

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 8:15—8:45 am
 Saturday 3:30—4:15 pm

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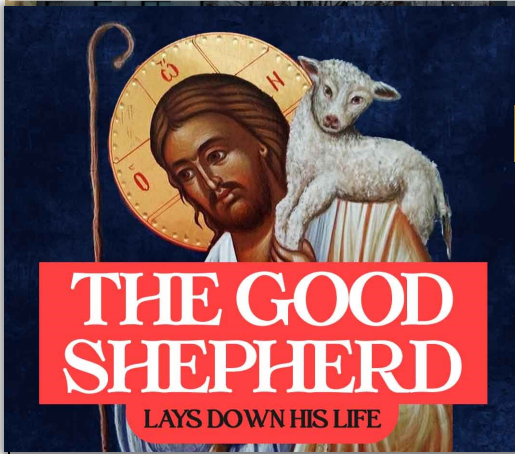


4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 25-26, 2026

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD

*I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
 I know my sheep, and my own know me. John 10.14*



63RD WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

As Catholics, we firmly believe that God has a plan for our lives! He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, and others to religious life or to live as generous single people. Fully living our own vocations—and teaching young people how to discern God's call—is a serious duty, but also a joyful one. During this week, please encourage the young people in your life—children, grandchildren, students, and friends—to be open if God calls them to priesthood or religious life.
[Click here or scan this QR code to read the message from Pope Leo XIV.](#)



\$500 CWL SCHOLARSHIP

The Catholic Women's League of Corpus Christi is pleased to present this annual scholarship—to be awarded to a female, baptised Catholic under the age of 30, who has been registered at our parish for at least one year. **Application deadline: Tue, Jun 30, 2026.** See requirements at www.corpuschristi-edm.ca/catholic-womens-league/scholarship



10TH ANNIVERSARY RAFFLE DRAW DATE ON THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY JUN 7

\$20/ticket
 Only 750 tickets printed!

➔ **First Prize**
Vamoose Ranger X ST E-Bike - Folding Electric Bicycle

➔ **Second Prize**
Sea-Doo 10'5" Inflatable Stand Up Paddleboard (Non-Current) BEST SUP



Presented by the Knights of Columbus 3RD ANNUAL CORPUS CHRISTI'S GOT TALENT!

**SATURDAY, MAY 9
 2:00 PM—PARISH HALL**
 Children's Talent Show (up to 18 years)
 Sing, Dance, Play Music, Tell Jokes, Do Magic, or tell us your talent!
 Contact Mark to sign up before April 30
mark@activeanimalsthegame.com
 Fun Prizes for Participants!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE BAKE SALE SATURDAY & SUNDAY MAY 2 & 3, AFTER MASSES



An International Exhibition Designed & Created by St Carlo Acutis EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD FRIDAY, MAY 22 TO THURSDAY, MAY 28



THANK YOU TO THE STAFF OF MARY HANLEY CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Thursday, Apr 23, a dedicated group of staff walked to the parish, picking up garbage along their path, then in the parish parking lot and grounds—beautifying the world with their hearts and souls—marking Grace for the Heart and Soul Day!



PARISH RECEPTION

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 4 pm
 Closed over the lunch hour; 12 to 1 pm.
 Closed weekends/holidays:
 Victoria Day—Monday, May 18

PARISH TEAM

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Collection	FUND	AMOUNT
APR 19 2026	REGULAR COLLECTION	\$6,598.25
	BUILDING FUND	\$4,124.20
	LOOSE/NO TAX RECEIPT	\$2,434.65
	SAMOSA SUNDAY	\$1,077.75

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.



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 closed for Spring 2026

Visit our website for detailed information.

CONFIRMATION

(Grade 6+) Offered once/year.

Registration is closed 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

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at the parish office,

Monday to Friday, 9:30 am to 4:00 pm;

and at the kiosk after weekend Masses.

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



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: **WEDNESDAY, MAY 6**

6:00 PM—Mass in the Nave followed by installation of officers, service awards and snack-style potluck reception of new members in the FMT Rm. Come and bring a friend, and enjoy fellowship with a wonderful group of ladies!

cc.cwlmembership@gmail.com

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

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 6:45 pm Tuesdays

Gold—780.604.8062



Saints Louis & Zélie 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!

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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, APR 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: **MAR 20.**

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, May 29

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

Meeting Every 4th Sunday

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

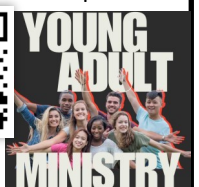
☞ **Sun, Apr 26**—Join us at the 5:00 pm

Mass, followed by fellowship in the parish hall.

Scan this QR

code and sign

up for email updates.



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

The shelves in our pantry are mostly full thanks to your many donations of food. May the Lord bless you abundantly. There are a couple of items that we don't have and could use in the food hampers: **COFFEE, JAM, PANCAKE MIX & SYRUP.** Serving in hope, Maria 780-940-9010, maria1lup@gmail.com

RESPECT FOR LIFE

"Beloved: If you endure when you do right and suffer for it, you have God's approval." We pray that our fear of what others think about us does not stop us from standing up for the rights of the unborn, the elderly, the sick, and the disabled.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

For children in Kindergarten to Grade 3
➔ **Drop-in Saturdays, at the 4:30 pm Mass.**
Not held on long weekends, and on Youth Mass weekends.

SUNDAY CATECHISM

Sundays 10:30 to 11:30 am (until June)
For Youth, Grades 1 to 12
For more information or to register, contact Lisa at corpuschristi.cat@caedm.ca

YOUTH MASSES

Every weekend of the 2nd Sunday.
➔ **Sat, May 9, 4:30 pm & Sun, May 10, 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!

**MASS TO PRAY FOR THOSE
LIVING WITH SPECIAL
NEEDS**

SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1:30 PM
All are welcome!

Calling All Catholics TO BE COUNTED!
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: 1110

Meeting Every 4th Sunday
YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

➔ **Sun, Apr 26**—5:00 pm Mass, followed by fellowship in the parish hall. Scan this QR code and sign up for email updates.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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

PHOTOGRAPHY SITTINGS for the 10th Anniversary Photo Directory have resumed.

Sat Apr 25	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 Apr 26	Good Shepherd Sunday / World Day of Prayer for Vocations <i>Message of His Holiness Pope Leo XIV for the 63rd World Day of Prayer for Vocations-</i> https://tinyurl.com/4ff4j6zv		
	10:30 am	Crêpe Breakfast —after both morning Masses	Parish Hall
	10:30 am	Sunday Catechism	Upstairs
	5:00 pm	Young Adults Ministry —Fellowship following Mass	Parish Hall
Tue Apr 28	6:30 pm	Baptism Preparation Session	St Joseph Rm
	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary —Our Lady Gate of Heaven (Adult)	Fr Corrigan Rm
	7:00 pm	Knights of Columbus —Monthly General Meeting	FMT Rm
Thu Apr 30	1:00 pm	Seniors' Bible Study —Drop-ins welcome!	FMT Rm
	5:30 pm	Confirmation Teaching Session —Note: This week, start time is 1/2 hour earlier than usual; this week only!	Parish Hall
	7:00 pm	Parent Information Session —For families who have registered for Spring 2026 First Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist	Parish Hall
Fri May 1	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Adoration Mass	Church Nave
	Sat May 2	9:30 am	First Reconciliation Preparation Session
Sat May 2	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
	5:30 pm	Catholic Women's League Bake & Plant Sale	Gathering Space
Sun May 3	10:30 am	Sunday Catechism	Upstairs
	10:30 am	Catholic Women's League Bake & Plant Sale after Masses this weekend!	Gathering Space

WE PRAY FOR...

... those who suffer with illness, especially Bishop Greg Bittman. *May they receive the peace and healing of the Lord, and may those who are dedicated to their care, be guided with wisdom and compassion.*

... the repose of the souls of those who have died, especially Richard Vidal, Carolina Castañeda, Kristine Acielo, Irineo Leonardo, Don Thomas, and Andres Uriel Neri-Tarnasky. *May they rejoice in God's kingdom.*

CHANGE TO MONDAY MORNING SCHEDULE:

Mondays only—During this time that we have only one priest serving our parish...
➔ There will be no Adoration in the Nave preceding Mass.
➔ Confession after Mass only; not before.

CORPUS CHRISTI SENIORS' BIBLE STUDY—12 SESSIONS
Weekly on **Thursdays**; Drop-ins welcome!
1:00-2:30 pm, upstairs in the **FMT room**.

SAFE ENVIRONMENTS & ABUSE PREVENTION
Praesidium Academy:




PRAESIDIUM ACADEMY

Praesidium Academy is the archdiocesan platform for administrating the Volunteer Management / Safe Environment and Abuse Prevention Program for Adults in Ministry. Active volunteers will now have direct access to the Program to complete abuse prevention training online.
NEW VOLUNTEER FORMS: ♦ [Volunteer Application](#) ♦ [Covenant of Care](#)
Adult volunteers will receive an emailed invitation to the Praesidium Academy site:
1. Watch for the email from **Praesidium Academy**—DoNotReply@Praesidiuminc.com
2. Accept the invitation.
3. You will be prompted to reset your login and create a password.
4. Complete the required courses.
Problems/Questions? Parish office: 780.466.7576 CorpusChristi.Edm@caedm.ca
For more information, click this link: <https://praesidium.lpages.co/academy2021/>

Thank you for sharing your gifts of time and talent.

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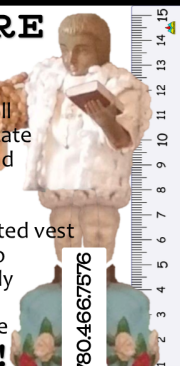


STO NIÑO FIGURE MISSING!

- * 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!**



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