

# 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.**  
Monday .....12:10 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)

## **PASTORAL MINISTERS**

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

**DEACONS:** Michael Fix, Lonnie Grabowska, Rex McDowall

## **PARISH SUPPORT STAFF**

Loretta Arntz, Bookkeeper ..... 255-4600 (ext. 201)  
Jane Bosch, Kitchen Manager..... 255-4600  
Viola Bullert, Janitress ..... 255-4600  
Niel Heinze, Maintenance Technician ..... 255-4600  
Bridget Johnson, Administrative Secretary..... 255-4600  
Colleen Reinhardt, Receptionist ..... 255-4600



## May 22, 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. If you are homebound and unable to come to the Church and need a priest to come to your home for confession, please call 255-4600 to set this up.

**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](http://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

**WHAT DOES THE TRINITY MEAN TO US?**

**“We believe in one Father”:** Yet look at the world and see what we accept and who we reject, who we love and who we hate. With such division and derision, can we really believe that we are all children of one Father?

**“We Believe in one Son”:** Yet walk through the streets and see the starving, the homeless, the sick, while others live in luxury or excess. Do we really believe they all have the same Brother as we?

**“We believe in one Spirit”:** Yet watch those who give selflessly in compassion, while others sit idle and carefree. Are we really hearing and serving with the same Spirit?

To believe in the Trinity is not to believe in a thing, an object, a model, a definition or an idol. To believe in the Trinity means to believe in action, in dynamic revolutionary force, in a power that can change the face of this earth. And if this belief does not bring that change, that power, that force into your own heart, why do you say you believe?

**Stewardship Thought:** How much you have has nothing to do with generosity to God. If you don't give of your time, talent and treasure with what you already have, you most likely won't do it if you have more.

**Vocation Views:** The love of God is being poured forth into our hearts. Open yourself to receive and share that love. Is God calling you to spread love through a Church vocation? (Romans 5:1-5)

**Guidelines when Hospitalized**

The Catholic Church is concerned for those who are ill. The Church desires that they receive prayers and support during their illness. You may call the church to request receiving the Sacrament of the Sick either before you go to the hospital or during your time in the hospital. If you are a patient, or going to be a patient at CHI St. Alexius or Sanford and would like to be assured of a visit from the church, we ask you to call 255-4600 to let the office know that you are hospitalized and what hospital and room number you are in. If you have informed the hospital that you are a member of the Church of Corpus Christi and it is in their records, we may visit as well.



CONTRIBUTIONS (GENERAL FUND) - (2,184 households)	
Adult Envelopes (396) . . . . .	\$19,739.81
Spanish Mass . . . . .	\$ 183.00
Youth Envelopes . . . . .	\$ <u>166.10</u>
TOTAL RECEIVED (May 15) . . . . .	\$20,088.91
1st Sunday . . . . .	\$25,031.76
Electronic Contributions (134) . . . . .	\$12,466.56
2nd Sunday . . . . .	\$17,976.69
3rd Sunday . . . . .	\$20,088.91
Electronic Contributions (97) . . . . .	\$ 8,753.56
Spanish Mass . . . . .	\$ 183.00
4th Sunday . . . . .	\$ 0
<i>We appreciate your generosity which is part of being faithful stewards of Corpus Christi.</i>	

**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.

<u><b>Weekly Mass Intentions</b></u>	
<i>Monday, May 23- †George &amp; Irene Lauinger (12:10 p.m.)</i>	
<i>Tuesday, May 24- †Gary Arntz (12:10 p.m.)</i>	
<i>†Leroy Trottier (5:30 p.m.)</i>	
<i>Wednesday, May 25- Dorothy &amp; †Jack Zentner (7:00 a.m.)</i>	
<i>†Clara Stein (12:10 p.m.)</i>	
<i>Thursday, May 26- Duane Smith Family (7:00 a.m.)</i>	
<i>†MaryAnn Rausch (12:10 p.m.)</i>	
<i>Friday, May 27- †Greg Becker (7:00 a.m.)</i>	
<i>Phyllis Lentz (12:10 p.m.)</i>	
<i>Saturday, May 28- Maggie Volk (4:00 p.m.)</i>	
<i>Sunday, May 29- †Agnes Mosset (8:30 a.m.)</i>	
<i>Mary Brendel (10:45 a.m.)</i>	

**MASS JOURNAL**

More than a decade ago Matthew Kelly created the idea of a Mass Journal. He suggests when you walk into Mass, simply ask God in the quiet of your heart, **“God, show me one way in this Mass that I can become a better version of myself this week.”** Listen to what God is saying to you in the music, through the readings, in the homily. Once it is revealed to you, spend the rest of the Mass praying about how you can live that one thing in the coming week. He suggests writing this in a small journal to help you remember, and you can refer back to this. Mass Journals are available for \$3 on the magazine rack in the lower level of the church.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2016

Where kids get connected with the ultimate Guiding Light - JESUS!

June 8th-10th

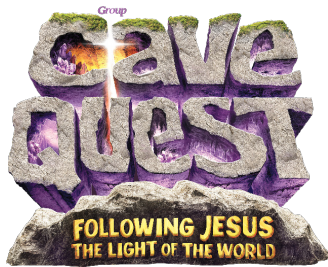
Wednesday and Thursday 8:30am-3:30pm  
Friday 8:30am-1pm

We will conclude with Mass and lunch for the whole family on Friday beginning at 12:00pm

Who is it for: Children in preschool-grade 5

Crew leaders (young people who have completed 5th grade) and adult leaders are needed to facilitate the activities.

Registration forms are on the parish website or can also be found in the Lower Gathering Space. For any questions please call Mariah Conner at 255-4600.



**CALLING ALL BAKERS.** Cakes/cupcakes are needed for our End-of-the-Year Faith Formation celebration cake walk on May 25th. Please bring to Parish Hall anytime that day.

### Aloha my friends!!!

Come and join us for our "End-of-the-Year Faith Formation Celebration Luau," Wednesday, May 25 from 5:30-7:30 pm at Corpus Christi. There will be supper, games, a photo booth, and so much more. Throw on your hula skirts or Hawaiian shirts and help us celebrate another wonderful year.



**THANK YOU** to all of our volunteers who served a hot meal to the elderly, homeless, lonely and needy members of our community last Thursday at the Banquet at Trinity Lutheran Church. Your generosity of spirit is greatly appreciated.

## What's Going on Here This Week

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| Tues. 5/24  | Quilters, 9:00 a.m., Community Room<br>Eucharistic Adoration, 12:45-3:15 p.m., Chapel    |
| Wed. 5/25   | End of Year Faith Formation Celebration Luau, 5:30-7:30 p.m.                             |
| Thurs. 5/26 | Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Community Room<br>Eucharistic Adoration, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Chapel |
| Sun. 5/29   | Praise and Worship Choir, 5:15 p.m.<br>SNAC, 7:30 p.m., Room 140                         |

## COMING UP IN THE AREA

**1st Annual Diocesan Mass for Expectant Parents** will be held on Tuesday, May 24 at 6:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit with Bishop Kagan presiding.

### St. Mary's Cemetery Fund Drive

The annual collection to help fund the only Catholic Cemetery in Bismarck-Mandan will take place the week of May 23. You will receive in your mail some updated information and an envelope to make your contribution to the Cemetery. St. Mary's Cemetery has provided 8,436 burials as of April 2016. Due to your generosity last year, we were able to replace equipment and complete our sprinkler system upgrade. We are still working on our next expansion for needed burial lots for the future. Watch for this mailing and help us maintain this beautiful and prayerful place for our loved ones.

Our annual service of remembrance at St. Mary's Cemetery will take place near the cross and flagpole on the hill on Wednesday, May 25 at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome.

### Divine Mercy Videos

We will offer an opportunity to view Father Michael Gaitley's 10 week video series on Divine Mercy. This is the video series offered on the FORMED website. These short videos will be shown in the Community Room on Wednesday mornings from 11:00-11:30 a.m. beginning on May 25 through July 27. There is no charge for this event. We hope you join us during this Year of Mercy to learn of God's love and mercy. For questions please contact Cindy or Mary in the Church of Copus Christi parish office at 255-4600.

*The Holy Father Speaks...* If you say you are in communion with the Lord, then walk in the light and say "no" to double lives! Not that! The lie that we are so used to seeing and where we too sometimes fall (into temptation), don't we? To say one thing and do another, right? It's the never ending temptation. And we know where that lie comes from: in the Bible, Jesus calls the devil 'the father of lies', the liar. It's for this reason that this grandfather says with infinite tenderness and meekness to the 'adolescent' Church: 'Don't be a liar! You are in communion with God, walk in the Light. Do works of light, don't say one thing and do another. No to double lives and all that. We have a Paraclete, a word, an advocate, a defender at the Father's side, it's Jesus Christ, the Upright One. He makes us righteous. It is He who pardons us. We must walk in the light because God is greatness and it's from Him alone that we can get our strength. We must walk in the light because God is light. Don't walk with one foot in the light and the other in darkness. Do not be liars. We have all sinned, no one can say 'This man is a sinner, this woman is a sinner. I, thanks to God, am upright.' No, only one is Upright, He who paid for us. And if somebody sins, He is waiting for us and pardons us because He is merciful and knows very well what we are shaped from and remembers that we are but dust. May the joy that this message gives us, carry us forward in the simplicity and the transparency of the Christian life, above all when we turn to the Lord..... with truth.

*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: May 28-29	May 28, 2016		May 29, 2016		May 29, 2016		May 29, 2016	
	4:00 PM		8:30 AM		10:45 AM		6:30 PM	
Hospitality	1		1	Dana Rudnick	1	Bonnie Kisch	1	
	2		2	Jim Rudnick	2	Jane Schulz	2	
	3		3	Brian Steffl	3	Rita Mastel	3	
	4		4	Heather Steffl	4		4	
	5		5		5		5	
	6		6		6		6	
Ushers	1	Helen Berger*	1	Jeffrey Herauf	1	Daryl Wanner*	1	Jon Krantz
	2	Bob Clooten	2	Charles Jaszowski	2	Greg Vetter	2	Moni Krantz
	3	Yvonne Regnier	3	Dennis Prochnow	3	Kevin Willis	3	
	4		4		4	Nancy Willis	4	
	5		5		5		5	
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	7		7		7			
Lectors	1	Diane Jones	1	Dale Kasowski	1	Mary LaDuke	1	Patricia Herbel
	2	Thomas Jones	2	Mary Kasowski	2	Paul Verlinde	2	Todd Van Orman
Servers	1	Abby Weber	1	Casey Baumgartner	1	Kyle Schatz	1	
	2	Noah Weber	2		2	Nathan Kraft	2	
Eucharistic Min	BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST		BODY OF CHRIST	
	R-1	Marsha Lembke	R-1	Dominic Volesky	R-1	Marsha Wanner	R-1	Clara Butland
	2	Carol Thompson	2	Jim Janusz	2	Leann Binde	2	Cheryl Nieuwsma
	3	Clyde Thompson	3	Robert Schauer	3	Rita Mastel	3	
	4	Phyllis Lentz	4	Brenda Bergan	4	Elizabeth Schatz	4	
	5	Sandy Wald Clooten	5	Emerita Loeb	5	Cathy Schatz	5	
	6		6		6	Phyllis Lentz	6	
	7		7		7		7	Father Raphael
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	9	Father Raphael	9	Father Terry	9	Father Terry		
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	LG		LG		LG		LG	
	BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST		BLOOD OF CHRIST	
	1	Mary Gross	1	Irene Goetz	1	Pamela Vetter	1	Tim Bohan
	2	Alex Gross	2	Anna Rathbun	2	Taylor Wanner	2	Patricia Herbel
	3		3	Donna Schauer	3		3	
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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.

59th Annual

## God's Share Appeal

GOAL: 100% participation  
(2,184 Corpus Christi Households)

**Week 3 - 26% (gifts from 570 households)**

The Annual God's Share Appeal is underway. Each and every gift is important. If you have not yet made your gift, we ask that you make your commitment today in order to provide the resources needed to continue the vital diocesan programs and ministries that benefit every parish and every parishioner. No gift is too small and every gift is sincerely appreciated.

**NEWCOMERS' BREAKFAST:** Our Newcomer Breakfast will be held on Sunday, June 5 from 9:30-10:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall. We are hoping to meet all new parishioners who have registered at Corpus Christi since our last dinner held in August 2015. This special time will allow you to meet with our Pastor, Fr. Paul Becker, parish staff and others from the parish. If you can only spare a few minutes - come anyway - and if you would like to bring a friend, please do so. You can RSVP by calling 255-4600.

### STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

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.

**Media and Technology Assistance:** Assist with camera operation during weekend liturgies. This help is especially needed at our 4:00 p.m. mass. The system is easy to operate. Training is provided.

## Change yourself and your work will seem different.

**Marriage Moments:** How do you get your spouse to really talk? Try pulling out their high school yearbook, your wedding album, or family videos and look at them together. Ask stuff like "What was your favorite memory?" or "What did you like most about that?"

**Parenting Pointers:** "The Spirit of truth will guide you to all truth." (John 16:13) We humans may be tempted to lie or at least bend the truth when we are afraid. Talk with your child about times when it might be hard to tell the truth. Perhaps share a time that was difficult for you.

### **Formed - Best Catholic Content. All In One Place.**

Do you ever wish you had something better to watch for a movie night with your family or friends? FORMED is a digital platform to view excellent videos on the Saints. A few of the Saints featured in these videos include Mother Teresa, St. Francis of Assisi, Padre Pio and Pope John II. Viewing lives of the Saints is an excellent way to learn from their holy lives which can help us in our own journey of faith. These videos can be viewed on your computer, tablet, smartphone or your television with Wi-Fi.

Here's how easy it is to get **FORMED**: Go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org). You should see the registration box for parishioners. Type in the parish code **2c2635**. Set up a username and a password. This can always be changed later. You are now set to use all the great programs on **FORMED.org** at anytime by simply logging in. It is that easy! If you have any questions, please contact Cindy Anderst in the Parish Office at 255-4600.

**Graduates - Congratulations!** We know college is going to be a busy time for you and adjusting to collegiate life can be overwhelming. We are here to help you make the transition a positive experience by connecting you to the Newman Connection Catholic Campus Ministry Organization. Stop by the office and we can take your contact information to send to your Campus of choice.