# Corpus Christi Catholic Church

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

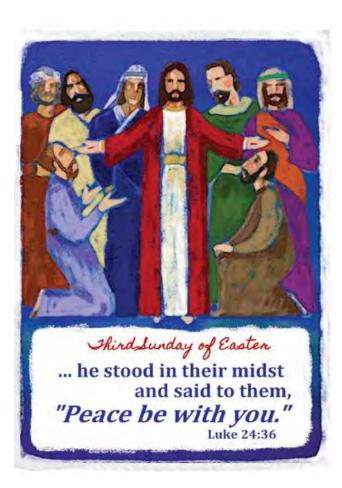
# The Mission of Corpus Christi

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.



**April 18, 2021** 

Third Sunday of Easter



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With



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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

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# From the Desk of Fr. Chris



It was a tremendous revelation for me to learn that the same person wrote Luke's Gospel and Acts of the Apostles. I was also deflated to learn that there is no evidence that it is the same Luke mentioned in Acts, or that the author's actual name was Luke. Whatever the author was called by friends, the name we know and use is Luke. It has become the author's "nom de plume." Today we have two different passages from Luke, one from the end of his Gospel and the other from the beginning of his Acts of the Apostles. What strikes me is the similarity of themes and phrasing. Jesus explains the scriptures and tells the disciples, "You are witnesses of these things." Then we have Peter (in the first reading) proclaiming, "Of this we are witnesses!" That word, "witness", is important for Luke; it's the thrust of discipleship. It comes from the Greek "martureis", to witness, testify, or attest. Easy to see our English word Martyr. Probably no one here will be remembered as a great martyr of the faith, but each is still called, by our words, by our actions, by our presence, to bear witness and to give testimony!

Fr. Chris

e 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 or on our website at **www.ccctucson.org**.

### Milestones

Do you have a "milestone date" coming up (birthday, anniversary, etc.)? Would you like your friends and fellow parishioners at Corpus Christi to celebrate the event with you? Please either call the parish office 520-751-4235 or email **bulletin@cccctucson.org** and let us know about your upcoming milestone event at least 10 days before you would like it announced.

Our Facebook page has been revitalized! Please "like" us on Facebook at "Corpus Christi Parish" and be part of increasing our faith community presence!

# Ways to Donate to your Parish

Use your weekly envelope; contribute by Visa or MasterCard; credit or debit card; recurring weekly or monthly donations through your bank. For more information on using one of the alternative methods of donating, please contact John Salapski at the Parish Office, 520-751-4235.



# **CORPUS CHRISTI WELCOMES...**



Newly Registered Parishioners:

Micheal McShea Monica Kastigar

# **Mass Intention Requests**

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

### 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.

# \*\*Parish Office Hours\*\*

The lobby doors are open to pick-up/drop off. Please call ahead or email to place a Scrip gift card, notecard or coffee order!

You may also continue to utilize the **drop box by the front door during regular business hours** (no weekends or holidays). It is checked continuously by staff throughout the day.

## **Memorial Bricks**

Individuals can have a personalized brick engraved in our existing Plaza bricks as an excellent way to support our community, offer tribute to persons living or deceased, or show enduring esteem for some work of the community. The bricks are available for a cost of \$150 per brick. This fee helps cover the cost of engraving and assists the Building Fund. Forms are available in the parish office or on our website. If you have additional questions, please contact Kara Montaño at: (520) 751-4235 or email kmontano@cccctucson.org.

# Seniors Connecting During the Pandemic

Group sessions will provide a place for individuals 60+ to express and communicate feelings, give and get support, build connections with peers, and be heard. The intent is to create a place to connect, share resources, discuss topics such as loneliness, social isolation, fear, anxiety and depression. The group will help encourage individuals to process the current state of events, thoughts and emotions.

<u>Group Facilitators:</u> Tanis L. Thouin, PhD, LASAC, CCTP <u>WHERE:</u> Group will take place via ZOOM

Please reach out to Tanis at **(520) 240-3599** or **tanis@qualityoflifecounseling.net** to find out more information.



Visit the Diocese of Tucson webpage and prayerfully join Bishop Weisenburger as he celebrates daily Mass. This is one of the ways we can pray together throughout this temporary suspension of public worship during the week.

Visit: www.diocesetucson.org



# 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal Persevering in HOPE

Progress Report (no update since 3/26/2021)

	<u>Goal</u>	To Date	% to Goal
Amount	\$70,000	\$90,955	130%
Participation	385	271	70%
Registered Parishioners		1,212	

# **Centering Prayer on Zoom!**

Please consider joining us for a session of Centering Prayer. The new format is on Zoom and hosted every Tuesday from 7-8 pm. Join the session at anytime. The session starts off with 20 minutes of silent Centering Prayer, then we listen to a video or podcast and then we have a discussion for those that want to share their thoughts. For more information contact Yvette Mathesen at ymathesen@gmail.com.

# **Lost and Found**

Check with the parish office at (520) 751-4235 if a personal item(s) is thought to have been left in the pew at Mass or possibly dropped in our plaza or parking lot. Your item(s) just might have been found and turned in!

# **Virtual Rosary**

Please join us for the Rosary online using Zoom. We will be praying at **9:00am on Wednesday and Friday**. You must have Zoom on your computer (it's easy to download from zoom.com!). If you would like to join us please contact Theresa Romanelli at (520) 373-5442 or grandma.romanelli@gmail.com. Once you give your email to Theresa, she will send you an invitation to the Zoom meeting on Thursday. It will have a link you click on to join the meeting on Friday.

\*Wednesday Zoom meeting <u>ID</u>: **86975406196** / <u>Passcode</u>: **USA** \*Friday Zoom meeting <u>ID</u>: **81859009428** / <u>Passcode</u>: **JESUS**.

# Get Ready For Sunday

A Brief Background & Context For Next Sunday's Scripture Readings

New Audio Posted Wednesday Evenings

Help yourself to a brief background and context discussion covering upcoming Liturgical seasons, the Scripture readings for the upcoming Sunday, and the occasional discussion of the Mass itself. We hope it helps bring more understanding of what is taking place in the Liturgy of the Word. Go to www.ccctucson.org.

# Religious Education Program for Parents and Children

There is a way for your children to learn more about the Catholic faith even if you can't bring them to religion class. Corpus Christi Children's Ministry will be offering materials and guidance for parents/grandparents who want their children to learn about the Catholic faith. The program "Growing Up Catholic," gives adults a starting point as well as guidance on how to teach their children about the many parts of our faith such as liturgy, scripture, sacraments, and prayer. Families will be given materials for four weeks of instruction. At the end of the 4 weeks, we will host a Zoom meeting for the parents to connect, ask question, and discuss their experiences. The process will repeat for the following month. Email Suzanne Hensel if you are interested. <a href="mailto:shensel@cccctucson.org">shensel@cccctucson.org</a>

# Keep your child involved through Children's Church and Origami

Every Wednesday at 5:15, the children and youth are invited to participate in fun online activities such as origami, Lego challenges, and magic. Every Sunday at 11:00am (\*New Time), the Youth Group holds Children's Church where the kids can hear the readings, play games, and compete in a Kahoot game. This is an engaging way to teach your children about the liturgy and about our faith. Zoom - User ID: 88080109026, Password: 568825



# **Youth Group**

<u>Weekly Schedule</u>: New ID/Password for all meetups: ID: 896 4612 3673, Password: 695872

Tuesday Horses with Wings—Limited group sizes. Contact Stacey for details.

<u>Tuesday/Thursday</u> - Zoom at 5:15pm: Isaiah, Mario, Mia and Rey continue to lead Wellness with dance workout/exercise!

<u>Wednesday</u> - Zoom at 5:15pm: Lego Challenge, Magic, Origami Craft Card Outreach Project.

<u>Thursday</u> - Catch-up Confirmation class if you cannot make the Sunday class. Zoom at 1pm (time is flexible).

<u>Friday</u> - Homework Help Study Group and Summer Camp Planning at 5:30pm. At 6pm a NEW guided meditation on loving kindness and to help with stress, anxiety and change.

**Saturday -** Zoom at 11am: Positive Life Skills—movie.

<u>Sunday</u> - Children's Church, Zoom at 11am— All youth needed for Children's Mass. Readings, discussion of Gospel, stories, games, "words we hear", discussion, Kahoot games and more!

**Sunday** - Confirmation/YG Meet-Up at 1pm.

For information please contact Corpus Christi Youth Minister, Stacey Beste, at sbeste@cccctucson.org. Like us on Facebook: Corpus Christi YouthMinistry





# **Knights of Columbus Mother Teresa Council**

Primero de Mayo Take Out Saturday, May 1, 2021, after 4:30pm Mass

Fiesta Bowls á la Corpus Christi

\$5.00 each

Chicken Bowl
Carnitas (Pork) Bowl
Birria (Marinated Shredded Beef) Bowl
Vegeterian Bowl

All bowls will come with rice, beans, vegetables, chips and salsa, beverage and dessert.

Please pre-order. Contact:
Ron Garvin at (520) 886-5136, skrgarvin@cox.net
or Ralph Garcia at (520) 247-2218, ralphg258@gmail.com

### The gift card for everything Apple

### Do you know?



We now have a general Apple gift card for all things Apple, including iTunes. Announcing that we also sell Ulta gift cards. Check out our entire selection of gift cards for easy online or in-store purchases.

We buy cards at a discount from the company and sell them at face value to you. Thus, every sale brings a small profit to Corpus Christi.



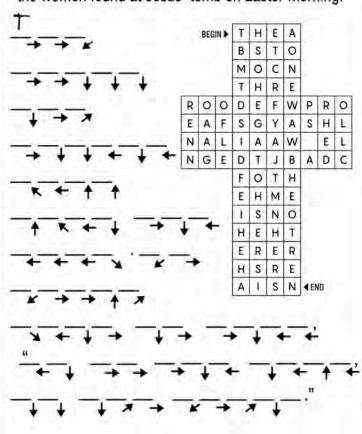
# Rattlesnakes, Gila Monsters and more are out! Watch your step!

Our parish campus is surrounded by desert and many species of wildlife make their way onto our campus. Last week a staff member came upon a Gila Monster sunbathing on the walkway near the church! Please be cautious as you walk around the grounds.



# Puzzle!

Follow the arrows and fill in the blanks to discover what the women found at Jesus' tomb on Easter morning.



Answer: The stone was rolled away from the door. An angel said to them, "He is not here; he has risen!" (See Luke 24:1-8.)

# **Have You Moved?**

Do you have a new address, phone number or family changes? Updating this information helps us serve the parish more effectively and saves on the cost of returned postage. Please call the Parish Office at 751-4235 to update your information.



# **Community News**

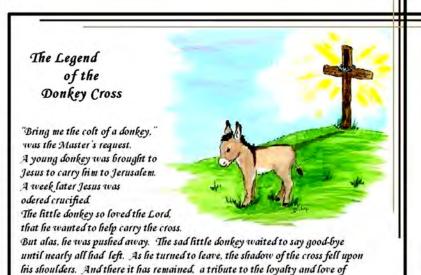


# **Faith Formation Opportunities**

Jordan Ministry Team will be holding online workshops. Please visit www.jordanministryteam.org for full descriptions and registration information.



Thank you to the group that did the first roadway clean up in OVER A YEAR! Special thanks to Riley and Sheryl for the treat of meeting their rescue donkey Aiden & seeing the cross on his back!







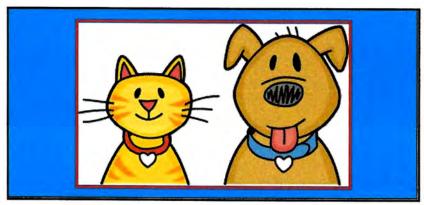
the humblest of God's creatures.











# **PACC Fundraiser**

(Pima Animal Care Center)

# Join the Corpus Christi Youth Group in a Fundraiser for Pima Animal Care Center!

Decorated envelopes will be available in the narthex and at the office April 11th - 25th.

Place your donation in an envelope and put in collection boxes or leave at the office.



Suggested Donation Amounts to cover these needs:

\* \$5...Treats

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\$10-\$15...Collar/Leash or Kong-type Toy

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- \$20...Harness or Gentle Leader
- **\$30...Adoption Fee**



# Thank you for your generosity!

### **Donations**

April 11, 2021: General \$9,795 Designated \$3,042



### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30;

Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1; Ps 31:3-4, 6-8, 17, 21;

Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-7; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1-2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 115:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29;

1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter

Wednesday: St. Anselm; Administrative Professionals' Day

Thursday: Earth Day

Friday: St. George; St. Adalbert Saturday: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen



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.

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Activities Group Adopt-A-Roadway Alpha Course Altar Linens Altar Servers Becoming Catholic Bereavement Hospitality Boy Scouts Bridge Cancer Support Church Decorations Cub Scouts Eucharistic Ministers Faith Sharing Greeters Health Hiking Club Homebound Eucharist Infant Baptism Prep Knights of Columbus Labyrinth Landscape Helpers Lectors Let's Talk Travel Liturgical Life Native Peoples Out to Lunch Bunch Outreach Parish Council Parish Librarian Prayer Chain Quilt Ministry Scrip (Gift Cards) Shawl Ministry Texas Hold'em Time & Talent	Ceil Woodruff Stacey Beste Cherie Weaver Cathy Cristo Ann Babick Dc Mark & Anna Cesnik Susan Middleton Dan Moss Barb McElroy Susan Middleton Linda Calandrella Scott Madsen Dave Baker Parish Office Pat Laufer Amy Eberle-White Dave Kohmann Theresa Romanelli Dc Mark Cesnik Ron Garvin Helen Russell Parish Office Francis Kearney Dick Englert Linda Calandrella Angie Gill Jean Michaud Anna Cesnik John Grenier Kay Dahms Lyn Diehl Diane Arnold Bill Wierschem Carol Poirier John Gulli Linda Calandrella	751-4235 751-4235 909-5218 401-9140 308-8397 751-4235 751-4235 404-1990 885-4996 751-4235 749-9171 979-1694 290-9064 751-4235 749-3510 488-9542 449-7750 751-4235
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