# Corpus Christi Catholic Community

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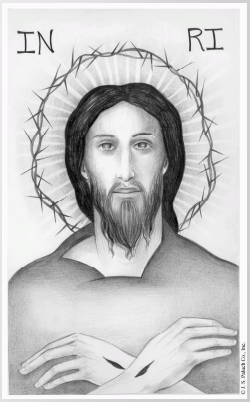


**Office Hours-**
**Wednesday,**
**Thursday & Friday 9-5**
**(Closed for Lunch)**
**Please call before coming to the office.**

**Mass Schedule**
Saturday (vigil): 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:30 am
(English w/ Spanish)
Weekdays: Wednesday 9:00 am
Thursday 9:00 am
Friday 12:10 pm

**Confessions**
Saturdays
3:00-3:30 pm or by appt.

**Confesiones**
cada sábado de
3:00 a 3:30 pm

**Baptisms**
Preparation Class
required, call for an
appointment

**Sacrament of**
**Holy Matrimony**
6 months advance
preparation, call for an
appointment

**Anointing of the Sick**
By appointment, please call
the office

**Holy Days of Obligation**
Times vary– please check the
schedule–regularly sched-
uled daily Mass is
usually cancelled

Parish Email-**generaloffice@**
**ccchurchcc.org**
Parish Website-
**www.ccchurchcc.org**

# Welcome to Corpus Christi!

# Bendiciones a Ti!

# The Blessings of Advent!

## *Third Sunday of Advent December 16, 2018*

Receptionist- Susan Zampirro
Pastoral Assistant (DRE, Youth Minister, Ministry Development,
Facilities Director, Art and Environment) - Karen Smeath

# Gifts to God...Have You Given Yours?

## Amazon

When you shop at smile.amazon.com, Amazon donates .5% to Corpus Christi. Be sure to set us as your default charity at: https://smile.amazon.com/ch/27-4336427

THE ICON STAND VOTIVE CANDLE
is burning this week for Frank Leupp

THE SANCTUARY LAMP CANDLE
is burning this week for Fr. Mark Hanifan

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**1st Sunday of Advent**
**Corpus Christi Sunday Collection/**
**Colecta Semanal**

**Regular Collection**
**$2,687.00**

**Project Completion**
**$889.00**

**Thank You! ¡Gracias!**

**Please add the following to our monthly "pray for" list in our Just for You newsletter….**

*Frank Leupp, Anna Mann, Patrick Clark, Celine Larson, John Sobrowski, Michael & Paula Bishop, Brandon, Erica & August Bishop., Brossard Family, Della Harmon, Wooldridge Family Mission,Bob Brummer, Serena Herup, Marcella Frates, Bob Hellen, Tracy Combs, Fr. Mark Hanifan, Fr. George Wolfe., Joan S.*

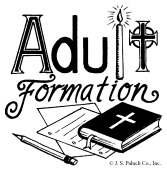
Call the office if you wish to add someone to our prayer list including; our military and members of our parish family and friends who are sick.

**MUSIC NEEDED FOR OUR PARISH**

**The music ministry is in creative transition.**
**What ideas do you have?**
**We are looking for your wonderful ideas for this ministry.**

**Please let us know by placing a letter in the offering baskets, stopping by the office or even emailing to generaloffice@ccchurchcc.org.**

ADULT FAITH FORMATION



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**Corpus Christi Catholic**
**Book Club**

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 19, at 6:30 p.m.

Book Selection: *Racketeer for Life* by Joseph M. Scheidler

Read the book and join us for the discussion...all are welcome!

## Reflection of the Week

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We have arrived at Gaudete Sunday (*Gaudete* is the Latin word for "rejoice") this Third Week of Advent, and the Scriptures take on a joyful tone as we continue our preparations for the feast of our Savior's birth.

Our Second Reading gives us cause for joy as St Paul reminds us, "The Lord is near. Have no anxiety at all…." Then he gives us a prescription for maintaining this peace: "In everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus." Paul's instructions for obtaining peace come as an early Christmas gift. They remind us that we can and should go to God with all our needs and present them to Him *along with our thanks*. This guidance calls to mind a vital aspect of a stewardship way of life: gratitude to God in response to His great love and countless gifts to us.

The Gospel passage, from Luke, shows us how to *live out* this thanks, making our lives a "Christmas gift" to Christ in joyful response to His love for us. When the crowds hear John the Baptist's message that their Savior is coming, they ask him what they should do to prepare. He responds, "Whoever has two cloaks should share with the person who has none. And whoever has food should do the same." He tells tax collectors to stop collecting more than is prescribed and soldiers, to be satisfied with their wages. In other words, he tells them to be good and generous stewards of all God's gifts to them!

As the great feast of Christmas draws near, let us rejoice in Christ's extravagant love. Let's avail ourselves of the peace He longs to give us. And let's look carefully at our lives to make sure we are indeed making of them a gift fitting for Him.

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## Sunday's Readings

**First Reading** — Your God will sing joyfully because of you, as one sings at festivals (Zephaniah 3:14-18a).
**Psalm** — Cry out with joy and gladness: for among you is the great and Holy One of Israel (Isaiah 12:6).
**Second Reading** — Rejoice in the Lord always. I shall say it again: rejoice! (Philippians 4:4-7).
**Gospel** — Whoever who has two cloaks should share with the person who has none. Whoever who has food should do likewise (Luke 3:10-18).

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### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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| Monday: | Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17 |
| Tuesday: | Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25 |
| Wednesday: | Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lk 1:5-25 |
| Thursday: | Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 1:26-38 |
| Friday: | Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a; Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lk 1:39-45 |
| Saturday: | 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 1:46-56 |
| Sunday: | Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lk 1:39-45 |

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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| Sunday: | Third Sunday of Advent; *Las Posadas* begins |
| Tuesday: | International Migrants Day |
| Friday: | St. Peter Canisius; Winter begins |

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Years ago, the trick question on religion quizzes would be to name all the liturgical colors, or the colors of the vestments worn at Mass. Rose is a color seldom seen, used at most two days a year. Today, "Gaudete Sunday," is one of those days. The name of the day is drawn from an opening verse in the old Latin Mass texts: *Gaudete* is Latin for "Rejoice!" This year's Gospel certainly reflects that mood as Elizabeth feels her infant within her leaping for joy at the presence of Mary. Mary's visit to her aged cousin is an act of compassion between women, as two kinswomen who are bearing children into the world share their joy.

Some churches retain the custom of having the priest wear rose vestments today, and many will use a rose candle in the Advent wreath. Violet is the official color for Advent and Lent, but many parishes employ different hues for each season, trying to keep them distinct. In medieval times, dye was costly, and poor parishes used unornamented plain cloth for vestments. Dyes were expensive and some colors, particularly purple, difficult to achieve. In England, purple dye was made from mollusks, yielding at best a deep indigo or blue and not the desired violet. Thus, the color of Advent in the British Isles has long been a deep blue, reminding many people of Mary's presence at the heart of the Advent mystery. That theology is largely unplanned: it's all because of the clams!

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## Lecturas Dominicales

**Primera lectura** — ¡Canta! ¡Da gritos de júbilo! ¡Gózate y regocíjate! El Señor tu Dios está entre ustedes y es un poderoso salvador (Sofonías 3:14-18a).
**Salmo** — El Señor es mi Dios y salvador (Isaías 12).
**Segunda lectura** — ¡Alégrense! El Señor está cerca. Presenten sus peticiones a Dios (Filipenses 4:4-7).
**Evangelio** — Juan dice a sus oyentes que compartan sus posesiones con los necesitados (Lucas 3:10-18).

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### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

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| Lunes: | Gn 49:2, 8-10; Sal 72 (71):1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17 |
| Martes: | Jer 23:5-8; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25 |
| Miércoles: | Jue 13:2-7, 24-25a; Sal 71 (70):3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lc 1:5-25 |
| Jueves: | Is 7:10-14; Sal 24 (23):1-6; Lc 1:26-38 |
| Viernes: | Cant 2:8-14 o Sof 3:14-18a; Sal 33 (32):2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lc 1:39-45 |
| Sábado: | 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lc 1:46-56 |
| Domingo: | Mi 5:1-4a; Sal 80 (81) :2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lc 1:39-45 |

### LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

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| Domingo: | Tercer Domingo de Adviento; Las Posadas comienzan |
| Martes: | Día Internacional del Emigrante |
| Viernes: | San Pedro Canisio; Invierno |

### TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Los cristianos latinos tenemos unos cinco siglos en nuestra trayectoria de fe y como todo cristiano aguardamos la segunda venida del Mesías, Jesús. Nuestra espera forma parte de dos milenios de cristianos que buscan verlo llegar en las nubes.

Desde el siglo VII la oración oficial de la Iglesia clama el retorno de Cristo con las exclamaciones llamadas las "Antífonas Oh". Estas llaman a Jesús pidiéndole que venga bajo los títulos de Emmanuel, Sabiduría celestial, Señor de gran poder, Vara de Isaí, Llave de David, Alba de la luz, y Deseo y Rey de gentes, y algunos más. Estos refranes se usan aún todavía hoy durante los días 17 al 23 de diciembre, y unidas en un acróstico latino forman las palabras *ero cras* (estaré mañana), como respuesta a la petición cristiana. Eventualmente en el siglo X o XI estas antífonas fueron unidas en el canto gregoriano Veni, veni Emmanuel (Oh ven, oh ven Emmanuel).

Este adviento mientras cantamos las antiguas antífonas hay que preguntarnos si de veras estamos listos para el regreso del Hijo del Hombre que viene para juzgar a vivos y muertos.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

## This Week at /Esta Semana Corpus Christi

***Wednesday— December 19***
9:00 am — †Bill Vaden by his Wife

***Thursday— December 20***
9:00 am— Living & Deceased Family & Friends of Debbie Lundberg

***Friday— December 21***
12:10 pm —Jo by the Jilk Family

***Saturday —December 22— 4th Sunday of Advent (vigil)***
4:00 pm — †Tanya Muller by her Dad

***Sunday — December 23— diciembre 23—4th Sunday of Advent/4º Domingo de Adviento***
9:00 am— †Josephine Sparks

11:30 am— People of the Parish

## Minister Schedule/ Horario de los Ministerios

**Saturday 4:00 p.m.**
**EM**— as scheduled
**Lector**— as scheduled

**Sunday 9:00 a.m.**
**EM**— as scheduled
**Lector**— as scheduled

**Sunday 11:30 a.m.**
**ME**— Faustino Segura y Katalina Diaz
**Lectóra**— Evangelina Velasco

Our Jacks Valley Elementary School Food Drive in December is for Christmas Thank you for your donations.

WE ARE ALWAYS COLLECTING BOX TOPS.

## Around the Diocese


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Pray to End Abortion
Saturday, January 5, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.
West End Women's Center, 5915 Tyrone Rd, Reno

**Gathering the Flock**
**Annual Diocesan Conference**
January 4-5
Nugget Casino Resort, Sparks NV
With 3 presentations by Msgr. Michael T Mannion who knew St Mother Teresa Calcutta for 29 years.

**Walk for Life West Coast San Francisco, CA**
Saturday, January 26
With buses leaving from Reno

**Christ the King Passionist Retreat Center**
**On the Way with Jesus Retreats**
Women's—Mar 8-10
Men's— Apr 5-7

**See the entry for more information on most of these including flyers from NAMI.**

Fertility*Care* Center of Reno would like to introduce Dr. Gretchen Marsh and **April Zampirro** as new members of our staff. We offer The Creighton Model FertilityCare System of Natural Family Planning in the Diocese of Reno. The method may be used to achieve or avoid pregnancy. NaProTechnology for Medical consults are available with Dr. Marsh for the diagnosis and treatment of reproductive issues including infertility after instruction in the method. Long distance services are available. Please call April Zampirro or Julianna Jervis at 775-827-5111 for an appointment or email to juliannajervis@att.net or aprilzampirrofccr@gmail.com

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend
### Married Couples

It has been said the greatest gift you can give your children is two parents very much in love with each other. It's a breath of fresh air, the rebirth of romance and new beginnings. If you'd like to make your marriage even more special than it already is—register now! The 2018 weekend dates are:
Feb 15-17 in Sacramento and Apr 5-7 in Reno
Early registration is highly recommended. **For more information check out our website at:** http://www.sacramentowwme.org **or contact Terry & Janet at** applications@sacramentowwme.org **or 916-489-3464**.

**Natural Family Planning**

Did you know there is a healthy, natural and effective way to plan your family? Learn today's Fertility Awareness. It is 99% Effective and 100% Natural. Local on-site classes are available, as well as self-paced online classes and live online classes. For more information check out www.ccli.org and call Mark and Gail in Carson City at (775) 841-4631

# Corpus Christi Information

## Respect Life

*Respect Life is praying across from the West End Abortion Clinic at 5915 Tyrone Rd in Reno twice a month. Directions: From Business US 395, turn east on Neil Rd., Turn right at Meadow Wood Ln, then turn right onto Tyrone Rd. If you are interested in praying with us, please call the office.*

"In 1531, when the indigenous peoples of Mexico were subjugated and the practice of human sacrifice was still a recent memory, the Mother of God appeared to St. Juan Diego as a pregnant native woman, now known as Our Lady of Guadalupe. She sent him with miraculous flowers in his cloak to tell the bishop to build a church where people could receive her Son and her loving, tender care. When St. Juan Diego opened the cloak before the bishop, an image of Our Lady was revealed that remains to this day. The chapel was quickly built, millions embraced Christianity, and the Church increased its protection of the indigenous peoples."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities 2018-19 Respect Life Reflection, www.usccb.org/respect-life-reflection

"En 1531, cuando los indígenas de México habían sido conquistados y la práctica del sacrificio humano todavía era un recuerdo reciente, la Madre de Dios se apareció a Juan Diego como una indígena embarazada, ahora conocida como Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. La Virgen lo envió con flores milagrosas en su tilma para que le pidiera al obispo que construyera una iglesia donde las personas pudieran recibir a su Hijo y el amor y cuidado compasivo de ella. Cuando Juan Diego abrió la tilma ante el obispo se reveló la imagen de Nuestra Señora que vemos aún hoy. La capilla se construyó, millones se hicieron cristianos y la Iglesia aumentó su protección por los indígenas".

Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB Reflexión Respetemos la Vida 2018-19, www.bit.ly/reflexión-2018

## EVENTS

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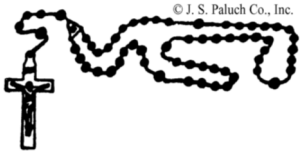
**Upper Room (Youth)**
**Most Thursdays at 6:00pm**

**St. Benedict Society - Sunday**
**January 6, 4:00 pm**

***Knights of Columbus - normally the 1st Wednesday of each month - 7:00 pm***
***Next date: January 2***

Catholic Daughters - usually the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 4:00 pm. None in July and August
Next date: January 16
Craft & Bake Sale December 22-23




Rosary normally held every Wednesday & Thursday after Daily Mass & Friday at 11:20 am except during Eucharistic Adoration Fridays, then the Rosary is at 10:00 am.

Eucharistic Adoration usually held on the first Friday. from 10:45 - 11:45 a.m., with Rosary at 10:00 a.m,
Next date: January 4

## Ministries/Ministerios

**Altar Servers/Acólitos**
Contact Parish Office

**Youth Ministry/ Grupo de Jóvenes**
Terrie Juchtzer-Youth Minister (The Club)
Contact Parish Office

**Hands of Christ/Ministry to Sick**
**Las Manos de Cristo/A Los Enfermos**
Contact Parish Office
**Convalescent Home Coordinator**
Terrie Juchtzer

**Minister Scheduling/La Programación de Ministerios**
Charlie Muller - 220-6242
Claudia Morales (en español)

**Spanish Baptism Classes**
Rodolfo y Evangelina Velasco

**Pastoral Council/El Consejo Parroquial**
Contact Parish Office

**Knights of Columbus**
Winn Teeter - Grand Knight

**Adult Conversion Classes/**
**Los Sacramentos de los Adultos**
Father Jim- Parish Office

**Respect Life Committee/**
**El Comité de Respeto por la Vida**
Kate Sciacca 297-3680

**Catholic Daughters/Las Hijas Católicas**
Pam Petersen-Regent

**Rosary Maker's Guild/Maniobra de Rosarios**
Cindy Pardini - Parish Office

**St. Benedict Society/La Sociedad de San Benito**
Phil Clarke- Minister - 267-3936

**Hispanic Marriage Encounter/**
**Encuentro Matrimonial Hispano**
Rodolfo y Evangelina Velasco

**Boy Scout/Girl Scout Information**
Marty Schwedhelm 250-9564
Susan Zampirro 882-7523