# Bulletin

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We are on a mission to unite joyfully and lovingly as followers of Christ and to take and share His message wherever we go.

# CORPUS CHRISTI Parish

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**Fr. John MacPherson, Pastor** Fr. Keith Billard, Associate Pastor Fr. Raymond Odumoku, Associate Pastor

Mass Times

#### January 30, 2022

WINDSOR Sunday 11:45 am

KENTVILLE Saturday 4 pm Sunday 8:30 & 11:45 am

WOLFVILLE Sunday IO am

BERWICK Sunday 8:30 am

## Vision Prayer

Heavenly Father, by the power of Your Holy Spirit, we the faithful of Corpus Christi Parish, ask that You bless and sanctify us as we work together to implement our Vision. We ask that You guide us as we strive to love bravely, to serve radically and to meet all whom we encounter with humility and compassion. Help us to unite joyfully and lovingly as followers of your Son, Jesus, to take His message with us wherever we go. We know that by Your grace, we can make this Vision a reality. We ask this in the name of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.



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WEYMOUTH Sunday II:30 am

Readings				
	1st Reading	Gospel		
Sun, Jan 30	JER 1:4-5, 17-19	LK 4:21-30		
Mon, Jan 31	2 SAM 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13	MK 5:1-20		
Tue, Feb 1	2 SAM 18:9-10, 14, 24-25, 30-19:3	MK 5:21-43		
Wed, Feb 2	MALACHI 3:1-4	LK 2:22-40		
Thu, Feb 3	1 KINGS 2:1-4, 10-12	MK 6:7-13		
Fri, Feb 4	SIRACH 47:2-11	MK 6:14-29		
Sat, Feb 5	1 KINGS 3:4-13	MK 6:30-34		



TO REQUEST A MASS INTENTION OR MASS CARD CONTACT YOUR NEAREST PARISH OFFICE





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SUNDAY, JANUARY 30

Online/Kentville 10:00 AM

Deceased Members of Hawley & Landry families by Francis & Carmen Hawley

In person Masses are once again cancelled for the weekend of January 29/30 due to Covid-19. Mass will be livestreamed online from St. Joseph Church in Kentville.

Visit our YouTube channel to view this week's Sunday Mass.

www.youtube.com/corpuschristins

MONDAY, JANUARY 31				
Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Souls in Purgatory		
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1				
Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Intentions of Fr John MacPherson by St Monica's CWL		
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2				
Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Natalia Medred by Theresa MacMullin		
Kentville/Online	6:)0 AM	Natalia Medied by Theresa MacMullin		
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3				
Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Brian Oliver by Helen & Family		
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4				
Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Mike Hickey by Theresa Coffey		
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5				
Digby	4:00 PM	Ray Cosman by Marion, Peter, Michael & Christian		
Kentville	4:00 PM	Gordon Gould by Theresa & Floyd Preston		
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6				
Bridgetown	8:30 AM	Bob Porter by Tom & Lois Porter		
Berwick	8:30 AM	Rose Storms by Diane Loranger		
Kentville	8:30 AM	Liturgy of the Word with Communion		
Annapolis Royal	9:00 AM	Tom McClafferty by Karen McClafferty		
Middleton	10:00 AM	Bernard Quinn by St Monica's CWL		
Wolfville	10:00 AM	Sean Lombard by Claire, Greg & Karen Bishop		
Weymouth	11:30 AM	For deceased family members by Evelyn Melanson		
Kentville/Online	11:45 AM	All Corpus Christi Parishioners		
Windsor	11:45 AM	Jackie Pothier by Diane Brown		

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**Covid Reminders** 

Join us <sup>This</sup> Weekend Covid Guidelines were updated by the Province on December 22, 2021.

MASKS MUST BE WORN The formal gathering limit is now 25% of a room or venue's capacity to a maximum of 50, The size for household or close social groups that do not need to be physically distanced is now 10. Due to the highly infectious nature of the Omicron variant, congregational singing is not permitted. Singing can only be performed by one singer.

You must stay home and participate online if you have any Covid symptoms



Call your nearest Parish Office to arrange a Baptism.



To register in the next First Communion or Confirmation class, or to get more information about Children's Faith Formation, contact



You can arrange Confession by appointment. Call or email your nearest Parish Office.

# Baptism

If you are planning on getting married at a Corpus Christi church, contact the Parish Office nearest you.



Exploring becoming Catholic? Contact the Kentville Parish Office. Communion may only be received in the hand You are encouraged to use the hand sanitizers provided at the entrance to the church Limit washroom use as much as possible Proof of vaccination is not required, however everyone is encouraged to get vaccinated There will be no entrance procession at Mass. Collection baskets will remain at the entrances/ exits for weekly offerings. Consider making your offering via e-transfer or PAR. Daily Mass attendance must follow these protocols.

You can review all the protocols at the <u>Archdiocese website</u>.



Please PRAY for those affected by COVID-19

Prayer to St. Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen.

Prayer: © Libreria Editrice Vaticana



# Synod News

Sometimes the word "synod" refers to an assembly of the **Synod of Bishops** – which happens once every three years. Recent synods have examined themes such as new evangelization, the family, young people and the Amazon. The next Synod of Bishops, in 2023, will focus on the topic of synodality itself.

# An Invitation to Participate in the Synod

There's a Place for You!

The word "synod" also refers to "journeying together" – being a community that is united in purpose and mission, moving together in the same direction in this earthly pilgrimage.

So, in preparation for this 2O23 Synod of Bishops, Pope Francis has asked all of the bishops to consult and pray with their own dioceses to help determine how synodality is being lived out in their midst and how we need to grow in our experience of journeying together.

Our parish of Corpus Christi began to participate in this process in November ... as representatives (Community Life Teams - CLTs) from our 9 church communities took part in 3 regional meetings. After these meetings, each CLT was tasked with bringing the synodal process to each church community. Most of our CLTs were looking at hosting in-person meetings in January ... a couple squeezed in some meetings in December and another accomplished 1 meeting on-line. As we all know, the Omicron Variant appeared on the scene, and in-person Synod meetings haven't taken place.

So, here we are! And now we would like to invite you to participate in a **"parish-wide" on-line Synod meeting**. We will be using **Zoom** – many of you are familiar with this. This on-line Zoom meeting will take place next **Friday, Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:3Opm**. It will last approximately 2 hours.

If you would like to participate, please contact Deacon Dave Hasler (<u>davehasler21@gmail.com</u>) by Wednesday, Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>. The purpose of this Synod is not intended to produce more documents but to inspire people to dream about the Church we are called to be, to make people's hopes flourish, to stimulate trust, to bind up wounds, to weave new and deeper relationships, to learn from one another, and to restore strength to our hands for our common mission.



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#### From the Archdiocese

#### February 2: World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life

On Wednesday, February 2, the Church celebrates World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life. On this day we take time to acknowledge, recognize, and give thanks for the service and work of women and men who live the consecrated life. In our diocese we have a number of congregations of religious men and women that share their gifts with the faithful.

#### To honour the service and work of these congregations, Archbishop Dunn will celebrate the 12:15pm Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica. Please join us via livestream.

We invite parishes to include those who live in consecrated life in their prayers.

# Get Involved





Corpus Christi St. Monica CWL President is Bernadette Burns

bernadetteburns54@gmail.com (902) 765-8643

**Corpus Christi St Louis** Contact person is Eloise Mailman.

eloise.mailman@gmail.com

(902) 532-2205

Corpus Christi St. Joseph Contact Pat Crossman: <u>pcrossman@eastlink.ca</u>

902-385-6760

Did you know that each church in our Corpus Christi Parish has its own email address? Make sure to add your Community's email to your address book.

> St. John windsor@corpuschristins.ca

> St. Francis wolfville@corpuschristins.ca

St. Joseph <u>kentville@corpuschristns.ca</u>

St. Anthony berwick@corpuschristins.ca

St. Alphonsus bridgetown@corpuschristins.ca

St. Monica <u>middleton@corpuschristins.ca</u>

St. Louis <u>annapolisroyal@corpuschristins.ca</u>

> St. Patrick digby@corpuschristins.ca

St. Joseph weymouth@corpuschristins.ca

We've used the names of our communities for these emails to make them easy to remember and easy to spell. No worrying if it's St.John or St.John's? Is Is it Saint or St?, etc, etc. Just the name of the town and the name of the parish!! Easy Peasy!!



### Knights of Columbus - Greenwood and Middleton

Hughie Bagnell is the Grand Knight for Bishop Gallagher Council 6297 (902) 680-5238 <u>hughie.bagnell@gmail.com</u>

The contact for St Anthony Berwick is Leon Zwicker. He is the representative for the Greenwood/ Middleton Knights of Columbus.

e\_zwicker@yahoo.ca (902) 847-5746

Knights of Columbus - Windsor/St. John Gary Brown <u>garydbrown2003@yahoo.ca</u>

#### Knights of Columbus Council 5030 meet at St. Joseph, Kentville

Meetings are on the first Wednesday of each month in the Multi-Purpose Room at Corpus Christi St. Joseph Kentville at 7 pm. The next meeting is November 3. For more info contact John Boulter johnboulter7@gmail.com



Please fill in your information (name, address and phone number) on your offering envelopes for

several weeks so that the office staff can update our Parish Register. Thank you!!

If you need envelopes, please contact the Kentville Parish Office.

#### CORPUS CHRISTI

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The Kentville Parish Office is open Monday, Tuesday and Friday from 9 am to Noon

> Box 486 48 Belcher St Kentville, NS B4N 3X3 902-678-3303

Jennifer Hilborn

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Give Now

Thank you for your donations to Corpus Christi.

Your Parish Administrative Team, that includes many volunteers, manages the counting of collections each week, making bank deposits, doing the bookkeeping, issuing annual tax receipts, and many other aspects of Parish Giving.

#### You can donate through:

- Weekly offering envelopes
- Cash donations in the collection basket at Mass
- E-transfers directly to Corpus Christi's bank account: <u>finance@corpuschristins.ca</u>
- PAR pre-authorized remittances from your bank account to Corpus Christi's bank account
- Mailing a cheque to the Kentville Parish Office.



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#### Contact the Parish

The Digby Parish Office is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:30 am to 5 pm

> Box 190 110 Queen St. Digby, NS BOV 1A0 902-245-2115

Pam Cosman

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"The love of money is the root of all evil? Is that the whole Treasurer's Report?"



