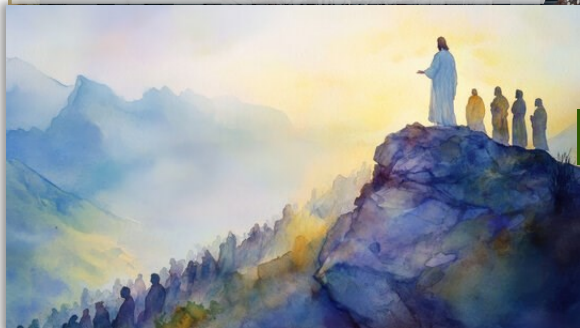


MASS TIMES

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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4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 31 - FEBRUARY 01, 2026
THE BEATITUDES

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven. Matthew 5.12

PARISH RECEPTION

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 4 pm
Closed over the lunch hour; 12 to 1 pm.
Closed weekends/holidays: *Family Day-Feb16*

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**BLESSING OF THE CANDLES
FEAST OF THE
PRESENTATION OF THE LORD
9AM MASS, MONDAY, FEB 2**
The Candle Mass is traditionally a time to recognise the light that Christ brings in to our lives.

You are invited to bring candles to be blessed at the morning Mass. These candles would be intended for use for your home altar, or family prayer room.
Let us celebrate the light, that shines in the darkness.

BLESSING OF THE THROATS ON THE FEAST OF ST.

BLAISE

FOLLOWING 9 AM MASS ON TUESDAY, FEB 3

St. Blaise is the patron saint of those suffering from illness of the throat.
In keeping with our tradition, we will offer the blessing of throats after the morning Mass. All are welcome to come forward to receive this blessing, through the intersection of St. Blaise.

To those, who take

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK AT HOME...

Thank you for helping the clergy of the parish with this ministry.
Please arrange to meet with our pastor, Father Ben, or visit the parish office, to if you will be continuing to bring Holy Communion for the sick at home.

Father Ben would like to come to know you and your ailing loved one personally, and to know how he can support you in prayer, and by anointing your loved one with the Sacrament of the Sick.



FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS FRIDAY, FEB 6

Adoration 6 to 7 pm
Mass 7 pm



**CALLING ALL CATHOLICS TO BE COUNTED;
even our registered parishioners!**

PARISH CENSUS

If Corpus Christi is your home parish, or if you are Catholic and live south of the Whitemud and east of 50 Street, please complete a Census form. ***There is still time to be counted among the community of Catholics we serve here at Corpus Christi.*** Forms are available at the reception counter, kiosk counter and on our website at www.corpuschristi-edm.ca/about-us/parish-registration

Total received to date: 898

This weekend in the Gathering Space...

PHOTO DIRECTORY SITTING SIGN UP

We are still booking sittings our 10th Anniversary Photo Directory. \$25 sitting fee. Book your sitting at the table in the Gathering Space after weekend Masses, or call Lito at 780.884.2552

Thanks to the response of sales of our CORPUS CHRISTI PENS

Sold after all weekend Masses. \$5 per pen or \$10 for 3 pens. Sales from this pen will help offset the cost of various celebratory events in 2026!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST SUNDAY, FEB 8

2nd Sunday of the Month after both morning Masses—Pancakes, sausages, scrambled eggs, coffee & juice. \$8/single, \$15/couple, \$25/family (4+ immediate members)
Provided by the Knights of Columbus & Catholic Women's League.

Collection	FUND	AMOUNT
JAN 25 2026	REGULAR COLLECTION	\$5,516.00
	BUILDING FUND	\$2,907.50
	LOOSE/NO TAX RECEIPT	\$2,713.90

4 WAYS TO DONATE

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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 - available here.](#)
- 4. CANADA HELPS**—See info on our website
Thank you for being a good steward of the Catholic Parish of Corpus Christi.



**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, FEB 2, 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

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

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Seeking ways to participate in parish activities? New members welcome!

General meetings are held monthly on the 4th Tuesday at 7 pm.

TUESDAY, FEB 24, 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: FEB 20.



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM

For infants and children up to the age of 6.

Baptism Preparation

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

Baptism Celebrations

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

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 Spring 2026.

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.

RCIA & RCIC

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Children. RCIC is for unbaptised children 7 to 14 years of age. RCIA is for adults seeking full communion in the Catholic faith. These programs are offered once/year. RCIA meets on Thursdays, 7:00-9:00 pm; RCIC meets on Wednesdays, 6:00-7:00 pm. Contact Sister Delia at the parish office for more info, and to register.

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.

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- The Ultimate Dining Card
- Co-op
- Salisbury Greenhouse
- Boston Pizza
- Tim Hortons



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Youth ages 5-17

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Meet 10:30 am Saturdays

Lisa—780.257.2794

Adults

Our Lady Gate of Heaven

Meet 6:45 pm Tuesdays

Gold—780.604.8062



Saints Louis & Zelie Martin

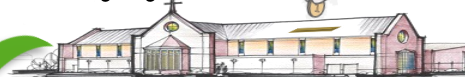
Parents of St Thérèse of Lisieux

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.

Helping pay off our church 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!

Seniors of Corpus Christi (50+)



Monthly Coffee & Fellowship

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

Next Gathering: Friday, Feb 27

9:30 am 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!

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

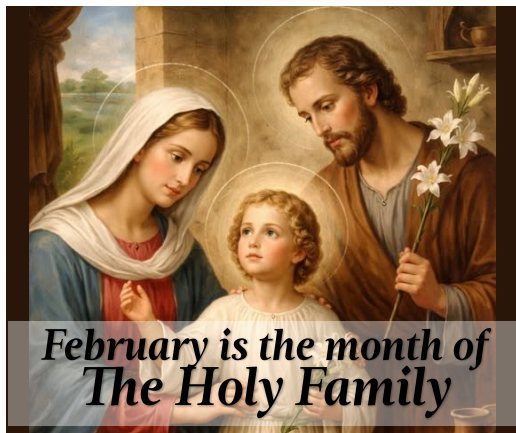
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RESPECT FOR LIFE

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you..." Lord, hear our prayer that every human being, born and unborn, is recognized by the world as a deliberate and wonderful creation of You.

RESPECT FOR LIFE MEETS...

1st Monday (or 2nd Monday if stat holiday)
Next meeting: Monday, Feb 2 at 7:30 pm
at the K of C Hall, 2947 66 Street NW

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

For children in Kindergarten to Grade 3
➔ Drop-in Saturdays, at the 4:30 pm Mass.
There is no Children's Liturgy on long weekends and when there is a Youth Mass.

YOUTH MASSES

Every weekend of the 2nd Sunday.
➔ Sat, Feb 7, 4:30 pm & Sun, Feb 8, 5 pm
Youth are encouraged to fill the ministries of Readers, Collection helpers & Choir members. Training is provided. Please contact the parish office to get involved!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Reminder to all individuals and families: Please fill out a PARISH CENSUS form!

PHOTOGRAPHY SITTINGS for the 10th Anniversary Photo Directory are breaking for a couple of months, and will resume in April; held upstairs in the Pope Francis Room.

Sat Jan 31	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 Feb 01	10:30 am	Sunday Catechism	Upstairs
Mon Feb 02	9:00 am	Blessing of the Candles—Feast of the Presentation of the Lord—during 9 am Mass.	Church Nave
	6:45 pm	Catholic Women's League Monthly Meeting	FMT Rm
Tue Feb 03	9:00 am	Blessing of the Throats—Feast of St Blaise following 9 am Mass.	Church Nave
	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary—Our Lady Gate of Heaven (Adult)	Fr Corrigan Rm
Wed Feb 04	6:00 pm	RCIC Session	FMT Rm
Thu Feb 05	7:00 pm	RCIA Session	FMT Rm
Fri Feb 06	6:00 pm	First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Adoration Mass	Church Nave
	7:00 pm		
Sat Feb 07	10:30 am	Junior Legion of Mary—Seat of Wisdom (Youth)	Fr Corrigan Rm
	4:30 pm	Youth Mass	Church Nave
No Children's Liturgy of the Word during Youth Mass this week.			
Sun Feb 08	10:30 am	Pancake Breakfast—Pancakes, sausages, scrambled eggs, coffee & juice. \$8/single, \$15/couple, \$25/family (4+ immediate members) Provided by the Knights of Columbus & Catholic Women's League.	Parish Hall
	10:30 am	Sunday Catechism	Upstairs
	1:00 pm	Baptism Celebration	Church Nave
	5:00 pm	Youth Mass	Church Nave

CATHOLIC MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAM/ SEMINAR

SAT & SUN, APRIL 18-19

\$250/couple—Registration forms are available on our website at www.corpuschristi-edm.ca/sacraments

Meeting Every 4th Sunday

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

➔ Sun, Feb 22—Join us at the 5:00 pm Mass, followed by fellowship in the parish hall. Scan this QR code and sign up for email updates.



WE PRAY FOR...

... those who suffer with illness, especially Bishop Greg Bittman. May they receive the peace and healing of the Lord.

... the repose of the souls of those who have died, especially Michael Thaiparambil, Nestor David Espinosa, Nicholas Greenan, Roman Repeč, Jhony Mannath. Vic Ring, Jaime Fuentenilla, and Lolita Medina Rarugal. May they rejoice in God's kingdom.

SUNDAY CATECHISM

➔ Sundays 10:30 to 11:30 am, during the school year—Grades 1-12
Contact: Lisa, Program Director, at corpuschristi.cat@caedm.ca

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.

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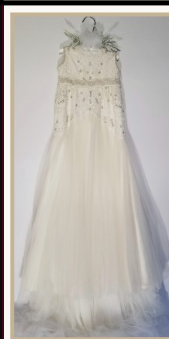
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Sto Niño was lent to someone who sadly passed away; was accidentally dropped off at Goodwill. If found, please contact RHODA through the parish office. **Thank you!**



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St. Jude, O Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in times of need. To you I have recourse from the depths of my heart and humbly beg, to whom God has given such great power, to come to my assistance. Help me in my present urgent petition. (Mention your request.) In return I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked. (Say three Our Fathers, Hail Marys, and Glorias.)

Advertise Here—\$50/month; \$250/6 months—Call the parish office.