

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.



January 7, 2018

The Epiphany of the Lord

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, FR. CHRIS!



Centering Prayer - Tues., Jan. 9, 7pm and Wed., Jan. 10, 1pm
RE K-5 Grade - Classes resume Wed., Jan. 10, 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.

January Events

For more information on events see details inside, call the Parish Office, or visit our website

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

Qigong - Thurs., 9:00am

6-week Bible Sharing - Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5, 12, 6:30pm

Shawl Ministry - Jan. 9, 1pm

Quilt Ministry - Jan. 10, 9:30am

2nd Sunday Food Drive - Jan. 13/14, all Masses

Alpha Course - Jan. 17, 24, 31, 6:15pm

Corpus Christi Scholarship Info Mtg. - Jan. 20, 5:30pm or Jan. 21, 11am

Pastoral Council - Jan. 23, 5pm

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest - Jan. 24, 4:30pm

Town Hall Mtg. - Jan. 28, 11am

Let's Talk Travel - Jan. 28, 3pm



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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

Come



Grow

With

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



They are the mystery men of the Gospel, these Magi from the East. They just show up in Jerusalem looking for the newborn king of the Jews. We know nothing about them – they have no names, not sure of how many there really are, where they are from (somewhere back east), or what they really do. They throw a monkey wrench in Herod's plan to find the child Jesus, allowing him to grow up and fulfill his mission of salvation. And then they are gone. They make the briefest of appearances, but play such a pivotal role. They are a mystery! And yet... how often do we have a sense of being protected, saved, or rescued from ourselves or some other threat so that we can stand now living out our mission of discipleship? Who were or are the Magi in our lives?

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.ccctucson.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

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.

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.

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.

Donations for 12/31/17

Not available at time of printing.
Thank you for your generosity!



BREAKING OPEN THE SCRIPTURE WITH FR. CHRIS
GATHERINGS WILL BEGIN AGAIN IN JANUARY. WATCH THE BULLETIN FOR DATE.

Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University Class

Corpus Christi will be offering Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University new 9-week class for all who are interested. There will be two Introduction classes offered (not a prerequisite and only need to attend one) Jan 23 or 30 at 6:30pm each night. The 9-week class will begin February 6. The class will take 10 weeks as there is a bonus class included. Last class/graduation is April 10. For more info about this class visit the following website: <https://www.daveramsey.com/fpu>. Please contact John Olberding (520) 488-2530 if you have any questions.

Bible Sharing

Corpus Christi Catholic Church is sponsoring an exploration of the Gospel of John Chapter 1-10. This six-week series is on Monday evenings, starting January 8, in the Chapel from 6:30-8:00pm. This will be a prayerful sharing of John's Gospel focusing on Jesus as the Eternal Word, the Miracle Worker, and the Bread of Life. Facilitated by members of the Catholic Bible Institute of Southern Arizona (CBISA). To sign up, please call the Parish Office at 520-751-4235.

ATTENTION

CORPUS CHRISTI HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS & THEIR PARENTS!

The Corpus Christi Service Scholarship committee will be presenting an informational meeting on Saturday, January 20, at 5:30pm and again on Sunday, January 21, at 10:45am in the chapel. Please attend this short meeting and learn valuable information on the application process.

Becoming Catholic - Now's the Time - If you are, or if you have a friend or relative who is, an adult ready to explore full initiation into the Catholic Church, now is the time take action. The process that culminates at the Easter Vigil in the spring, begins very soon. See the "Becoming Catholic" page at cccctucson.org or contact Dc. Mark by email: deaconmark@cccctucson.org. This process is for adults who are: not baptized, or baptized in another Christian tradition, or baptized in the Catholic church but not confirmed.

Please remember to let the Parish Office know when you are on campus during business hours. Thank you.



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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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mk 1:7-11

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20 or 1 Sm 1:1-8 and 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Mk 1:21-28 or Mk 1:14-20 and Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2, 5, 7-10; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-19; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a; Ps 21:2-7; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; National Migration Week; Julian Calendar Christmas

Monday: The Baptism of the Lord

Tuesday: First Week in Ordinary Time begins

Saturday: St. Hilary; Blessed Virgin Mary



Sunday, 1/7	All Corpus Christi Parishioners
Monday, 1/8	Dave & Marge Baker (L); Don Blanchard (L); Fr. Chris Ormdorf (L)
Tuesday, 1/9	Earline Brown (L); Bob & Kay Dahms (L); Rose Mary Strauss (L)
Wednesday, 1/10	Tom & Patti Dobiecki (L); Brian & Karen McKenna (L); Ken & Roxanne Gautreau (L)
Thursday, 1/11	Fr. John Allt (L); John & Joanna Gulli (L); Shirley Emond (D)
Friday, 1/12	Claborne Family (D); Jennifer Cimino (L); Fr. Chris (L)
Saturday, 1/13	All Corpus Christi Parishioners



Just Coffee
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Thank you to all those who volunteered to write Christmas cards and notes to the women and men at the Eloy Detention Center. We were able to send 83 cards!



Corpus Christi Building Mortgage Loan Update

Building Loan Balance Owed: \$ 1,850,000 *

Nov. Monthly Loan Payment: \$ 21,000
(\$13,700 principal; \$7,300 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 December 14 total \$736,000 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.

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 or contact any CTSO school or call 520-838-2558 or 1-877-829-2876.

The Knights of Columbus 'BIG BURGER & CHILI NIGHT'

A time to enjoy a good meal with the Corpus Christi Community!

Date: Jan 27 after the 4:30pm Mass
Menu: 1/2 pound burger with all of the trimmings
Large cup of our famous chili w/corn bread
Dessert, coffee or soda



Beer and Wine also available: \$2:00 each
Adults \$10:00 each, Children 10 and under: \$5:00 each
Tickets available after each Mass starting Jan 13

For more information please call Dick Poirier, 520-298-1672, or e-mail nhero411@gmail.com

**Join the
Out-to-Lunch Bunch
at**



Millie's Pancake Haus
6530 E. Tanque Verde Rd.
Tuesday, Jan. 16, 11:30 A.M.



You CAN get Pancakes or the Lunch Menu includes entrees, salads, sandwiches, platters, and sides.

Menu at milliespancakehaus.com

Sign up on counter in Community Center

**FAITHFULLY FOLLOWING CAMPAIGN
UPDATE**

Progress Report as of December 14

\$ Goal: \$1,100,000

Gifts/Pledges Received: \$736,000 (67%/goal)

Participation Goal: 500 Household Families

Participation Results: 295 Household Families (59%/goal)

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 Catholic Community Services, 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 and people with disabilities - right here in our community. **Completely separate from the CTSO credit!**

Donate online at www.ccs-soaz.org, call 520-670-0854 Or ask your parish office for a CCS tax credit mailer.

Our Facebook page has been revitalized!

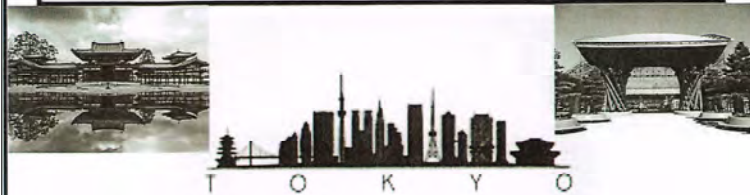
Please "like" us on Facebook at "**Corpus Christi Parish**" and be part of increasing our faith community presence!



To submit an announcement to be read at weekend Mass, send it via email to 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 or drop it by the Parish Office. Submissions must be received by 12 pm Monday.

LET'S TALK TRAVEL
Sunday, January 28*, 3 - 5 PM
 Corpus Christi Community Center



Japan's Cultural Treasures

"Join us as we explore more than 2000 years of Japanese history and culture while visiting the ultra-modern city of Tokyo along with the former Imperial capital of Kyoto. Continue all the way back to Kanazawa's unique Samurai architectures. Along the way, we'll visit local markets and craft shops and travel by high-speed rail. We'll end up in Hiroshima and the peace memorial."



Bring your favorite beverage and snack to share!
 (*4th Sun. because of Jan. 21st Championship FB Game)

Youth Group January Schedule



Jan 14 Youth Group 11am
 Jan 21 Youth Group 11am
 Jan 28 Youth Group 11am

We can always use help on Tuesday nights with *Horses with Wings* at 5pm. Feed, do ranch chores and groom these wonderful therapy horses, helping those with Autism.



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

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

Yoga Classes at Corpus Christi!

Please join us for Yoga with Jo Hartman at Corpus Christi. We have classes on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:00am. Gentle Vinyasa Yoga, appropriate for all from beginners to accomplished yogis. \$5.00.



Community News

DIVORCE HEALING Program – This ministry will bring hope and healing to those who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. *Surviving Divorce: Hope and Healing for the Catholic Family* features twelve video presentations that cover topics such as shock and grief, anger and forgiveness, money issues, dealing with children and a former spouse, and annulment and re-marriage. This program is for newly separated and divorced and those still struggling with issues many years later. Three different parishes are hosting groups beginning on the following dates: Wed., Jan 24 @ St. Pius X; Mon., Jan 29 @ St. Odilia; & Tue., Jan 30 @ SS. Peter and Paul. Group size is limited and registration closes after the third week. Call Felicia Klein at 425-6529, or email to csdtucson@yahoo.com.

Catholic Community Services Celebrates Migration Week - CCS will be holding an informational session on the Immigration and Refugee Services provided at CCS-Tucson. Please join us for a brief presentation, followed by refreshments and goodies. Meet the staff who provide services to our Refugee and Immigrants. Jan. 10, 2018. 10am-11:30am EST, at CCS Boardroom @ Catholic Community Services, 140 W Speedway #130, Tucson. Contact Margaret Palmer 520-670-0821 or margaretp@ccs-soaz.org

As we celebrate Holy Family Sunday, let us remember that God's love for us is reflected in the love for each other in our family. Why not celebrate and encourage that love by giving your spouse the gift of a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME)** weekend? The next weekend is on January 26-28 at Mount Claret Retreat Center in Phoenix. To apply online, and for weekend dates visit our website www.wmearizona.com

Rachel's Corner - After abortion, we may find it hard to believe that God will really forgive us. Others of us just can't forgive ourselves. And we have all struggled with forgiving others. God longs to give you His great gift of forgiveness. It is the key to spiritual and emotional freedom. **Rachel's Vineyard of Southern Arizona, 520-743-6777, www.rachelsvineyardtucson.org**
Next Retreat is February 2-4, 2018

A Retrouvaille Weekend helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. Register for Retrouvaille Weekend Program beginning Friday evening, January 19 - Sunday, January 21. For confidential information Call 520-686-1598, Email: rtvdavis@hotmail.com or Visit: www.retrouvaille.org