

December 22, 2019
4th Sunday of Advent
Mass Schedule Subject to Changes
Due to Funerals etc.

Merry Christmas!

Mon. 23		NO MASS
Tues. 24	5:30 pm 6:00 pm 8:00 pm 9:00 pm	<i>Christmas Eve</i> Christmas Carols MASS Christmas Carols MASS
Wed 25	9:30 am 10:00 am	<i>Christmas Day</i> Christmas Carols MASS
Thurs. 26	9:00 am	MASS
Fri. 27	9:00 am	MASS
Sat. 28	5:00 pm	<i>Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph</i> MASS
Sun. 29	9:00 am 11:00 am	<i>Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph</i> MASS <i>Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph</i> MASS
Mon. 30		NO MASS
Tues. Dec. 31	5:00 pm	<i>New Year's Eve</i> <i>Mary, The Holy Mother of God</i> MASS

Happy New Year!

Wed. Jan. 1	10:00 am	<i>New Year's Day</i> <i>Mary, The Holy Mother of God</i> MASS
Thurs. Jan. 2	9:00 am	MASS
Fri. Jan. 3	9:00 am 9:30 am 10:00 am	MASS Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Benediction
Sat. Jan 4	4:00 pm 4:00pm -4:30 pm 5:00 pm	5 pm Choir Practice Sacrament of Reconciliation MASS

Epiphany of Our Lord

Sun. Jan 5	9:00 am 11:00 am Noon – 1:00 pm	MASS MASS 11 am Choir Practice
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Parish Office Closed: Dec. 23 – Jan. 6
Regular Office hours resume Tues., Jan. 7

Attention all Volunteers & Ministry Groups: Dec. 23 – Jan. 4
 There will be no opportunity for Ministries and Groups to meet during this time.
We ask that all volunteers respect our request:
 Please do not plan to enter the Church over the Christmas break.

During the Christmas break the Church is closed for meetings, socials and rehearsals:

- By not entering the Church, **except for The Mass** and in case of emergency such as flood or power outage, we will be able to keep the Church in pristine condition in case of a Funeral Mass.
- We want the Church with minimal entries so that we can do some housekeeping.
Our caretaker, needs you to respect and value his time, so that he can catch up on all the jobs that normally cannot be done due to the regular daily interruptions and for other reasons.
- Someone will be on site every day for security purposes. If support with a Funeral Mass, is needed - call the Parish Pastor (403-465-1111) and leave a message, he will get back to you. **Thank you.**

Do you wish to receive a tax receipt for your Donation?

If so, you may wish to use Donation Envelopes. If you would like envelopes:

- Parish Registrations are available on the counter in the entrance.
- Please tick request for envelopes on the Parish Registration form - so we know you want them!
- Please deposit in the Sunday Offertory Basket
- DO NOT TAKE SOMEONE ELSE'S PLEASE OR THEY WILL GET A TAX RECEIPT FOR YOUR DONATION**

Tax receipts will be issued for donations with an annual total of at least \$15.00.

Kindly recycle Sunday Missals & Mass Resources:

Simply place into your BLUE BINS at home.
 We still appreciate the palms that have been blessed – please deposit them to the basket in the St. John Paul II room. Thank You.

- Rosary Group:** resumes Mon. Jan.6
- Choir Practices:** resume from Sat. Jan. 4, forward
- Knights of Columbus** – Mtg. on Wed. Jan 8 7 pm. Mother Theresa room.
- R.C.I.A** resumes, Wed. Jan 8 7 pm. Fr. Trudeau room
- Seniors Cards** resumes, Wed. Jan. 8 & Jan. 22 1 pm. Fr. Trudeau room

BAPTISM:

Next Baptism class: Jan. 18, 2020

Baptisms here:

Saturdays of the Month / 5pm Mass &

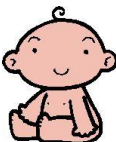
Sundays of the Month / 11 am Mass

In order to be enrolled in the Jan 18 class;

Interview with the Pastor & Paperwork to be

completed by Jan. 9. Bring with you,

Child's birth certificate & proof you are Roman Catholic.



We continue to ask for your Support of our Bottle Recycling for \$ In Support of Parish Fellowship.

- **Please continue to save your beverage containers**
- **Please do not bring them here. Many thanks.**
- **Attach a Yellow Tag**
(in the church foyer or print from parish webpage)
- **Drop off at the Beddington Heights Bottle Depot.**
- **111, 20 Country Hills Landing N.W.**
The bottle depot will credit the parish with your donation.

This fundraiser supports:

Liturgical/Parish fellowship (i.e. Easter Vigil)

Sacrament Socials (i.e. 1st Eucharist)

& Sunday Fellowship (providing coffee, tea, juice and the supplies needed.)

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season (2021). You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in an accepting setting.

For information call the parish office 403-274-4349.

1st Eucharist Sacrament Prep begins:

Sat. Jan. 11 / 10.30 am - Noon

Confirmation Sacrament Prep begins:

Mon. Jan. 13 / 6 pm – 7:30 pm

*Pre-Registration required.

A GIFT for YOU...

FORMED the best Catholic content all in one place.

Corpus Christi Parish has gifted you with unlimited access to the best eBooks, talks and videos in the Church today.

Not on FORMED? Go to <https://corpuschristicalgary.formed.org> and register.

We are providing this resource *free of charge.*
Excellent content for Children as well!

- Church Watch -

During the Christmas Break, with less activity at the Church we ask that; while you are driving, on the bus or walking by to keep an eye on the Church properties.

- Report any suspicious activities directly to the Calgary Police Services.
403-266-1234.

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Ministry Volunteers needed in ALL Ministries.

Kindly consider how you can Serve Our Saviour.

Ministry Forms available in the foyer brochures, simply fill out in full and place into the Sunday Offertory basket.

2019 Together in Action:

Assigned goal of \$30 443.00

In the past years we have surpassed our goal - using the excess funds for needs of our own parish....

Thank you for your generosity!

We hope to apply surplus dollars to maintain our properties!

*TIA collection every 3rd Sunday of the month.

*T.I.A. envelopes, also available in the church entrance.

BIG THANK YOU!

Many thanks to ALL Ministries and to ALL Parishioners who supported the many activities, made donations, and helped in so many other ways. All these good works, make CHRISTmas happen for everyone in our parish family!

**“May the peace of Christ,
and the love of God,
be yours
this Christmas
& always.”**

Rev. Bogdan and the Parish Staff

Going away this Christmas?

Kindly, continue to make donations to support our parish.

*‘To keep a lamp burning we have to keep putting oil in it.’
Mother Theresa*

Thank you to those who supported the donation of Christmas Flowers for the Sanctuary.



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Christmas Mass Times**

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