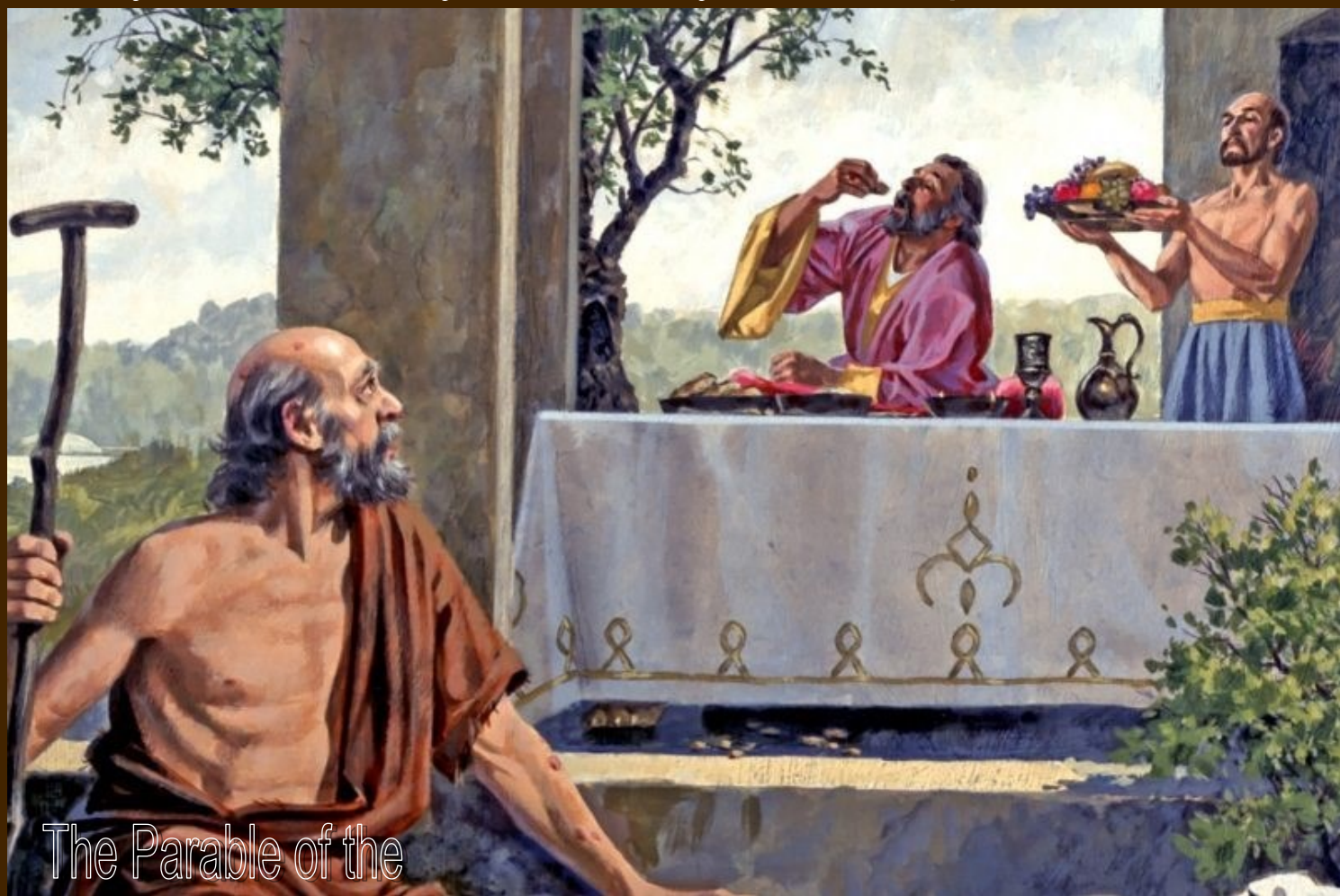


Corpus Christi Parish

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 29, 2019



The Parable of the

Rich Man & Lazarus

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:
SATURDAY 3:30 P.M.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY & BAPTISM:
PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE

**SACRAMENT OF THE
ANOINTING OF THE SICK:**
SEE INSIDE OF BULLETIN

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!
PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH
OFFICE TO REGISTER

TO BECOME CATHOLIC:
TO INQUIRE INTO THE CATHOLIC
FAITH; CONTACT THE PARISH
OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE: SATURDAY 4:30 P.M. ~ SUNDAY 8:00 AND 10:15 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES: MON-TUES-WED-FRI-SAT 8:00 A.M. ~ THURSDAY 6:30 P.M.

From the Desk of Father Kelm



As a gift from God, every human life is sacred from conception to natural death. The life and dignity of every person must be respected and protected at every stage and in every condition. The right to life is the first and most fundamental principle of human rights that leads Catholics to actively work for a world of greater respect for human life and greater commitment to justice and peace. USCCB

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See You in Church, Fr. Kelm

New Address!



Sr. Joann has moved.

Her new address is:

Sr. Joann Plumpe
6227 Fairway Pines Court.
Bay City, MI 48706

Fr. Kevin's Corner



From the Associate Pastor

A Portrait of Life

Artist George Pocheptsov emigrated to the United States from the Ukraine when he was very young. His paintings now bring in \$11,000 apiece. Most of his work depicts scenes of animals, people, and fanciful creatures.

Pocheptsov, better known as Georgie, is just seven years old.

With the help of a gallery owner who understands that the artist is still a child, Georgie draws for a few hours each day. As soon as it becomes a chore, however, his mother, Dubrava, sends him outside to play.

Dunrava's perspective? "He's good at drawing," she concedes, "but other children in his class can read better."

Dubrava never talks about the future with her son. She maintains that art does not have to be his whole life. As she told writer Beth Brophy, however, he will always be an artist. "Drawing is his passion," she explained. "It's in his soul."

Creator God, open our hearts to the people who will free us to use your gifts to the fullest.

This Week in the Parish

Schedule of Events

Sunday, September 29th

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

10:15 a.m. Celebration of Mass

Noon Sacramental Prep #1

6:00 p.m. Celebration of Mass @ St. Hyacinth

6:30 p.m. Booster Club Meeting

Monday, September 30th

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

Tuesday, October 1st

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

6:15 p.m. CGS & JH YM

7:00 p.m. HS YM

Wednesday, October 2nd

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

6:15 p.m. Sacramental Prep #2

Thursday, October 3rd

6:15 p.m. Sacramental Prep #1

5:30 p.m. Girlfriends & God

6:30 p.m. Celebration of Mass

Friday, October 4th

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

Saturday, October 5th

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

8:30 a.m. Men's Group

10:30 a.m. Pet Blessing

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Bazaar

3:30 p.m. Confession

4:30 p.m. Celebration of Mass

Food Pantry

Tote Bag Collection

Sunday, October 6th

8:00 a.m. Celebration of Mass

10:00 a.m. CGS

10:15 a.m. Celebration of Mass

Food Pantry

Tote Bag Collection

Rummage Drop Off 8:00 a.m. to Noon

6:00 p.m. Celebration of Mass @ St. Hyacinth



Altar Sodality Meeting

The Altar Sodality will be meeting on Monday, October 7th at 6:30 p.m. Hostesses will be Lorraine Adcock & Carrie Adcock.

Corpus Christi Stewardship

September 22, 2019

Envelopes	\$9983.00
Loose	437.31
Children's	1.00
Children's Loose	12.00
Youth	0.00
Total	\$10,433.31

Adult: 253 Children: 1 Youth: 0

Stewardship Thought

26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

“ ... remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, where as you are tormented. Moreover between us and you a great chasm is established ...” Luke 16:25-26 God created the world for all to enjoy. However, humans have created a great chasm between the rich and the poor. This story of the rich man and Lazarus tells us we can bridge the gap between those who have much and those who do not. If we do not, we could find ourselves on the wrong side of the divide in the life to come.



Pledges 532
 Pledged \$92,163
 Still Needed . . . \$9,321

If you cannot make a pledge please turn in your pledge card marked zero.



Call the Parish Office to sign up for automatic giving. Ask for Karen.

First Friday Masses w/ Bishop Gruss

Join us for First Fridays at the Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption with Bishop Gruss. Mass celebrated at 11:15 a.m. followed by 12 (noon) meatless lunch for \$7 and informal presentation by Bishop Gruss. First Friday Masses will run through June 5, 2020, except October 2019 when Mass will be celebrated on October 11, the second Friday



Do you love a good Christian Concert?

Justified Quartet is coming to Corpus Christi, Sunday, October 20, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. Please mark your calendars, and bring a friend! A “free will offering” will be taken.

Prayer Line
 Nita Lamkin 684-7105
 Janet Brandt 684-3366
 Barbara Poirier 895-8700

SAVE THE DATE Starting October 6th and for the entire month. **THE ROASARY** will be recited before the Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass.



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Corpus Christi Parish
 Parking Lot by the Education Center
 Saturday, Oct. 5th - 10:30 a.m.
 Please bring Pets on Leashes or in Cages
 All are Welcome!



Corpus Christi Fall Bazaar

Saturday, October 5th 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Homemade lunch with take-outs available! For table rental, please call Jackie @ 989-992-5596.

Altar Sodality Rummage Sale

The sale will be held Friday & Saturday, October 11 & 12. See the flyer in today's bulletin for drop-off and sale times.



QUILT-IN-A-DAY!



Saturday, October 26th we will be hosting a “Quilt-In-A-Day event at St. Hedwig’s Social Hall. Cost will be \$40 and includes lunch and the material to finish a quilt top. Call Agnes @ 684-2846 or Mary @ 893-7328 to register or for more details. Don’t delay. Limited spots available!

Sponsor of The Week

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1717 S. Euclid
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GREAT VARIETY OF FALL MUMS AVAILABLE

SACRAMENT PREPARATION: Family Session #1 will be this Thursday, September 26th at 6:15 p.m. or Sunday, September 29th at 12:00 p.m. in the Education Center library. If you missed the Parent Meeting, please contact Mary at 893-4073 or mbdierich@gmail.com



The Christian Coffee House: Did you know that there is a Coffee House just for High School Students? It is sponsored and run by the Bay City and Essexville parishes. A current High School ID is required to get in. The Coffee House is open every Friday night from 7:00 - 11:30 p.m. The Coffee House is located at 2305 S. Monroe St. in Bay City.

Men's Group

The Saturday Men's Group will meet on October 5th at 8:30 a.m. in the parish office building. The Tuesday evening Men's Group will meet on October 15th at 6:30 p.m. in the rectory basement. Newcomers are always welcome.



SAVE THE DATE: Ladies, this year's Advent by Candlelight event will take place on Friday, December 6th at 6:00 p.m. We need hostesses to decorate tables and invite guests. If you are interested in being a hostess (or sharing that role with a friend), please contact Mary Dierich at 893-4073 or mbdierich@gmail.com for more information.



CORPUS CHRISTI BOOK CLUB: The next book to read is, The invention of Wings, by Sue Monk Kidd. We will meet on Wednesday, October 30th at 1:30 p.m. in the Education Center library to discuss this book.

SMART CARDS will be available at the South Entrance (Gathering Area) the weekend of October 5th & 6th at all Masses. All proceeds go to All Saints School. Tri-Cities Greatest Savings Ever! Over \$8,000. in Buy One Get One Free or 50% off Savings. All for just \$20.00. Smart Cards are also available at the Parish Office. Books will also be available to purchase at the Appreciation Dinner.



So You Don't Feel Like Cooking!

The Knights of Columbus Council #414 Hall, 225 S. Linn Street, Bay City will cook for you. Every Monday is Hamburg/Hot Dog Night, and every Wednesday, is Taco/Burrito Night! Serving from 5:00-7:00 p.m. *Very Good and doesn't break the bank!*



R.C.I.A. Sign Up

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the church's rite of welcoming newcomers to the faith, and also of refreshing Catholics (already) in their faith. If you are interested in learning about the Catholic Faith, fill out this form and return it in one of the weekend collections, or call Sr. Joann at 893-4073. *Information is confidential.*

Name: _____

Phone: _____



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Life Line Screening will be at :
Our Lady of Peace
Bay City, MI
Tuesday, October 8, 2019

Package 1 = 4 tests for \$139 or
Package 2 = 5 tests for \$149



Worship Aid Dedications

In Loving Memory of
Josephine Wachowiak
Love, Joe & Kas

In Loving Memory of
Mary Ann Wrzesinski
On the 3rd Anniversary of Death
Love, Ed & Family

In Loving Memory of
Frank Helminiak
Love, Your Family

In Loving Memory of
Al Marquardt
On the 2nd Anniversary of Death
Love, Kathy & Family

In Loving Memory of
Sylvester "Sye" Rasmer
On the 1st Anniversary of Death
Love, Your Family



Readings October 6, 2019

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4
Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14
Gospel: 17:5-10



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Listed Below are the Ministers for the Weekend of October 5-6, 2019

Date	Acolyte	Lector	Bread	Wine	Greeters
Oct 5, 2019 4:30pm Saturday	Wittbrodt, Joyce	Gerds Stephanie Mindykowski Pat	Cabala Char Hanson Paula Shook Tim	Mynesberge Sue Mynesberge Tom Turmell Joe (W) Wachowiak Cathy Wright Sue Wright Michael	(N) Reszke Ardith (G) LaRocque Doris (G) Petrimoulx Guin (W) Kuch Karen (W) Reif Judy
Oct 6, 2019 8:00am Sunday	Meyers Grace Meyers Nick	Henderson Jeanne Jankowiak Rick	Cavanaugh Sue Fortin Rita Kocks Lynn	Campbell Carolyn Fritz Laura (W) Kaczynski Katie Osborne Sue Schmidt Anne Soderquist Tom	(N) Sullivan Barb (G) Emge Judy (G) Emge Mark (W) Mielens Nancy (W) Mielens Don
Oct 6, 2019 10:15am Sunday	Richards McKensie Wright Carlie	Krakovski Steve Atkins Emily	Adler Deacon David Benjamin Mary Ann Grzegorzczuk Susan Houle Emily	(W) Duemler Ann Embrey Elaine Houle Briana Ingallina Carol Reder Tammy Richards Heather Symborski Tammy	(N) Hollenbeck Marie (G) Buehl Jill (G) Dietlein Susan (W) Gainforth Linda (W) Gainforth Billy