

**+ FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI +**



Many centuries ago, the Church began observing one day - besides Holy Thursday - to honor the Eucharist in a special way. This feast is known in Latin as **Corpus Christi**.

Today we celebrate this great feast of the **Body and Blood of Christ**. We encounter and participate in the most precious gift Christ left to the Church to reveal His immense love: *the gift of His very self in the Eucharist*. Whenever we receive Holy Communion or spend time in Eucharistic Adoration, we breathe into our being the very breath and life of Christ who is our hope, the Eucharist. We need to take this gift and use it in our everyday lives to share the light of Christ with those we meet.

*How holy this feast in which Christ is our food; His passion is recalled, grace fills our hearts, and we receive a pledge of the glory to come. - St. Thomas Aquinas*



June 11 – Flea Market sponsored by Ladies Guild

June 18 – Father’s Day

June 24 – First Communion Mass – 12:00 pm

July – Feast Calendar Raffle tickets go on sale

★ August 4, 5, & 6 ★

55<sup>th</sup> Annual Feast of St. Bartholomew



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**FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

In this Feast we meditate on the mystery of Christ’s boundless love for us symbolized by the natural sign for love, the heart. It is the mystery of the Holy Eucharist, the center of our faith, the center of our worship of Christ’s merciful love manifested in His Sacred Heart. On this special day pray for all priests, that they remain faithful in their service to God’s people and always grow in holiness and dedication. Mass will be offered Friday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am for The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.



*The 12 Promises of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their homes.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
5. I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
6. Sinners will find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
9. I will bless every place in which an image of my Heart is exposed and honored.
10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart.
12. I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

A **FLEA MARKET** sponsored by the Ladies Guild will be held **TODAY, Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>** from **9 am – 1 pm** in our Church Hall. Thank you!

**MASSES FOR JUNE 12 - 18, 2023**

*Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead, however the following are specifically remembered this week.*

**Monday, June 12**

7:30 am – Salvatore Licciardi by daughter

**Tuesday, June 13**

7:30 am – In Honor of St. Anthony

**Wednesday, June 14**

7:30 am – Rev. Alfred P. Almonte, C.S.  
89<sup>th</sup> Birthday Remembrance

**Thursday, June 15**

7:30 am – Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

**Friday, June 16**

7:30 am – In Honor of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus  
3:00 pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet

**Saturday, June 17**

8:00 am – In Honor of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**LORD’S DAY MASSES**

**Saturday, June 17**

**5:00 pm**

Intentions of Parishioners

**6:30 pm** – Mass in Spanish

**Sunday, June 18**

**11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:00 am**

Intentions of Father’s Day Envelopes

**9:30 am** – Mass in Spanish

**11:30 am**

Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters  
Elsa Maglione by daughter & grandsons  
Benjamin Lombardi – Father’s Day Remembrance  
by family  
Michael R. Mancini – Father’s Day Remembrance  
by family  
Luigi Piccirillo by family  
Bambino & Emanuela Ventresca by Peter & Lillian

**Sanctuary Candle &  
Altar Bread & Wine:**



*In Memory of*

*Thomas Anthony Forte*



**Corpus Christi**

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