



Welcome/Parish Membership

We extend a warm welcome and hope you find our Parish Community a place where your faith will be nourished. Parish policy requires registration to participate in Baptism, Marriage and Religion Classes. If you are a new resident, please register at the Parish

Parish Clergy

Rev. Patrick M. Mulewski - Pastor
 Rev. Msgr. Lewis V. Papera - Pastor Emeritus
 Rev. Gabriel Perdomo - Parochial Vicar
 Deacon Vincent DeFedele
 Deacon Paul A. Carris

Pastoral Staff

School Principal - Ms. Elizabeth A. Pinto
 Director of Religious Education - Mrs. Verna Paiotti
 Music Director - Ms. Joanna Kowalska
 Youth Ministry Director—Ms. Caitlin Seymour

Pastoral Associates

Adult and Family Faith Formation - Deacon Paul Carris
 Baptism & Beyond, Bereavement - Patricia Caulfield

Trustees

Mr. Michael Mascis and Mrs. Carol Viceconte

Parish Offices and Center Hours

Monday– 9AM-12NN & 1-6PM
 Tuesday-Thursday: 9 AM-12 NN & 1-8PM
 Friday: 9AM-4PM
 Saturday : 9AM-1:30 PM Sunday: 9:30AM-1:30PM

Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM
 Sundays: 8:00, 10:00, Noon and 6:00 PM
 Daily: 6:30 AM & 8:00 AM Monday-Friday
 (8:00 AM only Memorial Day-Labor Day)
 Saturday: 8:00 AM
 Holy Days: Schedule as published

Sacrament of Baptism

Second Sunday of the month - 1:30 PM

Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45 PM.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged, registered parishioners should contact a parish priest, normally one year prior to wedding. No dates are settled without consultation with a parish priest.

***CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH
 HASBROUCK HEIGHTS, NJ 07604
 MARCH 3, 2019***

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 201-288-4844

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 Religious Education
 201-288-4844 Ext. 142

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 201-288-0614
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 800-CCS-7413

CORPUS CHRISTI, HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Emails. Carpools. Shopping lists. Home repairs. It can seem like we move so quickly from one thing to the next. Our news comes in sound bites and headlines. How often do we take time for silence, for prayer, for reflection, for wisdom? Jesus warns us of stumbling through life without an adequate sense of where we're going. "Can a blind person guide a blind person? Will not both fall into a pit?" This Sunday's Gospel isn't about fumbling along but offers a self-check on our own motivations.

"Why do you notice the splinter in your brother's eye, but do not perceive the wooden beam in your own?" Without adequate self-reflection, it's easy to become blind to our own faults. We go through life's motions as our bad habits linger or even increase. We may become increasingly impatient, we may avoid important tasks, we may neglect the emotional needs of our spouse. Perhaps, in the process, we find fault with those around us. In the words of Jesus, "remove the wooden beam from your own eye first."

So how do we know? How can we notice the hidden faults in our lives? "A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. For every tree is known by its own fruit. A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of store of evil produces evil." Do you notice certain relationships that have become strained, or situations where you know you don't act your best? Perhaps this is an area where you are acting out of sin, rather than virtue. The truth is, all of us are a mixture of light and dark, vice and virtue. We can't pretend we're perfect! But we also need to take time to pause and prayerfully examine the fruit we're bearing.



Parish Stewardship "Treasure Report"

February 24:

Envelope Total: \$ 8,864
Electronic Giving: \$ 2,522

Week Total: \$11,386

2018—Feb 25: \$13,866.77

Thank you for your continued generosity.



Ash Wednesday is March 6. Ashes will be distributed at all Masses & Prayer Services.

Masses: 6:30am, 8am & 7:30pm (Church)
Prayer Services: 12nn (Church)
& 3:30pm (Chapel)

A MESSAGE FROM FR. PAT....

In a universe of light and dark, billions of stars sail across the sky. The starlight marks its own path. Only God could create such a clockwork. This miracle is balanced on Sir Isaac Newton's Third Law of Motion: "For every action, there is an equal and opposite reaction."

We see this law demonstrated in our world of opposites. In the newspapers, we read of people going berserk with assault rifles while the next page may tell stories of saints like Mother Teresa.

We hear hints of this in today's Gospel: "A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of a store of evil, produces evil; for from this fullness of the heart, the mouth speaks."

On Wednesday we will enter the season of Lent. As we think about what practice of penance we will embrace, it is often easier to come up with penances for our spouse, children, colleagues or friends than it is for ourselves. Jesus knew the human propensity to point out others' faults. He counsels, "Remove the wooden beam from your eye first, then you will see clearly to remove the splinter from your brother's eye." Perhaps, this year you might invite a friend or family member to help choose a Lenten practice. Receive with an open mind and then ask God to help you discern what will be the most fruitful practice during this Lenten Season.

Please continue to remember to keep praying for the continued healing that needs to take place in our Church. "Create In Me A Clean Heart, O God" is a Lenten Prayer Service for the survivors of sexual abuse and for the Church. Cardinal Joseph Tobin will lead all in prayer on Thursday, March 28, 2019 at 7:30pm at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark. All are encouraged to gather as one.

I thank our Finance Committee for the report that was presented last weekend regarding the finances of Corpus Christi Parish. Those who presented spoke from the heart and volunteer their time and talent. For that I am extremely grateful.

Thanks to the Home & School Association for hosting Hospitality Sunday last weekend. This was initiated by the Pastoral Council and has been well received. Our next Hospitality Sunday will be held on March 17th, and hosted by Women's & Men's Cursillo. All are welcome to join us in the cafeteria after the 10am Mass.

God Bless,
Fr. Pat

MEALS WITH A MISSION COMEDY NIGHT.....

Saturday, March 23, 2019
Garfield Senior Center, 480 Midland Ave.
Doors open at 7pm, show starts at 8pm
Bring your own food and drinks
Admission is \$40/pp
For tickets call Alisa (201) 280-7176 via text
or email alisa18@optonline.net

8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ROSARY SOCIETY'S LASAGNA DINNER



The Rosary Society is hosting its annual Lasagna Dinner this **Friday, March 8th, from 5:30-7:30pm** in the school cafeteria. A delicious dinner of meatless lasagna, salad, bread, tea/coffee, soft drinks and dessert will be served. To make the dinner family friendly, ziti is on the menu, and take-out is available. The evening will include a raffle and 50/50 drawing. The dinner donation is \$12/adults, \$5/children under 12 (toddlers are free). Tickets will be on sale after all Masses this weekend. You may also call Marilyn (973) 772-8804 or Diane (201) 288-7732.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER



The Knights of Columbus, Council #7041, will be hosting their Annual St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner.

Saturday, March 9th

6:30pm—8:30pm

School Cafeteria

Tickets: \$20/adult, \$5/children & under 5 FREE

Menu includes Corned Beef & Cabbage, seasoned potatoes and carrots, Pechter's rye bread, coffee and cake, hot dogs, soda and water. B.Y.O.B! For tickets call John Baratta (201) 370-9635. There will also be a Tricky Tray (tickets sold separately).

MASS INTENTIONS

There are open Mass intentions for the 6:30am Mass during the months of March, April & May. If you would like to remember a loved one at Mass, please stop by the Parish Center to schedule a Mass.



GIRL SCOUT SUNDAY



Girl Scout Sunday will be celebrated next week, March 10th. All Girl Scouts and their families are invited to attend the 12nn Mass in the Chapel. Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria following Mass.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Are you using your God-given gifts in the way God intended? Do you compare yourself to others and complain about what you don't have instead of being thankful for what you do have? God gives us unique gifts and a unique plan. Listen to how God is calling you to use your gifts, to bear good fruit, for the glory of His name.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S & MEN'S COMMISSIONS Archdiocese of Newark

Women's Commission Day of Reflection: Saturday, March 9, 2019, at Seton Hall University. This year's theme is "Alive in Christ...Finding Our True Identity."

The English track will feature keynote speakers. Mary Rice Hasson is the Kate O'Beirne Fellow in Catholic Studies at the Ethics and Public Policy Center in Washington, D.C. The other speaker is Gloria Purvis who is the Creator of Authentically Free at Last now in EWTN. The day begins at 8am with registration and ends at 4pm with Mass.

Catholic Men's Conference: Saturday, March 16, 2019, at Seton Hall University. This year's theme,

for the English track is "For a time such as this, Holiness and Hope!" The speaker for the English track will be Fr. Larry Richards, the founder and president of The Reason for Our Hope Foundation, a non-profit organization dedicated to "spreading the Good News" by educating others about Jesus Christ and hosts various radio shows and programs on EWTN. The Master of Ceremonies, Gregory Floyd, is the Executive Vice President of Mission at Eva's Village. The day begins at 8am with breakfast and ends at 4:30pm.

Registration for both events is \$25/adults. Priests & religious are free. The day includes continental breakfast and lunch. Visit www.rcan.org/womcom or www.rcanmenscommission.org.

ANNIVERSARY MASS

The Archdiocese of Newark will be honoring married couples who will be celebrating their 50th, 25th and 5th anniversaries this year. The Mass schedule is as follows for all counties:

April 28, 2019 for 50 years

June 2, 2019 for 5 years & 25 years

If you are celebrating one of these special anniversaries and would like to attend the respective Mass, please contact Mary Beth at the Parish Center, (201) 288-4844, ext. 132 to register. The deadline for the 50th Anniversary Mass is April 19th and for the 25th and 5th Anniversary Mass it is May 24th.



CALLING NEW MEMBERS....

What better way to praise God than by singing to Him, and praising Him! The Adult Choir is looking for new members. If you can sing and would like to join, please see Joanna or come to rehearsal which is every Wednesday at 7:30pm in the Chapel. Your voices are needed....

REPENTANCE
& GROWTH



ANTICIPATED MASS, MARCH 2

5:00 PM Murray Mascis

SUNDAY, MARCH 3

8:00 AM Joseph Bonanno
 10:00 AM Frank DeBellis
 12:00 NN Elizabeth Choloe D’Cruz
 6:00 PM Giuseppe Cafiero

MONDAY, MARCH 4

6:30 AM Nicholas D’Acquisto
 8:00 AM Mario Giaquinto

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

6:30 AM Harold Dix
 8:00 AM Tony Manzi

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6—ASH WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM Camille & Quido Trause
 8:00 AM Clemente Ulliana
 12:00 NN Prayer Service (Church)
 3:30 PM Prayer Service (Chapel)
 7:30 PM Thomas Pecorelli

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

6:30 AM Margaret Petrullo
 8:00 AM Grace M. Gunnell

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

6:30 AM Mary Vigliotti
 8:00 AM Murray Mascis

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

8:00 AM Helen Frank

ANTICIPATED MASS

5:00 PM Murray Mascis

SUNDAY, MARCH 10

8:00 AM Mr. & Mrs. Papa
 10:00 AM Deceased Members of the Licameli Family
 12:00 NN Living & Deceased Girl Scouts of Hasbrouck Heights
 6:00 PM Ricardo Mattessich

CANDLES FOR THE WEEK

The candles to be burned on our altars this week were donated in loving memory of **Daniele Bellona** from Angela Sciancalepore & Family.


HOSTS FOR THE WEEK

The hosts to be consecrated at all the Masses were donated in loving memory of **Joseph Bonanno** from Mary Bonanno.

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Please remember the deceased members of our families, friends and community, especially David Waldron III, Margaret Rossi

MEALS WITH A MISSION

 If you would like to volunteer your time to feed the hungry and less fortunate, then Meals with a Mission is for you! Please call **(201) 986-6325** or email carolwalsh@mealswithamissionnj.org.

May the Holy Spirit sustain those who are poor and oppressed, the sick, suffering, and sorrowing of all ages, especially, Justin Duffy, Margaret Marchetta, Antonio Salcines, Albert DeBenedictis, Mary Nichols, Dennis Dzugay, Cosmelina Cammarata, Fred Baxter, Baby Adrian Victor Sanfilippo, Paul Giordano, Debbie Murphy, Gary Ryan, Christine Ryan, Dee Sullivan, Bing Savkov, Bonnie Poznar, Danielle Delfino, Patricia Kunzmann, Christine Ryan (daughter), Michael Heitmann, Christina Belej, Patricia Casey, Noreen Ryan, Joseph Cooney, Frank Coccaro, Elaine Adamkiewicz, Mishelle Kittlinger

THIS WEEK’S EVENTS...

SUNDAY, MARCH 3

2nd Grade Blessing & Breakfast—10AM & 12nn/Ch&Caf
 Bball—2 PM/Gym
 ACCTm—7 PM/Caf

MONDAY, MARCH 4

Adoration—11 AM to 11 PM/Adoration Chapel
 Bball—5 PM/Gym

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

Adoration—11 AM to 11 PM/Adoration Chapel
 Bball—5 PM/Gym
 AA—8 PM/ECLC

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

Adoration—11 AM to 11 PM/Adoration Chapel
 Bball—5 PM/Gym
 Cub Scouts—6:30 PM/ECLC
 Women’s Cursillo—7:30 PM/PCKit
 KofC Mtg—8 PM/ECLC

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

Adoration—11 AM to 11 PM/Adoration Chapel
 Bball—5 PM/Gym
 HSA Mtg—7 PM/Caf
 Boy Scouts—7:30 PM/ECLC
 Men’s Bball—9 PM/Gym

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

Adoration—11 AM to 11 PM/Adoration Chapel
 Rosary Society’s Lasagna Dinner—5 PM/Caf
 Bball—5 PM/Gym
 Cub Scouts—6:30 PM/ECLC
 Stations of the Cross—7 PM/Church

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

1st Communion Retreat—
 Bball — 11:30 AM/Gym
 KofC St. Patrick’s Dinner—6 PM/Caf

SUNDAY, MARCH 10

LTWC—10:15 AM/UpCaf
 Girl Scout Sunday & Reception—12 PM/Chapel & Caf
 Bball—2 PM/Gym
 ACCTm—7 PM/ECLC

ACCTm

ACCTm Youth Group will meet this Sunday (3/3) in the Corpus Christi cafeteria at 6:30pm for Paint & Sip Night. All those who have handed in permission slips are welcome to attend. Youth Group will resume next week (3/10) at Corpus Christi.

CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD

If you have felt the Holy Spirit moving you to become involved with a ministry and have a love of children, come share your faith with the children of Corpus Christi. LTWC is in need of volunteers for 10:00am Sunday Mass (children’s Mass). If you are interested or would like to learn more, please contact Donna Palmiotto at (201) 288-8012.