



CORPUS CHRISTI
CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Parish in the Diocese of Colorado Springs

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August 10, 2025

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“For at an hour you do not expect,
the Son of Man will come.” - Lk 12:40



19th Sunday in Ordinary Time / August 10, 2025

Monday, August 11

4:30 pm Confession/Adoration
5:30 pm Kelly Pare† by Pare family

Tuesday, August 12

4:30 pm Confession/Adoration
5:30 pm Mylan Rubidoux † by Rubidoux family

Wednesday August 13

7:45am TLM—Linda Mulready† by Fr. Sean McCann
4:30 pm Confession/Adoration
5:30 pm Justin Wilmes by JP & Clare Wilmes

Thursday, August 14—1st day of School

7:45am Dewey Wayne Parrott† by Steve & Mary Bingham
4:30 pm Confession/Adoration
5:30 pm Jerry Weiss† by Mike & Barbara Draper

Friday, August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin

7:45am Curtin Hanlon† by Cathy Hanlon & family
1:30pm Dewey Parrott† by Paul & Tricia Dusseault
4:30 pm Confession/Adoration
5:30 pm Marge Knight† by Surofchek family

Saturday, August 16

12:00pm by Catherine Harring† by Fred Harring
4:30pm Confession/Adoration
5:00pm People of the Parish

Sunday, August 17

7:30am Deceased members of the Ciuba family
by John & Pat Ciuba†
9:00am Linda Mulready† by Fr. Sean McCann
11:00am Julio Lugo by Fr. Sean McCann
5:00pm Confession/Adoration
6:00pm Daniel DeBias† by Tom DeBias

First Reading: (Wis 18:6-7)

The night of the passover was known beforehand to our fathers, that, with sure knowledge of the oaths in which they put their faith, they might have courage.

Psalm: (Ps 33)

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Second Reading: (Heb 11:1)

Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen.

Gospel: (Lk 12:48)

Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more."

Readings for the week of August 10, 2025

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40
Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8/Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17/Mt 18:15-20
Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:21—19:1
Friday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/
Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Please note that intentions listed in the bulletin are known and offered by the priest at every Mass. During the Eucharistic Prayer, the priest pauses before and after the consecration; before for the living and after for the deceased. At those respective times, the priest quietly recalls the name the person(s) for whom the Mass is offered and brings the intention before almighty God, inviting the faithful, in silence, to join their intentions to his.

If you have a Sacramental emergency and need a priest, please call 719-633-6814.

Welcome to Corpus Christi Catholic Parish!

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Stewardship Prayer

"HOW SHALL I MAKE A RETURN TO THE LORD FOR ALL THE GOOD HE HAS DONE FOR ME?" (PSALM 116:12)

August 10th—19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." LUKE 12:34

Jesus encourages us to build up our treasure in heaven. The world encourages us to build up our treasure in real estate, investments, and material goods. How much time are you investing in building up a worldly treasure?

How much time are you investing in building up a heavenly treasure? To invest more in the things of heaven, you must let go of some of the things of this world.



You may make an on-line gift (either regular scheduled gifts or a one time gift) by following this secure Online Giving link:

How To Setup Your On-Line Giving

<https://osvhub.com/corpuschristicos/funds>

Please call Our Sunday Visitor Support
1-800-348-2886 – Option 2

On-line Giving

NOTE: When you sign up for Online Giving, your offertory envelopes do not automatically cancel. If you wish to cancel receiving offertory envelopes, please call the Parish Office at 719-633-1457 x210, or email us at parish@CorpusChristiCOS.org.

For those of you who wish to make **Online Giving** contributions to our **Church Restoration** fund, there is now a "Church Restoration" fund available on the **Online Giving** website. In order to locate the "Church Restoration" fund, sign into the website <https://osvhub.com/corpuschristicos/funds> and select the "Funds" tab. Scroll down to the bottom of the page, and the "Church Restoration" fund will be visible.



Summer Envelopes :

We sincerely thank our parishioners who mail or deliver your weekly envelopes to the parish office while you are out-of-town on vacations this summer. As many of you understand, our parish expenses and obligations do not take a vacation when you do, so it is very helpful to be able to rely on your continued support even when you cannot personally attend Mass here.

Offertory

W/E 08/03/25	Pew	Online Giving
Offertory	\$19,924.76	\$4,899.02
Ascension Offering	\$10.00	
Assumption Offering	\$140.00	
Altar Servers	\$50.00	\$160.00
Church Restoration	\$300.00	\$50.00
Capital Improvement	\$100.00	
Fr. Bill Carmody Angel Fund	\$580.00	\$25.00
Music Program		\$150.00

Do you ever wonder how your contributions to Corpus Christi help:

Pays staff salaries so that the ordained clergy have more time to visit the sick and comfort those who truly need to feel Jesus in their lives at this time.

Support our school so that we can make it affordable for families to give their children a Catholic education.

Pay the utility bills that keep the lights on and the rooms warm (or cool) for all those who gather here for prayer, education or social ministry. Monthly utility bills amount to \$4,500-\$9,800 per month depending on time of year.

Purchase the many supplies that are needed for our parish hall, parish office, Church for liturgies and sacraments, including hosts, wine, candles, prayer books and hymnals.

Landscape our grounds, remove snow and maintain our facilities, so that we always present a welcoming image to all who may pass by this House of God.

Thank you for your generous support of our parish!



All are welcome to join us for our Brunch (free) in the Parish Hall hosted by Legion of Mary *after the 11am Mass* on **Sunday, August 10th & 24th**. Please bring a side dish to share! Your goodwill offering is gladly accepted.

Looking forward to seeing you all there!

Please contact Brianna or James to volunteer if you can help!

legionofmarycc@proton.me



Bishop James Golka invites you to a special event
sponsored by the Diocese of Colorado Springs

Our Lady of Guadalupe

The Image, the Miracle, the Mission

August 21-23, 2025

Our Lady of Guadalupe is the patroness of our diocese and of the Americas! Learn more about the miraculous image and why this still matters to us nearly 500 years later from one of the world's leading experts on the apparition. Space will be limited - don't miss this rare opportunity!



Featuring Rev. Ricardo Valenzuela, S.L.D in Sacred Liturgy from the Pontifical Liturgical Institute in Rome, and the postulator of St. Juan Diego's canonization process.

Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe,
Mother of the Divine Redeemer

927 N Logan Ave
Colorado Springs, CO

TALKS BY FR. VALENZUELA IN ENGLISH

Thursday, August 21, 5:00 pm

*Culture before the Apparition and
the Impact afterwards*

Saturday, August 23, 2:30 pm

Symbols of the Image and the Miracles

CHARLAS POR EL P. VALENZUELA EN ESPAÑOL

Viernes, 22 de Agosto, 7:00 pm

*La Cultura antes de la aparición y el
Impacto posterior*

Sábado, 23 de Agosto, 7:00 pm

Símbolos de la Imagen y los Milagros



Dr. Gorby will perform a composition of his for organ and orchestra in a concert in September with the Chamber Symphony of the Springs at First United Methodist Church. The piece is entitled "An American Tone Poem", the last two movements of which were composed in 2021, and the first two movements were composed this year. If you can't make it, you may still be able to see a video of the performance on youtube. The piece tries to answer the question "what kind of place is America?" and was composed after hearing many of the works which won a composition competition held by the philharmonic some years ago where composers were tasked with using themes "America the Beautiful" as the basis for a piece. Dr. Gorby wanted to capture some of

the heroic aspects of our shared history in sound, programmatically representing the four verses of the hymn. In this sense, the composition is close in concept to works by Franz Liszt, and even uses his innovative (for the time) "thematic transformation" approach to constantly refresh the theme as it traverses the colors of the organ and orchestra. It is, of course, a secular work, however, Dr. Gorby believes there can only be benefits to be accrued to the church and the community at large by engaging in such artistic work. He hopes to see you there!



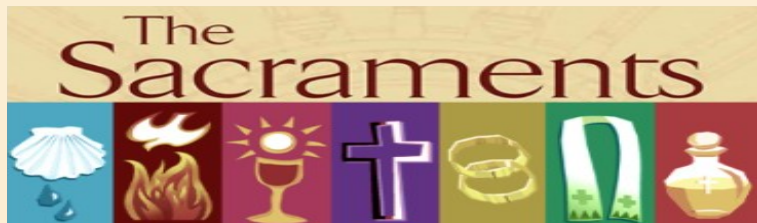
One way to share your time and talent is by participating in the various ministries of our parish. If you are thinking about what you can do, please consider volunteering for one of our ministries such as being a reader, or a usher/hospitality minister. Many blessings on your generous dedication in supporting your Corpus Christi parish and her needs!

To add a loved one's name for whom prayers are being asked in the bulletin, call the parish office. If your loved one has recovered call the office to remove their name.

Hayden Rubidoux	Joseph Randy Romero
Larry Trujillo	Monica Trujillo
Nancy Wilson	Barbara Conquest
Isauro Mora	John Miller
Laura Thomas	Lori Thompson
Martina Prado	Margaret Leibfried
Maria Serna	Mary Alice Valdez
Alex Valdez	Finn Fitzpatrick
Andres Martinez	Lorriane Rorick
William Geoffroy	Monica Weisel
Mary (Raab) Perez	John Deters
Phil Card	Larry Wichman

We are members of Corpus Christi's Prayer Network who pray every evening for those intentions received weekdays between 9am and 4pm. (Only emergency requests are accepted on weekends.) We can be reached by emailing Anne at 719-213-1918 or anneh0506@gmail.com.

- ♦ **Paul Lauck** plauck@msn.com
At this time our greatest need is for an usher at the 6pm Mass, and 2 readers at 5:00pm and one usher at 9am. If you can volunteer to help we would be most appreciative.
- ♦ **Tom & Cindy Fails** tfails354@gmail.com for volunteering at the Marian House. 2nd Thursday from 9:45am to 1:00pm.
- ♦ **Silvia Ambuul** silvitajoe@gmail.com 719-229-3151
Altar and Rosary Society is always looking for cheerful, helping hands to help decorate the altar with flowers. .
- ♦ **24 Hour Adoration**—Adorer urgently needed for the 2am time slot on Tuesday morning. Please contact Patty O'Connell if you are able to help either in the short term or long term. Many graces await you! Patty's email: paocs@comcast.net.



The Sacraments nourish and strengthen us as they express and build up our faith.

SACRAMENTS & SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Baptism: www.corpuschristicos.org/sacramental-preparation. Baptism Prep Class is required for first time parents and godparents. Call the office or parish@corpuschristicos.org to register for our next class and for more information.

OCIA, First Reconciliation & First Communion & Adult Confirmation: Contact DRE, Matthew Jodziewicz at mjodziewicz@corpuschristicos.org.

Weddings: www.corpuschristicos.org/sacramental-preparation for more information and contact our parish office for information at parish@corpuschristicos.org.

Funeral: Call the Anne Hourigan parish office or email ahourigan@corpuschristicos.org or funeral@corpuschristicos.org before scheduling date and time with a funeral home. Parish schedules presiders, musicians in consultation with the family.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the parish office or parish@corpuschristicos.org for more information.



From Deacon Dave & Kathy: We would like to thank the Knights of Columbus and Parishioners for the very special and memorable reception for our "see ya later" farewell. Thank you for all the prayers and support over these past four years. Corpus Christi will always hold a very dear place in our hearts! You will be in our daily prayers.

Corpus Christi Catholic Academy
ADULT CATHOLIC STUDIES COURSE
NARNIA FOR GROWN-UPS

**An 8-Class series on
The Chronicles of Narnia by C.S. Lewis**



*"In reading **The Chronicles of Narnia**, we find ourselves in the presence of great and necessary truths. ... They were written with children in mind, even if they contain an abundance of deep theological, philosophical and historical context that will only be understood on a deeper level by adults."* **Joseph Pearce**

C.S. Lewis (1898-1963) was one of the most influential Christian authors of the 20th century. A professor of literature and philosophy at both Cambridge and Oxford, he was a prolific author of works of literary criticism, apologetics, philosophy, theology, science fiction, and fantasy, in addition to lecturing and broadcasting.

Without question, his most successful and widely-known work is the seven-book series ***The Chronicles of Narnia***. Infused with Christian themes and a profoundly Christian worldview, this series has "baptized the imaginations" of thousands. Join CCCA in their study of the Chronicles!

We have read these works to our children, but now, as adults, re-enter the Wardrobe to understand Narnia on an **even deeper philosophical, theological, and Christological level**. Let this deeper understanding enliven your appreciation for our Catholic faith!

This is an 8-Class series held on Mondays monthly in the Corpus Christi Parish Hall:

September 15, 6-7:30	Introduction: The Importance of Reason and Imagination
October 6, 6-7:30	The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe
November 10, 6-7:30	The Magician's Nephew
December 8, 6-7:30	The Horse and His Boy
January 12, 6-7:30	Prince Caspian
February 9, 6-7:30	The Voyage of the Dawn Treader
March 9, 6-7:30	The Silver Chair
April 13, 6-7:30	The Last Battle

This course was first given by Lyn Rooney, M.A. Pastoral/Biblical Theology and will now be facilitated by her daughter,

Kelly Rooney Benchoff, Dean of Students at CCCA and huge C.S. Lewis fan!

Registration or questions: kelly.benchoff@gmail.com

Joseph Pearce's book, *Further Up and Further In: Understanding Narnia* is highly recommended



Faith Formation
LIFELONG AND ONGOING

OCIA classes are starting at the beginning of this September!! If you, or someone you know, is either not Catholic and interested in the Catholic Church, or are missing your Sacraments (First Communion and Confirmation), then please reach out to me! Many people are allowed to audit the classes and attend the sessions even if they are not fully sure of the Catholic Faith. MJodziewicz@corpuschristicos.org **Where:** Youth Room **When:** Wednesdays, 6:30pm

PSR REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!! **Parish School of Religion (PSR)** is a weekly religious education program for grades PreK through 7th. Our PSR “school year” will be starting this September, and will take place on Sundays from 10:45 to 12pm. If you are interested in enrolling your child or children in Corpus Christi’s PSR, please contact me at MJodziewicz@corpuschristicos.org or the registration form. \$60 per child with a family max of \$100.

Corpus Christi is offering **FOUR** weekly classes to grow in your Faith and discover the beauty and richness of God. We have a variety of Bible studies and Catechism courses, so if any of them interest you, sit in on a class and see what it’s like! **Bible Timeline:** Monday nights at 6:30pm, going from July 14 to January 12 (it’s a long one!); workbook cost: \$40. **The Gospel of Luke:** Tuesdays at 1pm, starting July 15th and ending September 2nd. Workbook cost: \$27. (Holy Trinity parish, down the street from Corpus, is also offering this class every other Thursday morning – so if you miss a class you can also jump into theirs!) **The Book of Revelation:** Wednesdays at 1pm, beginning July 16th and going until September 24th. Workbook cost: \$27. **The Catechism of the Catholic Church: The Moral life and Prayer:** Thursdays at 1pm and repeated at 6:30pm, which will last from July 17th till September 4. Workbook cost: \$40. If you are interested in joining any of these classes, please contact me for more information: MJodziewicz@corpuschristicos.org

Happy feast day of the Transfiguration of Jesus! You may meditate on this Gospel scene during the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary, introduced to the world by St. John Paul II in his apostolic letter *Rosarium Virginis Mariae* (*The Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary*). But, did you know it was first “developed” by another saint priest a generation before? Fr. Don Calloway explains, “Unbeknownst to most people, it was St. George Preca (a holy priest from the island of Malta) who proposed a new set of mysteries called the ‘Mysteries of Light’ in 1957. The mysteries he desired to see promoted were the same five mysteries that St. John Paul II used to sharpen the blade of the rosary 45 years later in his 2002 apostolic letter on the rosary, a letter that essentially transformed the rosary into a modern day lightsaber.” I recommend the following Formed Bible study on the Transfiguration of Jesus which goes over the New and Old Testament typological connections we find in this beautiful mystery: <https://app.formed.org/app/videos/1313619>

Do you have an “Even now” faith? Last week we celebrated the feast day for St. Martha, along with her siblings Sts. Lazarus and Mary. In John’s Gospel we hear Martha make a raw and beautiful prayer of holy abandonment: “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that whatever you ask of God, God will give you.” How many times do we say something similar to our loving Lord? “Jesus, if only you had spared me of this trial, or given me the grace to face it with courage, then I would not be hurting so deeply.” It is easy to see Jesus in a disfigured way, this is one of the side effects of Original Sin. Do we have the strength of faith to continue like Martha, “But even now, before the pain has gone away or Your resolution has been revealed, I will praise You and love You. ‘The Lord gives, and the Lord takes away; blessed be the Name of the Lord’.” Today, in honor of the Transfiguration of Jesus, I encourage you to make St. Martha’s prayer your own and then resolve to attend one daily Mass next week.

Please note date change!: Our next Ongoing Formation class in PH (with Nicholas Dillon) will be held on 8/30 at 9:00am !