

Ascension of the Lord

May 29, 2022



Mass Times

Windsor

Sunday 11:45

Wolfville

Sunday 10 am

Kentville

Saturday 4 pm

Sunday 8:30 am &

11:45 am

Berwick

Sunday 8:30 am

Middleton

Sunday 10 am

Bridgetown

Sunday 8:30 am

Annapolis Royal

Sunday 9 am

Digby

Saturday 6 pm

Weymouth

Sunday 11:30 am



This Week's Readings

	1st Reading	Gospel
Sun, May 29	Acts 1.1-11	Luke 24.46-53
Mon, May 30	Acts 19.1-8	John 16.29-33
Tues, May 31	Zephaniah 3.14-18	Luke 1.39-56
Wed, June 1	Acts 20-28-38	John 17.11b-19
Thurs, June 2	Acts 22-30;23-6-11	John 17.20-26
Fri, June 3	Acts 24-27;25.13b-21++	John 21.15-19
Sat, June 4	Acts 28.16-20,30-31	John 21.20-25

[www . corpuschristins.ca](http://www.corpuschristins.ca)

YouTube:www.youtube.com/corpuschristins

FaceBook: www.facebook.com/corpuschristins

Instagram: [corpuschristins](https://www.instagram.com/corpuschristins)



Giving to Corpus Christi Parish

Corpus Christi is blessed to have so many gifted volunteers, but there are still many areas of your Parish that require financial support, services that are unable to be completed by volunteers. Your Parish Finance & Administrative Council strives to control and minimize expenses without compromising services, but without your donations this task is futile. There have been many challenges over the last few years and expenses have been kept to a minimum, but if we are to be able to offer expanded programs, to reach those requiring our help, we need your financial support. Considering giving? There are many ways to donate to Corpus Christi Parish:

- 1- Weekly Offertory Envelopes (envelopes are available at your church communities)
- 2- Cash donations (deposited in collection baskets at Mass)
- 3- E-Transfers directed to Corpus Christi (email: finance@corpuschristins.ca)
- 4- PAR (pre-authorized remittances) from your bank account to Corpus Christi's (application forms available upon request)
- 5- Through the mail (directed to Corpus Christi Parish - Kentville Parish Office)

Corpus Christi Parish thanks you for your financial support - How else could we fulfill our mission?

Community's Email Addresses

St. John
windsor@corpuschristins.ca
St. Francis
wolville@corpuschristins.ca
St. Joseph
kentville@corpuschristins.ca
St. Anthony
berwick@corpuschristins.ca
St. Alphonsus
bridgetown@corpuschristins.ca
St. Monica
middleton@corpuschristins.ca
St. Louis
annapolisroyal@corpuschristins.ca
St. Patrick
digby@corpuschristins.ca
St. Joseph
weymouth@corpuschristins.ca

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



Kentville Parish Office

Open hours

Monday, Tuesday & Friday

9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Box 486, 48 Belcher St., Kentville, NS

B4N 3X3

902-678-3303

Jennifer Hilborn

parishoffice_kentville@corpuschristins.ca

Digby Parish Office

Open Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Box 190, 110 Queen St., Digby, NS

B0V 1A0

902-245-2115

Pamela Cosman

parishoffice_digby@corpuschristins.ca

Please forward all notices for bulletin to bulletin@corpuschristins.ca before 5:00 pm on Tuesday



Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MAY 28

Kentville 4:00 PM Arena Robichaud by Rhona Lockhart
Digby 6:00 PM Robert Hodges

SUNDAY, MAY 29

Bridgetown 8:30 AM *Liturgy of the Word with Communion*
Berwick 8:30 AM Carole Brennan by Russell & Carolyn Turner
Kentville 8:30 AM Leo Curry by Wayne Barry
Annapolis Royal 9:00 AM Russell Mackintosh by Nick & Mary McEachern
Middleton 10:00 AM Intentions of Gordon MacDonald by Carolyn Gilbert
Wolfville 10:00 AM Intentions for my Son & Family by Helen Walsh
Weymouth 11:30 AM Deceased Members of the Comeau/LeBlanc Families by Cathy LeBlanc
Kentville/Online 11:45 AM Deceased Members of the Williams Family by Shirley Samson
Windsor 11:45 AM Guy K Smith by Laura Joyce & Wanda Zwicker

MONDAY, MAY 30

Kentville/Online 8:30 AM Souls in Purgatory

TUESDAY, MAY 31

Kentville/Online 8:30 AM Louisa Patterson by Norma & Maggie Lambert
Digby 6:30 PM No Mass

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1

Kentville/Online 8:30 AM Armeline Guay by Selba Perkins
Tideview Terrace 10:30 AM Lorna Burnham by Carol, Pam & Hannah
Middleton 3:15 PM Intentions of Helen MacDonald by Gordon MacDonald
Weymouth 6:30 PM Celeste LeBlanc

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

Kentville/Online 8:30 AM Bernie Fitzgerald by Karen & Joseph Heukshorst
Weymouth 6:30 PM Deceased Members of the Melanson Family by Joanne & Jerry Belliveau

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

Kentville/Online 8:30 AM Souls in Purgatory by Helen Walsh
Digby 9:00 AM Kelly Mackintosh by Pam & Gary Moore

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

Kentville 4:00 PM Deceased Members of the Lewis Family by the MacIntyre Family
Digby 6:00 PM John Allison by Pat Levings

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

Bridgetown 8:30 AM Marjorie Marshall by Tom & Peggy Foley
Berwick 8:30 AM *Liturgy of the Word with Communion*
Windsor 8:30 AM Linda Strickey by her Family
Annapolis Royal 9:00 AM Russell Mackintosh by Ardath Emin
Middleton 10:00 AM Helen MacDonald by St Monica's CWL
Kentville/Online 10:15 AM Marion Mulcahy by Hector & Joan Pottie
Weymouth 11:30 AM Millie Blinn by Greg & Marion MacDonald
Wolfville 11:45 AM Souls in Purgatory

Wedding: Congratulations to Emily teBogt and Lloyd Parker. They exchanged their vows at St. Francis of Assisi Church (Wolfville) on Monday, May 23rd.



Ladies of the Parish: St. Monica's Catholic Women's League warmly welcomes you to a Pot Luck Lunch on Monday, June 6 at 12:30 pm in our church hall, followed by a special presentation at 2:00 pm on the 100th Year History of the CWL in Canada, highlighting the contribution of women to the history of our Church and our nation. This inspiring story belongs to all Canadian women. Come and enjoy fellowship with other Catholic women while we learn and grow together!

St. Monica's Catholic Women's League welcomes you to First Saturday Devotions on Saturday, June 4 at 11:00 am to pray for the ill, bereaved, and caregivers of our parish, for peace in the world, and for the special intentions in each heart.

YARD SALE NEWS

St. Patrick's Plant, Bake & Yard Sale - June 3rd & 4th. No TV's or electronics please. Baked good and plants can be brought in on Friday, June 3rd from 1 - 2 pm, ale is from 5 - 8 pm and Saturday, June 4th from 9 am - 1 pm.

Look at what is coming down the tubes! Put June 11 on your calendar! Jewellery plus re-imagined art and plants. New-to-us yarn and the ever popular Silent Auction. Looking for puzzles and games for the summer? Have we got a table for you! And, of course, there is more, so much more! Saturday, June 11, 9:00am to 2:00pm, **Wolfville Lions Hall**. You can also help by donating items to the Silent Auction Sale. Items can be dropped off at Kathryn Hims'l's residence, 89 Leaside Court, Port Williams. Call 902-678-4101 or 902-691-1524. Thank you from the bottom of our socks! (It's much farther down than our hearts!)

Welcome to **St. Monica's CWL Yard Sale** on Saturday, June 11 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm in our church hall. We have a wide array of items for men, women and children, such as household items, decor, linens, books, puzzles, CD's, DVD's, pictures, toys, hardware, jewelry, plants, and small furniture. If you have items to donate, they may be dropped off after Sunday Mass or on June 9-10 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. (No old TV's) Thank you!! Contact persons: Marion Hole 765-4435 or Mary Crooks 825-6495.

The **St. Louis CWL are having a Fundraising Yard Sale**. We would be happy to receive any gently used items for this event. Please, no clothes, shoes, boots, or books. Drop off times for items can be arranged by calling Eloise at 902-532-2205 or 902-250-0194. The Yard Sale will be on Saturday, June 25, 2022 from 9 am to 2 pm.

St. Anthony's Yard Sale, Saturday June 25. Preparations are moving along. If you have some jewelry you would like to donate, please call Madeline Rice at 902-538-3760. For all other donations and pick up call Eileen Floris at 902-538-9135 or Elaine Mailman at 902-847-0480."



Children and Youth

Steps to Register for this Summer's Steubenville Atlantic Youth Conference!

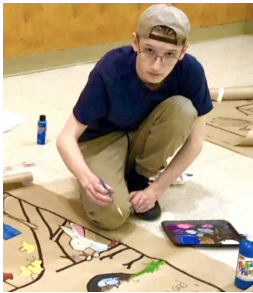
#1. Head to www.steubenville.ca

#2. Click on the Big blue Button on the right of the page

#3. Click on "Youth Registration" and checkmark the box next to the \$0.00

#4. Fill in the form *You will need your teens Health Card #, Doctor's name and Doctors Phone number along with any important medical information. Your Group is listed as "**Corpus Christi**"

Now all you need to do is to e-transfer the \$200 to finance@corpuschristins.ca (payments may be made if necessary). Or, Send \$50 to save your spot and the remaining \$150 by the end of the month. If you have any questions or concerns contact: **Jennifer Moore, 902 799 1250**



John Moore is a grade 11 student at Avon View High School in Windsor, NS and has been a VBS youth leader since 2018. Here's what John has to say about his experience: I like to paint the bible verse murals and helping campers with activities and games. It's always good to see campers and leaders return each summer and meet new kids. I think it's good to volunteer and give back to my community. I've learned leadership skills and always have a great time at VBS. I am looking forward to helping new junior leaders this summer.



The following children who will receive their First Holy Communion on May 29, 2022. ***Emsley Riggs, Daniel Hempel, Beth Meyers, Maggie MacDougall, Thomas Bartolome, Avery Greencorn, Zayla LeBlanc, Hannah Burns, Leokadia Klippenstine, Mateusz Klippenstine, Jakub Klippenstine.***

Catholic Summer Camp 2022

Sunday, August 7 to Friday, August 12

Please fill this form and mail or deliver it to our

Parish Office: 65 Green Street, Yarmouth, NS, B5A 1Z6

Ph (902)742-7151 Fax (902)742-7152

Camp location: Johnston Christian Park South Range, Digby County

Please check payment of choice: \$50.00 () Early Bird () Full Payment ()

Early bird registration \$200.00 by June 30th and \$225.00 after June 30th

Catholic Summer Camp - Sponsors

Every year there are young people who may require some assistance in coming up with the registration fee. If you would like to help, we would really appreciate your contribution. Any amount would be welcomed!

Notice For Windsor KOC Bursary

The Windsor Council of the Knights of Columbus is offering a \$500 Bursary to a student who is normally a resident of the area and is a member of St. John's Catholic Church Community. The student must be graduating in the current year from one of: Avon View High School, Horton District High School or Kings Edgehill School. Applications are available at the back of the Church or by

sending an email request to:

keith.aucoin@ns.sympatico.ca

Deadline for submission has been set for May 29, 2022.



Effective June 5th

8:30am – Windsor
10:15am – Kentville
11:45am – Wolfville

- It is appropriate that Kentville with the largest population and the greater number of children/young families have the mid-morning slot. Windsor has the 2nd largest number of children/young families so it was indicated the 8:30am would be appreciated.
- **Bridgetown/Middleton/Berwick** – we are still evaluating what might be the best approach to times. Presently, as you know, both Bridgetown & Berwick have 8:30am times while Middleton has 10am.
- When Fr. Michael Walsh arrives and begins his ministry the 1st week of August, he will be primarily serving the 3 churches of Bridgetown/Middleton/Berwick. Fr. John will look after Windsor/Wolfville/Kentville and Fr. Raymond will look after Weymouth/Digby/Annapolis Royal. Every 6-8 weeks they may rotate areas.

LEAVING PEACE BEHIND AS OUR FAREWELL GIFT

by Fr. Ron Rolheiser o.m.i.

In the Gospel of John, Jesus gives a long farewell speech at the Last Supper on the night before he dies.

His disciples, understandably, are shaken, afraid, and not prepared to accept the brute reality of his impending death. He tries to calm them, reassure them, give them things to cling to, and he ends with these words: I am going away, but I will leave you a final gift, the gift of my peace.

I suspect that almost everyone reading this will have had an experience of grieving the death of a loved one, a parent, spouse, child, or friend, and finding, at least after a time, beneath the grief a warm sense of peace whenever the memory of the loved one surfaces or is evoked. I lost both of my parents when I was in my early twenties and, sad as were their farewells, every memory of them now evokes a warmth. Their farewell gift was the gift of peace.

How do we live in such a way that peace will be our final farewell gift to our families, our loved ones, our faith community, and our world?

Peace, as we know, is a whole lot more than the simple absence of war and strife. Peace is constituted by two things: harmony and completeness. To be at peace something must have an inner consistency so that all of its movements are in harmony with each other, and it must also have a completeness so that it is not still aching for something it is missing.

When Jesus promises peace as his farewell gift, he identifies it with the Holy Spirit; and, as we know, that is the spirit of charity, joy, peace, patience, goodness, longsuffering, fidelity, mildness, and chastity.

When some people leave anything – a job, a marriage, a family, or a community – they leave chaos behind, a legacy of disharmony, unfinished business, anger, bitterness, jealousy, and division. And then there are others who leave behind a legacy of harmony and completeness, a spirit of understanding, compassion, affirmation, and unity.

Going away in death has the same dynamic. By the way we live and die we will leave behind either a spirit that perennially haunts the peace of our loved ones, or we will leave behind a spirit that brings a warmth every time our memory is evoked.

The Desire To Pray

by Fr. Mark Link

The decision to begin a meditation program is a deeper commitment than people realize. A story will illustrate:

One day a boy was watching a holy man praying on the banks of a river in India. When the holy man completed his prayer, the boy went over and asked him, *“Will you teach me to pray?”*

The holy man studied the boy’s face carefully. Then he gripped the boy’s head in his hands and plunged it forcefully into the water. The boy struggled frantically, trying to free himself in order to breathe. Finally, the holy man released him.

When the boy was able to get his breath, he gasped, *“What did you do that for?”* The holy man said, *“I just gave you your first lesson ... when you long to pray as much as you longed to breathe when your head was under water – only then will I be able to teach you to pray.”*

Christ In Disguise

by St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

At the end of life we will not be judged by the number of diplomas we have received, how much money we made, how many great things we have done.

We will be judged by, *“I was hungry and you gave me to eat, I was naked and you clothed me, I was homeless and you took me in.”*

Hungry not only for bread – but hungry for love. Naked not only for clothing – but naked of human dignity and respect. Homeless not only for want of a room of bricks – but homeless because of rejection. This is Christ in distressing disguise.



Chris Palmer
MLA KINGS WEST

OFFICE HOURS:
Mon to Fri
9am to 12pm
1pm to 4pm



195 Cottage St., Berwick, NS
Tel: 902-375-2554
Toll Free: 888-701-2554
Email: chrispalmermla@gmail.com
Facebook: [@chrispalmerkingswest](https://www.facebook.com/chrispalmerkingswest)
Instagram: [@palmerkingswest](https://www.instagram.com/palmerkingswest)



Lindsay Windsor
Funeral Home
Ask about pre-planning.

(902) 798-2232
194 King Street, Windsor
www.lindsayfuneralhome.com