

# Pentecost Sunday

June 8, 2025

[I]n one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.

-- 1 Corinthians 12:13a



# Week of June 9th - 13th

Monday: 8:00 John Thompson+ 8:00 Mary Slakey Howell+ Tuesday: Wednesday: 8:00 Frank Burk+

Thursday: 8:00 Diane Ongsted+ Friday: 8:00 Donna Bersaglieri+



Please remember the sick in our Parish, especially Sarah Wren, Marian Flandick, James Breen, Janet Laurent, Mike Abell, Michael Carter, Anil Siu, Peggy Delson-Rini, Frank Rini and Cecilia Uyeda.

Weekly Collection	
Plate May 25, 2025	\$8,201.00
Rainy Day Fund	\$2,330.00



The Parish Family of Corpus Christi has been increased and enriched through the recent baptisms of:

**Baptisms** 

Lola Judith Mori, daughter of Heather Allen and Michael Mori.

Joseph Cejuela and Joshua Cejuela Wade, sons of Maria Cejuela and Fred Wade.

Congratulations to the proud parents from all of us!

#### Today's Readings



First Reading -- Filled with the Holy Spirit, the apostles begin to speak in tongues (Acts 2:1-11).

Psalm -- Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm

104).

Second Reading -- In one Spirit we are baptized into one body (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13).

Gospel -- Jesus Christ appears to the disciples and sends them on their mission (John 20:19-23).

# Congratulations to the Class of 2025!



Congratulations, Graduation for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade Graduates! students of Corpus Christi
School. This is a very happy day for them, their families,

their friends and our Parish community. May the Christian and academic foundations laid here help them build a promising future. Our best wishes go with them.

> Preston Charles Baenen Declan Vincent Bair Katharine Sydney Baker Reid Eméry Báker Mia Sakura Bellomo Quinlan Bridgman Lucas Augustine Broderick-Gross Delaney Hope Edwards Zachary Ivo Endress Efthymia Marina Gerontides Quinn Olivia Johnson Madelyn Margaret Keane Thomas Finnegan Kelley Edith Kilpatrick Kevané Henry J. Knight Lauren Van Le Melanie D. Mejia Soliana Mesfen Carson Patrick Alcido Mueller Gabriella Grace Castel Lucy Kathleen Okamoto Rennie Presnell Samuel James Root Elijah James Satomi Emmeline Beth Throne Piper Tripp Aidan Michael Chan Velasco Julian Adrian Villanueva Kyle Ryman Walsh Joshua Walthers William Sears Woodson Annette Yeju Yoon

# **FATHER'S**

### Father's Day Cards!

In honor of Father's Day, Sunday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, you are invited to offer a spiritual bouquet for your father, grandfather, godfather or any father figure in your life! Fill out the information envelope and return it to the Parish Office. Be sure to mark

"Living" or "Deceased." 

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# Living Our Faith Meeting!

All parishioners are invited to attend the final monthly meeting (for the academic year) of the Living Our Faith Ministry. It will be held on Thursday evening, June 12<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 p.m. in the Gibson Center. Come join us as we nurture our own faith and seek to find ways to express that faith within the wider community. If you wish to learn more, feel free to contact Nancy Midlin at: <a href="mailto:midlin.nancy@gmail.com">midlin.nancy@gmail.com</a>.

#### Summer Food Drive!

The Corpus Christi Summer Food Drive has begun. Our support of the Alameda County Community Food Bank (ACCFB) is more important than ever. One in four residents in our community is experiencing or is at-risk of hunger. The Living Our Faith Ministry has set an ambitious goal of raising \$15,000 for ACCFB by mid-August. We have already raised nearly \$5,000 in our previous food drives this year, so we're one-third of the way toward reaching this goal! The Summer Food Drive started on June 1<sup>st</sup> and will continue until August 3<sup>rd</sup>. You may participate using any one (or more) of the following three methods:

- \* Scan the QR Code that you'll find on the laminated bookmarks in the pews or on the flyers on the credenzas in the Church. Donate any monetary amount to ACCFB via the Corpus Christi Fundraiser page.
- \* Donate online at: <a href="mailto:donate.accfb.org/vfd/Alameda-County">donate.accfb.org/vfd/Alameda-County</a>. Enter Group #6434475 in the Search field to be directed to the Corpus Christi Fundraiser page for AC-CFB.
- \* Donate non-perishable food items and place them in the 2 large food barrels in the Gibson Center or in the designated baskets in the Church.

The Living Our Faith Ministry and the Corpus Christi Family appreciate your generous response to this tremendous need in our community!

# Come To Us, Spirit of Holiness!

Holy Spirit,
you banish fear from our hearts;
you bear witness in us that
we are children of God;
we pray to you:
Remove from our hearts the
spirit of slaves;
place in us the spirit of
adopted children to make us
cry out, "Abba, Father!"

# The Holy Spirit!

Ask nothing of God, then, but this gift of divine Love, that is, the Holy Spirit.

-- Walter Hilton



# Readings For The Week June 9th -- 14th

Monday: First Reading Genesis 3:9-15, 20;

Psalm 87:

Gospel John 19:25-34

Tuesday: First Reading 2 Corinthians 1:18-22;

Psalm 119;

Gospel Matthew 5:13-16

Wednesday: First Reading Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3;

Psalm 98;

Gospel Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday: First Reading 2 Corinthians 3:15-4:1, 3-6;

Psalm 85;

Gospel Matthew 5:20-26

Friday: First Reading 2 Corinthians 4:7-15;

Psalm 116;

Gospel Matthew 5:27-32

Saturday: First Reading 2 Corinthians 5:14-21;

Psalm 103;

Gospel Matthew 5:33-37

#### The Day of the Holy Spirit!

John's Gospel tells us that when Jesus "breathed" on the disciples, the Holy Spirit came into them, empowering them to forgive sins and to gather all people into union with one another.

The book of Genesis had explained the divisions among nations with the story of the Tower of Babel. In rebellious pride, human beings had struggled to become equal to God. The result was chaos, strife, the inability even to speak the same language among themselves. Today's reading from Acts tells how the Spirit has just the opposite effect. Strangers from many nations hear and understand one another, each in his or her own tongue.

his message of unity in the Spirit is repeated in the reading from Corinthians. There are many gifts, many ways to serve. One way is not "higher," nor one person "better" than another. There is but one Spirit, who accomplishes all the different works we do, acting through us.

# June!

And what is so rare as a day in June? Then, if ever, come perfect days.

-- James Russell Lowell

