

# CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH



## **Mission Statement:**

Corpus Christi is a welcoming Catholic community grounded in Faith, nourished by the Eucharist, and dedicated to stewardship and service.

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## **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday Vigil ~ 5 p.m.  
Sunday ~ 9 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Daily Mass ~ Monday - Friday, 9 a.m.  
Holy Days ~ 9 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

## **RECONCILIATION**

Saturday ~ 4:00-4:30 p.m.  
or by appointment

## **BAPTISMS**

Classes required for parents.  
For information, call Parish Office.

## **MARRIAGES**

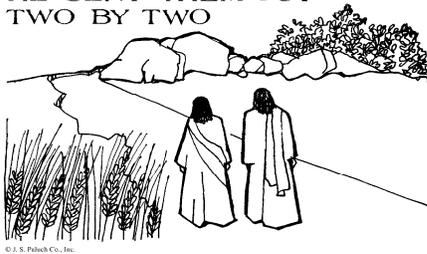
By appointment, at least six  
months in advance.

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TWO BY TWO



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## Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 11, 2021

Truth shall spring out of the earth,  
and justice shall look down from heaven.

-- 2 Corinthians 12:9



Daily Mass

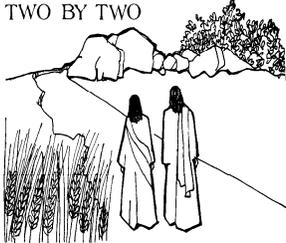
Week of July 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>

Monday: 9:00 Richard Love+  
 Tuesday: 9:00 Judy Beattie+  
 Wednesday: 9:00 Nicholas Elsenius+  
 Thursday: 9:00 Elizabeth & Thomas Eagen+  
 Friday: 9:00 Nanette Reinhard+



Please remember the sick in our Parish, especially Catherine Galvin, Lewis Carter, James Gebhardt, Louis Mastro, Peggy Delson, Isabel Canlas, Peter Heymans, Pamela M., Kerrie R., Rita Jurin, Maradee Davis, Jim Faison, Rita Jackson, Helen Roberts, Michael Echaniz, Tina Chaix, Samantha Winterer, Michael Kluziski, Sebastian Romeo, Laura Pierce, Michael Bozman, Dori McGee-Lundy and Julia.

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Does the scene of the disciples being sent out two by two bring to mind any other scripture? After the flood, Noah opens the door of the ark and sends his passengers out to renew the face of the earth. Certainly, Jesus has the same purpose. The purpose is fulfilled in

your communion in the Body of Christ today and in your being sent from the Eucharist into the world. The sending is so important that our word "Mass" derives from it. In Latin, the last words of worship are *Ite, missa est*, which means "Go, you are sent." From that, people began to call Catholic worship the *missa* or in English, the "Mass." Our English words dismissal, missal, emissary and mission are all related. We are not sent into the workaday world alone, but in relationship to one another.

Some people have acquired the unhappy habit of leaving worship as soon as they receive Communion and therefore miss the prayer, the dismissal and the solemn blessing that are essential parts of the Mass. The dismissal is a seal on our Communion and reveals its purpose. Thanks be to God!

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

To celebrate the Fourth of July I offer these words of a great American patriot:

When it shall be said in any country in the world, my poor are happy; neither ignorance or distress is to be found among them; my jails are empty of prisoners, my streets of beggars; the aged are not in want.

When these things can be said, then that country boast of its constitution and government.

Thomas Paine

Fr. Basil



### Today's Readings!

**First Reading** -- Amos said, "The Lord took me from following the flock, and said to me, Go, prophesy to my people" (Amos 7:12-15).

**Psalm** -- Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation (Psalm 85).

**Second Reading** -- The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing (Ephesians 1:3-14[3-10]).

**Gospel** -- Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two (Mark 6:7-13).

### Saints and Special Observances!

Tuesday: St. Henry  
 Wednesday: St. Kateri Tekakwitha  
 Thursday: St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of The Church  
 Friday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel

### A Magical Effect!

Patience and perseverance have a magical effect before which difficulties disappear and obstacles vanish.

-- John Quincy Adams

