



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 Center during office hours. Also, please notify the Parish Center when a change of address or a move occurs.

Parish Clergy

Rev. Patrick M. Mulewski - Pastor
 Rev. Msgr. Lewis V. Papera - Pastor Emeritus
 Rev. Juan Camilo Restrepo - Parochial Vicar
 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 and Beyond, and 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
 NOVEMBER 18, 2018***

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 201-288-4844

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 Religious Education
 201-288-4844 Ext. 142

School/ECLC
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 800-CCS-7413

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

As we edge closer to the closing of the liturgical year, the Church selects readings that remind us of the final close: the second coming of Christ. It's easy, perhaps, to forget that this is a dogma of our Catholic faith. We see this dramatic end times language in today's Gospel. "The sun will be darkened ... and the stars will be falling from the sky."

As Christians and as human beings, we know all things will come to an end. "But of that day or hour, no one knows." The "end of the world" and end of time at Jesus' coming is in a future unknown. But God has given us beautiful reminders of this truth. We see the signs and symbols of ending all around us -- nightfall at the end of each day; the life cycle of crops coming alive, bearing fruit, and being harvested; our own death. That, too, will come at an unknown day and hour. But that is the way of things. Even as God created in Genesis, He gave us a sense of time -- the sun rising and setting, a beginning and an end -- to mark our days.

So how do we welcome these built-in forms of measurement? Do we take time to quietly recollect at the end of each day? Do we see every morning as a fresh start for mercies new? Do we observe the seasons and reflect on what they might be speaking to us of God and His glory? "Heaven and earth will pass away, but my works will not pass away." The little beginnings and little ends are opportunities to renew our faith in Jesus, if only we have the eyes to see!

Parish Stewardship "Treasure Report"
Due to an early transmittal time, the collection for November 11th will be published in the November 25th Bulletin.
Thank you for your continued generosity.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS & HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

Fr. Pat, Fr. Juan, Fr. Gabriel and the staff of Corpus Christi wish our parish family a very Happy & Blessed Thanksgiving! Let us all count our blessings.

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am on Thursday, November 22nd, Thanksgiving Day. Only one Mass will be celebrated on Friday, November 23rd, at 8am.

The Parish Center Holiday hours:

Thursday, November 22—closed
Friday, November 23—closed
Saturday, November 24—9:30am-12nn
Sunday, November 25—9:30am-12nn

Adoration will be closed on November 22nd & 23rd.



A MESSAGE FROM FR. PAT....

Today's Gospel images are dramatic. Tribulations come first, then the sun and moon go dark. As the temperature plummets, the stars in the black sky spin out of control. Then, in a burst of light, we gasp at the awesome coming of Jesus amidst a host of angels.

This imagery might also describe what happens when we die, when the promise of things to come are fulfilled at an unknown future date. It is guaranteed that "this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place." We may not like to think our life will end, but it will. Our bodies will grow cold, so grab your jacket full of faith to stay warm until you see the face of Jesus who comes to welcome you to eternal paradise.

As the liturgical year ends, the church uses the Scriptures to turn the hearts and minds of her people to the life to come. How will we know when the end is coming? We do not know the day or the hour. But, we know that in God's own time, when light shines and triumphs over darkness, and when justice and love rules over all, then time as we know it will no longer matter, and God's second coming will be upon us.

This seems to be a pattern for those who lost their lives in the shooting in Thousand Oaks, California, may they rest in eternal peace in the arms of our heavenly Father. For the families mourning the deaths of loved ones, lost in violence, may they experience consolation through the love of God expressed in the care and support of their communities.

I thank all who donated to our Thanksgiving Food Drive. We are also in need of gift cards to Shop Rite or Stop & Shop. If you would like to donate a gift card, please place them in the Sunday collection. Your continued help and support to those in need is appreciated.

All are welcome to begin Thanksgiving Day with us at our Mass of Thanksgiving at 9am in the Church on November 22nd. Blessed bread will be distributed at the end of Mass. Please join us!

God Bless,
Fr. Pat



A THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Good and gracious God, You do all things well. You make the sun and rain come, nurturing the earth, making it fertile and fruitful. Through Your gift of creation and the work of our hands, we reap an abundant harvest. We give You thanks for Your many gifts that sustain us; for health and home, dignified labor, for family, friends, neighbors, and those whom—today—we may still consider enemies. As we reflect in thanks this day, may we remember those who lack something we have. May our gratitude move us to love, serve and give. Together we rejoice in Your gifts, and in Your abundant life! Amen



33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME




We welcome into God's family the following children who celebrated Baptism in November.

*Hunter Jaxson Cecchini, Liliana Grace DeFranco,
Jake Ryan Manansala, Olivia Leia Raneli,
Alexandra Lynn Scheider*

May their families be blessed daily and enriched by God's grace.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE




Filled grocery bags are due back this weekend, November 17th/18th. Shelter Our Sisters, Meals With A Mission, and the Hasbrouck Heights Food Pantry will benefit from our the Food Drive. As always, thanking you in advance for your generosity to those in need—especially during the Holidays.

THANKSGIVING INTERFAITH SERVICE




Join us with the First Reformed Church this Wednesday, November 21st, at 7pm in the Chapel for an Interfaith Prayer Service to count our blessings this Thanksgiving and always. A free-will offering will be taken. Non-perishable food items will be collected and given to the Hasbrouck Heights Food Pantry. All are welcome to attend.

ROSARY SOCIETY



Our annual Rosarian Christmas party will be Sunday, December 2, from 1-4pm at the Risotto House in Hasbrouck Heights. The ticket price of \$35 includes a full-course dinner with three entrée choices and participation in a gift card exchange game. Members are reminded that donations of gift cards or money can be dropped off or mailed to the Parish Center. We will also have a 50/50 raffle. The **absolute deadline** to purchase a ticket is Monday, November 26. For ticket purchase, call Carol Viceconte at (201) 288-4095. Don't wait—seating is limited.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CLOTHING DRIVE



The Knights of Columbus of Hasbrouck Heights are running a Clothing Drive on Friday, November 23rd. Drop off your items at the Central Avenue parking lot across from the Municipal Building. Donations will be accepted from 10am until 4pm.

 Welcome to Facebook Corpus Christi Parish! Please see our new parish Facebook page and click "Like". Feel free to share the page with friends so they can find out about Corpus Christi.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

**"And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory."
MK 12:33**

We will all have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens and God asks each of us, "What have you done with the gifts that I have given you?" How will you respond?

Save THE Date!

Since September 14th, this local Church of Newark stands at the Cross...

The Church of the Archdiocese of Newark Is inviting all to gather for prayer at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart

**November 30th at 7:30pm
Longing for Light...We Wait in Darkness**

More information to follow...

ADVENT




MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS....

**Advent Reflection Night
December 3rd, 7:30pm**

**Advent Christmas Concert
December 7th, 7:30pm**

**Communal Penance Service
December 10th, 7:30pm
Assumption Church**

ACCTM PIZZA CARD FUNDRAISER



Back by popular demand—ACCTM's Heights Pizza Loyalty Card Fundraiser. Cards are on sale now for \$20 through December 1, 2018. 100% of the \$20 goes directly to our Youth Group. **The card allows you 5 FREE PIZZAS!** Buy 1 pizza, get another free (equal or lesser value) - up to 5 times per card! The card must be used by May 15, 2019. There are a few restrictions: not valid on Fridays, not valid for delivery orders, & cannot be used in conjunction with other Heights Pizza coupons. You can email Cait Seymour at ACCTMyouthministry@gmail.com to purchase the cards. ACCTM thanks you for your continued support.

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.



ANTICIPATED MASS, NOVEMBER 17

5:00 PM Louis Marchitelli

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

8:00 AM Ann Fuhro
 10:00 AM Catherine Picinich
 12:00 NN Filippo Nicastro
 6:00 PM Tom Karwackie

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19

6:30 AM Helen Peitler (Living)
 8:00 AM Perry DelPurgatorio

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

6:30 AM Helen & Edward Peitler (Living)
 8:00 AM Frank Losito

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

6:30 AM Edward Peitler (Living)
 8:00 AM Michael Malley

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22

9:00 AM Eda Bussanich

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23

8:00 AM William McKeever, Jr.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24

8:00 AM Omar Zarzuela (1st Anniv)

ANTICIPATED MASS

5:00 PM Loretta Lynch

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

8:00 AM Angelina Baker
 10:00 AM Anthony Davanzo, Jr.
 12:00 NN Charles Pastor
 6:00 PM People of the Parish

CANDLES FOR THE WEEK

The candles to be burned on our altars this week were donated in loving memory of **Rosemary Fritz** from Linda Tothe.

HOSTS & WINE FOR THE WEEK

The hosts and wine to be consecrated at all the Masses were donated in loving memory of **Mary Ann & Michael Niekrewicz** from children and grandchildren.



PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Please remember the deceased members of our families, friends and community, especially Veronica Napolitano, Teresa Pedraza, Mary Malley

MARTHA'S GROUP



Looking for a good way to give back to God? Why not help clean His home. Volunteers are needed to join Martha's Group. Members clean the Church and Chapel every Monday beginning at 8:30am. More hands make lighter work.

If you are interested please call the Parish Center during business hours.

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 Cocco, Elaine Adamkiewicz

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS....

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

LTWC—10:15 AM/UpCaf
 RCIA—11:15 AM/PC1stFLCR
 Bball—2 PM/Gym

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19

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

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Adoration—11 AM to 11 PM/Adoration Chapel
 Interfaith Thanksgiving Service—7:30 PM/Chapel

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22

All Facilities Closed—Happy Thanksgiving!

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23

All Facilities Closed

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24

Bball—9AM/Gym

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

RCIA—11:15 AM/PC1stFLCR
 Bball—2 PM/Gym



This Sunday, November 18th, is the Youth Group Ministry Recognition Ceremony for the Archdiocese of Newark. It is being held at 3pm at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart. We will be honoring Zachary Hauptman, Indy Stone, Maddy Palladino and Abby Lovatt. Our adult honoree is Janine Colletti for her continued dedication to the Youth Group.

Our next meeting will be on Sunday, December 2nd, at 7pm, at the ECLC. All teens in grades 9-12 are welcome to attend. Hope to see you there!



*It's almost time for our famous bake sale!
 More details to follow next week, but be ready to buy some delicious goodies after the Masses the weekend of Dec. 8th/9th.*