

# **Sunday Masses**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:30 a.m. (said in English) 11:00 a.m. (said in Polish)

# Weekday Masses

Masses are in Chapel Monday & Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. Wed. Thur. Fri. Sat. 11:30 a.m. Thursday Mass is said in Polish

### Confession

(Sacrament of penance and reconciliation)
In the Church
Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m.
Or by appointment

# **Divine Mercy Chaplet**

Sunday before Mass in English After the Mass in Polish

# **Sacrament of Anointing**

In case of emergency, please call the office.

# **Exposition of the Holy Eucharist**

Wednesday to Friday
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Mass
First Thursday of the Month
In the Church from 7p.m. – 10 p.m.

# Perpetual Novena to Our Lady of Czestochowa

Every Saturday after 11:30 a.m. Mass

### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday–Friday: 9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. (Closed for lunch 12:30-1:00)

### **Letters of Recommendation**

Only registered and participating parishioners will be issued a Letter of Recommendation. Letters cannot be issued to non-parishioners

## Welcome

We extend to our visitors a very special welcome. We trust that the liturgy will be a blessing to you and you will visit us again. If you think you may be interested in joining Corpus Christi Parish, please contact our office. We will be glad to assist in making arrangements for your registration. Call 716-896-1050

If you are the Donor of the Mass intention and would like to bring up the gifts, please inform one of the Ushers before Mass.

### Vigil for Sunday

5:00 + Nina Barszcz requested by her friend Bożena

# Sunday, March 11th, The Fourth Sunday of Lent

9:30 + John and Veronica Janora requested by their children

11:00 + Stefina Owczarek requested by Wanda and Marcin Ostrowski

### Monday, March 12th,

10:00 Parishioners of Corpus Christi Church

### Tuesday, March13th,

**10:00** God's continued blessing for Father David Misrener

### Wednesday, March 14th,

11:30 + Rupert & Gisela Ederer requested by Family

### Thursday, March 15th,

11:30 + Florence Oleszek requested by her Daughter Donna

### Friday, March 16th, A Day of Abstinence

11:30 + William Jarzehinski requested by Mary Sikora

**6:30** Stations of the Cross in Polish

### Saturday, March 17th, SAINT PATRICK Bishop

11:30 + Josephine Glichowski requested by Family

### Vigil for Sunday

5:00 +Mirosław Misiura requested by Krzysztoń Family

# Sunday, March 18th, The Fifth Sunday of Lent

9:30 + John Paul Halicki requested by Family 11:00 + Lori & Craig Lewandowski by Family Krzysztoń



# Sanctuary Lamp in the Church John and Veronica Janora

requested by their children

# Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel

Benefactors and Volunteers Of Corpus Christi Church



### **Prayer Request**

Prayers are requested for the following: Ronald Orcutt, Joan Janiszewski, Frank Page, Arthur M. Holakowski, John Drabek, Irene Golembiewski, Christine Gryko, Zbyszek Nowak, Alfred Wieczorek, Joe Janora, Carol Machynski, Florence Korycki, Alina Lomacka, John Raczka, David Marcucci, Millie Zimmerman and baby Mac Martin.

### **Attendance and Collections**

March 4th, 2017 Attendance 120 Collection \$ 1,617 Diocese Collection Home Mission \$ 227

# Saint Joseph Day Cup Cake Sale Next Sunday!

Corpus Christi will be hosting a CUP CAKE SALE in the back of Church, to celebrate St.

Joseph's Feast Day, on March 18th (Sunday). Please support this effort. All proceeds will go toward the fuel fund. Cup Cakes will be on sale after each Mass, in the back of Church.

Cup Cakes painstakingly donated by Kari and Fran Nowak

### **Cleaning of the Church**

Volunteers are needed to clean the Church for Easter. Please arrive at 6:00 pm on the 28th of March (Wednesday). It goes really fast if there are a lot of volunteers, so don't be afraid to help out.

### **Confessions Available**

Our Lady of Charity Parish will be offering a Lenten Penance service on Monday, March 12th, at 6:30 pm in their St. Ambrose Worship Site.

### **Catholic Charities**

St. Clare of Assisi, our saint of the 2018 Appeal, believed that "we are to become the vessels of God's compassionate love for others." Today, Catholic Charities shows that same compassion and love for others by offering individual, children and family counseling, and mental health and chemical dependency treatment through our Family and Community Services sites like the Monsignor Carr Clinics, Marriage Counseling Center, and Diocesan Counseling Center. Your gift to the Catholic Charities 2018 Appeal will help to continue these services in WNY. To donate call 716-218-1400, drop your Catholic Charity envelope in the collection basket, see Henry Bernat after mass or come into the office

### Reflection

Today's reading from the book of Chronicles relates stories about the leaders of Judah who were dishonest, incompetent and weak. The people of the time followed them blindly, like lemmings, allowing their actions to lead them away from God's will. We may find ourselves in similar situations today. Sometimes people we know or those in leadership positions may lead us down the wrong path and away from God. It is up to us to turn back toward his love. Keep in mind that God's love and loyalty to us are always there. No matter how many mistakes we may make, or how far we may stray from God, he will always lead and welcome us back. We only need to choose to love God to discover that he is with us and among us.

### **DYNGUS 2018**

It is hard to believe Easter is approaching so early this Year. Easter is followed by Easter Monday, otherwise known to Western New Yorkers as Dyngus Day. This is a very important fundraising event for our Parish. But we need volunteers. At the event and prior to and post event. On Saturday, March 17, at 9:30am we need people to help prepare the Social and Athletic Club. There are floors to be washed, kitchen to be cleaned, chairs to be set up, tables to be moved, seats to be wiped, window sills to be dusted and many other jobs. A light lunch will be provided. So see Kevin and Chris in the back of Church, call the office at 716-896-1050 and if at all possible bring a friend or two.

### **DYNGUS 2018**

The Parish makes a positive statement to Western New York on Dyngus Day. Please get your Pussy Willow Passes from the office. Try to sell them to your friends and family; tell the folks who are interested in the passes that we have them here in the office. We make a can make a nice profit for the parish if we could sell more passes. Let's work together to make this event a smashing success.

### La Feast Di San Giuseppe

St. Anthony of Padua Church, 160 Court Street, Buffalo, celebrates the Feast of St. Joseph, "La Feast Di San Giuseppe," on Sunday, March 18 with Mass at 11am followed by a traditional St. Joseph Table in the Parish Center Hall; parking is free. For Ticket and information, call the rectory at 716-854-2463 between 9am and 1pm.

#### The Voices of Mercy/ St. Luke's Mission of Mercy

The Voices of Mercy will present their original musical interpretation of Stations of the Cross at St. John Kanty Parish, 101 Swinburne St. on March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30; composed by Drew Berstein, a member of the Voices of Mercy, followed by Stations and a Lenten Soup Supper will take place in Kanty's Kitchen; off street parking. For further information call 716-893-0412 form 9am-Noon weekdays.

### St. Mary's High School Offers Practice Admissions Exam

Lancaster, NY — St. Mary's High School will hold a practice exam for all seventh graders planning to take the Catholic High School admissions Exam this fall. The practice exam will take place Saturday, April 21, 2018, from 8:00–11:00 a.m. at St. Mary's, located at 142 Laverack Ave in Lancaster. This practice admissions exam offers seventh graders the chance to gain a sense of confidence by experiencing this type of testing situation. To reserve a spot for a \$20 fee, please visit smhlancers.org.

### **Center for Nonviolence**

SSJ Sister Karen Klimczak Center for Nonviolence presents former U.S. Attorney William J. Hochul, Jr. to speak at SS. Columba-Brigid Church, 75 Hickory St. \$25 for this Fundraiser. Call 716-362-9688.

### **Chopin Singing Society**

As part of their continuing drive to sustain the cultural program, The Chopin Singing Society is sponsoring a raffle with substantial money prizes to be awarded. Tickets are \$25 and only 1,000 tickets to be sold. Contact Tom Pawlak 716-656-0352.

# Gift Card Raffle for Ladies of Charity

Saturday, April 14th, at Catholic Charities, 75 Caldwell, Lackawanna. Doors open at 11am, with the first drawing is at noon. Entry ticket includes two slices of pizza and a drink. You are encourages to bring a friend, your own snacks and plenty of dollar bills to support the Ladies of Charity call 716-895-4001.

## March 17th, SAINT PATRICK

St. Patrick, (flourished 5th century, Britain and Ireland; feast day March 17), patron saint and national apostle of Ireland, credited with bringing Christianity to Ireland and probably responsible in part for the



Christianization of the Picts and Anglo-Saxons. He is known only from two short works, the Confessio, a spiritual autobiography, and his Letter to Coroticus, a denunciation of British mistreatment of Irish Christians.