

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.



September 12, 2021 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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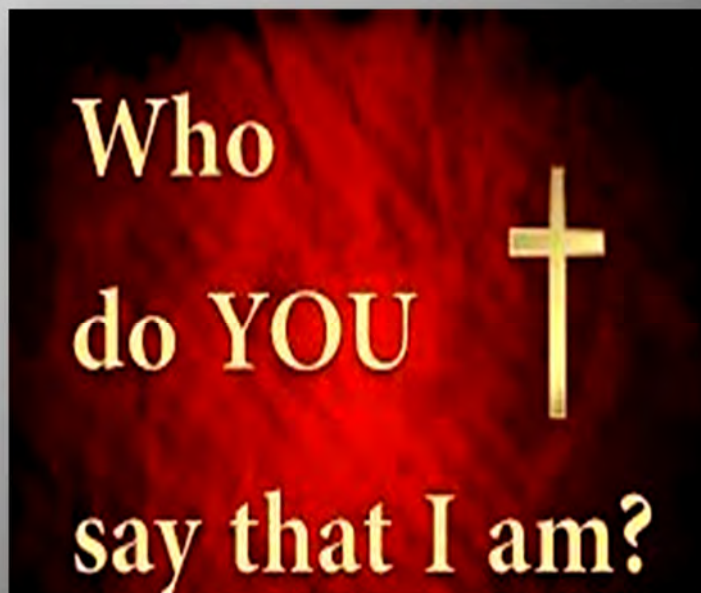
Come With  Grow Us

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:	7:15AM

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Mark 8:27-35

From the Desk of Fr. Chris 

I recall a conversation with a classmate a few years ago about the aftermath of September 11, 2001. There was much turmoil and confusion, and we saw many new faces over the following months. It's natural to turn to God for refuge – that's what he's there for. But I think God wants to be even more than that. He wants to be our constant companion. My buddy said something that still sticks with me – “After 9/11 I remember I promised God I would make this world a better place. It was one of those vague promises that made me feel good at the time. I don't really think I've done that, and I haven't spent enough time in prayer for God to remind me of the promise.” When we make God a constant companion in our lives, when we make our weekly gathering a priority and not an option, it gives the Lord an opportunity to remind us not only of our promises, but also to remind us of all that is good and holy that we seek.

Fr. Chris 



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.cccctucson.org.

****New**** Get Ready for Sunday Podcast on Spotify and soon to be on other platforms! Go to:

<https://rss.com/podcasts/getreadyforsunday/>

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 the Parish Office or email: kmontano@cccctucson.org.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

The Diocese of Tucson is implementing a new 3-in-1 Safe Environment Program called Catholic Mutual Group (CMG). This is in lieu of our parish's regular online/onsite Safe Environment annual fall training for 2021.

The CMG 3-in-1 Safe Environment Program allows all Volunteers to use a standard platform across the Diocese to complete the required training, forms, and background check in one system. The cost for the system, training modules, and background checks will be covered by PPIT (Pooled Parish Insurance Trust). This means there is no cost to you as the participant or to your Parish for any of the services provided by CMG.

DEADLINE: As our parish transitions to CMG, all active Volunteers will need to register and complete the CMG training, required forms, and background check (as applicable) no later than **October 30, 2021** in order to continue to volunteer in Fall/Winter 2021 and into 2022.

INFORMATION DISSEMINATION: This week your ministry leaders will receive the instructional email with appropriate videos and attachments to forward to you. Please direct all CMG questions to *Danielle Eckhoff (Compliance Officer)* (520) 392-4868 or deckhoff@cccctucson.org as ministry leaders are not trained to answer questions for this technology launch.

~A note from Danielle~

To achieve the required Diocesan 100% compliance by deadline I am hosting, by appointment and with covid-appropriate safety protocols, training clinics at the parish. To register for your appointment please contact me at (520) 392-4868 or deckhoff@cccctucson.org. If you need help outside of the offered clinics please email me your request.

CMG Clinic Offerings

***Please wear a mask covering the nose and mouth (even if vaccinated), do not attend if symptomatic within 14 days, and please complete the Diocesan covid questionnaire (will be emailed to you or provided at the appointment)*

DATE	TIME
9/18/21	2:30 pm – 4:30 pm
9/19/21	10 am – 12 pm
10/2/21	2:30 pm – 4:30 pm
10/10/21	10 am – 12 pm
10/23/21	2:30 pm – 4:30 pm
10/24/21	10 am – 12 pm



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.



Youth Group

****Religious Ed Youth Volunteers****

Starting this Wednesday, September 15th—in person from 4:30 to 5:30pm Youth Group helpers at 1st AND 3rd grade Religious Ed! Contact Stacey Beste to join the team of helpers: Sophia, Brooke, Riley M, Gabby, Anapaula, Jady, Kai, Andrew, Emily.

Tuesday Night Horses with Wings—Limited group sizes. Weather Permitting! Contact Stacey for details.



**Weekly Schedule: ID/Password for all meetups:
ID: 853 1229 0835, Password: 539267**

Coming in September: Workouts with Rey on Monday. Time to be determined.

Tuesday - Horses w/ Wings team, 6pm. Contact Stacey for details.

Wednesday - Religious Education, lead 1st and 3rd grade. Begins Sept. 15!

Friday - 6pm: "Walk With Jesus", guided meditation and slide show!

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

Sunday - Children's Church on Zoom at 11:00am. New Confirmation group meeting September 12th!

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

Religious Education Program for Parents and Children

Volunteers Needed!

Please prayerfully consider becoming a religion teacher or assistant for Children's Religious Education at Corpus Christi. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 4:30-5:30pm beginning September 15th and ending in April. Contact Suzanne Hensel at shensel@cccctucson.org for more information.

Important Information about Religious Education

- ◆ This year Corpus Christi is offering two forms of faith formation: Wednesday classes and Family Faith Formation. Your child may participate in both programs.
- ◆ The Wednesday classes are from 4:30-5:30pm. They will begin on September 15th and run through April.
- ◆ The Family Faith Formation program is the first Sunday of the month, October through April, from 8:30-9:30am in the community center.
- ◆ Family Faith Formation is for the whole family. Each child (1st-5th grade) will have a workbook that is to be completed at home with the parent's help. The whole family meetings will help the parents understand and prepare for teaching their children about the specific topics being covered.



Back-to-School Drive Recipient THANK YOU's

August 19, 2021

To Corpus Christi Outreach Ministry,

I want to make sure I have a chance to express my full gratitude and appreciation for your generous donation. Our students have experienced probably one of the most difficult arduous school years in recent history. For over a year and a half, students were either online or in very small groups. The harm this pandemic has caused is evident this school year. Students have struggled adjusting to being back in school and the discipline of everyday classroom schoolwork and activities. Students have been isolated and independent in some cases, overly shielded in others. The approach we try to attempt is to not identify what they are missing (deficit model), but to identify where they are and teach from there. Students are resilient, but they need guidance and modeling to help them get where they need to be. Public schools need more support than ever. Any support that comes our way is greatly appreciated.

~ Christopher Loya PhD, Principal, Marshall Elementary School

Thank you so much for all your hard work and generous heart. Please thank the congregation for the support of our kids and for keeping us on your list of recipients. Have a wonderful day.

*Always grateful,
Jose Cortez, Amity Foundation*

RCIA? Me? Really?

YES! The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is for everyone!

Fully initiated Catholics, fulfilling Christ's mission to make disciples of all nations, desiring to learn more about our Catholic faith, and sharing that faith.

The unbaptized or those baptized into another Christian faith desiring to learn about the Catholic faith and becoming a fully initiated member of the Church.

Baptized Catholics who were not able to complete the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Confirmation desiring to experience the beauty, grace, and strength these Sacraments bring to our lives.

What do I do?

Pray for continually increased faith, pray for those in your life who may not know Christ or the beauty of our Catholic faith.

Invite someone in your life to join you at Mass or to consider learning about our faith through the RCIA process.

Classes begin at the end of September.

Consider participating in the RCIA process by being a sponsor and/or catechist. Become a member of our RCIA team.

Information/training to be announced.

For more information, contact: Sylvia Olberding at sylvia.olberding@gmail.com or (520) 268-3413 or Deacon Mark Cesnik at deaconmark@cccctucson.org.

Did you know?

- That there is a one-mile hiking/nature trail around the Corpus Christi property with Stations of the Cross?
- That there is a Parish Lending Library in the hallway near the office?

Grief and Loss Support Group

Grief and loss group sessions will provide an opportunity for individuals of all ages to express feelings, build rapport, get support, and be heard. The intent is to create a safe place to connect, learn about grief, understand how grief affects us, and identify coping strategies to assist with experiencing grief. The group will provide encouragement, strength and support through the use of reflection, sharing, and prayer to assist with the healing process of grief and loss. Group sessions will be held monthly in the Chapel.

The following is the current schedule for the first 4 sessions:

Friday, October 1, 2021, 10:30 AM—11:30 AM
Wednesday, November 3, 2021, 6:00 PM—7:00 PM
Friday, December 3, 2021, 10:30 AM—11:30 AM
Wednesday, January 7, 2022, 6:00 PM—7:00 PM

Please contact Tanis L. Thouin, PhD at (520) 240-3599 or tanis@qualityoflifecounseling.net for more information or to join this group.

Fr. Richard's Recommended Book List

Fr. Richard has compiled a list of books recommended over the last several years to people who have attended his courses. This list is available in the parish office or can be sent to you via email by sending a request to kmontano@cccctucson.org.

Do you know...

You can purchase gift cards, Knights of Columbus coffee and beautiful Corpus Christi notecards in the office, 8:30-4:30, Monday through Friday? Amazon, restaurant, fast food, and grocery gift cards are perfect for current needs!

Arizona Rosary Celebration

*Invite your family and friends.
Bring your prayer petitions.*

**10:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
Saturday, October 16, 2021
Saint Augustine Cathedral**

192 S. Stone Ave., Tucson AZ 85701

Most Reverend
Edward J. Weisenburger
Bishop of Tucson, Presiding

Reverend Wilfred Raymond, CSC
President, Holy Cross Ministries
Guest Speaker

Info:
Karen McEwen
(520) 870-5122
AZRosary.net



Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Our Lady of Sorrows, Pray for Us

Pray the Rosary, Arizona!



Arizona Rosary Celebration Intention Box

A prayer intention box has been placed in the Narthex. Write your Intention(s) on the paper provided and drop it in the box which will be taken to the celebration and then to the sisters who will pray for your intentions for the year until next year's celebration!

GO GREEK

Join the Out-to-Lunch Bunch
Tues~Sept 21~11:30 AM



4590 E. Broadway
(south side west of Swan)

**Serving salads, pitas, burgers,
grilled wraps, pasta, platters**
Menu: opasbest.com

**Sign up near the bulletin board in
the Community Center**

SAVE THE DATE!

October 2, 2021, after 4:30pm Mass
See bulletin flyer for details!

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.



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.



Community News

St. Augustine Bocce Club

We invite you to play Bocce Monday & Thursday mornings. Call (520) 891-8759 for details.



Faith Formation Opportunities

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

Monday Evening Vespers - St Francis de Sales

The Deacons of St. Francis de Sales invite you to a virtual Prayer experience.

Topic: St. Francis de Sales Solemn Vespers

Time: Mondays, 6:00 pm

Join Zoom Meeting:

ID: 889 5353 4932

Passcode: Prayer

You can also view it live on Monday evenings at 6:00 pm on the St. Francis de Sales Tucson Facebook page
<https://www.facebook.com/stfrancistucson>

Ignatian Silent Retreat

This retreat will help us realize the gift of the Spiritual Exercises for helping us find God—present, loving, working—in all things, and to encounter extraordinary love in the most ordinary life. We shall be looking into the World-heart through the wonders of God in the great expanse of furthest stars and in the most intimate depths of the human spirit. We shall touch God's compassion through World-care, with the help of Pope Francis and friends, so the we, the people of God, may take even more effective part in the unfolding transformation. Come and experience the miracle. Silence will be an important part of this retreat, allowing time for prayer and reflection on what God is doing in the universe and in our particular lives. What is God calling us to now? There will be opportunities for personal prayer, Mass, guided stargazing, and optional small group sharing. For more information, please contact Ann S. Dickson at anndickson@theriver.com or 520.378.2486 or Dr. Paul N. Duckro at pduckro@diocesetucson.org.

September 24-26, 2021

Check-in 4:00pm Friday, First session 7:00pm.

Departure 1:00pm Sunday

Rdemptorist Renewal Center

7101 W. Picture Rocks Rd—Tucson, AZ



New Outlook

Diocese of Tucson Online News

news.diocesetucson.org



Saturday, October 2nd

After the 4:30 Mass

Take Home Your Own Oktoberfest (minus the beer)

Bratwurst on a Bun

German Potato Salad

Apple Strudel

Soda/water

Condiments will be available

All for only \$10



**Please rsvp to the parish office at
(520) 751-4235.
Payment by credit card is accepted.**



FALL ARTS/CRAFTS BOUTIQUE

Saturday, October 16, 9:30 ~ 6:00

Sunday, October 17, 8:30 ~ 2:00

BOUTIQUE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We need MANY volunteers for any of 3 shifts Saturday and 2 shifts on Sunday: Cashiers*, baggers, door monitors, welcoming, floor help, etc. Also: placing street-corner signs Friday and/or picking them up Sunday and Community Center clean-up help on Sunday.

Contact Linda Calandrella at wbc@prodigy.net or 749-9171.

*Cashiers must have high-level clearance through the diocese.





CITY OF CODY
WYOMING

**COME ON BACK...
LET'S TALK TRAVEL
IS ON THE ROAD AGAIN!!!**

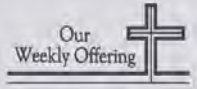
**SUNDAY, SEPT. 19TH, 3-5 PM
COMMUNITY CENTER**

Join us as Georgene & Mike Fromm take us on a grand tour of this iconic national park and historic city. See where the buffalo roam and where Buffalo Bill Cody made his home. Walk the paths of smoking geysers, boiling mud pots, and clear blue lakes and rivers. And don't forget the grizzlies, marmots, and elk that roam the oldest national park in the world. Hope you'll join us for an afternoon of fun! Bring a snack to share.



SEPTEMBER 11
A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE

“For it is in the giving that we receive” ~ St. Francis of Assisi



Donations - General / Designated

Sept. 5, 2021: \$8,869 \$2,138

Thank you for your generosity!



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Tim 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10
- Tuesday: Num 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
- Wednesday: 1 Tim 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:23-35
- Thursday: 1 Tim 4:12-16; Ps 111:7-10; Lk 7:36-50
- Friday: 1 Tim 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3
- Saturday: 1 Tim 6:13-16; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 8:4-15
- Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-6, 8; Jas 3:16-4:3; Mk 9:30-37

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Times; Grandparents' Day
- Monday: St. John Chrysostom
- Tuesday: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
- Wednesday: Our Lady of Sorrows
- Thursday: Ss Cornelius and Cyprian; Yom Kippur; Independence Day in Mexico
- Friday: St. Robert Bellarmine



- Sunday, 9/12 All Corpus Christi Parishioners
- Monday, 9/13 Corpus Christi Staff (L)
- Tuesday, 9/14 Bishop Gerald Kicanas (L); Linda Calandrella (L)
- Wednesday 9/15 Fr. Chris Orndorff (L); Rose Loughran (L); Rose Mary Strauss (D); Leo Golembiewski (L)
- Thursday 9/16 Walter Cottignies (D); Victor Montijo (D)
- Friday 9/17 Jose Hector Mendez Cadena (D); Ann Muhich (D)
- Saturday, 9/18 All Corpus Christi Parishioners

Registered Households: 1,218

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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.

Corpus Christi Ministries & Groups

Activities Group	Ceil Woodruff	751-4235
Adopt-A-Roadway	Stacey Beste	751-4235
Alpha Course	Cherie Weaver	909-5218
Altar Linens	Cathy Cristo	401-9140
Altar Servers	Jen McDowell	349-8301
Becoming Catholic	Dc Mark & Anna Cesnik	751-4235
Bereavement Hospitality	Susan Middleton	751-4235
Boy Scouts	Dan Moss	404-1990
Bridge	Barb McElroy	885-4996
Cancer Support	Susan Middleton	751-4235
Church Decorations	Linda Calandrella	749-9171
Cub Scouts	Scott Madsen	979-1694
Eucharistic Ministers	Dave Baker	290-9064
Faith Sharing	Parish Office	751-4235
Greeters	Pat Laufer	749-3510
Health	<i>to be determined</i>	751-4235
Hiking Club	Dave Kohmann	449-7750
Homebound Eucharist	Theresa Romanelli	751-4235
Infant Baptism Prep	Dc Mark Cesnik	751-4235
Knights of Columbus	Ron Garvin	751-4235
Labyrinth	Helen Russell	751-4235
Landscape Helpers	Parish Office	751-4235
Lectors	Francis Kearney	207-9807
Let's Talk Travel	Dick Englert	751-4235
Liturgical Life	Linda Calandrella	749-9171
Out to Lunch Bunch	Jean Michaud	296-4181
Outreach	Anna Cesnik	751-4235
Parish Council	John Grenier	751-4235
Parish Librarian	Kay Dahms	751-4235
Prayer Chain	Lyn Diehl	751-4235
Quilt Ministry	Diane Arnold	990-7490
Scrip (Gift Cards)	Bill Wierschem	369-9662
Shawl Ministry	Carol Poirier	751-4235
Texas Hold'em	John Gulli	245-2149
Time & Talent	Linda Calandrella	749-9171
Ushers	Patti Dobiecki	751-4235
Welcoming Ministry	Georgene Fromm	647-0036
Widowed Women	Theresa Harth	751-4235
Women's Retreat Ministry	Janet Reff	721-7780

For more information regarding advertising on the back of our bulletin please contact Kara Montaño at (520) 751-4235