter) on September 3 and 10 at 6:30PM.

Pack 366 at Ralph Dailey Park (Shoemaker Avenue, West Wyoming) on September 2 at 6:30PM.

Labor Day Triduum of Masses

Next weekend, Sept. 4-6, the Oblates of St. Joseph will host their annual Labor Day Triduum of Masses honoring St. Joseph the Worker in their chapel on 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.

Mass Honoring St. Joseph the Worker

This Mass, honoring St. Joseph the Worker, will be celebrated on Labor Day morning, Sept. 7, at 11:00AM at the Oblates of St. Joseph Chapel, Route 315, Laflin. Intentions of the Mass are for all workers, the unemployed and blessings upon the new school year. Bread will be blessed & distributed to all in attendance as a symbol of the fruit of our labor.

Catholic Choral Society

The Catholic Choral Society will open its 78th season with an organizational and rehearsal meeting on Tuesday, September 8 at 6:15 PM at the IHM Center on the Marywood Campus. Doors open at 6 PM. Performance and rehearsal calendars will be distributed at this meeting. New members are welcome; chorus or vocal experience is needed. Auditions are used for vocal placement only.



Mass Intentions

August 31 through September 6, 2026

- Mon 7:30AM (ICC)

William Kull
By Mary Ann Kull
- Tues 7:30AM (ICC)

Joanne English
By Tom, Filomena, Milena & Adelina Olerta
- 8:30AM (HRC)

Anita Wanat
By Husband, Tom
- Wed 7:30AM (ICC)

Eugene Manganello
By Family
- Thurs 7:30AM(ICC)

Richard Trotta
By Lucille & Family
- 8:30AM (HRC)

“Beno” Borzell
By Mom, Dad, Julianna & Sam
- Fri 7:30AM (ICC)

Elizabeth Kneeream
By Family
- Sat 4:00PM (SAC)

Frank Belmont
By Phil & Barb Russo
- 5:30PM (ICC)

Cataldo, Christine & Sam Scalzo & Michael Orleski
By Family
- Sun 7:30AM (SAC)

Frank Grasso
By Diane Parulis
- 9:00AM (HRC)

Donald Kreseski
By Pat, Children & Grandchildren
- 10:30AM (ICC)

Ruth Melberger
By Gallagher Family

Candles

- The following candles will burn this week in loving memory of:
- Altar Candles at ICC

Eugene Manganello.....By Family
- Holy Family at ICC

Dec’d Membs of Scalzo, Orleski & White Families.....By Family
- Sanctuary Candle at ICC

“Beno” Borzell.....By Mom, Dad, Julianna & Sam
- Altar Candles at SAC

Shirley Trotta.....By Family

Wyoming Area Catholic PTG
Cash Bingo
Wyoming Area Catholic School
1690 Wyoming Ave, Exeter
Sunday, September 27, 2026
Doors Open 12:30PM
Bingo Starts 2:00PM

Tickets (in advance \$30 or at the door \$40) Tickets must be purchased by September 8th. To reserve a ticket call the school 570 654 7982. Specials, basket raffles and food for sale. All are welcome!!