



Corpus Christi Church

Fr. Michał Czyżewski, OSPPE, Administrator
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Second Sunday of Lent February 21st, Year C

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:15 a.m.; 10:00 a.m. (Polish); 11:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Masses are in Chapel

Monday & Tuesday 10:00 a.m.

Wed. Thur. Fri. Sat. 11:30 a.m.

Thursday Mass is in Polish

Confession

(Sacrament of penance and reconciliation)

In the Church

Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m. or by appointment

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Sunday before Masses in English

After the Mass in Polish

Sacrament of Anointing

In case of emergency, please call the office.

Exposition of the Holy Eucharist

Wednesday to Friday

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Mass

First Thursday of the Month

In the Church from 7p.m. – 10 p.m.

Perpetual Novena to

Our Lady of Czestochowa

Every Saturday after 11:30 a.m. Mass

Parish Office Hours

Monday–Friday: 9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

(Closed for lunch 12:30-1:00)

Welcome

We extend to our visitors a very special welcome. We trust that the liturgy will be a blessing to you and you will visit us again. If you think you may be interested in joining Corpus Christi Parish, please contact our office. We will be happy to assist in making arrangements for your registration. Call 716-896-1050

Vigil for Sunday The Second Sunday of Lent

5:00 Mass is said for the parishioners of Corpus Christi Church

The Second Sunday of Lent

February 21st,

8:15 + Josephine Bakowski requested by Family

10:00 + Józef and Henryk Saweczko requested by Family

11:30 + Ronald Brennan requested by his wife, children and grandchildren

Monday, February 22nd, *Feast of the Chair of St. Peter the Apostle*

10:00 + Brother Kazimierz Paśnik. O.S.P.P.E.

Tuesday, February 23rd,

7:00 a.m. Blessings and Good Health for Phil Garofaro
Requested by Donna Oleczek

Wednesday, February 24th,

11:30 + William Wasik requested by Phyllis Wasik

Thursday, February 25th,

11:30 O Boże błog. dla Wiesława Szelejewskiego – requested Helena Gołębiowska z synami Markiem i Andrzejem

Friday, February 26th, *A Day of Abstinence*

11:30 Blessings and Good Health for Kin Leone requested by Donna Oleszek

6:30 PM Station of the Cross (Pol.).

Saturday, February 27th,

11:30 Mass is being said for the deceased of the Jaracz Family requested by Alice Jaracz

Vigil for Sunday

5:00 + Harry Sabadasz requested by Mr and Mrs Serafin

The Third Sunday of Lent

February 28th,

8:15 Mass is being said for the members of the Frasonski, Urbanski, Malke, and Giremek Families

10:00 + Stanislaw Baltaziuk requested CC Ushers

11:30 Mass is said for the parishioners of Corpus Christi Church

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Sanctuary Lamp in the Church



The Candle burns for + Sophie Shepanski
requested by her son, Phil

Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel

The Candle burns on gratitude
for Blessings received



Prayer Request

Prayers are requested for the following; Phyllis Wasik, Ronald Orcutt, Rita Sikorski, James Pajak, Robert Manion, Joan Janiszewski, James Sikora, Frank Page, Baby Nolan Przybysz, Joan Markowski, Arthur M. Holakowski, Butchy Bocoarski, John Drabik, Kara Friend and Anna O'Shei.

Attendance and Collection

February 14th, 2016

Attendance 137

Collection \$ 1273

Donations for Light bulbs \$ 430

Maintenance and Repairs \$ 201

Ash Wednesday \$ 491

Thank You for your continued generosity

Big Thanks Goes To

**The Parish of Corpus Christi would like to thank
the Parishioners who worked on the lights!**

Anonymous

Zachary Karalus

Henry Swiatek

Richard Karalus

Martin Ederer

Stanley Baltaziuk

A Sincere Thank You!

We would like to express our sincere Thanks to everyone in the parish who donated to the Lightbulb Collection. You can't help but see the difference. The Altar looks spectacular, and you can read your missal in the pews on the sides of the church. There will also be a huge difference in our bill. When the new bill arrives (for February) we will post the total so you can see how much the regular bulbs cost, and when the next March bill arrives, we'll tell you the difference. Thanks goes out again to the major donors. We'd also like to thank those who installed the bulbs and repaired the sockets, to the brave souls who rode the lift, and to that someone who fixed the lights in the stations. There was a ton of unseen labor done to make this project complete. To the folks who have spotted the few bulbs that are not lit, they can rest assured that we did not miss them; they just require more extensive work and will be repaired soon. Thank you. As always there are a few donors who wish to remain unnamed and a few folks who sent in donations with no names on them on accident or on

purpose. But we are grateful none the less. It is because of folks like you that we are moving forward. Some of the Donors in random order are:

Tom Dudczek

Robert Fronckowiak

Irena Baran

Richard Kowal

M/M Sikorski

M/M Wisniewski Christine

Noel Keck

M/M Franczyk

Michael Byserak

Diane Kusek

M/M Wolanin

Stephen Wernski

Ron Nowak

M/M Nowak

Kari Nowak

M/M Ederer

Gregory Mrzyglod

Alaksandra Januszkiewicz

Pam Jurek

M/M Ostrowski

Henry Bernat

M/M Baltazuk

Gail Racza

Donna Oleszek

And many-many more!!! If you'd like your name included in the bulletin, just call the rectory. It is not our intention to leave anyone out; we are just running out to room.



Holy Year of Mercy

The logo and the motto together provide a fitting summary of what the Jubilee Year is all about. The motto Merciful Like the Father (taken from the Gospel of Luke, 6:36) serves as an invitation to follow the merciful example of the Father who asks us not to judge or condemn but to forgive and to give love and forgiveness without measure. The logo – the work of Jesuit Father Marko I. Rupnik – presents a small summa theologiae of the theme of mercy. In fact, it represents an

image quite important to the early Church: that of the Son having taken upon his shoulders the lost soul demonstrating that it is the love of Christ that brings to completion the mystery of his incarnation culminating in redemption. The logo has been designed in such a way so as to express the profound way in which the Good Shepherd touches the flesh of humanity and does so with a love with the power to change one's life. One particular feature worthy of note is that while the Good Shepherd, in his great mercy, takes humanity upon himself, his eyes are merged with those of man. Christ sees with the eyes of Adam, and Adam with the eyes of Christ. Every person discovers in Christ, the new Adam, one's own humanity and the future that lies ahead, contemplating, in his gaze, the love of the Father. The scene is captured within the so called mandorla (the shape of an almond), a figure quite important in early and medieval iconography, for it calls to mind the two natures of Christ, divine and human. The three concentric ovals, with colors progressively lighter as we move outward, suggest the movement of Christ who carries humanity out of the night of sin and death. Conversely, the depth of the darker color suggests the impenetrability of the love of the Father who forgives all.

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