Sunday Bulletin

St. John Vianney Church

OUR MISSION

As followers of Jesus Christ, and as full members of the Roman Catholic Church, we, the Parish Community of St. John Vianney, joyfully proclaim our Saviour risen. Through prayer and sacramental celebration of life in Jesus, we join as co-creators in his mission of justice and peace, through the power of the Holy Spirit for the glory of God.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm Closed from 12:00pm - 1:00pm for lunch



CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Tuesday - Friday @ 9:30am Saturday @ 5:00pm Sunday @ 9:30am & 11:30am



CELEBRATION OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday @ 4:00pm - 4:45pm Sunday @ 10:45am - 11:15am



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***Emergency due to death or serious illness, press 9.



A man came to a priest and wanted to make fun of his faith, so he asked, "How can bread and wine turn into the Body and Blood of Christ?" The Priest answered, "No problem. You yourself change food into your body and blood so why can't Christ do the same?" But the man did not give up. He asked, "But how can the entire body of Christ be in such a small host?" "In the same way that the vast landscape before you can fit into your little eye." But he persisted, "How can the same Christ be present in all your churches at the same time?" The priest then took a mirror and let the man look into it. Then let the mirror fall to the ground and break and said to the skeptic. "There is only one of you and yet you can find your face reflected in each piece of that broken mirror at the same time."

Today, we celebrate the solemn feast of Corpus Christi. It is a doctrinal feast established for three purposes. First to give God collective thanks for Christ's abiding presence with us in the Eucharist and to honor him there. Second to teach us in the mystery, faith and devotion surrounding the Eucharist. And finally, to help us appreciate and make use of the great gift of the Holy Eucharist, both as a sacrament and as a sacrifice. Although we celebrate the institution of the Holy Eucharist on Holy Thursday, the Church wants to emphasize its importance by a special feast, formerly called Corpus Christi.

Jesus instituted the Holy Eucharist both as a sacramental banquet and a sacrificial

offering. As a sacrament, the Eucharist is a visible sign that gives us God's grace and God's life, and as a meal it nourishes our souls. As a sacrifice, the Eucharistic celebration is a representation or re-enactment of Jesus' sacrifice on Calvary, completed in his Resurrection. We offer Jesus' sacrifice to God the Father for the remission of our sins, using signs and symbols.

There is a story about an American paratrooper in World War II who got entangled in a tree and couldn't get down. He was terribly afraid that he had come down behind enemy lines and would be killed. Then two men dressed in civilian clothes came by so the GI quickly called out, "Can you tell me where I am?" "Indeed, we can" said one - "You are up in a tree." There was a long pause, and then the paratrooper asked suspiciously, "Are you guys' Dominicans?" "Yes, but how could you tell?" The GI replied, "I knew because what you say is perfectly true - but it doesn't help me to get out of this tree!" Likewise, to describe Catholic belief about Holy Eucharist by saying that it is the body and blood of Christ is true, but not very helpful unless we are convinced of this truth, appreciate this great gift, and experience it in our lives.

The Solemnity of Corpus Christi encourages us to appreciate the "Real Presence" of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, by receiving him with true repentance for our sins, due preparation and reverence. Let us offer our lives on the altar along with Jesus' sacrifice, asking pardon for our sins, expressing gratitude for the blessings we have received and presenting our needs and petitions on the altar. By receiving Holy Communion, we become Christ-bearers as Mary was, with the duty of conveying Christ to others at home and in the workplace, through love, mercy, forgiveness and humble, sacrificial service.

Mass for the Intentions Week

5:00 pm & Russell Lock Saturday

June 10th Requested by: The Lock Family

5:00 pm For the special intentions of

Michael Hogenbirk

Requested by: Suzanne Emdin

9:30 am **♣ Slavko Ajdinovic** Sunday

June 11th Requested by: The Newton Family

> 9:30 am **₽ Joseph Gioi Mai &** De Thi Le

Requested by: Tran & Nguyen Families

9:30 am **⊕ Ed Henderson**

Requested by: Colette Henderson

11:30 am **₽ Len Shirose**

Requested by: Christine Liggett

Requested by: Sharon & Family

11:30 am or the special intentions of

Maria Almeida-Pasko

Requested by: Suzanne Emdin

Tuesday 9:30 am **♣ Gregory Prior** June 13th Requested by: Suzanne Prior

9:30 am **P Frank & Maria Serra** Thursday June 15th Requested by: Ingribelli Family

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LIVE-STREAMED MASSES

Please note, that effective July 1st we will no longer be offering live streaming of weekday Masses. The only Mass that will be live streamed moving forward will be the

Sunday 11:30 am Mass.



CHANGES TO BAPTISM: Beginning in July, Baptism will be offered twice a month (usually on the 2nd and 4th Sunday) at 1:00 p.m. If you have already scheduled a baptism on a

specific date that is not the 2nd or 4th Sunday of the month, your date will be honoured.

Please note, there will be **NO** Welcome Wednesday this week.



A heartfelt thank you to our many parish volunteers who assisted our young parishioners with the sacraments of both First Holy Communion and Confirmation this year. We could not have done it

without our Staff, Instructors, Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Altar Servers, Musicians, and our Tech Team who assisted in preparation as well as at the various Masses.

We are constantly in need of more parents who are willing to assist. If you feel a calling toward this important ministry, please contact the parish office and speak to Wendy.



YEAR END MASS

Please join us on Monday June 19th at 10:00 a.m. as we gather here for our yearend school Mass. We gather

to thank God for the many blessings He has bestowed upon us. We seek His help to carry the lessons we have learned, the values we have embraced, and the love we have shared into the future.



C. W.L. SPRING TEA

Your CWL is hosting a Roaring 20's Tea on June 17th in the church hall. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Tickets are now SOLD OUT.



MARYGROVE CAMP COLLECTION

Marygrove Camp provides a camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy such an adventure. Please give generously this weekend to the Marygrove Camp

Collection. Envelopes are available at the back of the church.



Please join us after the 9:30 am & 11:30 am Sunday Masses for fellowship & refreshments. Hosts are volunteers from the various Fellowship ministries. This weekend your hosts are the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

We hope to see you there!



Please pray for those who are sick: Ana Demontes, Bunty Brooks, Kelly McBride, Richard O'Brien, Mary Spencer, Joe Bottone, Brian Ballinger, Isabel Crickard & Maria Almeida-Pasko And for those who

have died recently: † Marissa Puzzella



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