

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, Administrative Assistant 255-4600
Colleen Reinhardt, Receptionist 255-4600



March 13, 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.

Natural Family Planning Classes are offered by the Bismarck Diocese. The methods offered are Billings Ovulation Method, Creighton Model Fertility Care System, Marquette Model and Sympto-Thermal Methods. If you have questions about NFP please contact the Diocese of Bismarck at 222-3035 or www.bismarckdiocese.com/nfp.

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

Never too late. We all have a point of “no return”. The time when we give up hope and simply accept. It may come quickly or slowly, but every human has their breaking point. To go beyond that is simply unthinkable. But God has a different point of view. His eyes see farther than ours and only He knows the true possibilities. Time and again in scripture God arrives on the scene when His children have already given up and with a single word He changes everything. Think of Lazarus dead in the tomb for four days. Family and friends knew there was nothing to be done except mourn and adjust. Yet when Jesus arrives “too late” Martha has a better idea. She approaches Jesus with faith instead of doubt. And her trust in His power put a miracle in motion. Martha’s great faith teaches us a vital lesson in these difficult days. When is it too late to ask the Lord’s help? Never.

CONTRIBUTIONS (GENERAL FUND) - (2,143 households)	
Adult Envelopes (444)	\$22,337.26
Youth Envelopes	\$ 254.05
TOTAL RECEIVED (March 6)	\$22,591.31
1st Sunday	\$22,591.31
Electronic Contributions (134)	\$12,141.56
2nd Sunday	\$ 0
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.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, Mar. 14- †George & Anastasia Lauinger (7:00 a.m.)
 †Floyd & Eleanor Rixen (12:10 p.m.)

Tuesday, Mar. 15- †George & Anastasia Lauinger (7:00 a.m.)
 †James Hammes (12:10 p.m.)
 †Anton Glatt (5:30 p.m.)

Wednesday, Mar. 16- †Rosemary Schmaltz (7:00 a.m.)
 †Michael T. Fischer (12:10 p.m.)

Thursday, Mar. 17- †James Miller (7:00 a.m.)
 †Msgr. Walsh (12:10 p.m.)

Friday, Mar. 18- †Felix Miller (7:00 a.m.)
 Phyllis Lentz (12:10 p.m.)

Saturday, Mar. 19- †Emilia Kreitinger (4:00 p.m.)

Sunday, Mar. 20- †Raymond Goetz (8:30 a.m.)
 Phyllis Lentz (10:45 a.m.)

SPANISH MASS

Please join us to celebrate the Sacred Mass in Spanish. When? Every third Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM. The next one will take place on March 20. Where? At the Church of Corpus Christ (1919 N. 2nd St., Bismarck) Questions? Contact Father Terry Wipf (701-226-1609 / twipf@bismarckdiocese.com)

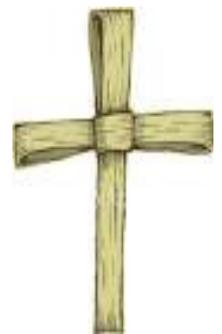
OPERATION RICE BOWL

Hungering to Grow a New Tomorrow. This week’s CRS Rice Bowl country is the island nation of Madagascar, where we’re reminded of the important roll farmers play in caring for God’s creation. As we prepare our meals throughout the week, let us reflect on where our food comes from - and what role we can play in caring for our environment. Visit crsricebowl.org for more.



PALM WEAVING

One of the fascinating traditions families do for Palm Sunday is to create decorative designs using palms. We are looking for some palm weavers who would be interested in helping teach palm weaving here at Corpus Christi on Monday evening, March 21. If you are interested in teaching or learning this fascinating tradition, please call Mary Janusz at 255-4600 or email Mary.Janusz@corpuschristibismarck.com



Vocation Views: God continues to open a way for us. How is God doing something new in your life? Perhaps God is inviting you to be a priest or religious vocation. (Isaiah 43:16-21)

REDISCOVER YOUR FAITH SERIES

We will NOT be having the "Rediscovering Our Faith" Series again until after Easter. The next Sunday session will be April 3 and will reflect on *The Paschal Mystery: The Mystery of Jesus' Death & Resurrection*. Through Jesus' death on the cross, God reveals himself most profoundly as the God who is love. Christ's sacrificial love saves us from sin and shows us the pathway to true human happiness. We are made to live like Christ in total self-giving love.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Here is a list of upcoming High School Youth Ministry Events at Corpus Christi. If you are interested or want more information on any of these events, please call Tracy at 255-4600 or email Tracy.Kraft@corpuschristibismarck.com.

- March 18 Fish Fry
- March 24-25 Holy Thursday Lock-in
- July 14-17 Stuebenville in Rochester, MN

Fish Fries. Our final fish fry will be on March 18. This has been an excellent fundraiser for our youth ministry events and also a great way to participate in a meaningful ministry for the parish. Sign-up sheets for working Fish Fries or bringing desserts are located on the table in the lower gathering space of the church. Thanks to everyone who has donated baked goods or their time volunteering for these nights. Shifts are usually 4:00-8:00 p.m. each Friday. All are welcome.



K.C. Breakfast at Corpus Christi

Sunday, March 20
(9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.)

Serving pancakes, sausage and eggs.

Proceeds will benefit:
Home on the Range and Special Olympics



Registration is now open for the 2016-2017 school year at Light of Christ Catholic School. Classes offered are Pre-K (ages 3-5), Kindergarten, Grades 1-6, 7-8 Grade Academy, and High School. Apply online now at lightofchristschools.org or call 354-7067 for a private tour or shadow day.

What's Going on Here This Week

- Mon. 3/14 Lenten Lunch, 12:40 p.m., Parish Hall
- Tues. 3/15 Quilters, 9:00 a.m., Community Room
Lenten Lunch, 12:40 p.m., Parish Hall
Eucharistic Adoration, 12:45-3:15 p.m., Chapel
- Wed. 3/16 Lenten Lunch, 12:40 p.m., Parish Hall
Road to Resurrection Holy Week Experience, 4:00-9:00 p.m.
Children's Choir, 4:30 p.m., Choir Room
Sacrament of Reconciliation, 5:30-7:00 p.m.
Confirmation, 6:00-8:00 p.m., Conference Room
Pre-Confirmation, 7:00 p.m., Community Room
Middle School Youth Ministry, 7:00 p.m., Parish Hall
- Thurs. 3/17 Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Community Room
Lenten Lunch, 12:40 p.m., Parish Hall
St. Gerard's Guild, 1:00 p.m., Community Room
Eucharistic Adoration/Stations, 7:00 p.m.
Handbell Choir, 6:30-8:00 p.m., Choir Room
- Fri. 3/18 Lenten Lunch, 12:40 p.m., Parish Hall
Fish Fry, 5:00-7:00 p.m., Parish Hall
Stations of the Cross, 5:30 p.m., Church
- Sun. 3/20 K.C. Breakfast, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Parish Hall
Spanish Mass, 1:00 p.m.
Praise and Worship Choir, 5:15 p.m.
SNAC, 7:30 p.m., Room 140

Attention Music Lovers: We need you in the handbell choir! Open to anyone in grades 9-12 and adults. Ability to read music is helpful, but not necessary. Practice is once a week for 60-90 minutes. Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. For more information call Jennifer at 255-4600.

HOLY WEEK

Please stop in the ushers room to sign up for the Holy Week masses. Also, help is needed to prepare our church for Holy Week and Easter. Dates: **Wednesday, March 23** (1:00 p.m.) ... to prepare for Holy Thursday. **Friday, March 25** (9:00 a.m.)... to prepare for Good Friday, **Friday, March 25** (7:00 p.m.)... & **Saturday March 26** (9:00 a.m.) to prepare for Easter Vigil. Please come and help at one of several of these preparation times. Meet in the church to change banners, to arrange plants.... and do whatever else is needed.

Help us prepare Corpus Christi Church for Easter by donating money or flowers. You may place your monetary donation in the collection basket or bring it to the parish office. Be sure to designate your donation to "Easter Flower" and include the name(s) for the memorial(s). If you choose to purchase an Easter lily or azalea instead, please be sure to bring them to the church (upper gathering space, hallway near the elevator) between March 21-25.

Thank you for helping us make our Easter Liturgical Environment SPECIAL!

Participate in daily almsgiving this Lent by bringing food to help fill the shelves of our food pantry. Your donations can be placed in the boxes in the upper and lower gathering spaces or on the tables in the center of the church.



Essential items needed are:

Week 1: Pancake Mix and Syrup, Week 2: Hamburger Helper and Canned Vegetables, Week 3: Noodles and Pasta Sauce, Week 4: Instant Potatoes and Rice, Week 5: Peanut Butter and Cereal, Week 6: Canned Meat and Soup

Welcome! Thank you for choosing to worship with us today and we hope you will return often. If you do not belong to a parish, please consider choosing Corpus Christi as your church home. You may call the parish office at 255-4600 to register.

Date: Mar 19-20	March 19, 2016		March 20, 2016		March 20, 2016		March 20, 2016	
	4:00 PM		8:30 AM		10:45 AM		6:30 PM	
Hospitality	1 Dorothy Hoffman	1 Helen Dauenhauer	1 Mary Klooster	1 Noah Anderson	2 Jan Jordan	2 Olivia Anderson		
	2	2	2		3 Patty Kuntz	3		
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Ushers	1 William Kopp*	1 Tim Kuntz*	1 Kevin Willis	1 Doug Sautner*	2 Judith Kopp	2 Daryl Wanner	2 Mike Anderson	
	2	2	2		3 Larry Thelen	3 Nancy Willis	3 Lorelei Anderson	
	3	3	3		4 Phyllis Roemmich	4 Don Hruby	4	
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Lectors	1 Joellen Roller	1 Dominic Volesky	1 Brian Lardy	1 Bart Brackin	2 Sandy Wald Clooten	2 Tracy Vearrier	2 Nikki Ferderer	2 Courtney Brackin
Servers	1 Irie Townsend	1 Brandon Grossman	1 Kyle Schatz	1 Mikayla Brackin	2	2	2 Nathan Kraft	2
Eucharistic Min	BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST	
	R-1 Helen Berger	R-1 Dominic Volesky	R-1 Yvonne Richter	R-1 Mike Uhler	2 Marion Hoffman	2 Brenda Bergan	2 Steven Wangler	2 Clara Butland
	3 Kathy Sailer	3 Bobbi Mitzel	3 Anthony Silvernagel Jr.	3	4 Jane Wolf	4 Donald Jorgensen	4 Sherry Wangler	4
	4	4	4		5 Joe Wolf	5 John Schaffner	5 Clarence Fischer	5
	5	5	5		6 Phyllis Lentz	6 Julie Schaffner	6 Mark Lardy	6
	6	6	6		7 Erv Barta	7 Laura Schmidt-Dockter	7 Phyllis Lentz	7 Father Raphael
	7	7	7		8	8 Kermit Herner	8 Rita Klemin	8
	8	8	8		9 Father Paul	9 Father Terry	9 Father Paul	
	9	9	9		10	10	10 Larry Klemin	
	10	10	10		11	11	11 Christopher Knudson	
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	BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST	
	1 Curtis Carik	1 Donna Schauer	1 Taylor Wanner	1 Jackie Buckley	2 Gisele Thorson	2 Dick Smith	2 Susan Lardy	2
	2	2	2		3 Suzanne Witkowski	3 Robert Schauer	3 Marsha Wanner	3
	3	3	3		4 Les Witkowski	4 Gerald VandeWalle	4 Jackie Mrachek	4
	4	4	4		5	5 Tracy Vearrier	5 Morgan Wanner	5
	5	5	5		6	6 Charlie Deichert	6 Diana James	6
	6	6	6		7 Deacon	7 Deacon	7 Deacon	7 Deacon
	7	7	7		8	8	8 Brenda Weisz	8
	8	8	8		9	9	9 Bill Marion	
	9				10	10		
	10				11	11	11 Cindy Wetzel	
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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.

All Are Welcome!

Please join us in singing during Holy Week

If you would like to sing during Holy Week, practices are as follows:

....**Holy Thursday** practice is: **Tuesday, March 22** from 6:00-7:00 p.m.

....**Good Friday** practice is: **Tuesday, March 22** from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

....**Easter Vigil** practices is: **Monday, March 21** from 6:00-7:30 p.m.

....**Easter Sunday (9:00 a.m.)** practices are: **Wednesdays, March 16** from 6:00-7:00 p.m.
and **March 23** from 6:00-7:30 p.m.

All Teens and Adults Welcome!!

Questions? Call Jennifer at 255-4600 or e-mail Jennifer.Braun@corpuschristibismarck.com

Marriage Moments: Adultery is a tragic offense against one's marriage vow. Yet, Jesus says, "Has no one condemned you?...Neither do I condemn you." (Jn. 8:11) It doesn't make an awful act right, but Jesus' response is mercy. Is there anything big or small that needs mercy in your marriage?

Parenting Pointers: Jesus fed the hungry and bids us to do the same. (Mt. 25:35) But people need pots, pans, and other kitchen utensils to cook meals to feed themselves. Do you have any duplicate kitchen supplies that you can pass on to a needy family; or a newly arrived immigrant?SusanVogt@www.SusanVogt.net

CITY WIDE PENANCE SERVICES

Sunday, March 20 - St. Anne's (3:00 p.m.); Monday, March 21 - St. Mary's (7:00 p.m.)
Tuesday, March 22 - Ascension (7:00 p.m.); Wednesday, March 23 - Cathedral (7:00 p.m.)

THE TIME HAS CHANGED FOR THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION ON MARCH 16. IT WILL BE FROM 5:30 TO 7:00 P.M.

A Journey to Emmaus: Education and Training Program for Spiritual Directors

A Journey to Emmaus is a two-year education and training program for those who are discerning a call to become a spiritual director. Whether or not becoming a spiritual director is the desired end result, participation is welcome. The program is a time of deepening one's spiritual growth and increasing the understanding of God's Presence in self and others. This program will be offered at Annunciation Monastery, 7520 University Drive, Bismarck, ND, beginning in September 2016. For more information, contact one of the facilitators, Zanne Ness at 701-426-7341 or Claudia Dietrich at 701-426-6099. The deadline to apply is April 1.

Thank you for generously supporting our Mission Team with your prayers and gifts to the African Mission Appeal last weekend. Your gifts will help Brent and Jessica Naslund and their children, Cameron and Chloe, minister to our brothers and sisters in Kisii, Kenya, East Africa. If you were unable to give a gift last weekend, please do so today. Make your gift payable to the "African Mission Appeal" and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. If you are interested in serving as a member of the Diocesan Mission Team call the Diocese of Bismarck at 222-3035.

Upcoming Bible Study - "Welcome to the Feast: The Story of the Eucharist in Scripture"

A five week DVD bible study series led by Cindy Anderst and Bess Deutsch will begin Monday evenings starting March 28-April 25 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Corpus Christi Community Room. This study will enrich the Eucharistic understanding of those who are new to the faith and of Catholics who have been at the table of the Lord for years. After participating in this study, you should have a greater appreciation for the Mass and the Eucharist. The cost of the book and study guide is \$18. For more information and to register, contact Cindy Anderst in the parish office at 701-255-4600. Registration deadline is March 21st in order to allow time for materials to arrive.

