

Monday, June 2, 2025

7:30 AM Randi Froelich

12:30 PM Alfred W. Thiem (Birthday)

7:30 PM Spanish Mass

Tuesday, June 3, 2025

7:30 AM Cecilia Pereira Lopes

12:30 PM Rev. Patrick J. Callan

(Ordination Anniversary)

Wednesday, June 4, 2025

7:30 AM Jean Farquhar

12:30 PM Aristides Ferreira

Thursday, June 5, 2025

7:30 AM Antonio & Gloria Martins

**12:30 PM** Pat O'Keefe (Birthday)

Friday, June 6, 2025

7:30 AM Patrick Burns

12:30 PM Joao & Maria Barbosa

Saturday, June 7, 2025

**5:00 PM** Nicola Ottomanelli (Birthday)

Jack Begg

Ana Santos

Ana Simoes

Peter Viola

**Sunday, June 8, 2025** 

7:00 AM Francisco & Teolinda DeSousa

**8:30 AM** Portuguese Intentions

10:00 AM Carmela Reichert

11:30 AM People of the Parish

**5:00 PM** Spanish Intentions

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7:00 PM Theresa Makocka



#### **CMA Numbers for 2025**

Goal = \$95.900

Pledges = \$33,235 Payments = \$29,730

Donors = 135 Average = \$246

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

## PRIEST CELEBRANTS' SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 7, 2025

5:00 PM Fr. Tomaz

**Sunday, June 8, 2025** 

7:00 AM Fr. Yesudas

8:30 AM Fr. Tomaz

10:00 AM Fr. Malcolm

11:30 AM Fr. Malcolm

5:00 PM Fr. Malcolm

7:00 PM Fr. Ngozi

(Schedule is subject to change)



"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." (REVELATIONS 22:13)

This is a reminder of how we should live our lives 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – putting God first in all that we do. Not only when I am at Mass and parish activities, but when I am in the world, at work, or at school. Living Stewardship gratefully and generously is an intentional lifestyle. Every decision you make either moves you closer to God or farther away. Choose wisely!

May 25<sup>th</sup> Actual Collections = \$10,561

May 25<sup>th</sup> Mail-In Donations = \$1,141

May 25<sup>th</sup> Electronic Donations = \$800

May 25<sup>th</sup> Total Collection = \$12,502

Attendance = 1,033

**Maintenance Collection = \$1,411** 

## **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 <u>large parking field</u> owned by the



Chancery building on Willis Avenue across the street (thanks to their generosity!). Recently, <u>no-parking/tow-away signs</u> 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.

## **Pastor's Notes**

## **Corpus Christi Church Clergy Changes**

This is a brief summary of all the anticipated comings/goings of bishops/priests/deacons/seminarians here at our beloved parish this summer.

<u>Bishop Andrzej (Anjay) Zglejszewski</u> has been with us for eight years, and will depart on 25 June to become Pastor at St. Joseph in Garden City, while continuing his ministry as Auxiliary Bishop in the Diocese. His thanksgiving/farewell Mass will be Sunday 15 June at 11:30 AM.

<u>Father Ngozi Chimezie</u> has been our Associate Pastor for six years, and will leave on 25 June to be the same at St. Catherine of Siena in Franklin Square. His thanksgiving/farewell Mass will be with Bishop Anjay's on Sunday 15 June at 11:30 am. Reception will follow downstairs for these two gifted men of God!

<u>Father Ken Grooms</u> had been our seminarian and deacon six years ago. He stayed close to us in his four years at St. Aidan, and then two years as Pastor in Westhampton Beach. We are blessed that he returns to CCC as our Associate Pastor on 25 June. Please welcome him home!

<u>Deacon Brain Mannix</u> has been here in Mineola since his birth, and has grown up his whole spiritual life in CCC. On Sunday 1 June at the 11:30 am Mass, we will celebrate his 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary to the Deaconate Ordination with his friend Bishop Edward Scharfenberger, Bishop for the Diocese of Albany. Please join Brian and his wife Sue to rejoice in his service as Deacon!

<u>Father Jorge Alvarenga</u> from El Salvador came to us last summer for studies in English and familiarizing himself with the church/culture in our country: As a future Papal Diplomat from the Accademia in Rome, Father Jorge will return to the USA this summer, and spend a few extended weekends at CCC (June 28 and July 26). Bienvenido!

<u>Father Ihur Hinda</u> from Ukraine will come to us also from the Accademia in Rome, as a future representative of our newly elected Holy Father. He has his doctorate in Church History, as well as family nearby in Brooklyn. I'm certain Father Ihur will have a blessed experience of learning English and embracing our faith life in CCC this July!

Mr. Bruno Cubas has been an outstanding leader of our Friday evening Spanish prayer group for several years. He just began the Diocese program to become a deacon, to serve all of the linguistic/cultural groups of our parish. Along with his wife Marlene and family, we hope that Bruno will grow with the grace of God to reach Deaconate Ordination.

Nicholas Tavares is our seminarian born and raised right here in Mineola. Graduate of our high school and Stony Brook University, Nick has received all his Sacraments in our Parish, and has just completed his first year at St. Joseph Seminary in Dunwoodie, NY. He is one of only eight seminarians in our Diocese, and has many more years of formation/education to pursue. Please pray for him by name, and for the universal Church in this wonderful time of our new Pope Leo XIV!!!

Yours in Christ, Father Malcolm







Please join us for a Mass of

Thanksgiving and Farewell

Honoring

Bishop Andrzej

&

Father Ngozi

Sunday 15 June, 2025

11:30 AM

Followed by a reception in Fitzgerald Hall!

# Corpus Christi's 2025

# "Continuing the Educational Mission" Scholarship Award

We are pleased to announce again this year the Corpus Christi "Continuing the Educational Mission" Scholarship award. 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 has been established.

A committee of educators from grammar school, middle school, high school and college as well as members from the financial community was formed and worked on this program for several months and developed this scholarship.

Based upon the successes 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.

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

A scholarship award of \$5,000 will be given to a student who will be attending a local Catholic High School starting September 2025 for the academic school year 2025/2026.

A scholarship award of \$7,000 will be given to a matriculated college student carrying a full-time course load of a minimum 12 credits/semester who will be attending starting September 2025, a 2-4-year college or university for the academic school year 2025/2025.

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 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 <u>not</u> from any weekly or special parish collections. The announcement of the scholarship recipients will be made later this summer on or around August 9<sup>th</sup>. The scholarship is for one year. Applications must be submitted to the rectory by July 9, 2025.

For information on the eligibility requirements, application, timelines for submission and all related documents for this scholarship award, please visit our parish website at <a href="https://www.corpuschristi-mineola.net">www.corpuschristi-mineola.net</a>. This information will be posted on the site shortly or pick up an application at the rectory during regular office hours.

Please direct any questions regarding this scholarship to Deacon Brian Mannix at the rectory, 516-746-1223.



**Sunday, 15 June 2025** 

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, to remind us of our fathers' perpetual love and prayers.

Heavenly Father, you entrusted your Son Jesus,
The child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, an earthly father.
Bless all fathers as they care for their families.
Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness, and patience;
Support them in the work they have to do,
Protecting those who look to them,
As we look to You for love and salvation,
Through Jesus Christ our rock and defender,
In union with the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.
St. Joseph, pray for all our fathers,
Amen



"Not all of us can do great things.

# But we can do small things with great love." (Mother Teresa)

Oh, we have been busy during the Lenten and Easter seasons. As Court Immaculata #444, we hosted a Night of Prayer and Reflection in preparation for Easter. Father Ken Grooms, our guest speaker, provided insight on the Divine Mercy to the forty+ participants. And, as a first for our Court and Parish Outreach, we were pleased to surprise young children who are part of the outreach program with 52 Easter baskets – baskets filled by love with delights and entertainments.



What has become a tradition for us at our May meeting, we hosted a Baby Shower. The donations for newborns and mothers alike were well received by Mommas House in Levittown, NY. This organization supports new mothers as they choose life for their unborn.

So, as you can see, we have been very busy spreading God's love. To maintain this momentum, we encourage all women of faith to join us. Be witness and explore for yourselves what we do. Our next meeting before a summer hiatus is Thursday, June 12, 2025, at 7:00 PM in FitzGerald Hall (handicap accessible). Please call Gloria C. Sullivan, Regent, 516.580.2491 for more information.



## **Pentecost Sunday**

## 8 June

"Jesus said to them, 'Peace be with you'...then He breathed on them and said, 'Receive the Holy Spirit'." John 20:21-22).



Please pray for these adults who will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation on Pentecost Sunday.

Jorge Stevan Chamo
Isandy Edith Carillos
Matthew Robbin Diaz
Jose Alejandro Orellana Gomez
Cindy Maribel Moreno
Dilcia Yaritza Castaneda Murcia
Ingrid Lisseth Rodriguez Portillo
Jiovani Xavier Rivera

10:00 AM Mass



Sunday, June 8, 2025 Michael Perro and Nicole Henriques Sunday, June 15, 2025 Ashley Ferreira and Jasmine Ferreira

**Junior Lectors** 

Sunday, June 22, 2025 Gabriella Palumbo and Michaela Palumbo

We bid "farewell" to the following Catechists who served the children in their charge so well, and we hope to see them again in the future!

Ms. Kylie Cunha, Mr. Fresvindo Guevara, Mrs. Vanessa Mahoney

## With Gratitude...

We have been blessed with most hard working and dedicated Catechists in the Religious Education Program! Their hard work and dedication to their students create a vibrant and faith filled environment for all.

## **Grade One**

Mrs. Carla Garcia
Ms. Nicole Henriques
Mrs. Annmarie Kopp
Mrs. Vanessa Mahoney
Mrs. Dey Mercado
Ms. Marcela Villanueva

#### **Grade Three**

Mrs. Sandy Fernandes Mr. Charlie McCarthy Ms. Gabrielle Parrado Mr. Michael Sommerfield

## **Grade Five**

Mrs. Lori Baker Mr. Connor Charron Mr. Edward Gabriel Mr. Sean O'Connell Mr. Ryan Ok Mr. Bruce Velazquez

#### **Grade Seven**

Mr. Jim Crennan Mr. Thomas Donnelly Mr. Dylan Fisher Mr. Matteo Moscheni Mr. Joseph Perone Mr. Shane Stephen Mr. Ryan Zuccarello

#### Office/Hall Helpers

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

### **Grade Two**

Mrs. Carla Garcia
Ms. Kylie Cunha
Mrs. Angela Parente
Mrs. Karen Rosier
Ms. Caroline Stringer
Ms. Carmen Velazquez

## **Grade Four**

Mr. Patrick Johnson Mr. Timothy O'Keefe Mrs. Maria Palumbo Ms. Michaela Palumbo Mr. John Prosceo Mrs. Simone Rosati

## **Grade Six**

Mrs. Jennifer Gandarela Mr. Dennis Harrington Mrs. Jeanne Ludwig Mr. Ryan Ludwig Mr. Jake Macchia Mrs. Jill Picarello Ms. Caroline Stringer

### Confirmation

Mr. Patrick Connor Mrs. Sandy Fernandes Mr. Fresvindo Guevara Mr. Christian Licari Mrs. Kathy Raspen Razzano Mr. Nicholas Romanelli Ms. Kelen Rosier

#### **Substitute Teachers**

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



## **Feast of Corpus Christi & Outdoor Procession**

## Saturday June 21 5:00 PM

We will have a Mass for the Feast of Corpus Christi on Saturday at 5:00 PM, followed by an outdoor procession.

On Sunday we will celebrated the Mass for the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) at 11:30 AM.



**Mass & Outdoor Procession** 

## Wednesday June 4 Corpus Christi Church

Please join us at 7:30 AM on June 4 to celebrate one of the many pilgrimage Masses and processions taking place for nine days throughout Long island. It will be followed by an outdoor procession starting from our Church at 8:45 AM and ending at Chaminade High School.

All are welcome!



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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, Violeta Bernal, Anne Boland, Diane Bombardi, Erin Burke, Marie Byrnes, Jeanne Carroll, Jackson Carvalho, Michael Castalino, Frank de Carolis, Sue Citro, Emmanuel Colon, Joann Cornacchioli, James Cunney, Jerry Daraio, Kate Donovan, Virginia Fallon, Laurie Fefta, Lilly Fuentes, Anne Gallagher, Kenneth Gallagher, Elba Garcia, Vanessa Gomes, Filomena Iavarone, 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'Neal, Gabriel Palhete, Livia Pascoa Pereira, Linda Pires, Charles Procaccini, Dennis Radovic, Mary Renker, Elizabeth Rose, JoAnn Russo, Mary Santucci, Robert Santucci, Ann Schwarz, Victoria Sheridan, Lisa Simeone, Lucy Elena Sivirichi, Paul Tubito, Lorraine Verdade, and any other members of our parish who are sick at this time.

## **Church Donation Envelopes**



Before giving your Church donation envelopes, please make sure that the amounts of your donations are written on the envelope. Please also avoid using tape to seal the envelopes. The

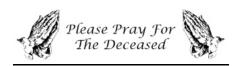
money counters, thank you very much.

## KING KULLEN RECEIPTS



If you shop at the King Kullen in Garden City Park, please save your register receipts and place them in the white basket in the vestibule or in the collection basket or together with your donation in the stewardship envelope. 1% of your total purchase gets donated to the Corpus Christi

Religious Education Program.



**Souls in Purgatory** 



## **Second Trimester Honor Roll**

### Chaminade HS

Sophomore

Luke C. Vaz

Junior

Harrison R. Kearns Peter J. Mileo

## **Kellenberg HS**

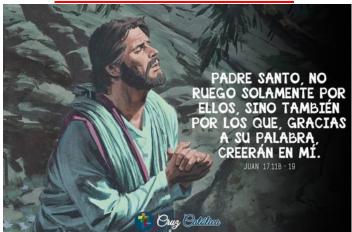
Oliver Acampado
Jarithza Cortez Navarrete
Isaiah Griffin
Xavier Griffin
Aedan Ingua
Maeve Reilly



Sat., June 7 Sun., June 8

5:00 PM L.Romito/E.Romito 10:00 AM S.Heras/S.Heras 11:30 AM K.Alvarez/A.Alvarez

## Español vii domingo de pascua



#### **EVANCELIO DE SAN JUAN 17, 20-26**

En aquel tiempo, Jesús levantó los ojos al cielo y dijo: "Padre, no sólo te pido por mis discípulos, sino también por los que van a creer en mí por la palabra de ellos, para que todos sean uno, como tú, Padre, en mí y yo en ti somos uno, a fin de que sean uno en nosotros y el mundo crea que tú me has enviado. Yo les he dado la gloria que tú me diste, para que se3an uno, como nosotros somos uno. Yo en ellos y tú en mí, para que su unidad sea perfecta y así el mundo conozca que tú me has enviado y que los amas, como me amas a mí. Padre, quiero que donde yo esté, estén también conmigo los que me has dado, para que contemplen mi gloria, la que me iste, porque me has amado desde antes de la creación del mundo. Padre justo, el mundo no t ha conocido; pero yo sí te conozco y éstos han conocido que tú me enviaste Yo les he dado a conocer tu nombre y se lo seguiré dando a conocer, para que el amor con que me amas esté en ellos y vo también en ellos".



### Meditación del Papa Francisco

Jesús ora al Padre para que los suyos sean "perfectamente uno": quiere que sean entre ellos "uno", como Él y el Padre. Es su última petición antes

de la Pasión, la más sentida: que haya comunión en la Iglesia. La comunión es esencial. El enemigo de Dios y del hombre, el diablo, no puede nada contra el Evangelio, contra la humilde fuerza de la oración y de los sacramentos, pero puede hacer mucho daño a la Iglesia tentando nuestra humanidad. Provoca la presunción, el juicio sobre los demás, las cerrazones y las divisiones. Él mismo es "el que divide" y a menudo comienza haciéndonos creer que somos buenos, quizá mejor que los demás: así tiene el terreno listo para sembrar la cizaña. Es la tentación de todas las comunidades y se puede insinuar también en los carismas más bonitos de la Iglesia.



Hechos de los Apóstoles 7:54-60 relata la muerte de Esteban, el primer mártir de la iglesia. Este pasaje muestra la persecución que sufrió Esteban por su fe, su visión de Jesús en el cielo, su oración final y su muerte. El pasaje nos enseña sobre la resistencia del Espíritu Santo, la importancia de la oración y la capacidad de Dios de perdonar incluso en las circunstancias más difíciles.

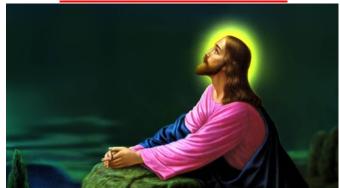
La historia de Esteban demuestra que la persecución puede ser una realidad para los creyentes que defienden su fe. Sin embargo, el Espíritu Santo llena a Esteban de fortaleza, permitiéndole perseverar incluso ante la muerte.

La visión de Jesús a la derecha de Dios le da a Esteban la certeza de su victoria y le permite mantener su confianza en Dios.

La oración de Esteban, tanto para recibir su espíritu como para pedir perdón a Dios por los pecados de sus persecutores, es un ejemplo de la importancia de la oración en momentos difíciles.

La muerte de Esteban se convierte en un testimonio de su fe y en un recordatorio de que los creyentes pueden morir por su fe, confiando en la gracia de Dios.

# Português domingo vii d páscoa



## **EVANGELHO DE SÃO JOÃO 17, 20-26**

Naquele tempo, Jesus ergueu os olhos ao Céu e disse: Pai santo, não peço somente por eles, mas também por aqueles que vão acreditar em mim por meio da sua palavra, para que eles sejam todos um como tu, Pai, o és em mim e eu em ti, para que também eles sejam um em nós e o mundo acredite que tu me enviaste. Eu deilhes a glória que tu me deste, para que sejam um, como nós somos um: Eu neles e tu em mim, para que sejam consumados na unidade e o mundo reconheca que tu me enviaste e que os amaste como a mim. Pai, quero que onde eu estou, também estejam comigo o que me deste, para que vejam a minha glória, a glória que me deste, por me teres amado antes da criação do mundo. Pai justo, o mundo não te conheceu, mas eu conheci-te e estes reconheceram que tu me enviaste. Dei-lhes a conhecer o teu nome e dá-lo-ei a conhecer para que o amor com que me amaste esteja neles e eu esteja neles.



A liturgia da Palavra deste domingo da 7ª semana da Páscoa, considerada na igreja a semana de oração pela unidade dos cristãos, nos coloca de encontro com esta mesma perspectiva eclesial. "Eu te peço Pai que todos sejam um, como Tu Pai, está em mim eu em ti", reza Jesus, nesta leitura bíblica segundo João. É um pedido que ainda hoje requer de nós, cristãos, um esforço, a fim de realizá-lo. Talvez o maior contratestemunho dos cristãos seja o de pregar um Deus que pede a unidade, enquanto nós vivemos

em "guerra", uma guerra silenciosa estendida no tempo, uma guerra capaz de pôr em cheque a realização do pedido de Jesus. Urge no nosso tempo um olhar cuidadoso para o tema da unidade. Para haver unidade, contudo, é preciso uma unidade das muitas instituições que formam a religião cristã, bem fundamentada e alicerçada. O medo de nos "perder" no contato com o outro, torna-nos indiferentes ao pedido de Jesus. Fechados em nós mesmos. O outro aspecto é da abertura ao diálogo com o outro, com as suas mais profundas convicções. Uma unidade bem alicerçada e a abertura ao diálogo, possibilitam o encontro, e posterior, caminho rumo à unidade.

Precisamos aprender com Jesus a viver na unidade. Se queremos viver uma vida a partir de Deus, precisamos querer viver na unidade, na diversidade do mundo e das várias outras realidades que nos cerca. Se queremos viver à semelhança de Deus, precisamos viver a unidade, pois Deus é três pessoas, igualmente distintos, porém unidos. Deus é comunhão, é relação. Uma comunhão que não exclui a singularidade, antes a torna livre e manifesta sua expressão.



A primeira leitura nos apresenta o martírio de Santo Estêvão, o primeiro mártir da Igreja. O Actos dos Apóstolos conta que ele foi apedrejado por testemunhar o seu amor a Jesus Cristo, por confessar que jamais negaria a sua fé por qualquer perseguição e sofrimento. Hoje queremos nos lembrar de milhões de cristãos que sofrem o martírio para testemunhar a sua fé.

### **INTENÇÕES PARA O DIA 8 DE JUNHO**

+João Paulo Cunha + Domingos e Teresa Cardoso +Domingos Lage Cardoso + Francisco José da Silva +Leroy e Isabel Barroca + Carlos e Célia da Costa +Zacarias Rodrigues + Manuel e Teresa Ralha e filhos + Maria do Carmo e Manuel Afonso + Bento e Teresa Alves e filho + Julian Barreto Albuquerque +Ana Rodrigues Nogueira