



# CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY

June 18, 2017

*Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ, also known as Corpus Christi. This is the celebration of the Body and Blood of Jesus, consecrated in the Mass. Receiving Christ in the Eucharist builds up our relationship with Jesus, and strengthens our bond with His Body, the Church. It unites all of us together, making the entire Church stronger and more vital. Our church is a resting place, a place of encounter with God, and a departure point for us to go forth renewed as we share God's love.*  
*"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in them."*

Congratulations to all our parishioners who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last Tuesday. This special Sacrament marks a new stage in your relationship and commitment to the Lord. Also, thank you to everyone who helped make our Confirmation celebration such a memorable evening.



**Our Parish Picnic** was a great success thanks to Deacon Bob and all of his volunteers! Everybody had a great time.

**Summer Church Camp** will be held at St. Joseph's Church from Tuesday, August 8<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Helpers in grades 7 and up are needed to supervise and organize crafts and games. If you are interested in working with young children as leaders or helpers, please sign up at the main church doors or contact Deacon Bob. You will be contacted with further information. Registration forms to sign up campers will be available soon.

**Parish Bus Trip - Sept 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>, 2017** - Travel by Franklin Coach to Stratford and the Festival Inn. Dinner at the Festival Inn Tuesday. Tuesday evening attend "HMS Pinafore" at the Avon Theatre. Wednesday see "Guys and Dolls" at the Festival Theatre. Our dinner stop is at the Mandarin Buffet in Mississauga. Trip includes travel, accommodation, one breakfast, one lunch, two dinners, two shows, plus beverage and snack from the parish centre before departure. Prices: Single \$450 pp; Double \$375 pp; Triple \$350 pp; Quad \$325 pp. **Register at the parish office this Thursday & Friday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> from 9am to noon.**



**Birthright Bottles for Babies** - thank you for participating in our fundraising project. If you forgot your bottle this week, you can still bring it in next weekend, or drop it off to the Birthright office at 383 Front St. between 1-4pm, Mon-Thurs. Happy Father's Day!

**St. Joseph's Parish Golf Tournament** - has been rescheduled to July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017 at 3pm - Briar Fox Golf Course in Marysville.

**Divine Mercy Chaplet:** As a community, we will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet after 8am Mass on each Friday of the month except for First Friday due to Holy Hour Devotions. This Chaplet takes only 7 minutes to pray.

**Famine Relief Fund:** In February 2017, the UN Secretary-General declared 20 million people were at risk of death in the next six months in the South Sudan region. Donations to help alleviate this crisis made through the following organizations: **Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace:** <https://www.devpc.org/en/famine-relief-fund> Phone: 1 888 234-8533 - or - **Aid to the Church in Need Canada:** [www.acn-aed-ca.org/iamstarving](http://www.acn-aed-ca.org/iamstarving) Phone: 1-800-585-6333 - or - **Canadian Jesuits International** <http://www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca/2017/06/05/famine-relief-appeal/> Phone: 1-800-448-2148.

Each week you are encouraged to support Gleaners Food Bank by bringing a non-perishable food item to Mass. "I was hungry and you fed me." Feed the hungry.

**Annunciation of Blessed Virgin Mary in Enterprise** is hosting their annual **Chicken Barbecue and Raffle Draw** on Saturday July 8<sup>th</sup>. Serving from 4 to 7pm in the Church Hall, 659 Church St. Enterprise. Adults \$15, students under 12 \$6, children under 6 free. This event is rain or shine and all are welcome. Mass will be celebrated at 4pm.

## Upcoming Parish Events:

**Euchre Party:** Sun, June 25<sup>th</sup> at 2pm  
**Golf Tournament: Rescheduled to** - Sun, July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 3pm - Briar Fox Golf Club, Marysville  
**Church Camp:** Aug 8<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> - mornings  
**Parish Bus Trip:** Sep 19-20<sup>th</sup> to Stratford -  
**Registration date for Bus Trip** - is this week - June 22 & 23, 9am - noon at the rectory office



**CWL News:** Thank you to all who attended our Strawberry Social. We are now on our summer break. God bless one and all, we wish everyone a healthy, safe and joyful summer.

**CURSILLISTAS:** You are invited to an **ULTREYA on Sunday, June 25, 2017** at St. John the Apostle Church Hall, 88 Patrick Street, Kingston. The Ultreya will start at 2:00 p.m. and will consist of a witness talk, response, small groups, music, prayer and refreshments. All Cursillistas are invited to come out to renew old friendships and meet fellow Cursillistas. For more information contact Mike and Diane Foley in Kingston at 613-546-6224 [mfoley8@cogeco.ca](mailto:mfoley8@cogeco.ca) or Neil and Margaret Cameron in Brockville at 613-498-1702 [cameron25@bell.net](mailto:cameron25@bell.net)

You and your family are cordially invited to a Solemn Mass to celebrate **the Feast Day of St. Josemaria Escriva**, founder of Opus Dei. It will take place on **Wednesday, June 21st** at 7:30 pm at Saint Mary's Cathedral, Kingston. Confessions from 7:00 pm. Light reception to follow.

✠ **Remember in Prayer:** All who are ill, including Caroline Sonier, Patricia Williams, Annette Sauve, Doug Reed, Denise Wood, Jean Langevin, Helen Bradley, Kayla Bradford, Kathy Mulder, Cory McMurter, Jack Erwin and Gail Wilson. Please pray for the repose of the souls of Dermot McCourt and Henry Benedetti.

## **Parish Events:**

**Children's Liturgy** is each Sunday at 9am Mass throughout the school session. A wonderful opportunity for children between the ages of 3 and 7 to participate in a deeper understanding of the Gospel message. The goal of this program is to engage and enlighten children in the teachings of the Church. The children are led in prayer, liturgy of the day and crafts/activities to emphasize the Gospel message. They also learn to participate in the Mass. We look forward to helping your children celebrate God's love at Mass. We are looking for volunteers to support our weekly program. If you would like to help, contact Anne Marie at or (613)966-7887.

If you or a loved one are going to the hospital or into a retirement home, please inform the parish office so a visit can be arranged.

Our **Prayer Network** has more than 100 people praying every day for our parish, for those who are sick and for special intentions. If you would like the Prayer Network to pray for you or your loved one, call the parish office to get the prayers started.

Just a reminder to everybody that our church has two **Quiet Rooms**, (one in the southwest corner and one behind the candle stand). Feel free to use these rooms if you need some quiet time and quiet space before or after Mass - OR - if during Mass you need a private space for you and your child. Also, there are diaper changing stations in all the washrooms.

## **Diocesan Events:**

**St. Mike's Youth News:** Food, fuel and fun - for teens, led by teens! Check it out! Bring your friends! Youth Group - sun, June 11<sup>th</sup> - Pray & Talk on your Walk to Dairy Queen. Meet in the Cave at 6:30pm - pick up at Dairy Queen (on Dundas) at 8:30pm. Bring a twonie. Steubenville Toronto at UOIT in Oshawa - July 28-30<sup>th</sup>, 2017. For teens entering high school, in high school & grads. Register now online @ [www.steubenvilletoronto.com](http://www.steubenvilletoronto.com) Pay reg fee of \$50 to St. Mike's Youth office. Confirmation Candidates - Confirmation is Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

The Archdiocese is partnering with **Newman Theological College** in Edmonton to offer online faith formation courses in a Certificate in Catholic Studies. Registration Cost per course is \$85.00. Students may register completely online at <http://www.newman.edu/CCS>. Please see their website for further details and FAQ's. For more information please contact or call Mary-Jo MacKinnon-Simms at the Diocesan centre 613-548-4461 Ext 115.

**Fatima Days of Prayer, Reflection and Celebration ~ the 13<sup>th</sup> day of each month commencing May thru Oct, Sacred Heart of Mary Parish in Madoc.** Mass at 11am. Sat, May 13<sup>th</sup>, guest speaker Father Eugene O'Reilly C.Ss.R., will give a reflection from 1-2pm. Fr. Eugene is a very well-known mission leader & musician. Individuals & families welcome & encouraged to attend part, or all of the day. For more info - Charlotte Lahey 613-473-5399.

**Our Lady of Lourdes Parish 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Barbecue June 18, 2017** - In honour of the Founding of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, (490 Days Rd, Kingston), for all present and past parishioners, on the parish grounds from 12 to 2pm. His Grace, Archbishop O'Brien will preside at the 11am Mass and will then join our parish family for the barbecue. There will be lots of fun and entertainment for the children. The best part of the event is that it is FREE, however a free will offering would not be refused! Complimentary tickets will be available at the Parish Office and after each Mass on June 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> and June 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>.

**STEUBENVILLE TORONTO 2017 - July 28-30** - The Archdiocesan Youth Office will be taking high school youth from across the archdiocese to the annual Steubenville Toronto Youth Conference. If youth are interested in attending please have them contact Nadia in the Youth Office for info and registration forms: [youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca](mailto:youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca) Archbishop O'Brien will be celebrating the Saturday Mass!

**Totus Tuus Catholic Summer Camp! Registration Open!** Youth in the Archdiocese of Kingston are invited to sign up for a week at **Totus Tuus** (*Latin for Totally Yours*) **Catholic Summer Camp!** A team of dynamic, trained young adult missionaries come to a parish and facilitate a faith-based camp that includes activities, faith instruction, Mass, skits, music and games! The day program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am – 2:30pm. (\$75 for the week). With an option of extended daycare. In the evenings, the team offers an engaging program for teens in Grades 7-12 which runs Monday – Friday from 7–9pm. (\$25 for the week). Youth in the Western Deanery are welcome to attend camp at **St. Michael the Archangel Parish the week of July 31 - Aug 4**. To register or for more info, contact Nadia Gundert at [youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca](mailto:youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca) or call 613-484-2446.

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**143rd ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO STE-ANNE-DE-BEAUPRÉ AND CAP-DE-LA-MADELEINE** from the Dioceses of Ottawa, Kingston, Gatineau, Pembroke, Mont Laurier, and Alexandria/Cornwall on **August 12-13, 2017**. Weekend Celebrant is Bishop Michael Mulhall of the Diocese of Pembroke. The Shrine theme "*That My Joy May Be In You.*" Pope Francis has invited all Catholics to continue practicing the Jubilee of Mercy for 2017, in being merciful to everyone. And, as Pope Francis has asked previously, that all Catholics take this opportunity to make a pilgrimage again this year in continuing the Year of Mercy. Info: Mike Budge 613-224-8110; [www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com](http://www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com)

**“HANDMADE ONLY”** Craft Sale Looking for Vendors - Holy Cross is hosting a craft show on Saturday **Oct. 14, 2017 from 10 – 3 pm**. The cost to vendors is only \$30.00 per table with all this money going to the 2018 Jamaica Mission Trip. Vendors get to keep all profits from their sales. Admission to the show is FREE. Please contact Janina Haley @ [jandewy@yahoo.com](mailto:jandewy@yahoo.com) to reserve your table(s) and arrange payment (before June 15).

**Our Lady of Lourdes Parish - PILGRIMAGE TO BARCELONA, LOURDES AND ROME, 2017.** During 2017 we are celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Founding of our beloved parish, Our Lady of Lourdes. What better way to celebrate this significant milestone than to travel to LOURDES and take part, with fellow parishioners, in the beautiful evening Candlelight Procession. We still have seats available and would love to have you join us. **The date of the Pilgrimage is from October 10<sup>th</sup> to the 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017.** For reservations call Anne Routhier at 613-389-8170.

**November Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Fr. Justin Pulikunnel** - Have you ever longed to visit the Holy Land during your lifetime, to follow in the footsteps of Our Blessed Lord, to pray, kneel and kiss the soil where his sacred feet trod? Would you like the Sacred Scriptures to be opened up in new and exciting ways? Do you want to experience His Mercy? Do you want your family to be converted? Do you expect a healing for you or someone you love? Do you desire to make atonement for your past sins? Or simply to give thanks to God for all the blessings He's given you? Well, all these and more are good reasons to make a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, and Fr. Justin is leading one this **November 15th-24th, 2017**. e-mail [justinpulikunnel@gmail.com](mailto:justinpulikunnel@gmail.com) for more details.



Do you want to deepen your Spirituality and build community with others committed to serving with compassion? The Providence Associates of the Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul meet monthly at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary parish in Belleville. They invite women and men to consider attending one of their meetings to learn more about who they are. For information, email [associates@providence.ca](mailto:associates@providence.ca) or call 613-544-4525 ext. 148.

**Providence Care needs volunteers from parishes in the Archdiocese of Kingston to assist with Roman Catholic ministries that help meet spiritual needs in the following ways:**

#### **Providence Manor Volunteer Opportunities**

- Assist residents going to and from Mass on Tuesday – Friday (10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon), which includes pushing wheelchairs and walking alongside residents who require assistance/supervision.
- Extraordinary Minister for the Distribution of Holy Communion, especially to Residents who are unable to attend Mass, during the week.

Please contact Ruth Flores, Coordinator of Recreation and Volunteer Services at Providence Manor at **613-548-7222, ext. 3160** or [floresr@providencecare.ca](mailto:floresr@providencecare.ca)

#### **St. Mary's of the Lake Hospital Volunteer Opportunities**

- Assist patients going to and from Sunday Mass (10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon), which includes pushing wheelchairs and walking alongside patients who require assistance/supervision.
- Extraordinary Minister for the Distribution of Holy Communion to patients during the week. Please contact Tania Christie at 613-548-7222, Ext. 2292 or [smolvolunteer@providencecare.ca](mailto:smolvolunteer@providencecare.ca)

*Thank you for considering our invitation to join us as we care for vulnerable persons seeking spiritual nurture.*

**Separated and/or Divorced?** Looking for support through your healing process? You are welcome to attend the New Life Group a Support Group for those experiencing separation and divorce. Alternate Tuesday evenings - 390 Palace Road, Kingston. For further info e-mail [family@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca](mailto:family@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca) or phone the Family Ministry Office 613-548-4461.

#### **Community Events:**

Young people in grades 4 to 7 who are interested in joining the **Quinte Children's Choir**, since 1986 the training choir of the renowned **Quinte Youth Chorale**, are invited to audition for the 2017/2018 season. For more information or to schedule an audition call Rudolf Heijdens at 613-962-0920 or e-mail [rudolf.heijdens@sympatico.ca](mailto:rudolf.heijdens@sympatico.ca)



**Did you know . . . Hospice Quinte** is focused on improving the quality of life for those with a life threatening or life limiting illness? They will place trained volunteers to provide much needed respite for caregivers, offering peace of mind when they need to attend to tasks outside of home. A volunteer can provide

practical assistance with meal preparation & light housekeeping; companionship; offering to read, play cards, share conversation, emotional support for patient & family. The volunteer will visit wherever the patient may be, home, hospital, LTC, or retirement residence. Services are free of charge & available throughout the course of the person's illness, not just at end of life. More info: Jan MacInnes, 613-966-6610 x 223, or [janmacinnes@hospice-quinte.ca](mailto:janmacinnes@hospice-quinte.ca)

**Bridge Street United Church Summer Tea and Fashion Show, Wed., June 21, 2 pm.** - For a minimum \$10 donation you will enjoy fancy sandwiches, tea and a special dessert delivered by dashing male servers while you sit back, relax and enjoy a fashion show, courtesy of *Kimberley's Deja vu Boutique*. Spread the word! Whether it's the food or the conversation, expect to have a good time! Tickets available in church office, 60 Bridge St. E. entrance, Tues to Fri., 9 to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. (cash or cheque). This fund-raising event will support the repair of a stained glass window in the church sanctuary.

**Steubenville Toronto** - Calling all teens in Grade 8-12! Join over 1500 youth from across Ontario in attending Steubenville Toronto, an amazing high school youth conference, on **July 28-30, 2017**. It will be held at the UOIT Campus in Oshawa. For more info in attending with the Archdiocese of Kingston group contact Nadia Gundert at [youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca](mailto:youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca) or download the registration and information package from the Archdiocese of Kingston's website under the YOUTH tab.

**Kids' Camp @ Bridge St. United Church – Mon, August 14 to Fri, Aug. 18, 9am to 12 noon** – For children ages 4 to 12 (should have attended preschool or JK) – Theme - “Surf Shack: Catch the Wave of God’s Amazing Love”. Registration forms available in church office and online @ [www.bridgestreetchurch.com](http://www.bridgestreetchurch.com). Please register by Fri., July 28. For more information, contact Kids' Camp Director @ [childrenscentre@bridgestchurch.com](mailto:childrenscentre@bridgestchurch.com).

The Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association has launched a new online campaign to promote Catholic Education in Ontario. Called ***Together in Faith***, the goal of the campaign is to build a vibrant online community of supporters of Catholic education, and share the stories of the exceptional students, teachers, and other members of our Catholic community who are demonstrating excellence throughout our Catholic schools. The Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board is pleased to support this online campaign and celebrate the excellence of Catholic education in our communities. More info on the campaign can be found at [www.togetherinfaith.ca](http://www.togetherinfaith.ca).



### Parish Contacts

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Chief Squire	Thomas Morrissey	969-9506
Franciscans	Bill Garland	966-4015
Senior Choir	Debbie Shaw	962-7430
Youth Choir	Anne Moloney	966-4999
Ascension Singers	Elizabeth Wallace	968-9950



## Invitation to Minister at Mass

**Altar Servers** - Weekends: Youth after their First Communion can volunteer. Contact: Deacon Bob. Weekdays - Adult volunteers. Contact Father Charles.

Funerals - Adult volunteers. Contact Father Charles.

**Eucharistic Ministers** - Lay Ministers assist in distributing the Eucharist to the congregation during Masses on weekends and weekdays. Monthly schedules are provided.

**Offertory Gifts** - Volunteers carry the gifts to the altar. Monthly schedules are followed.

**Lectors** - Parishioners proclaim the readings. Monthly schedules are provided.

**Junior Liturgy** - Younger children are welcome to join the weekly celebration with a Gospel message for them. Also, adult volunteers are needed to lead children's liturgy.

**Music** - Parishioners of all ages are welcome to participate in sharing their musical talents. There are various choirs open to different age groups. Practices are held weekly.

**Ushers** - Responsible for finding seats for parishioners and taking up the collection at weekend Masses.



## Invitation to Serve

**Card Parties** - Once a month on the third Sunday of the month for fun and social purposes. Organizer: Paul Sosiak.

**Catholic Women's League** - monthly meetings on the third Thursday, contact the Parish office.

**Knights of Columbus** - Second Tuesday of the month. Contact Roy Goodridge.

**Hospitality Sunday** - After Masses on the last Sunday of the month.

**Junior Liturgy** - Sundays, 9am Mass during the school season, September to June. Co-ordinator: Anne Marie Barrett.

**Rosary** - Before Saturday, 5pm Mass in May and October.

**Parish Visitation Program** - Visits to parishioners. Contact Karen Holtz.

**Prayer Network** - Every day 90 people pray for you and special intentions. Contact Maureen Hamilton.

**St. Vincent de Paul** - (613)962-8675.

**Ascension Singers** - Saturday Mass, once a month. Contact: Elizabeth Wallace.

**Senior Choir** - Sunday Mass at 10:30am. Practice every Wednesday at 6:30 pm. Director: Debbie Shaw.

**Youth Group** - Meets once a month. Check the bulletin.

