

**Dear Parishioners:****Today's Readings:****First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11**

On Pentecost the Holy Spirit was sent to the disciples in the form of fiery tongues. They began to speak in different tongues, "as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim."

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13**

The apostle Paul wrote that there are many gifts but the same Spirit, different ministries but the same Lord.

**John 20:19-23**

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Peace,  
Father Ed

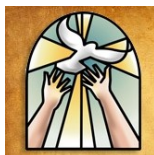
**FAITH FORMATION INFORMATION****First Eucharist****A big thank you to our First Eucharist Catechists:**

Janet Mietlicki, Betty Lou Streeter, Kathy Schwarz, Pam Robson, Deb Blinstrub, Pat Livingston and Celeste Benoit, without whom these preparation classes would not be possible. I am personally grateful for the beautiful experience of faith that they have shared with our young people.

Joan Haviland - Faith Formation. Coordinator

**PARENTS OF 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS**, please call the Faith Formation Office. We would like to begin preparation for **Confirmation 2011**. We need to know as soon as possible who will be in that class and what parents are available to help.

**Confirmation 2011: Joan Haviland #877-8506 X373**



*Pentecost is the great festival that marks the birth of the Christian church by the power of the Holy Spirit. Pentecost means "fiftieth day" and is celebrated fifty days after Easter.*

**UPCOMING CARNIVAL!**

On June 6, from 11:30am to 3:00pm, the **Youth Ministry** will be hosting a summer Carnival. The Carnival is open to parishioners and their families, and is fun for all ages. The Carnival will be held in the Church Hall and will have games such as: Darts, Ring Toss (supplied by Mulligan's Restaurant and Pub) a Duck Pond and many more.

I am in need of volunteers (youth from Grades 6-12) and adults that are Virtus certified.

**I would like to hold a meeting for the volunteers on Thursday, June 3, at 7pm in the Youth Room #1.** The meeting should last an hour and we will discuss what will happen at the Carnival. If you are not able to volunteer, I at least hope you will come and bring your family to make the Carnival a success. Thank you and hope to see everyone there.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

*(From Christina Bass)!*

**#877-8506 X306**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Reminder:** All evening Masses are offered at 7:00pm  
**May 22 - 30, 2010**

*We remember in a special way, all those who have died.*

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**SATURDAY**

**4:00pm:** Gerry Acunzo by Abel Family  
Dorothy Gonzalez by John/Vitoria Niedbalec, Jr.

**SUNDAY**

**8:30am:** Jeannette M. Gamache by Husband, Joseph

**10:30am:** Lois Berberich by Bob and Rita  
Toribio Martinez by Granddaughter

**MONDAY**

**9:00am:** For the People of Corpus Christi

**TUESDAY**

**9:00am:** For the People of Corpus Christi

**WEDNESDAY**

**9:00am:** For the People of Corpus Christi

**THURSDAY**

**9:00am:** Gary Phillips by Byron Family

**SATURDAY**

**4:00pm:** Marguerite Van Bramer by Peggy MacArthur  
Jack Van Bramer by Peggy MacArthur

**SUNDAY**

**8:30am:** Joseph LaRoux by Wife, Loretta  
Stan Kiersznowski by Schwarz Family

**10:30am:** Jim Shannon by Pat Forbes  
Louise Auletta by Family

**Present Pastoral Council Members Until Sept. 2010**

**Executive Members:**

Fr. Ed Golding, Jack Robson, Chair, Sharon Ryan, Vice Chair,  
Nick Papa, Doug Hampton Denise DeWolf.

**Council Members:**

Connie Beeman, MaryEllen Bena, Carolyn DeSantis, David  
Mietlicki, Susan Spadaro, Mike Tidd, Pat Kilgore

**Youth Members:**

Matt Minardi, Angela Paolucci

**Permanent Members:**

Father Ed, Dick Cody, Diane Marco, Trustees, Deacon John  
Tierney, Joan Haviland, Faith Formation, Christina Bass, Y.M.

**Upcoming Corpus Christi Meetings/Events**

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**May 24- 30, 2010**

**Monday**

**6:00pm:** Mother Mary's Rosary Group in Res. Chapel

**6:00pm:** BSA

**Tuesday**

**6:00pm:** Confirmation Rehearsal in Church

**Wednesday**

**7:30pm:** Sacrament of Confirmation/All Are welcome

**Saturday Trinity Vigil**

**2:30pm:** 4:00pm Music Ministry in Church

**Trinity Sunday**

**8:30am/10:30am:** LOWC in Rooms 7/8

**Media Coverage for events at Corpus Christi:**

Please send your information to mbrown2@nycap.rr.com  
regarding your parish event, 2-3 weeks in advance.

**Request from Craft Fair Committee:**

**"Talent Needed"**

**How to:** clip 40% off coupons from Joann Fabrics flyer in  
Sunday's Times Union and buy 1 pillow form size:  
15X16 or 12X16 or 14X14.

Bring to the Parish Offices and the "Church Mice" will  
cover it! We thank you!

Questions, call Judy Ewing, #877-5678.



**As A Reminder:**

Please do not allow your children to stand on the portion  
of the chairs (pews) that house the hymnals. We are  
regularly finding the book racks broken and in need of  
repair. Thank you!

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Pentecost Liturgy Sunday, May 23, at St. James, Albany**  
Celebrated by Bishop Hubbard at 5pm. The homilist will  
be **Father Marty Fisher**. Prayer and praise will begin at  
4:30pm. All are invited! (391 Delaware Ave. Albany)

**Virtus Training Session:** St. Edwards on **Wed. June 2, at 7:00pm.** (This is a program protecting children from abuse. Those in our faith community who interact with minors will have access to training. Virtus is **REQUIRED** for all Staff/Catechists/Volunteers, involved in Ministry. You may pre-register online at [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org).)

The **Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat** is hosting a women's prayer breakfast in honor of Our Lady of the Visitation and in celebration of the Year of the Priest. Our speaker will be **Rev. J. Thomas Connery**, pastor emeritus of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Glenville. The breakfast will be held on **Saturday, June 5 at St. Ambrose Church, Latham NY**, from 9am-1 pm. Cost is \$15. For info, call Lenora at 664-4374.

**Catholic Charities Guild will host Luncheon:**

**Mon. June 7,** a luncheon fashion show at Glen Sanders Mansion featuring fashions from Fancy Schmancy starting at 11am will take place. For information, call #356-0479. Donation of \$30 p/p will benefit the children's services of Catholic Charities.

**Free N.Y. S. Safe Boating Course Offered:**

Held on **Sat. June 12, at Corpus Christi from 8:30am to 5:30pm.** The course is required for anyone at least 10 years old, but not yet 18 who wants to operate a powerboat without adult supervision or anyone 14 or older who wants to operate a personal watercraft (PWC) without adult supervision. The class is limited to 20 students. Please contact Captain Peter Byron, NAV-ED services Group, #518-877-8851, or [contact@nav-ed.com](mailto:contact@nav-ed.com).

**St. Edward's and St. Mary's Crescent, Youth Ministry hosting a Car Show and Tailgate Sale:**



**Sat. June 12, from 9am to 1:30pm.** Do you have a **Unique or Classic Car** that you would like featured in our show? Do you have items or CRAFTS to sell in either our tailgate sale (Junk in the Truck) or inside vendor Craft area. Contact Sue Hamilton, #280-3751 if you are interested.

**"CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME"**

Have you been away from the Church? We'd like to welcome you back! Please join us for meetings, that have begun **at St. Edward's Church in Clifton Park.**

To register, call #877-8506, X215

**DANCE LESSONS:**

On Tuesday evenings beginning May 18th through August 31, there will be **Western Round and Basic Ballroom** dance lessons in the parish hall from 6:00-10:00pm.

Please contact Maureen Wall at #747-5942.

**RELAY FOR LIFE:**

Sponsored by the American Cancer Society. Held on June 11/12, at the "Shen" track. (7:00pm-7:00am). This event celebrates the lives of those who have survived cancer and supports those who are still fighting the disease. We also remember those who have lost their battle to cancer. St. Ed's and Shen Methodist have a team....would anyone like to join my team from Corpus Christi? Call Betty Lou Streeter, #877-5494. See the Bulletin Board.

**YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERING:**

**May 15/16, 2010**

**Offertory :** \$ 10,440.50

**Birthright Sale of Carnations:** \$610.00 was raised to benefit women in crisis pregnancies.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

**April Mortgage Payment** \$10,787.04

**April Debt Reduction Donations** 7,114.00

**Amount used from Operating Funds**

**To Pay April Mortgage** (\$3,673.04)

**Sponsor of the Week:**

**Jack Byrne Ford and Mercury**

Rtes 4 and 32 Mechanicville, N.Y. #664-9841

**Ministry Chairpeople 2010**

Altar Bread Bakers	Becky Telesh	877-8482
Altar Linens	Lee Gullo	899-2609
Altar Servers	Joan Haviland	877-8506 X 373
Alzheimers Care Team	Sandy Monahan	238-4167
Baptismal Coordinator	Paula Barrett	877-8506 X301
Baptismal Prep Team	Bob/Emilie Capone	383-3550
Bereavement Ministry	Paula Barrett	877-8506 X301
Bibs for Baptisms	Susan Spadaro	899-2352
Carelinks	Jackie Connolly	877-3322
Collection Counters	Gail Moore	877-8506 X307
College Ministry	Carrie Kennett	
Disciple Bible Study	Bill Valosin	541-3653
Eucharistic Ministers	Joan Haviland	877-8506 X373
Evangelization Team	Judy Mullins/Walt Forney	664-6938 or 877-8779
1st Euch./1st Recon.	Joan Haviland	877-8506 X373
Garden Ministry	Diane Marco	899-4874
Generations of Faith	Joan Haviland	877-8506 X373
Greeters	Judy Mullins	664-6938
Homebound	Paula Barrett	877-8506 X301
Hospitality	Deb Blinstrub	877-7638
Knights of Columbus	Bruce Newell	877-7579
Lectors	Joan Haviland	877-8506 X373
Lit. Environment	Diane Marco	899-4874
(LOWC)	Karen Hedley	#383-2993
Music Ministry	Luanne Hetz	899-9417
Outreach Communion	Jean Kemp	877-5196
Food Pantry	Sandy Kemp	877-5196
Prayer Line	Paula Barrett	877-8506 X301
Proverbs 31	Chris Reivik	383-3512
RCIA	Karen Stockton	371-7359
Resurrection Choir	Paula Barrett	877-8506 X301
Rosary Group	Rita Luibrand	371-0239
Social Action	Pat Malloy	371-3968
Ushers	Jim Marco	899-4874
Welcome Table	Bob Iagrossi	877-6104
Women's Society	TBA	TBA
Youth Ministry	Christina Bass	877-8506 X 306

Mission to the Dom. Republic: Rybaltowski Family #899-9742

**Ministry Chairpeople / Use of Church Facility Reminder**

If you cancel your event, please communicate this information with the Parish Office. If you cancel during office hours (9am-3pm) leave a message with Paula Barrett, (877-8506 x301). If it is after 3pm, please leave a message with Don Butner, Jr. X 308.

**Corpus Christi Website:**

[www.corpuschristichurch.net](http://www.corpuschristichurch.net)



# "SPOTLIGHT ON MINISTRY"

Each week a Ministry will be featured in the "Spotlight" with the hope that all will understand their function more fully. We hope that you consider signing up for the Ministry in which you feel called.

## Ministry of Care and Service:



### Resurrection Choir

This Music provides appropriate Musical selections for Funerals. Vocalists are directed and offer their gift of Music to aid families, as they cope with their loss. You will be contacted prior to the Funeral Rite with a rundown of the Musical selections. Anyone wishing to become involved in this "Ministry of Care" should be aware that the choir is asked to arrive one half hour prior to the Mass / Service, to "warm up."

Coordinator: Paula Barrett #877-8506 X301

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### Please Help Our Youth Ministry/ "GO GREEN"

Please continue to bring your **paper and cardboard** to our recycling dumpster for green fiber. Used clean bottles/cans may be left by the coat rack in parish office building.

### Clothing Box Drive Box:

Please drop off **clothing of all types:** Shoes, sneakers, stuffed animals.

Questions, call Angela Stone 877-8506 X303.



### TRIVIA QUESTION FOR THE WEEK:



#### Last Week's Trivia Question:

The solemnity of the Ascension comes how many days after Easter.

#### Answer:

40 Days

## HOSPITALITY UPDATES



### Confirmation:

Please join us **Wednesday, May 26**, after mass in celebrating Confirmation with the candidates.

Treats, punch and coffee are available.



### Scripture Readings for the Week Ahead:

#### MOST HOLY TRINITY

May 29 / 30, 2010

First Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31

Second Reading: Romans 5:1-5

Gospel Reading: John 16:12-15

### Year of the Priest

Pope Benedict XVI has declared that the Church will observe a year for Priests.



### A Prayer for Priests

Gracious and loving God, we thank You for the gift of Father Ed and all Priests. Through them, we experience Your presence in the Sacraments. Help our Priests to be strong in their vocations. Set their souls on fire with love for Your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of Your kingdom. Give them the words they need to share the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their Ministry. Help them to become instruments of Your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest.

Amen.