

# Corpus Christi Catholic Church

An Arizona Non-Profit Corporation founded in 1999 — 300 N. Tanque Verde Loop Road, Tucson, AZ 85748

## The Mission of Corpus Christi

We, at Corpus Christi, seek to experience God in Scripture, the Sacraments, our prayer, studies, one another and all of God's creation. We aspire to embody God's presence by sharing our gifts and welcoming all.



**February 25, 2018**

**Second Sunday of Lent**

**Parish Intercessory Prayers - Mon., Feb. 26, 9am**  
**Centering Prayer - Tues., Feb. 27, 7pm and Wed., Feb. 28, 1pm**  
**RE K-5 Grade - Wednesdays, 4:30-5:30pm**  
**Youth Group - Jr. HS (6-8 Gr.) Sun., 11am-12:15pm**  
**Sr. HS (9-12 Gr.) Sun., 12:15-1:30pm**  
**Details inside.**

For more information on events see details inside, call the Parish Office, or visit our website.  
(Meetings/Events are subject to change)

**Yoga** - Mon. and Wed., 9:00am

**Qigong** - Thurs., 9:00am

### February/March Events

Parish Council - Feb. 27, 4:45pm; Mar. 27, 5:00pm  
Financial Peace University - Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27, 6:30pm  
Alpha Course - Feb. 28, Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28, 6:15pm  
Stations of the Cross followed by Soup Supper - Mar. 2, 9, 23, 6:00pm  
Ministry Fair - Mar. 3 & 4, all Masses  
Parish Mission - Mar. 5, 6, 7, 9:00am & 6:00pm  
Financial Peace University - Mar. 6, 13, 20, 17, 6:30pm  
Letters to Eloy - Mar. 8, noon  
Parish Pancake Breakfast - Mar. 11, after morning masses  
Shawl Ministry - Mar. 13, 1pm  
Stations followed by **Fish Fry** - Mar. 16, 6pm  
Casa Maria Sandwich prep - Mar. 18, after 7:45am Mass  
Let's Talk Travel - Mar. 18, 3pm  
Quilt Ministry - Mar. 21, 9:30am  
Dignity Bags - Mar. 22, 9am

**Fr. Christopher Orndorff, Pastor**  
**Fr. Richard Kingsley, Pastor Emeritus**  
**Deacon Mark Cesnik**  
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Parish Office Hours:  
Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-4:30pm  
Web Page: [www.cccctucson.org](http://www.cccctucson.org)

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Us

### **SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

**SATURDAY: 4:30PM**

**SUNDAY: 7:45AM**

**9:45AM**

**HOLY DAY VIGIL: 6:00PM**

**HOLY DAY: 8:00AM**

**MONDAY through FRIDAY:**

**8:00AM**

**ROSARY FRIDAY: 7:30AM**

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

BY APPOINTMENT AND

3:45PM SATURDAYS

**SACRAMENT OF**

**THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

FIRST FRIDAY AT 8AM MASS

From the Desk of Fr. Chris



Every second Sunday of Lent we hear about the Transfiguration. This week Mark's version shines. There is a rationale – like Peter, James, and John, we get a glimpse of what is to come. It's a liturgical way to get us excited about celebrating Easter wholeheartedly, and telling us to not lose heart through this long season. There is light at the end of the tunnel. One of the disciplines of Lent to help us prepare for Easter is Fasting. I'm sure you've heard stories or remember Fasting being such a big deal - cutting out dessert, no in-between-meal snacks or refrigerator binges, and even, God have mercy, giving up bacon! Sometimes we'll refrain from other indulgences like the car radio, the coffee shop, or going out on Saturday night. We discipline ourselves in small areas so we know we can discipline ourselves in greater ones. Having hunger pangs for small things develop a pang for God. One danger – after a grand start we may slip up, and our perfectionist selves have a way of rationalizing giving up. "I blew it! Why bother to continue?" Remember what today's liturgy tells us. "Don't lose heart!" We can always begin anew with God.

Fr. Chris ✝

We welcome all who are visiting our Corpus Christi Faith Community for the first time or are frequent visitors. We are honored by your presence. If we can be of service to you, please do not hesitate to call on us.

If you would like to become a member of our Parish, please complete one of the Registration forms located in the Parish Office, at the Community Center Bulletin Board, or on our website at [www.cccctucson.org](http://www.cccctucson.org)

### Prayer Chain

If you would like to be a part of the Prayer Chain, or have a prayer request, all that's required is to have a computer with internet access, an email address, a compassionate heart, and willingness to pray for others (no phone trees). For more information contact Lyn Diehl at 751-4235 or [prayerchain@cccctucson.org](mailto:prayerchain@cccctucson.org)

### Tax Donation Letters

Tax Donation Letters are available upon request from the Parish Office. Please call the office at 751-4235 and leave your name and preferred phone number. Tax letters requested by March 2 will be mailed March 9.

### Homebound Eucharist

If you have a family member or know of a parishioner on the eastside of Tucson in need of having Eucharist brought to them regularly, please contact the Parish Office at 751-4235.



### Donations for 2/18/18

Not available at time of printing.

### **BREAKING OPEN THE SCRIPTURE WITH FR. CHRIS**

Gatherings on Friday mornings at 9:00am in Conference Rm. A/B. All are welcome.

**Father Richard's** next class will be held Saturday, March 3, from 9am to 11am, in the Community Center. We will discuss the "Resurrection" and "Why Jesus is Worth Saving." All are welcomed to attend.

### Corpus Christi Parish Lenten Mission *On the Road with Jesus*

**March 5, 6, 7 at 9am or 6pm**

Our mission will be lead by Sister Lorraine Reaume, OP, a Dominican Sister currently based in Adrian, Michigan, where she is the Formation Director. She has served as a Pastoral Associate at parishes in Detroit, MI and Anchorage, Alaska with a focus on Hispanic Ministry. She has also served in Campus Ministry and, prior to becoming a Sister, was a Lay Missionary in Bolivia and in Canada, her home country. She has Master of Divinity and M.A. in Theology degrees from Catholic Theological Union in Chicago. She is a trained spiritual director and loves journeying with people as they listen for God's voice in their lives.



Sister Lorraine will invite us to participate in three sessions to go deeper into the sacred days of the Triduum – Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter – the days we are preparing for all during Lent. With presentations, reflection, and prayer, we will explore what makes these celebrations distinct and how we can come to know Christ and ourselves more deeply through these sacred days.



Your Corpus Christi Safety & Security Team recommends everyone learn a new method of CPR called Continuous Chest Compression CPR - recommended by both the Sarver Heart Center at the University of Arizona and the Tucson Fire Dept. This new method results in an increased success rate in saving victims of cardiac arrest! The TFD and the Save a Live Foundation will be here at Corpus Christi on **Saturday, March 10**, to present a one hour class on this important new technique. The session starts at 10am and costs a nominal \$10 per attendee. Completion of the course includes a Certificate of Completion and will prepare parish members for unexpected emergencies. Sign-up in the Parish Office or contact Team Member John Bridges at 520-907-1258.

### The Pima East Vicariate Penance Schedule is as follows:

- St. Joseph Parish – March 15 at 6:00pm
- St. Cyril of Alexandria – March 20 at 7:00pm
- Corpus Christi – March 21 at 6:00pm
- St. Rita in the Desert – March 22 at 7:00pm
- Our Mother of Sorrows – March 25 at 7:30pm
- St. Frances de Sales – March 28 after 10am service & after 7pm service





We want **YOU** to be in our updated Parish Church Directory  
So please make an appointment for a professional portrait photo session  
During the week of March 20 - 24  
You can either:

Stop by the table in the Community Center after each Mass this and the next three weekends

OR

Sign up online by visiting the Corpus Christi website at **www.cccctucson.org**; then click the link on the left that says "cc Directory photos," and just follow the easy directions

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38  
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12  
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28  
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31  
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46  
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]; Ps 19:8-11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25  
Alternate readings (Year A): Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Lent; Penitential Rite for Candidates for Full Communion  
Wednesday: Purim (Jewish observance) begins at sunset  
Friday: Abstinence; First Friday; World Day of Prayer  
Saturday: St. Katharine Drexel; First Saturday

### Mass Intentions are Available

If you would like to schedule a weekday Mass for your loved one(s), or have a special intention, please contact the Parish Office.



Sunday, 2/25 All Corpus Christi Parishioners  
Monday, 2/26 Tom & Ruth Swanton (L); Patrick Orlando (D); M.J. Turner (L)  
Tuesday, 2/27 Bill & Marilyn Wierschem (L); Marty Breheney(L); Woody & Linda Wood (L)  
Wednesday, 2/28 Dick Englert & Dee Rohrer (L); John Meyers (L); Jim White & Amy Eberle-White (L)  
Thursday, 3/1 Richard & Theresa Sonnleitner (L); Rose Mary Strauss(D); Chip & Joanne Travers(L)  
Friday, 3/2 Frances Svoboda (L); Michael Orlando (L); Brad & Jennifer Underwood (L)  
Saturday, 3/3 All Corpus Christi Parishioners

### CORPUS CHRISTI STAFF

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When visiting our website **cccctucson.org**, please use the main link to access current information.

### Corpus Christi Ministries & Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous	Faith	275-5176
	Annette	909-1061
Activities Group	Ceil Woodruff	490-8947
Adopt-A-Roadway	Parish Office	751-4235
Altar Linens	Cathy Cristo	401-9140
Altar Servers	Ann Babick	308-8397
Becoming Catholic	Dc Mark & Anna Cesnik	751-4235
Bereavement Hospitality	Roger Heiman	721-4974
Boy Scouts	Brad Underwood	465-4935
Bridge	Barb McElroy	885-4996
Cancer Support	Susan Middleton	751-4235
Centering Prayer	Parish Office	751-4235
Church Decorations	Linda Calandrella	749-9171
Cub Scouts	Don Smith	971-9542
Eucharistic Ministers	Dave Baker	290-9064
Eucharistic Minister Trainer	Sheila Hill	886-9840
Faith Sharing	Parish Office	751-4235
Greeters	Pat Laufer	749-3510
Health	Amy Eberle-White	488-9542
Hiking Club	Dave Kohmann	449-7750
Homebound Eucharist	Theresa Romanelli	751-4235
Infant Baptism Prep	Dc Mark Cesnik	751-4235
Knights of Columbus	Javier Enriquez	991-6302
Labyrinth	Helen Russell	390-8932
Landscape Helpers	Parish Office	751-4235
Lectors	Francis Kearney	207-9807
Let's Talk Travel	Dick Englert	751-4235
Liturgical Life	Marge Schaefer	370-3784
Native Peoples	Angie Gill	465-5891
Out to Lunch Bunch	Dorie Anne Ory	270-8016
Outreach	Anna Cesnik	751-4235
Parish Council	John Olberding	751-4235
Parish Librarian	Kay Dahms	751-4235
Poker	John Gulli	245-2149
Prayer Chain	Lyn Diehl	751-4235
Quilt Ministry	Diane Arnold	990-7490
Scrip (Gift Cards)	Bill Wierschem	886-1349
Scrip (Gift Cards) by Mail	Roxanne Gautreau	290-6188
Shawl Ministry	Carol Poirier	576-2756
Time & Talent	Linda Calandrella	749-9171
Ushers	Henry Zipf	444-5672
Welcoming Ministry	Sylvia Olberding	751-4235
Widowed Women	Theresa Harth	751-4235
Women's Retreat Ministry	Janet Reff	721-7780

### Celebration of Marriage Photos Available

All couples who attended the Celebration of Marriage party have their picture available in the Parish Office. The box is around the corner from the front desk on the paper cutter on top of the black safe. Please pick yours up as soon as possible.



### ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS!!!!!!

#### FREE MONEY!!!!!!



If you are graduating spring 2018  
If you are someone who is involved in service to your church and/or the Tucson community  
If you and/or your parents are registered parishioners  
Go to the church website and download a copy of the Corpus Christi Youth Service Scholarship Award application.  
Get organized! Application is due **no later than Monday, April 9!**

**Thank you** to those volunteers who have completed the annual **Safe Environment Training**. The deadline for this training is **February 28**. Any volunteer not yet trained will be considered non-compliant, and therefore not able to serve in a volunteer capacity (per Diocesan guidelines). **ANYONE** who volunteers is required to complete this training. If you have eligibility questions, please send a note to [safeenvironment@cccctucson.org](mailto:safeenvironment@cccctucson.org)

**Your contribution to CTSO, Catholic Schools Tuition Organization**, makes outstanding Catholic education possible for deserving students who need your help, and it still won't cost you anything at all! Each \$10, \$20 and \$50 contribution to CTSO is important and greatly appreciated. Plus, you can still get tax credits for contributions to public schools and the working poor. You may also be able to claim a charitable donation on your federal tax return. Go to [www.ctso-tucson.org](http://www.ctso-tucson.org) or contact any CTSO school or call 520-838-2558 or 1-877-829-2876.

### ACT of Lent

As continued inspiration for embracing an ACTION you can take during Lent to create a more positive influence in the world, why not consider listening once again to Fr. Chris's homily from February 10/11 on the Corpus Christi website: [www.cccctucson.org](http://www.cccctucson.org). Click on "Homilies" on the left side, and choose "Shunning Timmy." Fr. Chris reminded us of the contrast between shunning/leaving out people and Jesus' model of being inclusive. We create division by our dualistic thinking: good guy/bad guy; sit with these, not with them; go to lunch, but don't invite that one. Jesus' ACTIONS make the community whole. He eats and drinks with sinners, touches lepers, talks to women. Today, we are his presence to touch, heal, include. What ACTION **WILL** I begin to make mine during Lent and beyond that will follow His example? Write this ACTION on the paper in the narthex and place in the basket at the foot of the cross.



### Reminder for Parents

We would like to remind parents to please accompany their children to the restrooms. We are a growing parish and would like to continue to be a safe parish. Thank you.

### Corpus Christi Has Gluten-Free Hosts

For those who wish to receive Gluten-Free hosts at Communion, we have them available at all Masses. To receive them, please come down the center aisle at the end of Communion and indicate to the Eucharistic Minister that you need the Gluten-Free host.

### All the Little Fish are Swimming to the

## Lenten Fish Fry

Friday, March 16th  
after Stations of the Cross

#### Dinner includes:

**Fish (fresh cod and catfish),  
French Fries, Coleslaw,  
Corn Bread and a Soft Drink**

*beer and wine will be available for purchase*

**Tickets \$10 adults / \$5 children (4 - 10)**  
*available after all Masses beginning February 24th*

**Don't be left out of this popular parish event**  
**Tickets will not be sold at the door**

**To submit an announcement to be read at weekend Mass,**  
**send it via email to [kmontano@cccctucson.org](mailto:kmontano@cccctucson.org)**  
**or drop it by the Parish Office**

**To submit an article for the bulletin, send it via email to**  
**[bulletin@cccctucson.org](mailto:bulletin@cccctucson.org) or drop it by the Parish Office.**  
**Submissions must be received by 12 pm Monday.**

**"The Little Black Book,"** Six-minute reflections on the Passion according to Mark are available in the Parish Office for \$1.00

**FAITHFULLY FOLLOWING CAMPAIGN UPDATE**

**Progress Report as of February 6**

**\$ Goal: \$1,100,000**

**Gifts/Pledges Received: \$770,000 (70%)**

**Participation Goal: 500 Household Families**

**Participation Results: 319 Household Families (64%/goal)**



*Emily Nielson and her proud parents after she won the Knights of Columbus district free throw competition. She advances to the State competition, which will be held at Salpointe High School. CONGRATS!*



**Youth Group February/March Schedule**



- Feb 25** No HS/Confirmation meet-up
- Mar 4** YG 11am Easter cards for Military
- Mar 9** Friday-Youth hosted Stations & Soup Supper
- Mar 11** YG 11am
- Mar 16** Friday-Youth lead Stations & Help with Fish Fry 5:30-7pm
- Mar 17** Off campus - Equine Voices
- Mar 30** Friday-Youth lead Stations Meditation Mile at noon



**Congratulations to our 2018 High School Senior St John Paul II Youth Leadership Award Recipients: Jack Gerson, Casandra Rhind and Adam Runkle!** They have been recognized for their community service, ministries within the mass and assisting in Sacramento preparation sessions! Thank you!



For info and to rsvp for these and other Youth Group happenings and opportunities, please contact Stacey Beste, Youth Minister, at [sbeste@cccctucson.org](mailto:sbeste@cccctucson.org).

Like us on Facebook at **Corpus Christi YouthMinistry**.

**Corpus Christi Building Mortgage Loan Update**

Building Loan Balance Owed: \$ 1,800,000 \*

Feb 1. Monthly Loan Payment: \$ 21,000

(\$13,250 principal; \$7,750 interest)

\* The **Faithfully Following Campaign**, presently underway, is an effort to pay down this remaining mortgage loan balance. Gift donations and pledges received as of February 6 total towards the goal of \$1,100,000. Greater parishioner participation is needed in order to reach the goal and allow us to continue meeting our monthly loan payment responsibility.

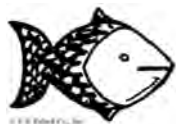


**Save the Date!**  
**Corpus Christi Night**  
**at the Gaslight Theatre**  
**Friday, August 10th at 6 PM**



**GNATMAN**  
**The Gnat is Back**

A big **thank you** to everyone who "rolled up their sleeves" to donate blood, tried to donate or helped with the drive. Whether you signed-up, were a walk-in, supported a family member or friend donating, or helped with the preparation, your time and donations are greatly appreciated. The next drive is May 20.



**DO TWICE THE GOOD**

**THE AZ CHARITABLE TAX CREDIT DOUBLED IN 2016**  
**Married couples filing jointly claim a credit up to \$800**  
**Individual filers claim a credit up to \$400**

Donate to one of the organizations listed at the website [www.givelocalkeeplocal.gov](http://www.givelocalkeeplocal.gov) or other qualifying charity, claim the credit when you file your Arizona state income tax, and reduce your state taxes dollar for dollar. Instead of giving your dollars to the state, help children, families, seniors, people with disabilities, and others - right here in our community.

**Completely separate from the CTSO credit! .**

**Community News**

**Our Mother of Sorrows Parish Is searching for Charter Members & their Families!** Our Mother of Sorrows Parish was dedicated May 10, 1958, and is celebrating its 60th Anniversary this year. If you, your parents or other members of your family are OMOS charter members residing in other parishes, or if you know someone who is, please contact Madeleine at Our Mother of Sorrows 747-1321 or email [omosparish@omosparish.org](mailto:omosparish@omosparish.org). We have a special invitation for you regarding the upcoming OMOS 60th Anniversary/Jubilee Celebration!

**Vocations Retreat for Men** on Mar 16-18 at Immaculate Heart High School located at 625 E. Magee Road, Oro Valley. The overnight retreat will begin at 6:30pm on Friday and will conclude at 12 noon on Sunday. Registration for the retreat can be done through the Vocations Office at 520.838.2531 or by sending an email to [vocations@diocesetucson.org](mailto:vocations@diocesetucson.org). Those attending the retreat will have the opportunity to visit a seminary as part of their discernment.