



**Monday, June 1, 2026**

- 7:30 AM John de Almeida
- 12:30 PM Edward S. Solosky  
(Birth Remembrance)
- 7:30 PM Spanish Mass

**Tuesday, June 2, 2026**

- 7:30 AM Msgr. Kenneth Boccafola
- 12:30 AM Sarah Cascio

**Wednesday, June 3, 2026**

- 7:30 AM Hilda Macejka
- 12:30 AM Fr. Patrick Callan

**Thursday, June 4, 2026**

- 7:30 AM Catherine Lillis
- 12:30 AM Cecilia Lopes

**Friday, June 5, 2026**

- 7:30 AM Gloria & Antonio Afonso
- 12:30 AM Pat O'Keefe

**Saturday, June 6, 2026**

- 5:00 PM John & Loretta Garvey  
Jack Begg  
Leroy & Isabel Barroca  
Carlos & Celia Cpsta  
Elizabeth Cox  
Jose Francisco Magalhaes  
Sarah Cascio

**Sunday, June 7, 2026**

- 7:00 AM Maura Pinnavia
- 8:30 AM Portuguese Mass
- 10:00 AM Earl D. Brown
- 11:30 AM People of the Parish
- 5:00 PM Spanish Intention
- 7:00 PM Marie Carmel Derisse

## CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

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**Saturday, June 6, 2026**

5:00 PM Bishop Anjay, Fr. Tomaz & Priests

**Sunday, June 7, 2026**

7:00 AM Fr. Yesudas  
 8:30 AM Fr. Milciades  
 10:00 AM Fr. Ken & Deacon Brian  
 11:30 AM Fr. Ken & Deacon Brian  
 5:00 PM Fr. Tomaz  
 7:00 PM Fr. Malcolm

*(Schedule is subject to change)*



### STEWARDSHIP

*Managing God's Gifts To Us*

***“For God so loved the world  
that He gave His only Son...” - JOHN 3:16***

Is your love conditional? Is there a price others have to pay to receive your love and forgiveness? Are you generous with your time, skills, money and possessions? If you give someone something, do you expect something in return? Do you give your time freely or do you “fit it in” when it’s convenient for you? God desires a personal relationship with us so much that He gave us His Son, unconditionally! Pray in stewardship for a grateful and generous heart.

**May 24<sup>th</sup> Actual Collections = \$9,187**  
**May 24<sup>th</sup> Mail-In Donations = \$551**  
**May 24<sup>th</sup> Electronic Donations = \$1,132**  
**May 24<sup>th</sup> Total Collection = \$10,870**  
**Attendance = 1,259**

### Church Parking



With more people coming to Masses on weekends (Thank God), parking can be a challenge! In addition to parking on both sides of Garfield Avenue, please use our Church parking lot, our school lot, or the **large parking field** owned by the Chancery building on Willis Avenue across the street (thanks to their generosity!). Recently, **no-parking/tow-away signs** have been posted on the small lot by the Red Cross north of us, as well as the small lot by the new Korean Baptist Church south of us. You may run the risk of having your vehicle towed during Mass (God forbid!). Please park properly, so that you can participate peacefully in the Eucharist.



**Goal = \$98,800**  
 Pledges = \$30,975                      Payments = \$26,628  
 Donors = 105                              Average = \$295

**Thank you to all the families who already have made a sacrificial gift. Please consider a yearly offering.**

## **Pastor's Notes**

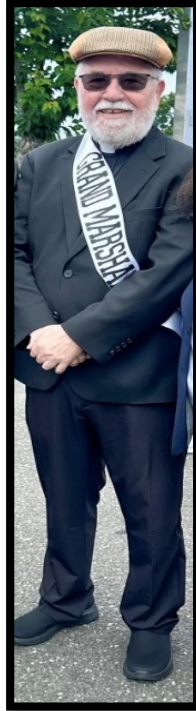
This 4<sup>th</sup> of July 2026 will be a great day for the United States of America: celebrating 250 years of independence and freedom! This 6<sup>th</sup> of June 2026 will be a blessed day for our beloved parish of Corpus Christi: rejoicing in these 125 years since our 1901 founding in Mineola! As American Catholics/Catholic Americans, we take humble pride in our God-given heritage of Church and Country. As your unworthy pastor these last 10 years, I represent a long line of grace-filled priests who led Corpus Christi through twelve and a half decades of service to God's people (The Reverend Fathers Flynn, Fitzsimmons, Quinn, Kerwin, Blake, Fitzgerald, Daly, Costello, Winkler, Bowman, Coyle, Batule). May the Spirit of the Lord Jesus continue to guide us all for years to come!

One priest who was never pastor, but certainly touched the minds and hearts of so many for 50 years in Corpus Christi, is Father Tomaz Gomide! Born as the second son of three to Celso & Maria Isabel in Sao Roque, Brazil; Tomaz was ordained a priest on 6 March 1971, in Sao Paulo. Two years later he received his civil law degree, and then in 1974 his canon law degree in Rome. He arrived in Mineola in July 1976 to serve all our parishioners. Fr. Tomaz celebrated the very first Mass in Portuguese in October 1976 for Our Lady of Fatima, and the very first Mass in Spanish in December 1993 for Our Lady of Guadalupe!! Many of you have travelled with Fr. Tomaz in his famous pilgrimages throughout the world, making him a true international clergyman. I believe that he has done more Baptisms, Communions, weddings and funerals than any priest in our 125 year history; always bringing joy, compassion, peace and love to all our families.

On Saturday 6 June at 5:00pm, Bishop Anjay will be at Corpus Christi to celebrate Mass and preach on this our feast day, our anniversary, and in honor of our Father Tomaz. Of course, everyone is invited to fill the church with faith and prayers. Unfortunately, not everyone in church that fits 1,000-plus, will be able to fit into the reception downstairs in the social hall (300-400). Tickets for the party were distributed at the Masses this past Sunday. You do not need a ticket to attend the Mass but you need to present your ticket at the door of Fitzgerald Hall to be able to attend the party after the Mass.

May God bless our beautiful Father Tomaz at 50; our faithful Corpus Christi at 125; and our incredible USA at 250!!!

Yours in Christ,  
Father Malcolm



## Father's Day Sunday June 21



Our Church Community of Corpus Christi is so blessed to have so many gifted dads and granddads, who imitate the example of St. Joseph as the foster-father of Jesus, husband to Mary, and protector of the Holy Family. Like Joseph, the carpenter of Nazareth, these men work by their words and deeds in building up the Body of Christ here in Mineola.

We will pray for and honor all the fathers and grandfathers of our parish family, at all the Masses during the month of June. Please write their names (both living and deceased) on the envelopes received in the mail, or additional envelopes by the doors of the church. We will keep them on the Altar and by the Tabernacle.



**Saturday, June 6, 2026**

**5:00 PM Mass**  
**Feast of Corpus Christi**  
 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Corpus Christi Church  
 Father Tomaz' 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Priestly Service to  
 Corpus Christi Church

**Our Communion children and First Graders honored the Holy Spirit on Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at the 10:00 AM Mass by singing, "We Are the Church."**

**Sunday, June 7, 2026**  
**Sunday, June 14, 2026**  
**Sunday, June 21, 2026**

**Junior Lectors 10:00 AM Mass**  
**Michael Perro**  
**Vivian Siracusa and Jane Siracusa**  
**Nicole Henriques**

**With Gratitude...**

We have been blessed with the most hard working and dedicated Catechists in the Religious Education Program! Our Catechists create such a vibrant and faith filled environment for our students and their families.

**Grade One**

Mrs. Carla Garcia  
Mrs. Annmarie Kopp  
Mrs. Jeanne Moura  
Mrs. Angela Parente

**Grade Three**

Mr. Colin Cooney  
Mr. Charlie McCarthy  
Ms. Gabrielle Parrado  
Mrs. Diana Pereira

**Grade Five**

Mr. Connor Charron  
Mr. Daniel Graziose  
Mrs. Maria Palumbo  
Ms. Michaela Palumbo  
Ms. Julia Rosati  
Mrs. Simone Rosati  
Mr. Max Vitale

**Grade Seven**

Mr. James Crennan  
Mrs. Jennifer Gandarela  
Mrs. Jill Picarello  
Mr. Ryan Ok  
Ms. Caroline Stringer  
Mr. Andrew Torre

**Office/Classroom Helpers**

Mrs. Christa Basel  
Mrs. Maryann Burns  
Ms. Lisa Simeone  
Ms. Caroline Stringer

**First Holy Communion**

Mrs. Carla Garcia  
Ms. Nicole Henriques  
Mrs. Deyaniris Mercado  
Mrs. Karen Rosier  
Ms. Carmen Velazquez

**Grade Four**

Mrs. Sandy Fernandes  
Mr. Edward Gabriel  
Mr. Patrick Johnson  
Mr. Jake Macchia

**Grade Six**

Mrs. Lori Baker  
Mrs. Jeanne Ludwig  
Mr. Daniel Ludwig  
Mr. Marco Moscheni  
Mr. Sean O'Connell

**Confirmation**

Ms. Thamirys Acevedo  
Mr. William Bailey  
Mr. Thomas Donnelly  
Mr. Dennis Harrington  
Mrs. Maria Kelly  
Mr. Christian Licari  
Mr. Joseph Perone  
Mrs. Kathy Raspen Razzano  
Ms. Kelen Rosier  
Mr. Michael Sommerfield

**Substitute Teachers**

Mr. Jim Corrigan  
Mrs. Kathleen Sanderleaf  
Mrs. Deborah DaSilva  
Ms. Julia DaSilva  
Mrs. Paula Hartlett



On Pentecost Sunday 17 adults celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation.



(In alphabetical order) Jordan Fajardo, Michael Gomes, Hannah Johnson, Raquel Morales, Diana Nogueira, Leandro Nogueira, Ashley Pereira, Olivia Saramago



(In alphabetical order) Darelyn Almendares, Hilda Rosa Banegas, Ivan Flores Cocuyo, Jason Herrera, Rosa Huamani Huaraca, Jose Omar Mendoza, Jarren Nunez, Miriam Padilla, Dennise Romero



## **TRINITY SUNDAY**

### **31 MAY**

Trinity Sunday is a solemnity in the Catholic Church celebrated on the first Sunday after Pentecost. It honors the central mystery of the Christian faith: that there is one God who exists in three divine Persons— God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

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**Catholic Daughters  
of the Americas®**

### **Court Immaculata #444**

### **Catholic Daughters Awards**

Ct. Immaculata #444 presents scholarships each year to students graduating from the Corpus Christi Religious Education program who will be attending Catholic high schools in the fall. This year we have four graduates as well as two grandchildren of members. We are proud and happy for all of them. In addition, the Marion McCormack Award is given annually to a graduating student from Corpus Christi who has shown leadership, service and character. This award is given in memory of a long time member who served in many capacities on the local and state level of CDA. The awards will be presented after the 10:00 am mass on Sunday, June 14. We invite all to help celebrate our students.

## Corpus Christi Church

### ***“Continuing the Educational Mission” Scholarship Award***

We are pleased to announce the Corpus Christi ***“Continuing the Educational Mission”*** Scholarship award will be offered once again this year. Even though our beloved parish school has closed, the mission of educating the young people of our parish continues. It is in this spirit that the scholarship award was established.

Based upon the success from past years, we will continue to offer two scholarships this year:

- One for a student parishioner attending a Catholic High School
- One for a student parishioner attending, full time, a college or university carrying a minimum course load of 12 credits.

Now two young people from our parish will each be awarded a scholarship toward their education.

A scholarship award of \$5,000 will be awarded to one student who will be attending a local Catholic High School, starting September 2026, for the academic school year 2026/2027. A scholarship award of \$7,000 will be awarded to one college student carrying a full-time course load of a minimum 12 credits/semester starting September 2026, attending a 2-4-year college or university for the academic school year 2026/2027.

The scholarship will be paid directly to the school, college or university in two equal payments, one half for the fall semester and the second half for the spring semester or if the academic year is divided into trimesters, half will be paid in the first trimester and the second half will be paid in the third trimester.

The funding for these scholarships will come directly from the investment income earned from the proceeds of the sale of the Searing Avenue properties and **not** from any weekly or special parish collections. The announcement of the scholarship recipients will be on or about August 2nd. The scholarship is for one year.

#### **Requirements:**

- Completion and submission of an application to the rectory by hand or mail by June 24, 2026
- Applicant’s family must be registered in our parish records for one year prior to submission of the application.
- Applicant for the High School and College scholarship award must have received all three of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Holy Eucharist & Confirmation)
- Applicant must be involved in service to either our parish, community, or school. 50% of the service must be to our parish such as: Altar Serving, Junior Lectoring, assisting our Religious Education Center as either a Hall Monitor, Teacher’s Aide, Teacher or

assisting with our Sunday 20 Minutes with the Director or assisting with CYO. The remaining 50% of service given to school, community, or civic/cultural groups.

- Applicant must obtain 3 letters of recommendation attesting to the applicant's character from either a teacher, administrator, coach, scout leader, civic leader, or leader of the group to which the applicant is giving service. Additionally, the author of the letter of recommendation will also need to complete a form evaluating the applicant's character.
- Applicant for the High School will need to write a brief essay of no less than 500 words responding to one of the following topics: ***“As a faithful member of Corpus Christi (The Body of Christ) Parish, what does the Eucharist mean to me and how does it allow me to grow in my faith and influence my life? OR “Forgiveness is such an important aspect in our Christian life. What does Forgiveness mean to me and how can I forgive those who may have hurt me deeply?”***
- The applicant for the college scholarship award must write an essay on one of the same topics of at least 750 words.  
**N.B. Essays must be original in their composition. Any essay found to be aided by AI (Artificial Intelligence) will automatically be rejected and the application process will not move forward in the review process.**

Based upon the review of the applications and evaluations by a team of grammar school, middle school, high school, and college educators, the top five applicants for each scholarship will be required to participate in an interview (in-person) by our team of educators. The interviews will be conducted at the rectory of Corpus Christi in mid-July, 2026.

- All Applicants may re-apply for the scholarship the following year/s; however, Applicants may only be awarded the scholarship once in the High School category and once in the College category.

**Timing/milestone dates:**

- All applications, letters of recommendations and evaluation forms must be submitted by hand or by mail to the rectory by June 24, 2026.
- All interviews of the top five candidates in each academic category will begin mid-July 2026.
- Announcement of the scholarship winners will be on or about August 2, 2026.

The decision of the Scholarship committee and our pastor, Fr. Malcolm Burns, will be final.



Please remember the sick in your daily prayers, including the following who have asked to be included in our list:

Connie Altvater, Aurora Antunes, Armandina Araujo, Evelyn Athas, Violeta Bernal, Anne Boland, Diane Bombardi, Erin Burke, Marie Byrnes, Jeanne Carroll, Jackson Carvalho, Michael Castalino, Frank de Carolis, Sue Citro, Emmanuel Colon, James Cunney, Anthony Demelas, Kate Donovan, Teresa Duarte, Luba Egan, Laurie Festa, Tracy Fronc, Lilly Fuentes, Anne Gallagher, Kenneth Gallagher, Elba Garcia, Vanessa Gomes, Pat Kober, Diane LaBianca, Joseph LaBianca, Lorraine Liqury, Gus Lodato, Vincent Lodato, Thomas Lowe, Christine Lucivero, Augustus & Camella Lodato, Jason Lopes, Angele Mayfield, Thomas Mitchell, Susan O'Brien, Mary O'Neill, Gabriel Palhete, Livia Pascoa Pereira, Linda Pires, Charles Procaccini, Dennis Radovic, Elizabeth Rose, JoAnn Russo, Mary Santucci, Robert Santucci, Laurie Schiffer, Ann Schwarz, Victoria Sheridan, Lisa Simeone, Lucy Elena Sivirichi, Charles Sleaf, Barbara Ann Sorelle, Paul Tubito, Joseph Vecchio, Lorraine Verdade, and any other members of our parish who are sick at this time.



**Banns I**

Daniella Goncalves, Corpus Christi Church & Paulo Da Cunha, Corpus Christi Church

Maria Benavides, Corpus Christi Church & Raul Quinonez, St. Antonio, Texas



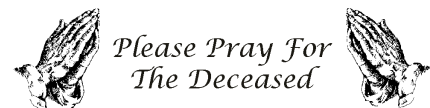
# ONLINE giving

## Make giving easy! No Envelopes!!

Corpus Christi offers Online Giving as an additional option to support our ongoing mission and ministries. Our Church is a spiritual home for all of us. It relies on our time, talent and treasure to fulfill that mission. Online giving helps support our Church by allowing you to make donations via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer. **PLEASE NOTE:** If you begin donating through online giving, but are still receiving envelopes, please let us know and we will discontinue paying to send you envelopes. It's easy: go to the parish website [www.corpuschristi-mineola.net](http://www.corpuschristi-mineola.net). Click on the Online Giving link, sign up, pick a weekly gift amount and that's it!

## CHIEFS FOOTBALL REGISTRATION

Chiefs PAL Football has updated its website so that online registration for the Fall 2026 Season is available at [www.mineolapal.org](http://www.mineolapal.org). The sign up is for flag (5 and 6 year olds) and for tackle (7's, 8's, 9's, 10's & 11's). If registering BEFORE June 1st, the registration fee for tackle is \$240 and for flag is \$65. (If registering ON OR AFTER June 1st, the registration fee for tackle will be \$265 and for flag will be \$75). However, for those FLAG players who reside in areas outside of NCYFL eligible towns for Mineola, the FLAG registration fee will be \$100 regardless when registration is completed. For those unable to register online, please email [mcavallaro4@optonline.net](mailto:mcavallaro4@optonline.net), [mcavallaro5611@gmail.com](mailto:mcavallaro5611@gmail.com) and/or [mcavallaro@arcxs.com](mailto:mcavallaro@arcxs.com) or text or call 516-848-4248 so arrangements can be made to register.



**Frank McGurk**

# Español

## SANTÍSIMA TRINIDAD



### EVANGELIO DE SAN JUAN 20 3, 16-18

Tanto amó Dios al mundo, que entregó a su Unigénito, para que todo el que cree en él no perezca, sino que tenga vida eterna. Porque Dios no envió a su Hijo al mundo para juzgar al mundo, sino para que el mundo se salve por él. El que cree en él no será juzgado; el que no cree ya está juzgado, porque no ha creído en el nombre del Unigénito de Dios.



Hoy celebramos la fiesta de la Santísima Trinidad, la fiesta de Dios que es comunidad. Así es, la fe en Jesucristo nos ha hecho reconocer que Dios es Padre Creador, Hijo Redentor y Espíritu Santo vivificador; que Dios es uno porque Dios es amor. El misterio de la Santísima Trinidad es el misterio central de la fe y de la vida cristiana. Es el misterio de Dios en sí mismo. Es, pues, la fuente de todos los otros misterios de la fe; es la luz que los ilumina. Es la enseñanza más fundamental y esencial en la "jerarquía" de las verdades de fe.

Todos nosotros tenemos la experiencia de que es el amor lo que une. De hecho la vida nos ha enseñado que solo el amor une verdaderamente: ni por tener una misma sangre, ni pertenecer a una misma

nación, ni por compartir una ideología o religión, estaremos unidos si falta el amor; si no hay amor nada une, por más fuerte que sea. Pero si hay amor, aún en las diferencias, hay verdadera unidad. El Evangelio de hoy insiste en el tema del amor de Dios llevándolo al extremo: "Tanto amó Dios al mundo que entregó a su Hijo único para que no perezca ninguno de los que creen en Él, sino que tengan vida eterna". Este Dios que es amor nos ama infinitamente y la entrega de Jesucristo por todos nosotros es el mayor testimonio de esto.

En esa unidad que contemplamos en la Trinidad y que se ha manifestado plenamente en Jesucristo, Dios nos involucra en el amor llamándonos a unirnos a Él, amándonos los unos a los otros. Hemos sido convocados a trabajar por construir la unidad en esta comunidad humana, en medio de tantos dolores y conflictos. Así como Jesús fue enviado para salvar y no para condenar, también nosotros si abrazamos esa salvación con la fe, estamos llamados a asociarnos a Cristo en esta obra redentora, trabajando con valentía y perseverancia en la construcción de un mundo más justo y más humano. El amor y la misericordia de Dios nos ha alcanzado, la tenemos que llevar a tantos que lo necesitan, que necesitan este mensaje de reconciliación y salvación.



La primera lectura, del libro del Éxodo 34:4-9 narra la renovación de la alianza entre Dios e Israel tras el pecado del becerro de oro. En este pasaje, Dios revela su verdadera identidad como un ser de gracia y justicia, lo que lleva a Moisés a una profunda adoración y a interceder por el pueblo.

## Português

### SANTÍSSIMA TRINDADE



### EVANGELHO DE SÃO JOÃO 3, 16-18

Naquele tempo, disse Jesus a Nicodemos: «Deus amou tanto o mundo que entregou o seu Filho Unigénito, para que todo o homem que acredita n'Ele não pereça, mas tenha a vida eterna. Porque Deus não enviou o seu Filho ao mundo para condenar o mundo, mas para que o mundo seja salvo por Ele. Quem acredita n'Ele não é condenado, mas quem não acredita n'Ele já está condenado, porque não acreditou no nome do Filho Unigénito de Deus».



João é o evangelista abismado na contemplação do amor de um Deus que não hesitou em enviar ao mundo o seu único Filho, para apresentar aos homens uma proposta de felicidade plena, de vida definitiva; e Jesus, o Filho, cumprindo o mandato do Pai, fez da sua vida um dom, até à morte na cruz, para mostrar aos homens o “caminho” da vida eterna... No dia em que celebramos a Solenidade da Santíssima Trindade, somos convidados a contemplar, com João, esta incrível história de amor. O amor de Deus traduz-se na oferta ao homem de vida plena e definitiva. É uma oferta gratuita, incondicional, absoluta, válida para sempre; mas Deus respeita absolutamente a nossa liberdade e aceita que recusemos a sua oferta de vida. No entanto, rejeitar a oferta de Deus e preferir o egoísmo, o orgulho, a auto-suficiência, é

um caminho de infelicidade. Nós, crentes, devíamos ser as testemunhas desse Deus que é amor; e as nossas comunidades cristãs ou religiosas deviam ser a expressão viva do amor trinitário. A celebração da Solenidade da Trindade não pode ser a tentativa de compreender e decifrar esse mistério de “um só Deus em três pessoas”. Mas deve ser, sobretudo, a contemplação de um Deus que é amor e que é, portanto, comunidade.



Na primeira leitura, do livro do Êxodo, o texto situa-nos no deserto do Sinai, “em frente do monte”. Depois de ter obtido o perdão de Deus para o Povo, Moisés subiu sozinho à presença de Jahwéh. Consigo, levava as duas novas tábuas de pedra que havia talhado e sobre as quais seriam gravados os mandamentos da aliança. Precisamente aqui, o autor insere a teofania (“manifestação de Deus”). Deus aproxima-se de Moisés “na nuvem”: a nuvem, que paira a meio caminho do céu e da terra, é, no Antigo Testamento, um símbolo privilegiado para exprimir a presença do Deus que vem ao encontro do homem; ao mesmo tempo a nuvem, simultaneamente, esconde e manifesta: sugere o mistério de Deus, escondido e presente, cujo rosto o homem não pode ver, mas cuja presença adivinha. O Deus da comunhão e da aliança, apostado em estabelecer laços familiares com o homem, auto-apresenta-Se: Ele é clemente e compassivo, lento para a ira e rico de misericórdia.

### **INTENÇÕES PARA O DIA 7 DE JUNHO**

+João Paulo Cunha + Ilda Lucas dos Santos + Maria do Carmo e Manuel Afonso + Bento e Teresa Alves + Maria de Lurdes Lima + Rosa e Adélio Martins + António Mendes Oliveira + Daniel e Maria Carlos + Alice Adão + Gabriel Pimenta + Narciso Ferreira + Emília Ralha