

# CHRIST THE REDEEMER 🏠 Welcome *home*.

MASS PROGRAM | CORPUS CHRISTI  
Sunday, June 23, 2019



Welcome *home*.

Whether you're from down the street or from out of town, we're glad you're here.  
We consider Christ the Redeemer to be a home: a home for saints and for sinners,  
A home for those who have questions about the Faith and for those searching for more,  
A home for seasoned Catholics as well as those entering a Catholic Church for the very first time.  
Regardless where you are on the journey, regardless what brought you here, we have a place for you.  
We have a home for you. Welcome *home*.



## HOW CAN YOU MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR TIME BEFORE MASS BEGINS.

Take a few minutes before Mass begins.

Slowly and prayerfully read the Scripture readings that will be proclaimed during Mass. (*Pages 2-3*)

Ask yourself: "What is God saying to you, in your life, through today's Scripture readings?"

Ask yourself: "What do I need from God today? At this Mass, today, what do I need God to say or do?"

In silence, tell God exactly what you need from Him.



## FREE CHILDCARE IS AVAILABLE AT 9.00, 11.00, AND 6.30 MASSES

Want to focus on the message and the Mass? We can help. *CTR Beginners* childcare in the Family Life Center serves infants to 3-year olds. **Babysitting is free.** Children's Liturgy is also available at 9.00 and 11.00. The priest will call the kids (K-2nd grade) after the opening prayer. Kids return to Mass during the offertory.



NEW TO REDEEMER? We're glad you're here. If you need anything, we are here to help you.

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## LITURGICAL MUSIC

OPENING HYMN AT 4.00 & 7.00

**LEAD ME, GUIDE ME | DORIS AKERS**

I am weak and I need Thy strength and power  
To help me over my weakest hour  
Let me through the darkness, Thy face to see,  
Lead me, oh Lord lead me.

**Lead me, guide me along the way  
For if you lead me I cannot stray  
Lord, let me walk each day with Thee  
Lead me, oh Lord lead me**

Help me tread  
in the paths of righteousness  
Be my aid when Satan and sin oppress  
I am putting all my trust in Thee  
Lead me, oh Lord lead me

I am lost if you take your hand from me  
I am blind without Thy light to see  
Lord just always let me thy servant be  
Lead me, oh Lord lead me

OPENING HYMN AT 9.00, 11.00, & 6.30

**OVERFLOW | MATT MAHER**

Your grace is power, Your will forever,  
Your love is a river, overflow in me  
Your word true presence,  
Your body our recompense;  
Your blood salvation, overflow in me

**Overflow in me my Lord  
Overflow in my my Lord  
Let Your people bless You  
As Your cup is poured  
Overflow in me my Lord  
Overflow in me my Lord**

Your worship of You  
it's Your gift to us from You  
No one, could give this gift but You, overflow in me

We lift up our hearts, we lift up our souls  
We lift up our minds  
Every good thing is Yours  
Every good thing is Yours so overflow

## TODAY'S READINGS FROM THE BIBLE CORPUS CHRISTI

**A READING FROM THE BOOK OF GENESIS**

*From the Old Testament, Genesis 14:18-20*

In those days,  
Melchizedek, king of Salem,  
brought out bread and wine,  
and being a priest of God Most High,  
he blessed Abram with these words:

"Blessed be Abram  
by God Most High,  
the creator of heaven and earth;  
and blessed be God Most High,  
who delivered your foes into your hand."

Then Abram gave him a tenth of everything.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

*From the Old Testament, Book of Psalms 110:1, 2, 3, 4*

***℟ You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek***

The LORD said to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand  
till I make your enemies your footstool." ***℟***

The scepter of your power the LORD will stretch forth  
from Zion: "Rule in the midst of your enemies." ***℟***

"Yours is princely power in the day of your birth,  
in holy splendor; before the daystar, like the dew,  
I have begotten you." ***℟***

The LORD has sworn, and he will not repent:  
"You are a priest forever,  
according to the order of Melchizedek." ***℟***

## A READING FROM THE BOOK OF 1<sup>ST</sup> CORINTHIANS

From the New Testament, 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 11:23-26

Brothers and sisters:

I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you,  
that the Lord Jesus, on the night he was handed over,  
took bread, and, after he had given thanks, broke it and said,  
"This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

In the same way also the cup, after supper, saying,  
"This cup is the new covenant in my blood.  
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup,  
you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

## A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE

From the New Testament, Luke 9:11b-17

Jesus spoke to the crowds about the kingdom of God,  
and he healed those who needed to be cured.  
As the day was drawing to a close,  
the Twelve approached him and said,  
"Dismiss the crowd so that they can go to the surrounding villages and farms  
and find lodging and provisions; for we are in a deserted place here."  
He said to them,  
"Give them some food yourselves."  
They replied,  
"Five loaves and two fish are all we have,  
unless we ourselves go and buy food for all these people."  
Now the men there numbered about five thousand.  
Then he said to his disciples,  
"Have them sit down in groups of about fifty."

They did so and made them all sit down.  
Then taking the five loaves and the two fish,  
and looking up to heaven,  
he said the blessing over them, broke them,  
and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd.  
They all ate and were satisfied.  
And when the leftover fragments were picked up,  
they filled twelve wicker baskets.

OFFERTORY HYMN AT 4.00 & 7.00

**LOOK BEYOND | DARRYL DUCOTE**

Look beyond the bread you eat  
See your Savior and your Lord  
Look beyond the cup you drink  
See his love poured out as blood

Give us a sign that we might believe in you  
Moses brought us manna from the sky  
I am the bread which from the heavens came  
those who eat this bread will never die

The bread I give you will be my very flesh  
My blood will truly be your drink  
This man speaks harshly who can listen  
to his word? We shall no longer follow him

You, my disciples, will you also leave?  
Lord, to whom can we go?

COMMUNION HYMN AT 4.00 & 7.00

**WE REMEMBER | MARTY HAUGEN**

We remember how you loved us to your death  
And still we celebrate, for you are with us here  
And we believe that we will see you  
When you come, in your glory Lord.  
We remember, we celebrate, we believe.

Here, a million wounded souls, are yearning  
Just to touch you and be healed  
Gather all your people and hold them to your heart

Now we recreate your love  
We bring the bread and wine to share a meal  
Sign of grace and mercy, the presence of the Lord

Christ, the Father's great amen  
To all the hopes and dreams of every heart.  
Peace beyond all telling and freedom from all fear

See the face of Christ revealed  
In every person standing by your side  
Gift to one another, and temples of your love

RECESSIONAL MEDITATION AT 4.00 & 7.00

**WE PRAISE YOU | D. DUCOTE & G. DAIGLE**

We praise you, O Lord,  
for all your works are wonderful  
We praise you, O Lord, forever is your love

Your wisdom made the heavens and the earth, O Lord. You  
formed the land, then set the lights. And like your love the  
sun will rule the day, and stars will grace the night

OFFERTORY HYMN AT 9.00, 11.00, & 6.30

**REMEMBRANCE | M. MAHER & M. REDMAN**

Oh how could it be, that my God would  
welcome me, into this mystery  
Say take this bread take this wine, now the  
simple made divine, for any to receive

By Your mercy we come to Your table  
By Your grace You are making us faithful

Lord we remember You, and remembrance  
leads us to worship. And as we worship You,  
Our worship leads to communion  
We respond to Your invitation,  
We remember You

See His body His blood, know that He has  
overcome, every trial we will face  
None too lost to be saved, none too broken or  
ashamed, all are welcome in this place

Dying You destroyed our death, rising You  
restored our life, Lord Jesus come in glory

COMMUNION HYMN AT 9.00, 11.00, & 6.30

**O COME TO THE ALTAR | MACK BROCK**

Are you hurting and broken within?  
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin? Jesus is calling  
Have you come to the end of yourself?  
Do you thirst for a drink from the well? Jesus is calling

O come to the altar, the Father's arms are open wide  
Forgiveness was bought with  
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes  
Come today there's no reason to wait, Jesus is calling  
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy  
From the ashes a new life is born, Jesus is calling

Oh what a Savior isn't He wonderful  
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is Risen  
Bow down before Him for He is Lord of all  
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is Risen

RECESSIONAL MEDITATION AT 9.00, 11.00, & 6.30

**EVERY PRAISE IS TO OUR GOD | J. DAVID BRATTON**

Every praise is to our God  
Every word of worship with one accord  
Every praise, every praise is to our God

Sing Hallelujah to our God  
Glory Hallelujah is to our God  
Every praise, every praise is to our God  
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# THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE REDEEMER

## MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2019

- 7.30 - 8.00 a **Daily Mass.** FMT  
7.00 - 8.30 p **Knights of Columbus Meeting.** Family Center

## TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2019

- 7.30 - 8.00 a **Daily Mass.** FBH  
12.00 - 1.00 p **Al-Anon.** For family members of alcoholics and addicts. Confidential. Family Center  
6.00 - 7.00 p **Alcoholics Anonymous.** For alcoholics and addicts. Confidential. Family Center  
6.00 - 7.00 p **RCIA.** (En español) Family Center  
7.00 - 9.00 p **Bible study.** (En español) Family Center

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019

- 6.00 - 7.30 a **Men of St. Joseph.** Family Center  
7.30 - 8.00 a **Daily Mass.** FBH  
2.00 - 4.00 p **Senior Social.** Family Center  
6.00 - 7.30 p **Men of St. Joseph.** Family Center

## THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2019

- 7.30 - 8.00 a **Daily Mass.** FMT  
2.00 - 3.00 p **Flame of Love Rosary.** Church  
5.00 - 6.30 p **TOPS.** "Taking Off Pounds Sensibly." Family Center  
6.00 - 7.30 p **Sacrament Preparation.** (En español) Family Center  
7.30 - 9.30 p **Choir practice.** (En español) Church

## FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2019

- 7.30 - 8.00 a **Daily Mass.** FBH

## SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019 | FR. BRICE'S FINAL WEEKEND

- 8.00 - 8.30 a **Confessions.** Fr. Todd  
8.30 - 9.00 a **Daily Mass.** Fr. Todd  
9.00 - 2.00 p **Confessions.** Fr. Todd  
4.00 - 5.00 p **Mass.** FBH | Mass for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2019 | FR. BRICE'S FINAL WEEKEND

- 7.00 - 8.00 a **Mass.** FBH | Mass for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
9.00 - 10.00 a **Mass.** FBH | Mass for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
11.00 - 12.00 p **Mass.** FBH | Mass for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
3.00 - 4.00 p **Mass.** (En español)  
6.30 - 7.30 p **Mass.** FBH | Mass for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



# ADORATION CHAPEL



**DO YOU DESIRE TO STRENGTHEN YOUR PRAYER LIFE?  
ONE HOUR CAN CHANGE YOUR LIFE.**

Our Chapel has been open for prayer 24-hours a day, 7 days a week for over 20 years.

## **WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?**

We have a dedicated group of Prayer Partners who give one hour of their time each week to spend in prayer before our Lord, fully present in the Eucharist.

## **ARE YOU READY TO COMMIT TO ONE HOUR A WEEK?**

If the Lord is calling you, contact Sara Oubre to begin at 985.446.8662.

## **CURRENT HOURS IN NEED OF ADORERS & PRAYER PARTNERS.**

Saturdays | 2:00 *a*, 9:00 *a*, 10:00 *a*, & 11:00 *a*

Mondays | 3:00 *p*

Wednesdays | 4:00 *p*

Thursdays | 6:00 *p*

**LOOKING FOR TIPS ON HOW TO MAKE A HOLY HOUR IN OUR CHAPEL?**

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE: [CTR-HTDIOCESE.ORG/CHAPEL](http://CTR-HTDIOCESE.ORG/CHAPEL)**





# ALTAR SERVERS

## IS GOD CALLING YOU TO SERVE?

**WHO CAN SERVE?** | Anyone who has received their first communion

**WHEN CAN I SERVE?** | 4.00 *p*, 7.00 *a*, 9.00 *a*, & 11.00 *a* Masses

**TRAINING** | Training is provided to all our altar servers

If interested, please call Heather at our church office.

985.447.2013



## THE MEN OF ST. JOSEPH

### AN INVITATION TO ALL MEN.

Men are needed to provide strong, spiritual leadership in their homes. Our families depend on it. Our children depend on it.

However, you don't have to do it alone. Join us as we discover what it means to be a man.

WEEKLY GATHERINGS  
WEDNESDAYS 6.00 *a* & 6.00 *p*

Men, you have what it takes.





# THE ORIGINS OF CORPUS CHRISTI

## GOOD QUESTIONS

Many times as we enter into solemnities and feast days as a Church, we can be faced with several questions such as, "*Why do we do this?*" "*What does this mean?*" "*What is a solemnity?*"

If you find yourself asking these question about the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, know that you are not alone. To answer some of our questions, let us together take a look at two articles. First, we will look at an article provided by EWTN to answer the question "*What is a solemnity?*" Second, we will look to Gretchen Filz's article from The Catholic Company to gain insights into the history of Corpus Christi.

## WHAT IS A SOLEMNITY?

Today we celebration the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (*also known as Corpus Christi*). So *what exactly is a solemnity?* A solemnity is usually reserved for the most important mysteries of faith (*Easter, Pentecost, and the Immaculate Conception*). A solemnity is celebrated if it falls on a Sunday of ordinary time (*like today's Solemnity of Corpus Christi*). Besides solemnities, the Church also celebrates feast days and memorials.

## THE STORY BEHIND THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, historically known by its Latin name,

Corpus Christi, celebrates the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist—Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. It is traditionally celebrated on the Thursday following the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity. The feast dates to the Middle Ages and originated with a visionary nun and a Eucharistic miracle.

## THE ORIGINS THE MIRACLE & THE VISION

In 1263 a German priest, Fr. Peter of Prague, made a pilgrimage to Rome. He stopped in Bolsena, Italy, to celebrate Mass at the Church of St. Christina. At the time he was having doubts about Jesus being truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. Fr. Peter was affected by the growing debate among certain theologians who, for the first time in the history of the Church, began introducing doubts about the Body and Blood of Christ being actually present in the consecrated bread and wine.

In response to his doubt, when he recited the prayer of consecration as he celebrated the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, blood started seeping from the consecrated host and onto the altar and corporal.

Fr. Peter reported this miracle to Pope Urban IV, who at the time was nearby in Orvieto. The pope sent delegates to investigate and ordered that host and blood-stained corporal be brought to Orvieto. The relics were then placed in the Cathedral of Orvieto, where they remain today.



This Eucharistic Miracle confirmed the visions given to St. Juliana of Mont Cornillon in Belgium (1193-1258). St. Juliana was a nun and mystic who had a series of visions in which she was instructed by Our Lord to work to establish a liturgical feast for the Holy Eucharist, to which she had a great devotion.

After many years of trying, she finally convinced the bishop, the future Pope Urban IV, to create this special feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, where none had existed before. Soon after her death, Pope Urban instituted Corpus Christi for the Universal Church and

celebrated it for the first time in Orvieto in 1264, a year after the Eucharistic Miracle in Bolsena.

Inspired by the miracle, Pope Urban commissioned a Dominican friar, St. Thomas Aquinas, to compose the Mass and Office for the feast of Corpus Christi. Aquinas' hymns in honor of the Holy Eucharist, Pange Lingua, Tantum Ergo, Panis Angelicus, and O Salutaris Hostia are the beloved hymns the Church sings on the feast of Corpus Christi as well as throughout the year during Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.



## FR. BRICE'S FAREWELL

**DATE** | Saturday & Sunday, June 29 & 30, 2019

**WHEN** | After all our weekend Masses

**LOCATION** | Outside our Main Church Doors

The weekend of the 29th & 30th will be Fr. Brice's final weekend here at Christ the Redeemer.

Join us for refreshments after each of our weekend Masses as we say our goodbyes.

# SAVE THE DATE FOR YOUR CALENDAR

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2019	7.00 - 8.30 p	Knights of Columbus Meeting
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019	6.00 - 7.30 a	Men of St. Joseph
	2.00 - 4.00 p	Senior Social
	6.00 - 7.30 p	Men of St. Joseph
SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019		Fr. Brice's final weekend
SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2019		Fr. Brice's final weekend
WEDNESDAY, JULY 3, 2019	6.00 - 7.30 a	Men of St. Joseph
	6.00 - 7.30 p	Men of St. Joseph
THURSDAY, JULY 4, 2019		<i>Office Closed</i>
FRIDAY, JULY 5, 2019		<i>Office Closed</i>
WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2019	6.00 - 7.30 a	Men of St. Joseph
	6.00 - 7.30 p	Men of St. Joseph
SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2019	2.00 - 7.30 p	<i>Witness to Love</i> , Marriage Preparation Retreat
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2019	7.00 - 8.30 p	Knights of Columbus Meeting
	6.00 - 7.00 p	<i>Belonging</i> , Baptism Formation, part 1
TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, 2019	6.00 - 7.30 p	Ladies Altar Society Meeting

# ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THIS WEEKEND

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY.

We are now accepting volunteers to assist with our Children's Liturgy during our 9.00 a and 11.00 a weekend Masses. If you love children and are interested in joining our team, please contact Wanda LeBlanc at [wanda.leblanc@htdiocese.org](mailto:wanda.leblanc@htdiocese.org).

## FR. BRICE'S FAREWELL.

Fr. Brice's final weekend at Christ the Redeemer will be June 29-30, 2019. After all our weekend Masses, we will have refreshments available outside our main church doors. All are welcome!

## VACATION BIBLE CAMP.

A very special thanks once again to all our volunteers who made our Vacation Bible Camp a huge success. Also, a special thank you to all who generously donated to aid us in serving our campers well.

*Thank you!*

## HOW CAN WE SERVE YOU?

**OFFICE HOURS** | MONDAY THRU FRIDAY. 8:00 a to 4:00 p

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## BIG STEPS IN LIFE?

**HAVING A BABY?** We'd love to walk with you through the Baptism process. Call the office and let's get started!

**GETTING MARRIED?** We love weddings, *but we really love marriages!* Because your *marriage* is important to God, 12 months of preparation is required. Call the office and we'll start the process. Let's get started!

**NEED AN ANNULMENT?** Call our office Freedom awaits. Our team can help.

## KNOW SOMEONE WHO'S SICK?

**GIVE US A CALL.** We'd love to reach out to you and those you love. We visit the hospital regularly or can stop by the house for a personal visit. Our homebound team would love to visit on a regular basis. We can provide prayer with the Blessed Sacrament on weekends. Anointing of the Sick available, all you have to do is ask. Please call the office. We can help, we just need to know!

## STEWARDSHIP AND TITHING FROM JUNE 8-9, 2019

Our collection figures from the June 8-9 weekend were \$10,063.70.

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## MASS INTENTIONS. JUNE 22-28, 2019

**MASS INTENTIONS:** M/M Anthony Adams, June Aucoin, Cangemi Fly, Robert "Bobby" Daigle, Sylvester Danos, Jr, Andrew John Melvin, Louise A. Melvin, M/M O.T. Melvin, Jr, Fred, Genevieve, & Jimmy Vincent

**VIGIL LIGHT:** David M. Belanger, Bill Theriot, Jr, Bobby Theriot

**ADORATION LIGHT IN MEMORY OF:** June Aucoin, Dale F. Babin, Jr, Andrew John Melvin

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS. JUNE 29-30, 2019

**4:00 MASS:** LECTORS: Ruth Thibodeaux, Kenny LeBouef ACOLYTE: Irwin Joubert

EMHC: Tally Adams, Larry Bonvillain, Shirley Bonvillain, Geri LaGraize, Angie LeBouef, Pat Smith

**7:00 MASS:** LECTORS: Karen Griffin, Peter David ACOLYTE: Carey Dean ALTAR SERVER: Ernesto Munoz

EMHC: Karen Bergeron, Mary Dean, Karen Griffin, Michael Sobert, Thomas Toups, Ann Trosclair

**9:00 MASS:** LECTORS: Michele Porche, Lynn Sonier ACOLYTE: Ken Bourgeois ALTAR SERVER: Dylan Aulich

EMHC: Heather Aulich, Evelyn Gondron, Richard Gondron, Gaynel Guillot, Janeen Joffrion

CHILDREN'S LITURGY FACILITATOR: Wanda LeBlanc

**11:00 MASS:** LECTOR: Carole Gonzalez, Thad Toups ACOLYTE: Ken Bourgeois ALTAR SERVER: Claire Crochet

EMHC: Melodia Benoit, Shelley Breaux, Denise David, Cindy Gaudet, Don Gaudet, Linda Molaison

CHILDREN'S LITURGY FACILITATOR: Cindy Gaudet

**6:30 MASS:** LECTORS: Youth Formation ALTAR SERVERS: Youth Formation EMHC: Youth Formation