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Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ "Corpus Christi" June 19, 2022 Year C

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Sunday Mass 9AM Wednesday Daily Mass 9AM Thursday Daily Mass 9AM

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MASS/MUSIC

Entrance Song: Table Of Plenty #310

Lord Have Mercy

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

Responsorial Psalm: You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Gospel Acclamation: Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17 Homily: Father Gerry

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Prayers of the Faithful: Response: Lord hear our prayer

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory: See Us Lord, About Your Altar #367

Holy: #917

Memorial Acclamation: When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your death O Lord, until you come again.

Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God: #919

Communion: Eat This Bread #334

Meditation: All Is Well With My Soul #469 Recessional: We Belong To You #644

JUNE BIRTHDAYS



1st-Fritz Sitterding, 7th-Michelle Puttmann, 13th-Charles Hartz, 14th-Marge Dembeck & Johnna Harris, 16th-Tom Foley, 17th-Arlene Warren, 21st-Marla Bury, 24th-Geri Lohr, 25th-Brbara Zimmerman, 27th-Sharon Hawksworth, 28th-Baylen Miller & Diana Beckett.

If you would like to add your name to the Birthday/Anniversary list please contact the office.

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES



1st-Fritz & Suzanne Sitterding, 13th-Gary & Lynne Richardson 21st-Scott & Kathy Kauffman, Dave & Emily Filippi, 25th-Ray & Jean Kostesky, 27th-Don & Sandi Delagrange, 28th-Bob & Barbara Smith

GOLF TOURNAMENT FINAL REPORT

The tournament ended up making a profit of approximately \$3,800, and as promised, the money will support our community outreach efforts.

We plan to use some of it for our Parish Pence program and donate \$500 to the following organizations:

Habitat for Humanity, Hands Across Middlesex Food Pantry, Love 4 Kids, Mary's Choice RVA,

Middlesex County Rescue Squad,

Christmas Friends, and the Middlesex/Northern Neck Free Health Clinic.

June 19, 2022

Community Leader:
Gary Richardson

Lectors:

Altar Server:
Steve Forte

Barbara Smith/Lynne Dreelin

Music Cantor:
John McCormack

<u>Collection Counters:</u> Tutak/Harvev's

Holy Communion

Extraordinary Minister for

Mary Ellen Sherwood/Tom Dorman
Tutak

OFFERTORY COLLECTION from June 12, 2022

Collection: \$ 2,732

Second Collection:

Total Offertory Collection Year to Date \$ 115,865 Total Budget Projection: \$ 107,785

Our Second Collection today is for Debt Reduction.

We signed the following principal checks this week: \$2856 two loan payments; \$783 Pastor & Rectory Expenses.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Today: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Father's Day)

June 26th: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time (2 Baptism's)

July 3rd: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 4th: Independence Day

July 10th: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 14th: Parish Council 7PM

July 17th: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>ROSARY</u>



Please join us as we pray the rosary every Sunday before Mass. We begin at 8:30 am in the new worship area & we welcome all to join in this beautiful devotional prayer.

No experience necessary!

We have books and rosary beads available for use.

If you have any questions please see Cindy Jessee.

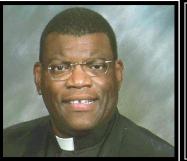
LEGACY GIFTS

Members of our church gather each week around the communion table, reciting the words of Christ and participation in the sacred meal "in remembrance" of Jesus. That gift has been handed down generation to generation.

As we recall the names of those who have died, our minds are filled with precious memories. We are their legacy,

and much of what we have-in both material and non-material things-have been handed down to us from them. But what will we hand down to those who follow? How will we be remembered? Will we leave more than an empty spot in a pew?

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FATHER JOHN BODDIE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In memory of our pastor and friend, Fr. John Boddie, from whom flowed love and kindness to all who knew him. May his soul rest in peace. Money from these ads are used as scholarships given to the youth of our church. Please make your checks payable to <a href="https://doi.org/10.1001/john.2001/j

Website for scholarship application: tcfrichmond.org Application deadline: Early March 2022

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Lynn Shepherd

In loving memory of the McMurtrie's and Strotmeyer's;
Still alive in my heart.
Mollie McMurtrie

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CHURCH AND THEIR
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Forever, JoAnn In support of our youth.

The O'Keefe Family

CHURCH ACTIVITIES, ORGANIZATIONS, AND SACRAMENTAL EVENTS

Below is a condensed list of such items. For more details, consult our Ministry Catalogue or call the office.

<u>BAPTISM/MARRIAGE</u>: Please contact the parish office to arrange an appointment for celebrating the sacrament of Baptism/Marriage <u>CATECHUMENS</u>: RCIA invites people of all ages interested in becoming Catholics through Baptism/Eucharist and Confirmation.

<u>SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING:</u> Celebrated 2x a year-Spring & Fall or by appointment. Please call the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Held during Lent and Advent as well as by appointment. Please call the parish office.

<u>SICK CALLS:</u> Please call the Office at any time. We will also bring Holy Communion to anyone who is unable to attend Mass.

HOLY DAYS: Please call the office for times or check our website.

<u>PRISON MINISTRY:</u> Please call the office if you are interested in helping with this ministry.

<u>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</u>: Knights of Columbus meet the third Wednesday of each month beginning with the Rosary at 5:45PM and the meeting starting 6:00PM, followed by a social with wives and guests at 7:00PM. All are welcome. The KOC are willing to provide transportation to any church activities. Call Grand Knight Bill Brandl.

<u>RECYCLABLE CANS:</u> Church of the Visitation recycles cans, with profits going to Church ministries. Bring your aluminum cans to the bin outside, by the playground.

ROSARY MINISTRY: Sunday morning before Mass, 8:30am New Worship Area. No experience necessary. Books & Rosary available.

ASSESSMENTS

Perhaps you noticed in the brief financial report that one of our principal checks this week was for Diocesan assessments.

These are four in nature; Cathedraticum, Catholic Virginian, Parish Sharing, and Property and Liability Insurance.

The largest one is the Cathedraticum, which in general assesses all offertory collections and certain designated ones such as collections for flowers, Faith Formation, Parish Beautification, and Fundraising Revenue. However, the bulk of our special collections such as Parish Pence, Uganda, and national causes like Respect for Life are exempt from taxation.

The Diocese employs a slinging scale of percentages based on income which averages about 7% of our total taxable receipts. In successive weeks, we will explain the other assessments. If you have any questions about the Cathedraticum, just contact the office or Ray.

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE

In the past we use to hand deliver certain administration items to parishioners, ie thank you notes etc. We are now placing these items-on the admin table in the Narthex. Please check the table frequently to see if there is anything for you. Thank You

A HEARTY WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST PARISIONERS

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The Church of the Visitation is proud to announce the upcoming Baptism of Nora Jeanne Putney and Easton Wild Derdock next Sunday, June 26, 2022.



Parents: Brandon & Gina Putney
Godparents: Chad & Rachel Sauerzopf
Grandparents: Michael & Laura Villano
Tammie & Melinda Putney

Great Grandparents:

Omar & Peggy Cruz, Jeanne Themides



Parents: Nicholas & Katrina Derdock Godparents: Caroline Borden & Joseph Gosney Grandparents: Lauren & Ross Chaffin Bob & Ingrid Borden



THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI-THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD

On the second Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, also known as the Feast of Corpus Christi, which is Latin for "the body of Christ".

This feast day commemorates the Eucharist, the meal in which we partake of the Body and Blood of Christ. The Eucharist is at the heart of our Catholic faith and traditionally, holds a special place among the sacraments.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church has this to say about the importance of the Eucharist:

1324 The Eucharist is "the source and summit of the Christian life

"134 "The other sacraments, and indeed all ecclesiastical ministries and works of the apostolate, are bound up with the Eucharist and are oriented toward it.

For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself, our Pasch."135

The Eucharist was instituted by Jesus at the Last Supper and this institution of the sacrament is celebrated on Holy Thursday.

However, the emphasis of the Triduum is on the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus, which creates the need for another feast day focusing on the Eucharist itself.

As Catholics, we believe in transubstantiation, the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament of the Eucharist. This is what makes us "different" - Catholic.

A FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

Bless those fathers, who have taken it upon themselves the responsibility of parenting.

Bless those fathers, who have lost a spouse to death... or divorce, who are parenting their children alone.

Bless those fathers, who when the money runs low and when we need things; they provide.

Bless those fathers, who love unconditionally when they think they can't and they do.

Bless our fathers and give them grace and patience to handle situations in a loving way.

Bless our fathers by strengthening them with Your love that they may become the loving, caring fathers they are meant to be.

Bless our fathers by guiding them to be good role models and love all Your children.

Bless our fathers who choose to be brave and serve in the military. Thank you to the fathers who protect us, when we are scared and frightened.

Bless our fathers that with Your help, will be a father like You.

God, grant that we, their sons and daughters, will always honor them, love them and respect them.

God, heavenly father, bless all the fathers in the world. We ask you to grant this through Christ Our Lord and the Holy Spirit.

Amen!

The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of the Lord 'Corpus Christi' June 19, 2022

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of the Lord, or as it is traditionally called, "Corpus Christi". This solemnity differs from Holy Thursday when we celebrate the initiation of the sacrament of the Eucharist at the Last Supper. Today in gratitude, we celebrate the gift of the Eucharist, the ever presence of Christ in the life of the Church.

Today we are invited to celebrate what we believe in, that Jesus Christ is really and truly present in the Eucharist, uniting us to his Passion, Death, and Resurrection, and nourishing us throughout our life as his followers. Unlike many other Christian Churches, we do not believe that the Eucharist just points to the Lord or signifies our union with Christ. We Catholics believe that the Eucharist is the Lord. We believe that when we receive Communion, we receive Jesus within us, sanctifying us. We speak to the Lord within us. When the bread and wine are consecrated during the Mass, the very substance or essence of the bread and wine is changed from the physical to the spiritual, the body and blood of the Lord.

We call this the Real Presence. That is why we say that the hosts and the wine are consecrated, not just blessed. That is also why the hosts which are consecrated during the Mass are reserved in our tabernacles after Mass. We can then take the Real Presence of the Lord to the sick and dying. We also can worship before the Eucharistic presence of the Lord here in Church. The Eucharist is the meal of the believing community, but it is far more than just a meal of fellowship. The Celebration of the Eucharist is not a social gathering. Each person who receives communion, receives the Body of Christ within him or her as individuals. In this way each person is united together to the total Mystical Body of Christ.

Our union is far more than fellowship. Perhaps the best example is the example of the vine and the branches. The branches of a vine or a tree do not just live in fellowship with each other, they live united to each other through their union to the life-giving trunk. We are the branches united to the vine and sustained by the life force of the Eucharist. For those who believe, the reception of the Eucharist is an affirmation of the entire faith of the Church. People may share a belief in Christ, and even celebrate a communion service, but not necessarily share a belief in the Eucharist as being the real presence of Christ. A person needs to have this faith before the person can join the Eucharistic meal.

The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of the Lord is a good time for a bit of a refresher regarding proper reverence in the church and when receiving communion. Because we believe that Jesus in present in the Blessed Sacrament within our tabernacles, we need to show reverence in Church. When we enter a pew, we need to genuflect, bend the right knee. If we have bad knees and cannot genuflect, we should bow. Once in our place, we should say a prayer of greeting to the Lord.

The most important practice we must have, is to know that at communion, we are united in a special way with Jesus. We need to speak to the Lord within us. We need to pray directly to Jesus inside of us in the Eucharist. It so wrong and so disrespectful to the Presence of the Lord for us to receive communion and then ignore the One within us.

We have been entrusted with the Body of Christ. We must care for this gift properly. The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of the Lord leads us to reflect on the depth of this great gift. The celebration reminds us that when we receive communion, we do not just perform a symbolic action, we receive Jesus Christ. May we do so with reverence.



Very Reverend Gerry Kaggw

Please Remember in your Prayers

Dick Zimmerman, Robert Cummins Jr., Charles Alter, Rollin Cowles and Mary Heeke

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If you need to add to the prayer list please call the office, email, or leave a note in the box outside the office. Remember to put family or friend by their name.



Body and Blood of Christ Service to others

Reading I: Genesis 14:18–20 (Melchizedek's blessing of Abram)

Reading II: 1 Corinthians 11:23–26 (the Lord's Supper)

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17 (multiplication of the loaves)

Key Passage: For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." (1 Corinthians 11:23–24)

Adult: When have you been most blessed and when have you felt a little "broken" in your service to others?

Child: Why is it important to keep on giving, even when you are tired?



In Loving Memory Of

Alma and Fritz Sitterding

Supporting Our Youth



In Loving Memory of Bobby Warren

Your Family Arlene, L.C., Faye, Caitlyn & Courtlyı

"Gone but not to be forgotten"

In Loving Memory of
"Vinnie Recupido"

Barbara Hollingsworth



When someone you love becomes a memory the memory becomes a treasure.

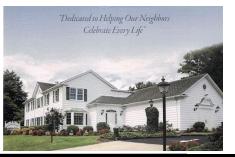
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SAINT THERESA OF CALCUTTA'S "ANYWAY PRAYER"

People are often unreasonable, illogical, and self-centered; forgive them anyway.

If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives; be kind anyway.

If you are successful, you will win some false friends and true enemies; succeed anyway.

If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you; be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight; build it anyway.

destroy overnight; build it anyway.

If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous; be happy anyway.

The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow; do good anyway.

Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough; give the world the best you've got anyway.

You see, in the final analysis, it is between you and God; it was never between you and them anyway.

Breathe in Love, Exhale Peace. In Loving Memory Of *David E. Brinkley*

In Loving Memory of "Vincent Recupido" Dolores



Thanks for always supporting us in everything we do!

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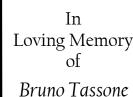
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> God Bless You All Ron & Georgia Beville





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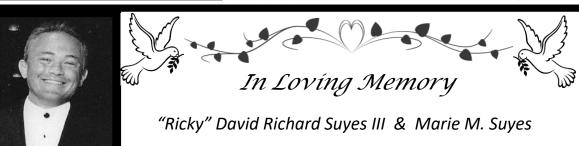


Kenneth Anderson

"Say not in grief 'he is no more' but in thankfulness that he was"



Lewis Forte





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