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Served by The Blessed Sacrament Congregation Living the Eucharist in Loving Service Corpus Christi Sunday June 6, 2021
Masses Sat. 4:00, livestream
Sunday, 7:30, 10:00, 11:30
Sunday 8:30 Vietnamese,
Please wear a mask, sanitize
hands, keep social distance inside
the church. Keep everyone safe.

May your week
be Peaceful, Joful
and filled with
Unexpected Blessings.

The summer is a good time to pay a visit to the church, your time with the Lord is open for quiet prayer until 9:00 pm.
8:05 morning prayer
8:30 weekly Mass
9:00 Exposition to noon.
Rosary,-Mercy Chaplet

Monday—7th
9:30 am Arts & Crafts
10:00 am Share the Word
Divine Mercy 1 pm
Divine Will 3 pm

Wednesday—9th 9:30 am Social Concerns/ Respect Life

Thursday—10th
12: pm Catholic Charity
Assistance, sign-up
1: pm SVdP Food Pantry
3 pm & 7 pm confessions.
4 pm Centering Prayer

Saturday - 12th 3:pm Divine Mercy Chap.

Sunday - 13th 11:30 Area Youth Group Gathering for Mass and Stick Ball Tournament 12 pm. Come join in the fun.

Parish Office is open from 9:00—2:00



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Entrance: Table of Plenty. (#310)

Refrain: Come to the feast of heaven and earth! Come to the table of plenty! God will provide for all that we need.

here at the table of plenty.

Verse 1: O come and sit at my table where saints and sinners are friends. I wait to welcome the lost and lonely to share the cup of my love. (to Refrain)

Verse 2: O come and eat without money; come to drink without price.

My feast of gladness will feed your spirit with faith and fullness of life. (to Refrain)

Responsorial Psalm: I will take the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

Presentation: Song of the Body of Christ. (#329)

Refrain: We come to share our story, we come to break the bread, we come to know our rising from the dead.

Verse 1: We come as your people, we come as your own, united with each other, love finds a home. (Refrain)

Verse 2: We are called to heal the broken, to be hope for the poor, we are called to feed the hungry at our door. (Refrain)

Communion: The Supper of the Lord. (#348)

Refrain: Precious body, precious blood, seen as bread and wine; here the Lord prepares the feast divine. Bread of love is broken now, cup of life is poured: Come, share the supper of the Lord.

Verse 1: This is the bread of God coming down from heaven, giving life to us, to all the world. (Refrain)

Verse 2: "I am the living spring of eternal life;

you that drink from me shall not thirst again." (Refrain)

Verse 3: "I am the bread of heaven giving life to you;

you that eat this bread shall never die." (Refrain)

Verse 4: "All those who feed on me have their life in me, as I have my life in the living God." (Refrain)

Sending Forth: Go Now in Peace.

Verse 1: Go now in peace, my friends. Go now in peace together. May the Spirit of Christ embrace your life. Go now in peace, my friends.

Verse 2: Go now in peace, my friends. Go now in peace together. As you journey each day, may God guide your way. Go now in peace, my friends.

Verse 3: Go now in peace, my friends. Go now in peace together. May you witness to Christ through deeds that you do. Go now in peace, my friends..



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While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, 'Take it; this is my body.' Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it.

He said to them, 'This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many.'" – Mark 14:22-24

Passover is a very important feast in the lives of the Jewish people. We read about this in Exodus where Moses instructed the people to sacrifice a lamb and put the blood of the lamb over the door, so that they would be spared the wrath that was to come to those who did not believe or follow these instructions. For generations since, the Jews have commemorated this event with the feast of Passover.

We read in Mark's Gospel that Jesus, being a devout Jew, asked His disciples to prepare for the celebration of this feast. But as we now know, Jesus would use this occasion to establish something new – to institute the Eucharist. He is the lamb that was sacrificed. And it is through His Body and His Blood that people would be saved.

It is a mystery of faith which we proclaim at each Eucharistic celebration. We partake of this great mystery each time we receive communion at Mass. The simple everyday elements of bread and wine truly become the body, blood, soul, and divinity of Jesus Christ through the consecration in which the priest act "In Persona Christi", that is "in the person of Christ". How is this possible – to receive the body and blood of Christ? It requires faith in what Jesus told His disciples and us. After the consecration, we proclaim the Mystery of Faith which is the Paschal Mystery. One of the responses is "When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again".

Allow our Lord to truly be present to you in the Eucharist each time you come to Mass, and remember the words we speak before receiving Him, "Lord, I am not worthy that You should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed."

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Sunday May 30—Sunday Offering \$6,075.
Total—\$6,112.00.
Candle Money—\$166.00
Thank You!

This was a holiday weekend and Mass attendance was at our lowest with 524 people. We hope to see and increase here at church as we are called to come back when our health permits.

4:00-95; 7:30 -76; 8:45- 176; 10:00 - 94; 11:30 - 83

Thank you sharing your time with us.

God bless your sacrifices.

The Mass is live streaming Saturday at 4:00 pm. Visit www.svdpfl.com for online giving!



Communications—Flocknote

It is not enough to live our faith one hour of the week. We need you to know about our parish and keep connected. It helps when you sign up for **flocknote** to share in our daily prayers and messages. Tell us if you have stopped receiving **flocknote** e-mails, send an email to: Laura@svdpfl.com to reset your email to the group. To be sure your internet service will not block the **flocknote** messages it is best to add to your contacts, Mail@flocknote.com. Please reach out to others and invite them to join us on **flocknote** and check in with those you know to make sure they are still receiving this parish communication. The emails may be blocked until **flocknote** is safe in your contacts.



Thank you for worshiping with us!

Sanctuary Candle Intention: Frank & Marianna Mucha + (Richard Mucha)

Sunday June 6, 2021

7:30am Rosalito Bonifasi+ (Jesus Van der Henst) 8:30am Danilo Mendoza+ (Rudy & Rose Dy)

Parish Family

10:00am George Schreiber+ (Edward Nessler)11:30 Edward Welsch+ (Mulcahy family)

Peggy Ellis+ (EMHC)

Monday June 7, 2021

8:30am Margaret & Ray Flanders (Rich Knox)

Tuesday June 8, 2021

8:30am Arthur Landry+ (A friend)

Peggy Ellis+ (Rudy & Rose Dy) Jerry Thompson+ (EMHC)

Wednesday June 9, 2021

8:30am Kathyrn Schwendeman+(Martha & John Kreuser)

Jan Durkee+ (Martha & John Krueser)

Thursday June 10, 2021

8:30am Ann Forte+ (Ray & Margaret Flanders)

Parishioners

Friday June 11, 2021

8:30am Fr. Anthony Schueller sss+ (Anita McMahon)

Blair Fickel+ (Anita McMahon)

Saturday June 12, 2021

8:30pm Patricia White+ (Tom & Louann Sipera) &

Charles Mazzio+ (Jean & Marie, sisters)

4:00pm Victor & Alan Rosamilia+ (Joan Rosamilia)

Lance Villarini+ (Helen Constantine)

SCRIPTURE READING

Readings for the Week of June 6, 2021

Sunday Corpus Christi

Ex 24:3-8; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday2 Cor 1:1-17; Mt 5:1-12Tuesday2 Cor 1:18-22; Mt 5:13-16Wednesday2 Cor 3:4-11; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Mt 5:20-26 Friday Solemnity of the Most Sacred He

Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Hos 11:1-9; Eph 3:8-19; Jn 19:31-37

Saturday Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Cor 5:14-21; Lk 2:41-51

Sunday Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

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On Father's Day give the gift of the Mass to show your love and appreciation to Dad for all he does in providing the care and guidance to the family. Cards can be picked up at all the doors of the church. Give the card to Dad and your gift to the church collection basket. All names received will be placed at the altar to share in the offering of Masses.

Youth Ministry News!

Youth Activity Gathering,



Let the summer begin. We will continue meeting in the summer months. The love of God wants to vacation with us.

St. Vincent de Paul's Youth Group is hosting a stickball tournament on June 13th here in our grounds, beginning with the 11:30 Mass followed by lunch and games. Five area parishes are invited to join us. Come share our excitement and join us to make this a successful event! There are so many ways to have fun and enjoy friendships with other during the summer.

Pray Together Play Together

Bring your family and friends to spend time with you in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. The world is in need of prayer to know the love of God. The church is open

every day until 9:00 pm. Find some quiet time to open you heart in prayer. Invite others to join you.

Not To Be Missed: Take time to pre-purchase tickets to the Suncoast Bronze Ringers concert "Peace and Joy." Saturday, June 12 at 4 PM at the United Church of Christ, 4826 Bartelt Road, Holiday. For more information: Suncoastbronze@gmail.com, 242 Riverwood Drive New Port Richey, Fl 34653, or call (727) 868-6365.

Mary's Maids and Joseph's Workers

Could you find time to help on Friday afternoons from 1-3 pm to clean the Church? All safety precau-

tions will be observed and gloves will be available, as well as cleaning products. We look forward to making our Church shine both inside and out.



Finance Corner

WORD OF APPRECIATION

Your offertory gift helps to pay down our operating cost. This past week we paid bills including: Property Maintenance, Office Supplies \$60.27, Postage Meter and Supplies \$140.97 and Computer Maintenance \$500.

We thank all who from home still send your contributions to help meet our costs and carry out our ministries . Thank you and God Bless you!

Annual Pastoral Appeal

Ways to Give: Pledging: We currently work with monthly and annual pledge cycles. Donors who pledge will receive reminders according to their chosen payment schedule. One-Time Gift: A one-time gift can be paid at the time of commitment or payment can be scheduled a later date. **Online Giving:** We accept all major credit/debit cards (MasterCard, American Express, Visa and Discover) as well as direct debit payments. Electronic giving can be completed two ways: 1) Donor managed online giving is available through our diocesan website at: www.dosp.org/ giveapa 2) Authorization forms for credit cards and direct debit donations are available on all pledge cards and inpew envelopes. We are a community of steadfast servants to the Gospel, coming together to grow in our faith, nurture our children with a love of God and progress toward the greater good.

Our share needed by the diocese is \$85,661. To reach this goal, support is needed from every family. Thus far we have received \$71,521 in pledges and \$61,759.38 has been paid by 212 families. Please join the effort to reach the goal. We need 100 pledges at \$150, or 50 pledges at **\$300** to make our assessment this year.

Please do not delay your pledge. Envelopes are at the church doors. Just fill it out and drop in the basket at the altar. Do your share to help others and the parish.

Thank you to those who have returned their pledge cards. Every pledge helps those in need of services within our Diocese. Thank you and God Bless you.



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Catholics For Family Peace

Domestic abuse and violence are taking an increasing toll on children and adults. Please check out, www.dosp.org/domestic-violence/ which includes these links and more, to aid you promoting family peace.



CatholicsforFamilyPeace.org - We aim to inform everyone on ways the Catholic community can promote family peace and to prevent and respond to domestic abuse and to provide resources and promote prayer for all families. Our initiative provides education, resources, and research that help pastoral leaders, clergy, and parishioners recognize domestic abuse and respond with compassion.

Catholics for Family Peace is an initiative of the National Institute for the Family, a Catholic research and development organization based in Washington, DC. CFFP serves as a clearinghouse for effective pastoral practices of the universal Church that address violence in the home. Training and information presentations may be scheduled at parishes, seminaries, and for organizations. To schedule a training, contact us.

It's Time to Get Involved!

There is no "one-size fits all" approach to caring for the vulnerable children of our community. In a partnership with the Angel Armies Foundation, Florida is offering a variety of options to engage church and faith institutions in ongoing efforts – at no cost.

The Angel Armies foundation is a nationwide nonprofit with a mission of being a voice for the vulnerable and a goal of ending our country's child welfare crisis.www.myfloridamyfamily.com with the Department of Children and Families is a website that acts as a gateway to family support services to pair those in need of assistance with local faith institutions and community organizations eager to help. It also serves as a landing site for foster and adoptive parent recruitment in Florida.

This online directory that allows anyone to search for verified social services providers for things like food, housing, transit, healthcare, legal aid, and more by zip code An innovative platform allows engaged organizations to see the real time needs of vulnerable children and families in their communities A multitude of opportunities for faith and community groups to support local foster and adoptive families.



Making our way back to Mass and reception of Holy Communion.

Summer is underway and we are looking forward to see more people make their way back to church. This has been a long dry spell of waiting for it to be safe to gather.

People ask what is the proper protocol when returning to church. It seems prudent to encourage those attending Mass who desire to wear a mask and observe social distance to do so. We are aware that there are some unable to wear masks due to health or personal reasons. The number of cases are down with the vaccines for those attending Mass We will continue to be cautious and if needed wear masks and social distancing to keep those vulnerable protected from the virus.

Breaking Bread Hymnals will be kept at the doors of the church to be picked up when you arrive and replaced when you leave. Please do not leave the books in the pews. The 4:00 PM Mass will continue to be online for those at home. Please call the office if you like Holy Communion brought to your home. Confession is held on Thursdays at 3:00 to 4:00 and 7:00 to 7:30 pm or call the parish office for an appointment. Please notify the parish office if you are sick and would like to have the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.

We like to hear from the pews your suggestion so please make us of the suggestion boxes at the doors or give us a call. Thank you for belonging to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church.

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The Knights of Columbus

Slate of Officers

Grand Knight—Mark Brose
Deputy Grand Knight—Peter Scordamaglia
Chancellor—James Stevens

Warden—Frank Carino

Advocate—Charles Radice

Inside Guard—Joe Forentino

Outside Guard—Mike Etzel

Treasurer—Don Jackson

1 ear Trustee—Dick Cabetta

2 Year Trustee—Reggie Outlaw

3 Year Trustee—Richard Corlett



JOIN our S.V.de P. Society Wish List This Week: We are still in need of the regular items we pass

in need of the regular items we pass out such as cereal, soup, canned meat, peanut butter, pancake mix and syrup.



Today as we celebrate the gift of the Body and Blood of Christ let us pray for those who are hungry, malnourished and starving.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry.

Thank you for your support, the SVdP Society is made possible by your participation in serving this ministry.



A House Unified

Man, oh man, did I have a bad soccer game last night. My team lost but that wasn't so bad. What was REALLY bad was how

Family Faith Formation



we lost. We played badly. During the game, three of our players were texting on their phones, two were playing with their DS, four of the guys were arguing the whole time, and the goalie fell asleep. The other team scored seven points and we didn't score at all. Pretty bad, huh? So why do you think we lost so badly? You know what I think? I think everybody was just doing their own thing and nobody was really focusing on playing the game. We weren't really playing like a team.

That reminds me of our lesson today. Jesus was talking to a crowd, trying to help them understand how God works in our world. And he said that a house divided against itself cannot stand. Does anybody know what that means? What would happen in a house if the walls and roof and floor were all crooked and unconnected, going in a bunch of different directions? It would probably fall down, right? Just like my team. Everybody was going in different directions, and we couldn't score even one goal. Jesus wanted to help people understand that if they really wanted to share God's love in the world, they would have to put all their energy, all their focus, all their LIVES into doing just that and get rid of anything that would get in the way. Like, if you're playing a soccer game, you should leave your phone at home. We get rid of things that distract us and try to do things that help us concentrate. If we want to play a good game of soccer, we can practice, eat nutritious foods, and sleep well. We need to do the same thing in our lives as Christians. If we want to share God's love with people around us, we need to pray and be with others who can help us and read stories about Jesus to understand how he was telling us to live. It helps us get stronger and live more loving lives. It's all about deciding what's really important to us, and what we want our lives to look like. When we decide what's really important, we want to do our best and give our best. And, as much as I want to play soccer well, I think it's even more important to share God's love in the world.

Closing Prayer: Loving God, we thank you for coaching us in our lives and for helping us to make good decisions that help us get stronger and for showing us the things we no longer need. We pray that each day we are able to become a little more focused on you, so that we can carry your love to everyone we meet. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.

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Year of St. Joseph

Saint Joseph's Faith.
 Joseph most faithful, Pray for us
 Joseph most valiant, pray for us

We marvel at the faith of Saint Joseph. Tormenting doubts harass his soul and he is on the point of leaving Mary. But an angel appears to him and all his doubts and fears vanish. On the angel's word he

accepts the mystery of the Incarnation.

In the ensuing years his faith was to be frequently put to the test. At Bethlehem he had to content himself with a stable for a home where the Incarnate Word might be born. Soon after, he was forced to flee into exile in order to save the Infant God, and when later he returned to the tiny village of Nazareth it was to live there unknown and in dire poverty.

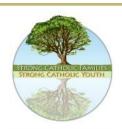
All these trials only tempered his faith. Although he sees only the child's wretchedness and poverty, his faith pierces the shroud and uncovers the hidden God within this weak baby frame. Because his faith is so strong, Joseph's mind and heart bowed in perfect adoration.

Imitate his faith as you kneel before the humble Christ annihilated in the Eucharist. Pierce the veil of love and adore the hidden God. At the same time respect the veil of love and make the immolation of your mind and heart your most beautiful homage of faith. (St Peter Julian Eymard. Eymard Library, Vol. 8 pp 47-48).

Saint Joseph, instill in our hearts the same faithful and watchful care for our Eucharistic Lord that you showed to the Christ Child and his mother. Intercede on our behalf with your foster son for an increase of wisdom and courage when we are weary and our faith is challenged. Amen

Strong Catholic Families Partnering with Parents to Bring Home the Faith

All across the country, pastors along with parish leaders—are asking for effective ways to engage parents in the life and mission of the church.



They are also seeking ways to help parents take ownership as the primary leaders of faith within their families. To work together toward this desirable goal, consider a dynamic grassroots process, designed to reach out to parents in a way that empowers and challenges them to form Strong Catholic Families. Please call and join us to move forward to building Strong Catholic Families. Contact Father Bill, frbillsss@svdpfl.com.

St. Gianna's Center for Women's Health and Fertility Care

Our mission is to provide professional education, support, and training to promote good reproductive health using the Creighton Model of FertilityCare,™ which respects all human life and the self-worth of the participants. The FertilityCare™ System is an NFP model that provides useful health information beyond family planning. St. Gianna's Center for Women's Health and Fertility Care is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization located in Largo, Florida. For more information contact:

<u>https://www.stgiannacenter.com/about-st-giannas-center/</u>. See additional Natural Family Planning Agencies and Practitioners here:

https://www.dosp.org/marriage-and-family/natural-family-planning/nfp-agencies-and-practitioners/