

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH of CORN HILL



Pope Francis
Vatican City State



Bishop Joe Vásquez
Diocese of Austin

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

June 2, A.D. 2024

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday	June 1	5:00 PM	Martha Pavelka (in thanksgiving), †Tommie Martine, †Charles Petru
Sunday	June 2	8:30 AM	†Paul Rosipal, †John Illes, †Burt & Susan Carnes
		10:30 AM	Pro Populo
Monday	June 3	7:00 AM	Liv/Dec Benefactors of the Czech Seminarian Fund
Tuesday	June 4	6:00 PM	The Cooke Family, †Martha Sherek, †Kevin Glass
Wednesday	June 5	6:30 PM	Harvey & Diane Eggemeyer, †Thomas Robertson
Thursday	June 6	7:00 AM	George Maney, †Ray & Florence Robichau, †Calvin Blackman Jr.
First Friday	June 7	6:00 PM	†Johnny Gerik, †Paul Bonkowski, Sr., †AJ Tschoner
Saturday	June 8	7:30 AM	†Virginia & William McMaster, †Virgil Tonn
Saturday	June 8	5:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sunday	June 9	8:30 AM	†Paul Rosipal, †Tony & Delores Sladeczek
		10:30 AM	Liv/Dec members of the Valis Family

Mass Ministry Schedule for June 2 - 9

Monday, June 3, 7:00 AM:

Altar Server/Lector: Leo Bringman

Tuesday, June 4, 6:00 PM:

Altar Server: Josh Jacobs

Lector: Kitzzi Crawford

Wednesday, June 5, 6:30 PM:

Altar Server/Lector: Leo Bringman

Thursday, June 6, 7:00 AM:

Altar Server/Lector: Pinto Nemeč

First Friday, June 7, 6:00 PM:

Altar Server: Pinto Nemeč

EMHC/Lector: Josh Jacobs

Saturday, June 8, 7:30 AM:

Altar Server: James Nemeč

Lector: Janine Nemeč

Saturday, June 8, 5:00 PM:

Altar Servers: Wesley & Noah C., Landon B., Ava H.

Lector: Leo Bringman

EMHC: Monica Snook, Leo Bringman

Gift Bearers: Gene & Deanna Fojtik

Head Usher: Stephanie Wright

EMHC to Shut-Ins: June 9

Route 1: Brandon Danek

Route 2: Joe Parks

Sunday, June 9, 8:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Stefeks (3), Michael Weber

Lector: Jennifer Marquis

EMHC: Brandon Danek, James Nemeč

Gift Bearers: Pinto & Lucille Nemeč

Head Usher: Tommy Sladeczek

Sunday, June 9, 10:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Jonah & Michael S., Arian P.

Lector: Greta Reza

EMHC: Leslie & Linda Allen

Gift Bearers: Bill & Linda Montreuil

Head Usher: Jeff Voigt

This Week at a Glance

Sat, June 1 – Corpus Christi Procession after 5:00 pm Mass

Sun, June 2 – June Fundraiser @ PAC

Tues, June 4 – Holy Face Prayers/ Hour of Reparation 4:10

Thurs, June 6 – Adoration 3:00 – 9:00 pm

Thurs, June 6 – Cemetery Committee Meeting 6:30 pm in RE Bldg

First Friday, May 5 – First Friday Family Night after 6:00 pm Mass

Sat/Sun, June 8/9 – Fruit Cup Sale after all Masses

Mon, June 10 – Senior Citizens Supper @ 6:30 pm in PAC

✠ Fr. Stephen Nestrsta ✠

Address: 8626 FM 1105, Jarrell, Texas 76537

Phone: 512-863-3020

Email: mainoffice@holytrinityofcornhill.org

Website: www.holytrinityofcornhill.org

Hours: Tuesday – Friday, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Administrative Assistant: Monica Snook 512-863-3020

Bulletin Announcement Deadline: Tuesdays @ 2:30 pm

Weekend Masses: Saturday @ 5:00 pm

Sunday @ 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Reconciliation: Sat: 3:30–4:40 pm; Sun: 7:30–8:10 am

& Wed: 5:30-6:10 pm (or by appt.)

Parish Contacts & Resources

Director of Faith Formation: Virginia Loza-Lee 737-215-1042

Financial Bookkeeper: Rebecca Melend 512-863-3020

Parish Activity Center (PAC) Rentals: Parish Office

PAC Manager: Laura Fowkes 512-922-4808

Cemetery Information: Parish Office

Cemetery Director: Johnny Martinka 512-966-4301

Cemetery Maintenance: Scott Templeton 512-845-0221

Music Ministry / Choir: Ronnie Simek 512-630-5074

Finance Council: Tommy Sladeczek 512-635-3496

Pastoral Council: Stephanie Wright 512-470-5204

Pro-Life Prayer Group: Kathryn Streadwick 254-721-4530

Knights of Columbus: James Von Der Vellen 512-868-6415

Catholic Daughters of the Americas: Monica Sherek 512-864-4748

Conf. of Christian Mothers: Deanna Fojtik 254-217-2268

Religious Articles Cabinet: Deanna Fojtik 254-217-2268

CEF Enrollments: Janine Nemeč 512-289-9242

K.J.T. Society #55: John Valenta 281-507-5686

KJZT Society #15: Belinda Beyer 254-760-0255

Catholic Life Insurance #50: Tommy Sladeczek 512-635-3496

Marriage Preparation: Contact the priest before setting a wedding date and at least 9-12 months before the desired date.

Baptisms: Contact Virginia Loza-Lee for questions and requirements (737-215-1042)

Last Week's Collection(s)

Weekly Collection	\$ 6,007.25
Online Donations	\$ 1,501.80
Building Fund	\$ 2,532.25



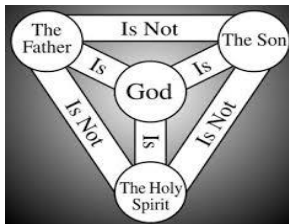
Our annual **June Fundraiser** is today (Sunday, June 2) and we welcome all who are visiting! Enjoy a delicious Fried Chicken & Sausage meal with all the trimmings, served from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. in the PAC Bldg. Adult plates \$15 / Children \$8. Drive-thru to-go will also be available for \$15/plate. We will then dance the afternoon away to music from the Jodie Mikula Orchestra (1-5 pm; free will donation). Good food – good friends – good time for all! **If you would like to make a donation to help offset the cost of the fundraiser**, you may do so with the envelopes provided by the bulletins. God bless!

Vocations Crucifix Prayer Campaign

Open to all parishioners. To sign-up, call the parish office.

June 2 – 9: Andrew & Susan Klepac

June 9 – 16: Louis & Louise Straka



Rosary for Life

Open to all parishioners. To sign-up, call the parish office.

June 2 – 9: Keith & Stephanie Zimmerhanel

June 9 – 16: Daniel & Hilda Perez

Thank you to everyone that enrolled their loved ones during the **Annual CEF Mother's Day Drive**. A total of \$507 was collected for the Clerical Endowment Fund

The **Cemetery Committee** will meet this Thursday, June 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the RE Bldg. All parishioners are invited to attend.

Please join the **Knights of Columbus for First Friday Family on Friday, June 7**. The First Friday Devotion will begin with Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by Exposition and Benediction as well as Family Potluck in the PAC with open gym for the kids. Since this is a Friday potluck, please bring only MEATLESS meals. All parishioners are welcome.

Our monthly **Senior Citizens' Supper** will be held on Monday, June 10, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC Bldg. We appreciate our Confraternity of Christian Mothers for preparing the meal.

Our annual **Father's Day CEF Enrollment Drive** will be held the weekends of June 8/9 and 15/16 for anyone wishing to enroll their fathers, grandfathers, sons, etc. Enrollments for other occasions/persons can also be made. The usual offering is \$2 per person, per card, and benefits the education of our diocesan seminarians.

If you would like to donate toward our **Father's Day Altar Flowers**, in honor or memory of your father (or other loved ones), you may do so by completing and returning a "Father's Day Mass Remembrance" envelope (by the bulletins). Please make sure you mark living or deceased and print clearly! Envelopes should be turned in by **Sunday, June 9th, for the June 16th bulletin**.

TEEN LEADERSHIP
RETREAT

LIFE TEEN
FACE TO FACE
A RETREAT ON REAL PRESENCE

June 8 & 9
We'll begin June 8 at 10:00am-Mass at 8:30am June 9
All Confirmed Teens
Respond to God's call, learn to bring others to Christ, grow your own faith.
Bring your sleeping bag, pillow, PJ's and church clothes



Ministries

We are in much need of more parishioners to serve as ministers at all Mass times! Please prayerfully consider participating more fully in the Mass as a Lector, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Altar Server, Head Usher, and/or Gift Bearer. For questions, or to volunteer, contact the parish office at 512-863-3020 or speak with Fr. Stephen.

Are you or do you know someone who: Is longing to be Catholic? Are ready to return home? Or just want to know what Catholics believe?

Maybe you or someone you know is feeling a tug in your hearts. It is the Holy Spirit calling you home. This summer, we will have 3 basic classes to explore that calling. This is not RCIA, it is an inquiry class. Classes will be held June 11 & 18 and July 9 at 7:00pm in the RE Building. For more information, contact Virginia at htcdre@holymtrinityofcornhill.org

Fruit Cup Sale

Thank you for supporting our youth

High Trinity of Corn Hill
Smith Ministry

June 8 & 9
After all Masses
\$4

Please join us for Texas Alliance for Life's Walk for Life on Saturday, June 15, 8:30-10:00 AM in Austin, Cedar Park, Georgetown, San Marcos, and Harker Heights. The walk-a-thon is for the entire family. Walk with us to promote the sanctity of innocent human life and raise funds for programs that protect mothers, unborn babies, and pregnancy resource centers. **To register as a walker and get pledges, please visit www.texasallianceforlife.org or call 512-477-1244.**

Cedarbrake Retreat - A women's weekend retreat entitled **Perfectly Yourself** will be offered **June 28-30 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Temple**. Deep within each of us is a hunger for more fulfillment, more power, more control. At the depth of this insatiable hunger is the desire for connection and union with God; it can also manifest itself as a desire to be more perfectly yourself. This retreat, led by Beverly Collin, will explore the five lessons of becoming your perfect self. Beverly Collin was the assistant director at Cedarbrake for 16 years. The costs are \$295 for a private room, \$255 per person for a shared room and \$150 for commuters. For more information, visit www.austindiocese.org/cedarbrake or call (254) 780-2436.

Summer camp opportunities - Summer is here and many parents are looking for summer learning opportunities for their children! A comprehensive guide to this year's Catholic schools' most exciting summer camps is now available online at <https://csdatx.org/summer2024>. Whether your child is an aspiring artist, a scientist, a future tech guru, or an adventurous outdoor explorer, our guide has something special for everyone. From hands-on workshops to interactive classes, each camp is designed to spark creativity, curiosity, and a love for learning. Visit <https://csdatx.org/summer2024> to find the perfect camp for your young learner.

Dear friends in Christ,

Praised be Jesus Christ! We welcome all visitors who are with us this Sunday for our June Fundraiser. May you experience the presence and love of Jesus Christ during this Mass. Thank you for joining us and we hope you will enjoy the meal and the music today.

Many people are beginning their summer vacations. Always remember to take a nice set of clothes along with you so that you will be properly dressed for Mass wherever you go. Please do not attend Mass in shorts if you are more than 6 years of age. Check ahead of time to locate the Catholic Church and find out the Mass times so that you will be on time for Mass. You can find the Mass times for almost every parish by going to www.masstimes.org or by using their App on your smartphone. It is important that we do not neglect our worship of God and that we keep His Commandment to keep Holy the Sabbath Day.

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of Corpus Christi, the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Since the time of the Apostles the Church has believed and taught that Jesus is present, body and blood, soul and divinity, in the Holy Communion that we receive at Mass. The bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Jesus during the consecration in the Eucharistic Prayer. The appearance remains the same, but the substance changes. This is not a symbolic presence, but, it is the REAL PRESENCE of Jesus. That is why we take such care of the Blessed Sacrament, the Eucharist, and offer to the Real Presence of Jesus our Adoration and Praise. That is why we have our annual Corpus Christi Procession to give a more public sign of our belief in this Real Presence. The early Church Fathers wrote about this presence, as did St. Paul in his letter to the Corinthians (1 Cor. 10:16-17, 11:23-29). May we all be careful of how we speak about the Holy Communion that we receive at Mass. We should speak of it as the Body of Christ and the Blood of Christ, not bread and wine. We pray that one day all Christians will once again believe what the Apostles and the early Church believed about Jesus' Real Presence in Holy Communion.

Next Saturday, June 8, Matthew Jewell will be ordained a priest. Please pray for him as he is consecrated to be a priest of Jesus Christ and His Church. May the Holy Spirit be with him to give him all the strength, wisdom and knowledge needed to minister to God's people.

Beginning with the first weekend in August our new Mass schedule will be as follows: Saturday, 5:00 pm, Sunday, 7:30 am, 9:30 am and 11:30 am. Mark your calendars and plan now to adjust your schedule to fit with this new Mass schedule.

May all of you have a most blessed week.

Fr. Stephen Nesrsta, farář

Eucharistie nás udržuje při životě: Eucharistie je pokrmem pro ty, kdož byli křtem osvobozeni z otroctví a stali se dětmi; pokrmem, který člověka udržuje při životě během jeho dlouhého exodu pouští lidské existence. Stejně jako mana pro lid Izraele, je také eucharistie pro každou křesťanskou generaci nepostradatelnou potravou, která nás provází na cestě pouštěmi světa, vyprahlého působením ideologických a hospodářských systémů, které život nepodporují, ale spíše ponižují; světa, v němž převládá logika moci a majetku nad logikou služby a lásky. Světa, v němž nezřídka dominuje kultura násilí a smrti. Avšak Kristus nám přichází vstříc a dává nám jistotu: „On sám je „chlebem života“. (Pastorace.cz)

Fiesta del Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo: En el corazón de esta gran celebración se encuentra la realidad de ¡la entrega total de sí mismo de Cristo hacia nosotros! Cristo no sólo dio su vida en la cruz para nuestra salvación, pero continúa dándose a sí mismo completamente en la Eucaristía. Esta festividad también es un recordatorio de que a través de Cristo estamos íntimamente conectados unos a otros como miembros de su Cuerpo. Si Cristo está dispuesto a darse a sí mismo a todos nosotros, santos y pecadores ¿Qué sacrificios por los demás estamos dispuestos a hacer? ¿Estamos dispuestos a darnos a nosotros mismos por aquellos necesitados: los pobres, los prisioneros, los nonatos, los emigrantes indocumentados, los refugiados, los extraños sin hogar?

Prayer for Corpus Christi

Most Holy and Almighty God, we thank you and praise you for giving us the most precious body and blood of Your only son, Jesus Christ. Through the institution of the Sacrament of Holy Communion, we are able to nourish our bodies and souls. We thank you for having made Yourself our food and for uniting us with You in this beautiful Sacrament. Amen.

What is the Corpus Christi procession?

Whenever the Eucharist is exposed for adoration of the people, it is placed in a sacred vessel called a Monstrance, whose clear glass permits the viewing of the Sacred Host. Such Exposition can take several forms, on the altar in a parish, for adoration and prayer, public devotions such as Eucharistic Benediction, and public processions on Corpus Christi, or at other times. In Catholic countries such processions often go throughout the city. The faithful usually sing and pray, all in honor of our Eucharistic King. This practice began in the 14th-century, and it has been promoted by popes, councils, and saints as a wonderful way to show the supreme importance of the Eucharist and the love that we have for Him.

Why do Catholics celebrate Corpus Christi?

The Catholic Church honors Christ's Presence in the Holy Eucharist with a special feast owing to St. Juliana of Liège, a 13th-century Norbertine canoness from Belgium. She had a great love for the Eucharist. When she was 16, she had a vision in which the Church was a full moon with a dark spot. The dark spot signified that the Church was missing a feast dedicated solely to the Body and Blood of Christ. Even though she had this vision several times, St. Juliana didn't think that she could do anything to help institute this feast. Therefore, she kept it a secret for many years. Once she was elected prioress, she finally told her confessor, who in turn told the bishop. This eventually led to the universal feast of Corpus Christi.

What does Corpus Christi mean?

The Latin words "Corpus Christi" translate to "Body of Christ."

Why is the Solemnity of Corpus Christi important?

The Eucharist is the "source and summit of the Christian life" (Second Vatican Council, *Lumen gentium*, no. 11). In the Eucharist, Jesus Himself re-presents for our benefit His Sacrifice on Calvary (Luke 22:19-20; 1 Cor. 11:26-29), gives Himself to us in Holy Communion (Exodus 16:4, 35; John 6:1-14, 48-51), and remains among us until the end of the age (Luke 24:13-35; Mt. 28:18-20). He comes to us in this humble form, making Himself vulnerable, out of love for each one of us. Yet, as God Himself, the Body and Blood of Christ deserves our utmost respect and love, as well as our adoration. St. Thomas Aquinas, Hymn "Tantum Ergo" Down in adoration falling, Lo! the sacred Host we hail; Lo! o'er ancient forms departing, Newer rites of grace prevail; Faith for all defects supplying, Where the feeble senses fail.

St. Francis of Assisi said, "...In this world I cannot see the Most High Son of God with my own eyes, except for His Most Holy Body and Blood."