

CHURCH OF CORPUS CHRISTI

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WEEKLY LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday (Vigil of Sunday)4:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
Spanish Mass (3rd Sunday) 1:00 p.m.
Monday12:10 p.m.
Tuesday 12:10 & 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday-Friday 7:00 a.m. & 12:10 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesdays (12:45-3:15 p.m.); Thursdays (7:00 p.m.)

MISSION STATEMENT

As disciples of Jesus, we live our faith through Word, Sacrament, and Service.

Rev. Paul D. Becker, Pastor 255-4600 (ext. 203)
Rev. Raphael Obotama, Parochial Vicar 255-4600 (ext. 211)
Rev. Terry Wipf, Parochial Vicar.....255-4600 (ext. 218)
Tracy Kraft, Parish Manager.....255-4600 (ext. 212)
Loretta Arntz, Business Manager 255-4600 (ext. 201)

PASTORAL MINISTERS

Cindy Anderst, Pastoral Care.....255-4600 (ext. 205)
Jennifer Braun, Music Ministry.....255-4600 (ext. 209)
Mariah Conner, Faith Formation255-4600 (ext. 219)
Mary Janusz, Pastoral Care255-4600 (ext. 220)
Patrick Hall, Confirmation(call office)
Sr. Ivo Schoch, Outreach Ministry255-4600 (ext. 208)

DEACONS: Michael Fix, Lonnie Grabowska, Rex McDowall

PARISH SUPPORT STAFF

Jane Bosch, Kitchen Manager..... 255-4600
Viola Bullert, Janitress 255-4600
Niel Heinze, Maintenance Technician 255-4600
Bridget Johnson, Bookkeeper/Receptionist 255-4600



JANUARY 17, 2016

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation - Saturdays at 3:00 p.m., Weekdays: 15 minutes prior to Mass or please call the pastor at 255-4600 for an appointment.

Baptism - The Baptism Preparation Program and Baptism Schedule are by arrangement. Please call the parish office at 255-4600 to register prior to your delivery date and the program director will return your call. Parents must be registered at Corpus Christi or have permission from their parish.

Marriage - Couples planning to be married should call the parish office at 255-4600 at least four months in advance. Completion of required paperwork and taking the FOCCUS premarital inventory is also needed this early. This process is usually administered the fourth Thursday of each month from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Next FOCCUS meeting will be Thursday, January 28, 2016. The February FOCCUS will be on February 18, 2016.

Persons wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith may call Tracy Kraft at 255-4600.

PARISH BULLETIN DEADLINE: Articles must be received by noon on Wednesdays (*typed format*).

PRAYER TREE: 255-4600

Free ministry for traveling Catholics. For nationwide Mass times and locations, call: 1-410-676-6000 or on the internet: www.Masstimes.org.

Not on the list. People have a list for everything these days. Simple hand written grocery lists have evolved into hand held personal assistants. Our days are diced into 15 minutes sections, each prioritized and labeled for easy use. An efficient way to manage time, perhaps, but is it any way to live? Take a minute and think about your own to-do lists. Any entries labeled, "Watch for Jesus' coming?" What about "pray" or "read God's word"? Well, at least there's "attend church", right? Hmm. According to our planners we've deprioritized God. We've lost the spiritual hunger Andrew had as he searched for the Messiah. Pausing on the street corners of our lives, Jesus could walk past unrecognized while we're checking off another "done" item. And we're simply too tired to follow Jesus home if it means another commute back home. It's a sad state of affairs today when God goes begging for a single hour of the day He created. This week let's stop time managing and start living, for God and with God, every day and every hour.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, Jan. 18- ✠ Joseph Kisch (12:10 p.m.)

Tuesday, Jan. 19- ✠ Gary Arntz (12:10 p.m.)

✠ Judy Blank (5:30 p.m.)

*Wednesday, Jan. 20- ✠ Jim and Yvonne Hurkes family
(7:00 a.m.)*

✠ Eleanor Jahner (12:10 p.m.)

Thursday, Jan. 21- ✠ Yvonne Hurkes (7:00 a.m.)

✠ Rosemary Schmaltz (12:10 p.m.)

Friday, Jan. 22- ✠ Keith Zastoupil (7:00 a.m.)

✠ Leona Pinks (12:10 p.m.)

Saturday, Jan. 23- Phyllis Lentz (4:00 p.m.)

Sunday, Jan. 24- ✠ Ray Goetz (8:30 a.m.)

✠ Keith Zastoupil (10:45 p.m.)

Stewardship Views: Give of your time, talent, and treasure until your heart knows that you have done something for God.

Vocation Views: God's Spirit is given to each person for the common good. What are your gifts? Are you willing to share them for the good of others? (1 Corinthians 12:4-11)

CONTRIBUTIONS (GENERAL FUND) - (2,143 households)	
Adult Envelopes (374).....	\$17,593.35
Youth Envelopes	\$ 137.15
TOTAL RECEIVED (January 10)	\$17,730.50
1st Sunday.....	\$19,714.92
Solemnity of Mary.....	\$ 8,493.69
Electronic Contributions (134)	\$12,131.56
2nd Sunday	\$17,730.50
3rd Sunday	\$ 0
Electronic Contributions	\$ 0
Spanish Mass	\$ 0
4th Sunday	\$ 0

We appreciate your generosity which is part of being faithful stewards of Corpus Christi.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION. Tuesdays 12:45-3:15 p.m. (private, quiet time, incense free) with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3:00 p.m. All are welcome to spend time in Jesus' awesome Eucharistic presence. Eucharistic Adoration (Benediction, Rosary and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy) is also available Thursdays with Father Terry from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

February 11, 2016

Pope Francis celebrates the 24th World Day of the Sick with a Eucharistic Liturgy, Thursday, February 11 in the Holy Land.

Our church, the Church of Corpus Christi will have a Mass, Thursday, February 11, 2016 at 12:10 p.m. All are invited: the sick, the caretakers, those with infirmities, those wishing to remember and pray with the sick.

Come, attend this Mass to be blessed, to be a blessing, and to support and pray with one another.

We ask Jesus in his mercy, through the intercession of Mary, his Mother and ours, to grant to all of us this same readiness to serve those in need, and in particular, our infirmed brothers and sisters.

The Sacrament of Anointing will be available following this mass.

COME HEAR THE ORGAN! Dr. Beverly Everett, Director of the Bismarck-Mandan Symphony as well as organist, will join us for the 8:30 a.m. mass next Sunday, January 24. She will play several selections. We invite you to come and hear the beautiful sounds of our Rodgers Organ.

Adult Enrichment Classes

There will be NO Adult Enrichment Series this Sunday, but it will resume next Sunday, January 24. The topic will be *Effects of Pornography in Marriage*. Come and join us as Dr. Link speaks on this topic.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Corpus Christi is in need of volunteers to help out with some duties around the church. Please call the office at 255-4600 if you are interested in giving of your time to serve Corpus Christi.

Weekday Altar Server:



Assist with the set up of the altar and sacred vessels in preparation for daily Mass. Training is provided. Rotating schedule.

Weekend Ushers

Extend hospitality, take up collection and assist with seating people at Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule.

Good Samaritan Nursing Home Communion Service

Our Parish does Mass and/or Communion Service at Good Samaritan Nursing Home on Lorrain Drive, on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. We are in need of someone for this once a month from February through August. Training provided. If interested, call Sr. Ivo at 255-4600.



Lenten Luncheon Cooks, Servers, and Dishwashers

We need your help to bring back our Lenten Lunch program this year. Our Lenten lunches are Monday through Friday after our 12:10 p.m. daily mass. These Lenten meals have been very well received in the past and meet an important need in our parish community. The first meal would be Ash Wednesday, February 10, and we would be serving lunches through Wednesday, March 23. In



order to continue this Lenten tradition, we need people that are willing to assist us. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Tracy in the parish office at 255-4600.

What's Going on Here This Week

- Tues. 1/19 Quilters, 9:00 a.m., Community Room
Eucharistic Adoration, 12:45-3:15 p.m., Chapel
- Wed. 1/20 Faith Formation, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30 p.m.
Children's Choir, 4:30 p.m., Choir Room
Confirmation, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Conference Room
Pre-Confirmation, 7:00 p.m., Community Room
- Thurs. 1/21 Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Community Room
Eucharistic Adoration, 7:00 p.m., Chapel
- Sat. 1/23 First Reconciliation Retreat,
8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Church Proper
- Sun. 1/24 Faith Formation, 8:30, 9:40 a.m.
Adult Enrichment Series, 9:40 a.m., Parish Hall
Children's Liturgy, 10:45 a.m., Community Room
Praise and Worship Choir, 5:15 p.m.
SNAC, 7:30 p.m., Room 140

Coming up in the Area

St. Mary's High School Carnival

This year's annual carnival event to support Catholic Education in the Bismarck area is **February 5-7**. Corpus Christi, along with the other four Bismarck parishes, are joining together in an effort to make the 65th Anniversary of the carnival the most successful one yet and we need your help.

We need volunteers to help with Corpus Christi's meals and midway games. Please stop by the sign up table downstairs after mass and see where you might be able to help. Thank You!

Donations are also needed for baked goods for the **Bake Sale**. Cakes or cupcakes for the **Cake Walk**, these can be dropped off on Friday, February 5, beginning at 12:00 p.m at St. Mary's High School. Also needed are books for the **Book Room**, and these can be dropped off beginning Monday, February 1, at a storage trailer in the parking lot of St. Mary's High School near the NE door. If you have any questions about donations, please call Rita Ritter at 258-9141, or 226-2882.

SMCHS Carnival Early Raffle Ticket Sales:
This week's winner: Mr. Dennis Prochnow



Tired of listening to the same stuff on the radio or television? Try listening to one of our many CDs when taking a car trip or while doing your chores.

FINDING TRUE HAPPINESS - by Fulton Sheen: In addition to addressing the topic of joy vs. pleasure in *Finding True Happiness*, Fulton Sheen also helps us gain the right perspective on things such as loneliness and the secret of sanctity. This brings us to our ultimate purpose, which is found in God alone. Only by losing oneself in God will we find our true selves - and true happiness along with it.



**This book can be found in the CD/bookstand in the lower gathering area.
A \$3.00 donation is suggested for each CD/book to help us continue this program.**

Welcome! We thank you for choosing to worship with us today and hope that you will return often. If you do not belong to a parish, we hope you will consider the Church of Corpus Christi. You may call the parish office at 255-4600 to register.

Date: Jan 23-24		January 23, 2016		January 24, 2016		January 24, 2016		January 24, 2016
		4:00 PM		8:30 AM		10:45 AM		6:30 PM
Hospitality	1		1	Helen Werlinger	1	Brandy Herner	1	Doug Kostuck
	2		2	Elsie Volk	2	Donna Howe	2	
	3		3	Donna Schauer	3	Mary Sieverson	3	
	4		4		4	Bonnie Ziemann	4	
	5		5		5	Aurora Zainhofsky	5	
	6		6		6	Sarah Zainhofsky	6	
Ushers	1	Gisele Thorson*	1	Jerome Werlinger	1	Donald Williams	1	Darcy Neigum*
	2	Bob Clooten	2	Jim Volk	2	Rick Kaufman	2	Mike Uhler
	3	Joyce Hinman	3	Robert Schauer	3	Blaine Zainhofsky	3	
	4		4	Denver Jorgenson	4	Trenton Zainhofsky	4	
	5		5	Bobbi Jorgenson	5			
	6		6		6			
	7		7		7			
Lectors	1	Steve McNichols	1	Amy Wurth	1	Paul Verlinde	1	Jo Kralicek
	2		2	Norita Kress	2	Shirley Bachmeier	2	Gerri Weisgerber
Servers	1		1	Alex Brady	1	Christian Wolf	1	
	2		2		2	Nathan Kraft	2	
Eucharistic Min		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST
	R-1	Quirin Friese	R-1	Catherine Williams	R-1	James Ridley	R-1	Mary Reiser
	2	Curtis Carik	2	Francis Williams	2	Rosemary Ridley	2	Cheryl Nieuwsma
	3	Barbara Carter	3	Wayne Triska	3	Kay Williams	3	Blaine Nelson
	4	Amy Schwengler	4	Jim Rudnick	4	Kathleen Wood	4	
	5	Evelyn Spangler	5	Dana Rudnick	5	Phyllis Lentz	5	
	6	Gary Yantzer	6	Gerald Mathern	6		6	
	7	Joyce Yantzer	7	Pamela Mathern	7		7	Father Raphael
	8	Alvin Nagel	8	Cindy Solberg	8		8	
	9	Father Paul	9	Father Terry	9	Father Paul		
	10	Phyllis Lentz	10		10			
	11				11			
	12				12			
	LG		LG		LG		LG	
		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST
	1	Lorraine Hoffman	1	Coralie Fix	1	Shonda Wild	1	Darcy Neigum
	2	Diane Jones	2	Danell Becker	2	Pat Hermanson	2	Jane Greer
	3	Tom Jones	3	Joseph Becker	3		3	Jim Luptak
	4	Judith Kopp	4	Norita Kress	4		4	Veronica Fernow
	5	William Kopp	5	Patty Kuntz	5		5	
	6		6	Tim Kuntz	6		6	
	7	Deacon	7	Deacon	7	Deacon	7	Deacon
	8		8	Bess Deutsch	8		8	
	9		9		9			
	10		10		10			
	11				11			
	12				12			

Can you help? The blank spaces mean we need more help in that ministry. Please come to the ushers room and sign in on the schedule to help. Thank you.

The Holy Father Speaks. . . "This word 'love' is a word that is used so many times and when we use it we don't know exactly what it means. What is love?" the Pope said. The Pope dedicated his homily to the topic of mercy. He focused today's reflections on the passage in the First Letter of St. John when the Apostle tells his readers that "God is love." "At times," the Pope said, "we can think real love is the kind we see in soap operas, but that doesn't appear to be love. For others, love can seem like having a crush on someone, but that feeling eventually fades away," he noted, and asked where the source of true love can be found. "Whoever loves has been created by God because God is love," he said, and cautioned against a mistaken notion that "Every love is God. No, God is love." Francis went on to describe how God is the one who loved us first. The Apostle John provides numerous examples of this in the Gospel, he said, pointing specifically to Jesus' multiplication of the loaves and fish and to the parable of the Prodigal Son as examples. "When we have something on our mind and we want to ask God to forgive us, it's he who is waiting for us - to forgive us," the Pope said, explaining that the current Jubilee of Mercy is a means of being assured that 'our Lord is waiting for us, each one of us.' "The reason," he said, "is to embrace us. Nothing more. To say to us: son, daughter, I love you. I let my Son be crucified for you: this is the price of my love, this is the gift of my love." He encouraged attendees to go to the Lord and tell him how much they love him. If a person feels that they are unable to say that, Francis told them instead to say something to the effect of "you know Lord that I would like to love you but I am such a bad sinner." "When God hears this," the Pope said, "he will do the same as he did with the prodigal son who squandered all his money on vices: he won't let you finish your speech and with an embrace will silence you. The embrace of God's love."

Marriage Moments: Spiritual Gifts include: wisdom, knowledge, faith, healing, accomplishments, prophecy, good judgement, communication skills, understanding... (1 Cor 12:4-11) Which of these gifts is your beloved especially good at?

Parenting Pointers: "How, in this materialistic, competitive world, can I raise kind children? ...Begin by being a kind adult. When your child sees you go the extra mile to help a friend, carry someone's groceries, or invite people into your life who aren't exactly like your, your child will see loving kindness as the natural way to live." (Mimi Doe).....*Susan Vogt @ www.SusanVogt.net*

Grow Your Faith in 2016

With the New Year of 2016 comes hope for a new beginning. What a perfect time to resolve to strengthen your Catholic faith life. Here are a few ideas to get started.

6. **Make a visit to the Church of Corpus Christi or the chapel for private prayer** - Stop by the church as you go to work or come home for the day. Spend a short time with Jesus in prayer.
7. **Attend Adoration of the Eucharist on a weekly basis** - We offer adoration on Tuesday afternoons from 12:45-3:15 p.m. and Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:00 p.m. Praying before the Blessed Sacrament is one of the most powerful means of prayer.

Watch the bulletin for new ideas each week!

SHINE with Light of Christ Catholic Schools

Registration for the 2016-2017 school year is NOW OPEN! We offer classes for Pre-K (ages 3-5), Kindergarten, Grades 1-6, 7th and 8th Grade Academy and High School. Apply online now at lightofchristsschools.org or call 354-7067 for a private tour or shadow day.

CORPUS CHRISTI FOOD PANTRY STATISTICS

From January 1 to December 31, 2015, we have served 927 households which amounts to 36,589.44 pounds of food to 1815 adults, 1507 children, and 55 senior citizens. Thank you to all who have donated or volunteered in the food pantry this year and past years.