

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

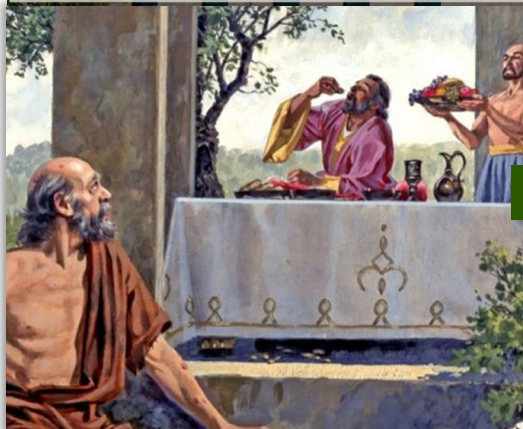
Monday to Saturday 8:30 am
Saturday 3:30 pm

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BULLETIN



26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 27 - 28, 2025
THE RICH MAN AND LAZARUS

*Though Jesus Christ was rich, yet he became poor,
so that by his poverty you might become rich. 2 Corinthians 8.9*

PARISH RECEPTION

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 4 pm

Closed over the lunch hour; 12 to 1 pm.

Closed weekends & holidays—next: Sep 30
National Day for Truth & Reconciliation

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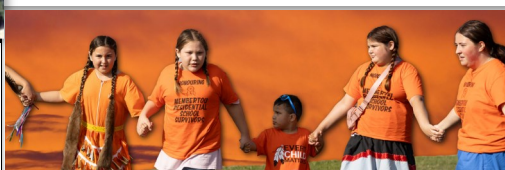
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NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH & RECONCILIATION TUESDAY, SEP 30

Orange Shirt Day serves as an annual time to reflect on the history and legacy of residential schools. Originating from Phyllis Webstad's account of her first day at St. Joseph Mission residential school where her new orange shirt, a reminder of home, was taken, this day is an acknowledgement of Canada's past and time to hold hope for a future where *Every Child Matters*. The mistreatment of Indigenous children at residential schools is a tragedy whose impacts are still felt today. It is part of our collective duty to educate ourselves on the lasting negative impacts residential schools have left on generations of First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples and their culture. Orange Shirt Day is now recognised as a statutory holiday in Canada: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, in direct response to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Call to Action 80, which asked the Government of Canada to establish a National Day for Truth and Reconciliation to honour the Survivors of residential schools.

RECONCILIATION

means making choices every day to build respectful relationships between Indigenous and non-Indigenous people.

3 THINGS YOU CAN DO TO ADVANCE RECONCILIATION

1. Learn the history

Reconciliation begins with truth.

We all have a responsibility to learn more about the history of colonization and residential schools, and the ongoing intergenerational impacts still felt today by Indigenous Peoples.

2. Listen to Survivors

We need to listen to Survivors of residential schools to honour their truths, amplify their voices and follow their lead on what needs to be done on the path toward reconciliation.

3. Support Indigenous businesses and creators

Attending cultural events, buying from Indigenous creators, and following Indigenous voices online helps strengthen Indigenous economies and support their cultures.

What could you do
to advance reconciliation?

CHURCH CLOSURE-SEP 30

The parish office will be closed. The church will close following the morning Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS FRI, OCT 3

- Adoration 6 to 7 pm
- Mass 7 pm



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS SAT, OCT 4 AT 2:30 PM

on the Feast of St Francis
in the East parking lot.

Collection	FUND	AMOUNT
SEP 21 2025	REGULAR COLLECTION	\$4,898.25
	BUILDING FUND	\$5,179.90
	LOOSE/NO TAX RECEIPT	\$3,701.30
	SAMOSA SALES	\$1,035.00



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM

For infants and children up to the age of 6.

Baptism Preparation

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

- Oct 28, Nov 25, Jan 27, Apr 28, May 26...

Baptism Celebrations

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

- Sun, Oct 12, 19, Nov 9, 16, Jan 11, 18...

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

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

Legion of Mary

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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, Oct 31 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, OCT 6, 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, OCT 28, 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: Sep 19.

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



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

We continue to have many requests for food. We have run out of most everything.

Pancake mix, pancake syrup, jam, juice, Jell-O, crackers, rice, tea, oatmeal, sugar, coffee, KD, dry noodle soups, cookies, peanut butter CANNED (green beans, peas, mixed vegetables, vegetable soup, pasta sauce, fruit, tuna, salmon, chunky soups, meats, baked beans, school snacks)

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



SUNDAY CATECHISM

Preparing our Youth
(Grades 1-12) to Make

the Right Choices in Life—Walk with Jesus...

† Prayers † Bible Study † Devotion to Our Lady † Church History, Teachings & Traditions

☞Sundays 10:30 to 11:30 am

For more information contact
Lisa, the Program Director, at
corpuschristi.cat@caedm.ca

To register your child, [click here](#)
or scan this QR code.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

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

☞Sessions resume this Saturday, Sep 20.

WE PRAY FOR...

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

... the repose of the souls of those who have died, especially Jo Ann Tambongco-Bisnar, Leonila Rapada, Ilyn Estabillo, Brian, Modesto Tejada Jr, Zeny Borja and Ditosa Menezes. *May they rejoice in God's kingdom.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thu Sep 25	7:00 pm	RCIA Sessions Start!	FMT Rm
	7:00 pm	ROE Canada Documentary Screening	Parish Hall
Fri Sep 26	9:30 am	Seniors of Corpus Christi—Monthly Fellowship	Parish Hall
Sat Sep 27	10:30 am	Junior Legion of Mary—Seat of Wisdom (Youth)	Fr Corrigan Rm
	4:30 pm	Children's Liturgy of the Word	FMT Rm
Sun Sep 28	10:30 am	Crêpe Breakfast—hosted by the Knights of Columbus; \$7/plate: sweet or savoury	Parish Hall
	10:30 am	Sunday Catechism	Upstairs
	6:00 pm	Young Adult Ministry Starts! See more info below.	Parish Hall
Tue Sep 30		National Day of Truth & Reconciliation Adoration 8 am, Rosary & Confession 8:30 am, Mass 9 am—Church closed after Mass. Office closed.	
	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary—Our Lady Gate of Heaven (Adult)	Fr Corrigan Rm
Thu Oct 2	7:00 pm	RCIA Session	FMT Rm
Fri Oct 3	7:00 pm	First Friday Mass—Adoration 6:00 to 7:00 pm	Church Nave
Sat Oct 4	9:00 am	Adult Server Training—Immediately following Mass	FMT Rm
	10:30 am	Junior Legion of Mary—Seat of Wisdom (Youth)	Fr Corrigan Rm
	2:30 pm	Blessing of the Animals—in the East parking lot	Parking Lot
	4:30 pm	Children's Liturgy of the Word	FMT Rm
Sun Oct 5	10:30 am	Sunday Catechism	Upstairs
Mon Oct 6	6:45 pm	Catholic Women's League, Monthly General Meeting	FMT Rm

RESPECT FOR LIFE

We pray that our worries and concerns about money may never be greater than the care we have for our neighbours, especially those in danger of abortion, euthanasia and assisted suicide.

RESPECT FOR LIFE MEETS...

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

Next meeting: Monday, Oct 6 at 7:30 pm
at the K of C Hall, 2947 66 Street NW

YOUTH MASSES

Every weekend of the 2nd Sunday.

☞Sat, Oct 11, 4:30 pm & Sun, Oct 12, 5 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

THE FAMILY CIRCUS®

By Bil Keane



"Heaven is a great big hug
that lasts forever."

WEEKDAY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

- Organizing pew pockets
- Event hospitality
- Cleaning crew / vacuuming

Please call the parish office if you can help!



MARRIAGE PREPARATION AT CORPUS CHRISTI SAT OCT 18 TO SUN OCT 19

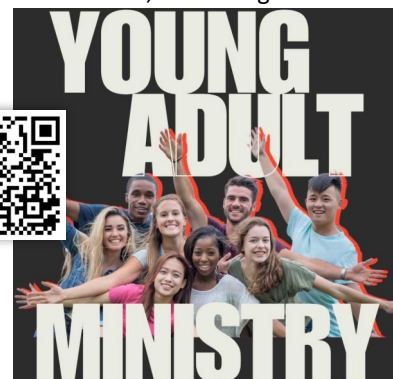
Register by Monday, Oct 13.

Visit our website at TheCatholicParishofCorpusChristi.ca and complete the registration form (fillable pdf format).



YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY STARTING THIS SUNDAY! SEPTEMBER 28

Every 4th Sunday at 5:00 pm Mass, followed by fellowship in the Hall. Follow this QR code for more information, and to register.



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STO NIÑO FIGURE MISSING!

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- * 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!**



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
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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



The Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton

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 required courses.

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/>

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