

MASS TIMES

WEEKEND Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 9:30 am, 11:30 am, 5:00 pm

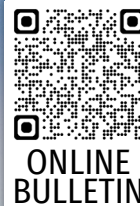
WEEKDAY Monday to Saturday 9:00 am
First Friday 9:00 am, 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Monday to Saturday 8:30 am
Saturday 3:30 pm

The Catholic Parish of CORPUS CHRISTI

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ONLINE
BULLETIN



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 23 - 24, 2025
THE NARROW DOOR

*I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord;
no one comes to the Father, except through me. John 14:6*

ZUMBA FUNDRAISER

The Zumba session will take place on Saturday, August 30, 2025 at the Corpus Christi Parish Hall from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Please purchase tickets from the Corpus Christi Reception Desk or on August 30th at the Door. Each ticket costs \$10 (Cash Only Please). Remember to wear rubber shoes and bring your own water bottle (You can also buy a water bottle for \$2.00 each).

ANNUAL PRIESTS' RETREAT EDMONTON ARCHDIOCESE MON SEP 1—FRI SEP 5

* No Masses * No Confession * No Adoration
The office remains open, and the church is open for prayer.

CLEANING CREW NEEDED

Weekday-Daytime Availability
♦ Cleaning/Vacuuming in the Church Nave
♦ Yard weeding (shrubs)
Please call the parish office if you are available.



SUNDAY CATECHISM

Catechism for children begins on Sunday; September 14.

Preparing our Youth (Grades 1-12) to Make the Right Choices in Life on Sundays 10:30 to 11:30 am (until June) Walk with Jesus... † Prayers † Bible Study † Devotion to Our Lady † Church History, Teachings & Traditions



For more information or to register your child, please scan the QR code.

HOUSEKEEPING

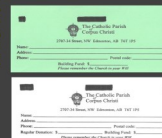
OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

⇒ **2025 Offertory Envelope Boxes**—After reaching out to families whose 2025 box of envelopes is still here at the parish, still many remain. If you didn't pick up your 2025 envelopes, and would like to continue receiving a box of envelopes each year, please contact the parish office, as we are looking ahead to the 2026 batch. Many thanks!

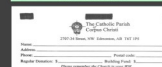
⇒ **Unused Offertory Envelopes from Previous Years**—Please bring back to the parish office any unused envelopes showing dates in 2024 and older. We will put these envelopes to good use! Using only envelopes from the current year helps to streamline our processes in the office, as numbers can change from year to year. When envelopes from previous years are used, we need to check the system to see if that number is still assigned to you.

⇒ **Envelopes in the Pews**—For your convenience each week, volunteers organize blanked offertory envelopes into the pew pockets. Please use ONLY envelopes in the pews that have been blanked-out properly. Numbered envelopes would be credited to someone else.

COLLECTION ENVELOPE COLOUR CODES



GREEN:
Building Fund
only



WHITE:
Regular Donation
and/or
Building Fund

Remember to include your name and address for your tax receipt.

PARISH RECEPTION

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 4 pm
Closed over the lunch hour; 12 to 1 pm.
Closed weekends & holidays—**Labour Day**

PARISH TEAM

Fr. Benoj Makkollil CMI

Pastor (Ext 102)

Benoj.MakkollilCMI@caedm.ca

Fr. Joseph Vadakedath Aipe CMI

Associate Pastor (Ext 103)

Joseph.AipeCMI@caedm.ca

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Permanent Deacon (Ext 105)

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Giselle Horne

Receptionist (Ext 0)

Giselle.Horne@caedm.ca

Collection	FUND	AMOUNT
AUG 17 2025	REGULAR COLLECTION	\$3,555.00
	BUILDING FUND	\$5,192.75
	LOOSE/NO TAX RECEIPT	\$2,551.20

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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM

For infants and children up to the age of 6.

Baptism Preparation

6:30 pm, on the **4th Tuesday**

- Aug 26, Sep 23, Oct 28, Nov 25, Jan 27...

Baptism Celebrations

1:00 pm, on the **2nd & 3rd Sundays**

- Sun, Sep 14, 21, Oct 12, 19...

Contact Sister Delia at the parish office for an appointment to register your child.

NO BAPTISMS DURING ADVENT & LENT

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY EUCHARIST

(Grade 3+) Offered twice/year.

Registration is open for Fall 2025.

Visit our website for detailed information.

CONFIRMATION

(Grade 6+) Offered once/year.

Registration is open for 2026.

Visit our website for detailed information.

MARRIAGE

Six months prior to your wedding date, or sooner, plan to meet with Fr Ben.

RCIC

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Children is for unbaptised children, 7 to 14 years of age, wishing to receive the sacraments of initiation.

Offered once/year, our **next session will begin December 3, 2025, held weekly on Wednesdays, 6:00-7:00 pm.**

Contact Sister Delia at the parish office for more info, and to register.



- Are you interested in becoming Catholic?
- Or are you Catholic, but have not received your First Communion or Confirmation?

Thursdays at 7:00-8:00 pm, Starting Sep 25.

Contact **Sister Delia** at the parish office for more information.

Legion of Mary

CORPUS CHRISTI PRAESIDIA

A lay apostolic association of Catholics who serve, with the sanction of the Church, under the powerful leadership of Mary Immaculate.

Youth ages 5-17

Our Lady Seat of Wisdom

Meet 10:30 am Saturdays

Lisa—780.257.2794

Adults

Our Lady Gate of Heaven

Meet 7 pm Tuesdays

Gold—780.604.8062



4 WAYS TO DONATE

For full details, please visit our website

www.corpuschristi-edm.ca

- 1. PRE-AUTHORIZED OFFERING PROGRAM (POP)*** using your bank account or credit card. *This is the preferred method.
- 2. DONATION ENVELOPES**—Contact the office if you would like a box of envelopes.
- 3. E-TRANSFER** to CorpusChristi.Edm@caedm.ca
Important instructions are available here.
- 4. CANADA HELPS**—See info on our website
Thank you for being a good steward of the Catholic Parish of Corpus Christi.

NEW ALBERTA HEALTH SERVICES PROTOCOLS FOR CLERGY HOSPITAL VISITS

Due to FOIP related protocol amendments with Alberta Health Services (AHS), patients in hospital must be **registered as Catholic** **and** have **digitally signed consent** to receive visits from their faith community coordinated by Spiritual Health Practitioners. If the patient is unable to sign, a family member may do so on their behalf. Without signed consent, the in-hospital Spiritual Health Practitioner cannot contact the clergy on-call.

Regardless of the new AHS protocols, patients and families may still make private arrangements for a priest/deacon to visit.

This information is now available on our website for future reference here:
corpuschristi-edm.ca/about-us/contact-us

GROCERY, GAS & GIFT CARDS

Available for purchase at the parish office, Monday to Friday, 9:30 am to 4:00 pm; and at the kiosk after weekend Masses.

- Superstore
- Save On Foods
- Co-op
- Boston Pizza
- Sobeys/Safeway/Freshco/IGA
- The Ultimate Dining Card
- Salisbury Greenhouse
- Tim Hortons
- Pizza 73



Seniors of Corpus Christi (50+)



Monthly Coffee & Fellowship

➔ Monthly on the Last Friday after 9:00 am Mass (except Dec, Jul & Aug)

Next Gathering after Summer Break: 9:30 am, Fri, Sep 26 in the Parish Hall

A chance to meet fellow seniors. Bring a copy of your favourite recipe to share with others.

We hope to see you there!



Saints Louis & Zelie Martin
Parents of St Thérèse of Lisieux

Secular Franciscans

Monthly Meetings:

- ♦ 3rd Wednesday - General Mtg
 - ♦ 4th Wednesday - Formation
- at 6:30 pm at St Theresa's Parish in the OLGC/FMMG rooms.** For more information, contact Isaac at 780.887.2112.

Help our parish pay off our mortgage!



If you spend \$600/month on groceries, buy \$600 each month of grocery gift cards. The church profits about 7% to pay on the mortgage; 7% of \$600 is \$42. **In one year**, you could be giving \$42 x 12 months = **\$504** to pay the mortgage.

If 1,000 of our parish families did the same, in one year, we would have \$504 x 1,000 = **\$504,000**

This benefit to the church creates no additional cost to you, our parishioners!



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING
First Monday of each month
(unless it's a holiday, as in September)

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Next meeting: MONDAY, SEP 8, 6:45 PM

Come and bring a friend, and enjoy fellowship with a wonderful group of ladies!

New members are always welcome.

To find out more, contact Jessica at:
cc.cwlmembership@gmail.com

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Looking for more ways to participate in parish activities? New members welcome!

General meetings are held monthly on the 4th Tuesday.

TUESDAY, AUG 26, FMT Room upstairs

Contact us at gk15290@kofc.ab.ca

All are welcome to join us in praying the Rosary every 3rd Friday, 5:30—6:00 pm in the Adoration Chapel; next: Aug 15.

For more CWL/KofC info: www.corpuschristi-edm.ca/come-get-involved/our-service-groups

AUGUST
IS THE
MONTH
OF
the
Immaculate
Heart of
Mary



**SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL
ST THERESA & CORPUS
CHRISTI CONFERENCE
FOOD BANK CORNER**

Well, SSVP is open for business, and in the first 11 days of the month of August, we have already made 40 food hampers. We are running out of everything. Let me tell you what we need the most:

Pancake mix, pancake syrup, jam, juice, Jell-O, canned green beans, canned fruit, vegetable soup, pasta sauce, crackers, rice.

Serving in hope,
Maria at 780-940-9010 or
maria1lup@gmail.com

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

For children in Kindergarten to Grade 3
Drop-in Saturdays, at the 4:30 pm Mass.

☛ **Summer Break; Sessions resume Sep 20.**

SUNDAY CATECHISM

Preparing our Youth (Grades 1-12) to Make the Right Choices in Life

☛ **Sundays 10:30 to 11:30 am**

☛ **Summer Break; Sessions resume Sep.**

For more information or to register your child, contact Lisa, the Program Director, at
corpuschristi.cat@caedm.ca

YOUTH MASSES

Every weekend of the 2nd Sunday.

☛ **Saturday, Sep 13 at 4:30 pm**

☛ **Sunday, Sep 14 at 5:00 pm**

Youth are encouraged to fill the ministries of Readers, Collection helpers & Choir members. Training is provided. Please contact the parish office to express your interest to get involved! 780.466.7576

**WEEKDAY VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!**

- organizing pew pockets
- cleaning in the nave of the church
- event hospitality

Please contact Ingrid at the parish office.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sat Aug 23	10:30 am	Junior Legion of Mary—Seat of Wisdom (Youth)	Fr Corrigan Rm
		<i>Father Ben returns from India this weekend.</i>	
Tue Aug 26	6:30 pm	Baptism Preparation	St Joseph Rm
	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary—Our Lady Gate of Heaven (Adult)	Fr Corrigan Rm
	7:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Council 15290 Monthly General Meeting	FMT Rm
Fri Aug 29	9:00 am	Edmonton Catholic Schools—School Opening Mass Please know that this Mass is being celebrated at the time of our usual weekday Mass. We anticipate large numbers. Come early for easier parking/seating.	Church Nave
Sat Aug 30	10:30 am	Junior Legion of Mary—Seat of Wisdom (Youth)	Fr Corrigan Rm
	6:30 pm	Zumba Fundraising Event—Sponsored by Couples for Christ. \$10/person. See front page for details.	Parish Hall
Mon Sep 1		Labour Day—Office Closed Church Closed. Priests are away for retreat.	
Mon Sep 1- Fri Sep 5		Priests of the Archdiocese of Edmonton will be away on retreat this week. * No Masses * No Confession * No Adoration *	
Tue Sep 2	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary—Our Lady Gate of Heaven (Adult)	Fr Corrigan Rm
Fri Sep 5		No First Friday Mass—Priests are still away.	
		CWL Member Reminder: Food Preparation Today for Sacred Heart Parish program: Feed the Hungry	
Sat Sep 6	10:30 am	Junior Legion of Mary—Seat of Wisdom (Youth)	Fr Corrigan Rm
Mon Sep 8	6:45 pm	CWL Monthly Meeting—resuming after Summer	FMT Rm

WE PRAY FOR...

... those who suffer with illness, especially our loved ones, Bishop Greg Bittman, Fr Arsenio Rubio. *May they receive the peace and healing of the Lord.*

... the repose of the souls of those who have died, especially Nazario Jandog Pajaron, Ferdinand Nicolas Saenz, Margarita Manibog, Angelina Relevo, Teresa Panakal, Francisco Rios, Tim Mellott, and Adela Garin. *May they rejoice in God's kingdom.*

RESPECT FOR LIFE

When we feel defeated by the Culture of Death, let us be comforted and strengthened remembering that "the heavenly Father gives the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!"

RESPECT FOR LIFE MEETS...

1st Monday (or 2nd Monday if stat holiday)

Next meeting: Monday, Sep 8 at 7:30 pm
at the K of C Hall, 2947 66 Street NW

To borrow Pro-life movies & books, contact Kevin D. 780.462.9232 or kdevlin@telus.net

**YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY
STARTING SEPTEMBER 28**



Every 4th Sunday at 5:00 pm Mass, followed by fellowship in the Hall. Please contact Gem (780-953-1012) or Justin (416-518-7805) to get involved, or for more information.

DATES FOR THE NEXT...

- ☛ Pancake Breakfast—September 14
- ☛ Samosa Sunday—September 21
- ☛ Crêpe Breakfast—September 28

*Saint Joseph's College Chapel Lighthouse
Ministry Team presents*

**FALL FAITH FORMATION
STUDY**

Join us as we view and discuss

SEASON 5 OF THE CHOSEN

which follows the journey of Jesus and His followers from their entry into Jerusalem to the drama of The Last Supper.

When—7:00 pm on Monday evenings

Sep 15 - Nov 24 except Thanksgiving

☛ **Sep 15:** Series introduction and social with food and fellowship

In-person at Saint Joseph's College Chapel Boardroom, University of Alberta

☛ **Sep 22:** Rosary Prayer | Online via Zoom

☛ **Sep 29 - Nov 24:** Episode viewing and discussion | Online via Zoom

Cost—Free

Registration—Please let us know you're coming by registering at:



<https://forms.gle/LxdsDBT1C8jUcJmp8>



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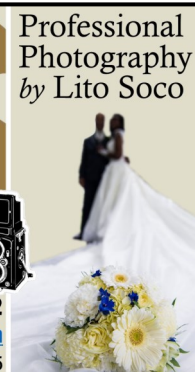
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STO NIÑO FIGURE MISSING!

* Over 40 years old / approx. 15" tall
* Carved, painted wood * Arms rotate at the shoulder * Book in left hand
* Cube-shaped base with rounded corners and carved roses.
* Hand-made suit including crocheted vest

Sto Niño was lent to someone who sadly passed away; was accidentally dropped off at Goodwill. If found, please contact **RHODA** through the parish office. **Thank you!**

780.466.7576

ACTIVE KIDS ACADEMY **New Daycare Location in MillWoods**

Active Kids Academy has opened a new location!
Southwood Community League (1880 37 St NW, T6L 2R2)
Learning Through Play and Promoting Healthy Active Living!

* Children ages 3-6
* Licensed Daycare
* Hours from 7 am-6 pm
* Sign up soon
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Contact Mark: 587.986.6170
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Praesidium Academy:

Volunteer Management / Safe Environment and Abuse Prevention Program for Adults in Ministry

Since March 2025, Called to Protect has been replaced with online courses through Praesidium Academy.

All new volunteers must complete the [Volunteer Application](#) and [Covenant of Care](#) forms. Adult volunteers will then receive an emailed invitation to the Praesidium Academy site to complete the required Safe Environment Program courses.

Thank you for sharing your gifts of time and talent.

SAFE ENVIRONMENTS & ABUSE PREVENTION

Attention All Volunteer Ministers:

Please check your email for an invitation from **Praesidium Academy** (email address: DoNotReply@Praesidiuminc.com)

This is the platform the Archdiocese of Edmonton is using to administrate the Volunteer Management Program. Active volunteers will now have direct access to the Program to complete online abuse prevention training.

1. Accept the invitation, sent out to volunteers by email.
2. You will be prompted to reset your login and create a password.
3. Complete the Safety Equation, if you haven't done so previously.

If you didn't receive a message or have any questions, please contact the parish office at 780.466.7576 or CorpusChristi.Edm@caedm.ca

For more information, click this link: <https://praesidium.lpages.co/academy2021/>

PRAESIDIUM ACADEMY