

Pentecost Sunday

June 5, 2022



## Mass Times

**Windsor**

Sunday 8:30 am

**Wolfville**

Sunday 11:45 am

**Kentville**

Saturday 4 pm

Sunday 10:15 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

	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Reading</b>	<b>Gospel</b>
Sun, June 5	Acts 2.1-11	John 20.19-23
Mon, June 6	Genesis 3.9-15, 20	John 19.25-27
Tues, June 7	1 Kings 17.7-16	Matthew 5.13-16
Wed, June 8	1 Kings 18.20-39	Matthew 5.17-19
Thurs, June 9	1 Kings 18-41-46	Matthew 5.20-26
Fri, June 10	2 Corinthians 4.7-15	Matthew 5.27-32
Sat, June 11	Acts 11.21b-26; 13.1-3	Matthew 10.7-13

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## 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](mailto: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

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### 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](mailto: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  
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# Mass Intentions

## **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	<i>Liturgy of the Word with Communion</i>
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

## **MONDAY, JUNE 6**

Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Intentions of Mildred Shipley by Gordon & Helen MacDonald
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## **TUESDAY, JUNE 7**

Annapolis Royal	10:00 AM	For the well being of Carolyn Gilbert by Eloise Mailman
Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Jermaina McKenzie by Peggy Foley
Digby	6:30 PM	Mass of Thanksgiving

## **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8**

Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	St Joseph's CWL
Middleton	3:15 PM	Phil Gallagher by Carolyn Gilbert
Weymouth	6:30 PM	For the Parishioners of Corpus Christi

## **THURSDAY, JUNE 9**

Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Brian Oliver by Helen & Family
Weymouth	6:30 PM	Marguerite Comeau by Herbert Boudreau & Marilyn

## **FRIDAY, JUNE 10**

Kentville/Online	8:30 AM	Maynard Barry by Wayne Barry
Digby	9:00 AM	Lorna Burnham by Pat Levings

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 11**

Kentville	4:00 PM	Carol Ann Kanary by Mari McCabe
Digby	6:00 PM	Lorna Burnham by Thru Mary Prayer Group

## **SUNDAY, JUNE 12**

Bridgetown	8:30 AM	<i>Liturgy of the Word with Communion</i>
Berwick	8:30 AM	Andrew Harvey by John McNeil & Colleen Stephenson
Windsor	8:30 AM	Marguerite Robichaud by Eleanor & Terry McKiel
Annapolis Royal	9:00 AM	For the well being of Marilyn Harry by Eloise Mailman
Middleton	10:00 AM	Eileen Marie Ross by Tom & Paula Ross
Kentville/Online	10:15 AM	Christopher Durber by Mary Anne Brunelle
Weymouth	11:30 AM	Lloyd Legere and Robbie MacDonald by Greg & Marion MacDonald
Wolfville	11:45 AM	Souls in Purgatory



## Children and Youth

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

#1. Head to [www.steubenville.ca](http://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@corpuschristians.ca](mailto:finance@corpuschristians.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**

### 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 30<sup>th</sup> and \$225.00 after June 30<sup>th</sup>

### 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!



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 100<sup>th</sup> 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 Church: Twelve Baskets Food Bank in Nictaux is in need of the following items:

- Cereal
- Juice
- Canned Fruit
- Feminine Care Products

All items can be placed at the entrance of the Church or Church hall.

## YARD SALE NEWS

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

**Yard Sale - Windsor KOC** - The Windsor Council of the Knights of Columbus is holding their Annual Yard Sale on June 4 from 8:00 - 11:30 am at **St. John's Catholic Church Hall**. Donations of items with some quality years left would be appreciated. Items can be dropped off at the Hall on Friday, June 3, 2022 between 1 - 4:30 pm and again between 7 - 8:00 pm. If needed, call for pick-up, 902-798-7168. Your support of donations and/or purchases on June 4 will be greatly appreciated.

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 Himsl'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."

## EMPATHY FOR THE WORLD

by Fr. Ron Rolheiser o.m.i.

*Jesus loved the world.*

Here's how the Gospels describe Jesus' reaction towards the world that rejected him: As Jesus drew near to Jerusalem and saw the city, he wept over it saying: *"If you, even you, had only recognized on this day the things that make for peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes."* (see Luke 19:41-44)

Jesus sees what happens when people try to live without God, the mess, the pain, the heartbreak, and, far from rejoicing that the world isn't working, his heart aches with empathy: If only you could see what you're doing!

We are asked by our Christian faith to have a genuine love for the world. The world isn't our enemy. That can be hard to see and accept when in fact the world is often belligerent and arrogant in its attitude towards us, when it's angry with us, when it wrongly judges us, and when it scapegoats us.

Author Kathleen Norris suggests that we look at the world, when it opposes us, in the same way as we look at an angry 17-year-old girl dealing with her parents. At that moment of anger, her parents become a symbolic lightning rod (a safe place) for her to vent her anger and to scapegoat. But absorbing this is a function of adult loving. Good parents don't respond to the anger of an adolescent child by declaring her their enemy. They respond like Jesus did, by weeping over her.

Moreover, a genuine empathy for the world isn't just predicated on mature sympathy. Mature sympathy is itself predicated on better seeing the world for what it is. The 17-year-old adolescent standing belligerent and angry before her parents isn't a bad person, she's just not yet fully grown up.

That's true too for our world: It's not a bad place; it's just far from being a finished and mature one.

## Hunger for God

by Fr. Murray Bodo

We reach out to God in prayer, and usually we are frustrated. Some books on prayer make me wonder if the author isn't exaggerating his own experience or putting into the book what he would like his prayer-life to be rather than what it really is.

An active prayer-life does not mean an ongoing experience of God. On the contrary, it usually means **an ongoing hunger for the God who seems not to be there**. Like everything else worthwhile in the human condition, prayer is difficult and seldom brings with it the comfort and fulfillment so many authors say it is supposed to bring.

And still we continue to pray ... the need to pray, like the need to love, comes from deep within and I suspect more pray than anyone would dare believe.

## Surprises of Heaven

by Louis Evelyn

This is what I think heaven will be: re-experiencing, in a blaze of light, the wonderful moments of our earthly experience. At each step along the way, we'll stop short, astounded by God's generosity and ashamed of our past heedlessness.

Reliving a single incident will send us into raptures of joy and gratitude. We'll see how beautiful the world was and how boorish we were to walk among all those marvels, sour-faced and disappointed.

We will realize that God did a thousand things to cheer us up at every single minute of the hour – like a father who spreads treasures before his child to get a smile out of him and, for thanks, hears the greedy little tyrant mutter, "Gimme some more."

The biggest surprise about heaven will be that there's nothing new there. When we awake from this long earthly sleep and all its nightmares, we will find ourselves in the same arms that have always held us.



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