

# Corpus Christi Parish

MATTHEW 9:36-38

## SHEEP WITHOUT A SHEPHERD



**ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
JUNE 14, 2026**

### PASTOR

Reverend John D. Schiele

### PASTOR EMERITUS

Reverend Monsignor Thomas P. Flanigan

### IN RESIDENCE

Reverend Monsignor James J. Graham

### WEEKEND ASSISTANTS

Reverend Dennis Z. Fedak

Reverend Jason E. Buck

Reverend Gerald D. Canavan

### PERMANENT DEACONS

Deacon Steve Currie

Deacon William W. Evans

Deacon Shawn P. Terkhorn

### PARISH STAFF

Schellee Snyder..... Business Manager

Maria Greenberg..... School Principal

Kathleen Lewis..... Vice Principal

Brian Jefferes..... Director, Religious Education

Trish Keen..... Adult Faith Formation

Mairin Dulin..... Youth/Young Adult Minister

### **PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS:**

**8:00 AM—4:00 PM (Monday—Friday)**

PARISH CENTER OFFICE.....215.855.1311

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### MAILING ADDRESS:

900 Sumneytown Pike, Lansdale, PA 19446

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS** ~ submit to:

Patty Petrosky: [corpuschristibulletin@yahoo.com](mailto:corpuschristibulletin@yahoo.com)

### MASS SCHEDULE ~ (\*Livestreamed Masses)

**Daily Masses:** 7:15 AM\*

**Saturday Masses:** 7:15 AM\* .....4:30 PM  
(Vigil Mass for Sunday)

### SUNDAY MASSES:

7:30 AM, 10:00 AM\*, and 6:00 PM

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:** 10:00 AM

**HOLY DAY MASSES:** 7:30 PM (Vigil), 7:15 AM\*  
and 12:05 PM

### CONFESSIONS:

Saturday, after 7:15 AM Mass, 3:00 PM—4:00 PM  
and upon request at the Parish House.

### ELECTRONIC GIVING:

We offer two ways to process Church contributions electronically: ACH Debits directly from your bank or Online through Parish Giving. For more information, go to: <http://corpuschristilansdale.org/parish-giving/>

### ADDITIONAL CONTACTS:

RELIGIOUS ED. OFFICE.....215.362.2292

SCHOOL OFFICE.....215.368.0582

SCHOOL FAX.....215.361.5927

SCRIP OFFICE.....215.362.0104

### CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITES:

Church: [www.corpuschristilansdale.org](http://www.corpuschristilansdale.org)

School: [www.ccslansdale.org](http://www.ccslansdale.org)

Find us on Facebook by clicking on the link:

<https://www.facebook.com/CorpusChristiLansdale/>

Providence? You bet!

Our Parish Picnic coincides with the weekend of the National Consecration of our Nation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus that was prayed this past Thursday. And it makes sense. What we do each year—coming together, working together, building community and fun with each other—echoes what our founders did over 250 years ago (we declared in 1776; we started talking a few years before that if you recall our history). They came together to improve their lives and the lives of those around them. There were serious discussions, but there was also community building and some of the articles in the *Philadelphia Inquirer* had fun reporting on which bar certain founders frequented and which libation they enjoyed the most .

But what we do on a social and community level, just as that meeting in Philadelphia 250 years ago, also has a moral and discipleship level. All human activity has that. And just as we'll tweak the Picnic from year to year to improve (notice the permanent addition of indoor seating for dining) we hopefully are willing to tweak and improve who we are as citizens and a Nation. And yes, that's another reference from me to encourage you to read *Faithful Citizenship*. But it's also a reminder that all we do and are is a moral act and one that needs to be supported and guided by prayer. And in that spirit, in preparation for the 250th anniversary of our founding as a Nation, I offer the prayer of consecration composed by our bishops for this milestone of our history.

**O Most Sacred Heart of Jesus:**

**You know the longings of our hearts, and you desire that we enjoy friendship with you.  
From your pierced side, you have poured out the wellspring of life, for which we thirst.  
Your heart burns with a love for all people to return to a right relationship with you.**

**We celebrate the abundant gifts you have given this nation, founded on the self-evident truths that our Creator has endowed all people with the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.**

**We make reparation for the offenses against you and against human dignity that have taken place in this nation.**

**May our hearts be united to yours, so that our families and communities enjoy peace and happiness; may broken relationships be reconciled, injustices repaired, and the wounds of our land be healed.**

**May your holy Catholic Church serve as a sign, pointing all people to your infinite love.**

**O Desire of Nations and Center of History, we ask you to bless these United States of America.**

**Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.**

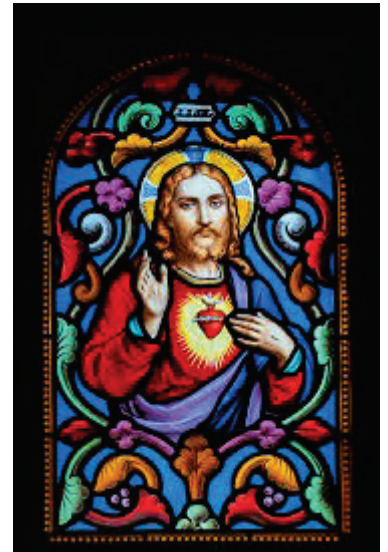
**Amen.**

**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!**

**Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us!**

God bless.

*Father Schiele*





**SAT., JUNE 13TH**

4:30 PM..... **JOSEPH SKRZAT**  
REQ. BY: STEVE & CINDY SKRZAT

**SUN., JUNE 14TH**

7:30 AM..... **PATRICIA BRUCE**  
REQ. BY: MICHAEL GAVAGHAN  
10:00 AM..... **HELEN ZECCA**  
REQ. BY: MARIE ROSATO  
6:00 PM..... **FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**

**MON., JUNE 15TH**

7:15 AM..... **LINDA HANSEN**  
REQ. BY: THE HANSEN FAMILY

**TUES., JUNE 16TH**

7:15 AM..... **ALANA MADDOX**  
REQ. BY: ROBERT SMITH & ANN JOHANN

**WED., JUNE 17TH**

7:15 AM..... **ADELINE & ANDREW STASHEFSKI**  
REQ. BY: THE STASHEFSKI FAMILY

**THURS., JUNE 18TH**

7:15 AM..... **GINNY GOETTER**  
REQ. BY: STEVE GOETTER

**FRI., JUNE 19TH**

7:15 AM..... **FOR THE INTENTIONS OF JOE & DIANE RADVANSKY**  
REQ. BY: JOE & DIANE RADVANSKY

**SAT., JUNE 20TH**

7:15 AM..... **STANLEY P. GAWEL**  
REQ. BY: THE CAMPANELLA FAMILY  
4:30 PM..... **LUIGI PELLEGRINI**  
REQ. BY: THE GRANDCHILDREN

**SUN., JUNE 21ST**

7:30 AM..... **FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**  
10:00 AM..... **CHARLES TAMMARA**  
REQ. BY: STEVE & ANN MARIE FINLEY  
6:00 PM..... **KINGSLEY AWARITOMA**  
REQ. BY: THE JOHNSON FAMILY

**What you hear...  
proclaim**



**from the housetops.**

We pray for the deceased members, relatives and friends of our parish family, especially **Bernida C. Guaglianona**, and **Elizabeth J. McQuaid**, mother of Fran Gagliardi.

“Come to their aid, O saints of God; come forth to meet them, angels of the Lord, receiving their souls, presenting them to the Most High.” +Amen

**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

**JUNE 21, 2026**

**First Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13**

Because the prophet Jeremiah foretold disaster for Jerusalem, he was denounced. But Jeremiah trusted in the Lord and overcame his persecutors.

**Second Reading: Romans 5:12-15**

Paul explains to the Romans that Adam’s sin brought death to all, but Christ’s gift of himself brought grace and life.

**Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33**

In authoritative and encouraging words, Jesus urges the apostles to fear nothing—only him who can destroy the soul. Telling them “every hair of your head has been counted,” he promises that “Whoever acknowledges me before men I will acknowledge before my Father in heaven.”

**HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly**

“For if by the transgression of the one the many died, how much more did the grace of God and the gracious gift of the one man Jesus Christ overflow for the many....Sing to the Lord, praise the Lord, for he has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked.”

How beautifully St. Paul weaves together two truly essential elements. He speaks of grace, God’s gift of His very self, His life dwelling in us, and he refers to it as a gift, something not earned but available for us at this very moment. But even more, overflowing for us. We are reminded to seek, to ask for it.

For this reason we turn to Jeremiah, praising God for His effort in our behalf.

# Congratulations!

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus would like to congratulate this year's recipients of the Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship.

*Gabriela Weidinger*

*Jayden M. Clement*

Thank you to all those who submitted essays. The choice was not easy. There were many wonderful entries.

If you would like to help support the Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Fund, you can do so by purchasing SCRIP from the Parish Center Office and assigning the credit to the Ladies Auxiliary account. Thank you for helping support Corpus Christi Catholic School and Catholic Education!



Please note the following important dates:

- **June 16th** ~ The Parish Center Office will be closed (**NO SCRIP**).
- **June 23rd** ~ The SCRIP Office Summer hours begin, Tuesdays only, from 10:00 AM—12:30 PM.

Please plan your purchases accordingly. You can always join the online program (RaiseRight) and shop at your convenience. For more information or if you have any questions, please call 215.362.0104 or email at [cc.scrip@yahoo.com](mailto:cc.scrip@yahoo.com). Thank you for your continued support of the SCRIP program! We hope you have a wonderful summer!

**Esther Shalome, SCRIP Coordinator**

## OCIA ~ A Journey of Faith

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is for those adults who are unbaptized, for non-Catholics already baptized seeking reception into the Catholic Church, and for baptized Catholics who have not received their First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation. We are forming our 2026-2027 OCIA group now.

Do you know someone who might be ready to make this journey? Your spouse, neighbor, or friend? Invite them! A personal, simple invitation is the best way to bring new disciples to the Catholic way of life.

Please contact Deacon Steve Currie at [deaconcurrie@gmail.com](mailto:deaconcurrie@gmail.com) or call 215.855.1311.



Win cash with our 50/50 drawing! Just put \$5.00 cash or check into the yellow 50/50 envelope you received with your regular monthly envelopes and wait for that phone call directly from Fr. Schiele to tell you when you have won!!

Additional chances/envelopes are located in the Narthex, in the Parish Center Office and the School Office. The more envelopes you submit, the more opportunities you have to win.

**JUNE JACKPOT ~ \$477.50**

## WEEKLY COLLECTION FINANCIAL UPDATE

### Weekly Collection:

<b>June 7, 2026</b>	\$ 20,648
Fiscal YTD 2026 (Fiscal year July 1, 2025—June 30, 2026)	\$ 1,580,791
<b>June 8, 2025</b>	\$ 22,723
Fiscal YTD 2025 (Fiscal year July 1, 2024—June 30, 2025)	\$ 1,515,822

### Parish Giving

June 7, 2026 (30 participants)	\$ 1,990
June 8, 2025 (27 participants)	\$ 2,240
<b>Facilities Improvement ~ Accumulative</b>	<b>\$ 63,388</b>
<b>Total Weekly Envelopes</b>	<b>415</b>



As you travel, now that school is over, be sure to check the time of Masses at your destination.



**The Parish Center Office will be closed on Tuesday, June 16th. We will reopen on Wednesday at 8:00 AM.**

**ATTENTION ALL GOLFERS**  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**GOLF OUTING ~ LEDERACH GOLF CLUB**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST**

Shotgun start at 1:00 PM, Scramble Format, Lunch, Range Balls, Best Ball Play, Player Gift, Beer and Beverages on the Course, Dinner Buffet, Awards, 50-50 and much more!

**Please use the QR code to register.**  
For more information go to our website  
[www.koc9715.org](http://www.koc9715.org)



We also have many sponsorship opportunities available to support this event. Use the QR code for more details.

*Funds raised will go to support those in need in our community.*



**FATHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET CARDS**

**Father's Day is June 21st.** This year Give the Gift of Prayer to your living or deceased Dad. The Respect Life Ministry will be offering Father's Day Mass Cards. **The cards will be available on tables in the Narthex and RE Room this weekend, with a return deadline of Wednesday, June 17th.** Your Mass intentions will be placed on the railing under the Holy Family Plaque to the right of the altar during all of the Masses celebrated during Father's Day weekend.

Use the larger outside envelope to list the person for whom the Mass is offered and indicate whether the person is living or deceased. Send the card in the smaller envelope to the person for whom you are praying. Return the larger Intention Envelope, with your offering enclosed in the envelope, to the boxes in the Narthex and RE Room. For your convenience you may return Intention Envelopes to the boxes in church until Wednesday, June 17th. **Please make your check payable to Corpus Christi Respect Life.**

**SUGGESTION FOR DECEASED INTENTIONS**

If you have one or several deceased people for whom you wish to pray, but do not need the cards, look for separate Intention Envelopes (without cards) in a separate plastic container on each table. Put your deceased list or single name in one smaller Intention Envelope with your donation. Look for the take home instructions provided on each table. Thank you again for supporting this Respect Life Ministry project.



**REGISTER NOW FOR REC 2026-2027**

**REC Registration for the 2026-2027 school year is open.** Classes are held on Monday afternoon (4:30 PM-5:45 PM) and evenings (6:45 PM-8:00 PM) from September to April. In addition to our weekly program, the Family Catechesis option is also available. This is a home-based faith program in which parents and children are catechized simultaneously, and families also participate in the life of the Church. The Family Catechesis option is not available for sacramental preparation Grades 2, 6, and 7. **An interview is required to be accepted into the Family Catechesis option.** To schedule an interview, please contact Brian Jefferes, DRE, at 215.362.2292.

All new families to the Corpus Christi REC program, please register online at the following link: <https://corpuschristilansdale.org/rec/>. Scroll down the page and select "**New Family Registration**" to complete the registration form. Existing REC families, look in your email inboxes for an email from our online registration service, **Parish Giving**, regarding re-registration for the upcoming school year. Online payment is preferred for REC registration. If you have any questions regarding registration, please call the REC Office at 215.362.2292 or email [ccsrecdre@gmail.com](mailto:ccsrecdre@gmail.com).

**TEEN YOUTH MINISTRY**

**The Corpus Christi Teen Youth Ministry** is a group of 8th—12th grade teens who gather once a week to have fun with friends and grow in faith! Don't know anybody? That's alright—come anyway! We'll be happy to meet you. If you're a teen, we invite you to the upcoming events below.

We use an online registration form through Jotform! All first-time registrants must complete the form before attending a night of youth group: <https://form.jotform.com/251045535382151>

- June 14:** Cookout with Christ
- June 21:** No Youth Group (Father's Day)
- June 28:** No Youth Group (Steubenville Reception Dinner)
- July 5:** No Youth Group (4th of July)
- July 12:** Color Wars/Messy Games
- July 19:** Challenge Accepted
- July 26:** Luau at the Playground

**Join our summer Teen Bible Study! The first day is June 19th from 6:00 PM—7:30 PM. We will meet outside of the Church!**

## *The Last Supper!*

### Corpus Christi Discussion Series Season 5 of "The Chosen"

Wednesdays this Summer in the RE Room

7:00 PM—8:30 PM

Come watch the Episode and discuss!

**\*\* Attend one or all; Bring your family and friends to share your thoughts on each episode.**

June 17..... Episode 3 – Woes  
June 24..... Episode 4 – The Same Coin  
July 8..... Episode 5 – Because of Me  
July 22..... Episode 6 – Reunions  
Aug 5..... Episode 7 – The Upper Room Part 1 (Pizza)  
Aug 19..... Episode 8 – The Upper Room Part 2

Questions? [william.a.schoener@gmail.com](mailto:william.a.schoener@gmail.com)

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## Come and Join Our Respect Life Ministry

O Blessed Mother you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ your Son with faith and trust. God creator and lover of all life, guide our parish as we strive to continue to make our parish community a place of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. **Come join our Respect Life Ministry** as we work together to build a culture of life and a civilization of love.

**The Respect Life Ministry meets each month on the first Tuesday at 7:00 PM in the RE Room of the Church.** All are welcome!

*We are created for relationship.  
Do you know God personally?*

"We find rest in those we love, and we provide a resting place for those who love us."

Saint Bernard of Clairvaux

Our ministry helps you understand and share the gospel, clearly and simply. For more information, contact [corpus.evangelization@gmail.com](mailto:corpus.evangelization@gmail.com) or use the QR code.



## MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION

The monthly food collection for local food cupboards takes place **this weekend**. Please leave your donations of non-perishable goods in the room next to the restrooms in the back of the Church. This room is open after all the Masses each weekend. Thank you for your participation.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Anna Marie O'Reilly, Joseph Siedlecki,  
Denise Long, Rosemary Johnson,  
Michael Onorato, Robert Kelly, Jean Piazza,  
Joanne Mariano

*To add someone to the Prayer List, an immediate family member must call the Parish Center Office at 215.855.1311. The names will remain on the Prayer List for 3 months, at which time an immediate family member must call to update the information. Thank you.*

## ADORATION WEDNESDAYS

**Come spend time with Jesus every Wednesday in the Parish Chapel.** Adoration of the Eucharist starts right after the daily Mass, about 7:45 AM and continues until Benediction at 6:15 PM. Come any time your schedule allows or you can also sign up for an hour and commit that time every week to be with Jesus. You will be pleased you did.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT NOVENAS

Come pray with us every Wednesday night from 6:30 PM—7:30 PM in the Chapel. We pray the Rosary and Novena prayers to Our Blessed Mother and St. Peregrine to pray for healing. Please join us.

## CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH REGISTRATION



A warm welcome to all who recently moved into a home within our Parish neighborhood. We invite you to register. You can register in person at the Parish Center Office or by calling 215.855.1311. **Please note that young adults over 21 (25 if in college) need to register separately.**

## CORPUS CHRISTI H.O.P.E.

Volunteers are available to provide rides to local doctors' appointments and grocery stores (please provide 2 weeks notice if possible). We deliver Caring for Friends meals, and will accommodate other needs as we are able. **For assistance, please call Mary at 215.412.2263.**

**Week 6/13 ~ Team 5  
Week 6/20 ~ Team 6**



**CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL**  
**Registration for the 2026-27 School Year is Open**

Corpus Christi Catholic School is a Blue Ribbon School of Excellence and an Archdiocese of Philadelphia School of Distinction that offers programs for students PreK3 through 8th Grade.

Our PreK programs include full day 5-day or 3-day options for 3 and 4 year olds. We also have before and after care available. CCCS provides a faith-filled, academic learning experience in a nurturing and caring environment.

Check out our website @[ccslansdale.org](http://ccslansdale.org). If you would like more information about our registration process or to set up a tour, please email: [amy.herron@corpuschr.org](mailto:amy.herron@corpuschr.org) or call 215.368. 0582.

<b>CLUB 50</b>	<b>TRIPS</b>
You <u>do not</u> have to be a member of CLUB 50 to go on these trips.	

**MACKINAC ISLAND, MICHIGAN**

**Tuesday, September 8 to  
Monday, September 14, 2026**

**Cost per person: Double \$2,600 | Single \$3,620**  
**Deposit \$250 per person at Reservation**

**Package includes:** Round Trip Motorcoach Transportation, 6 Night accommodations at:


- 2 Nights Sheraton Hotel, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio
- 2 Nights Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island
- 1 Night Hilton Garden Inn, Romulus, Michigan
- 1 Night DoubleTree by Hilton, Bay City, Michigan

**Meals Included:** 4 Full Breakfasts, and 2 Expanded Continental Breakfasts with Hot Choices, also includes, 1 Luncheon / 1 Dinner experience at the Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island. Additional Dinners at the Sheraton Hotel, Hilton Garden Inn, the Bavarian Inn etc.

**Some activities included:** Henry Ford Museum, Ferry service to Mackinac Island, horse drawn Carriage Tour, Fort Mackinac, and Bronner’s Christmas Wonderland.

- Includes Taxes/Gratuities except for Chambermaids.

For more information, call: Stella Pietrzak at 267.918.7907 / 216 Bellows Way, Lansdale, PA 19446



VOCATION OFFICE FOR THE  
DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD  
ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA  
**HEED THE CALL**

**Jesus said, “You did not choose me: I chose you.” Is Jesus calling you to be a priest? Consider the call.**  
[www.HeedTheCall.org](http://www.HeedTheCall.org)



Please join the Corpus Christi Young Family Ministry! The Young Family Ministry aims to create fellowship and help the young children of the parish grow in their faith. Upcoming events:

**Corpus Christi Playground Gathering—feel free to bring snacks to share!**

- Sunday, July 12th after the 10:00 AM Mass.
- Sunday, August 9th after the 10:00 AM Mass.

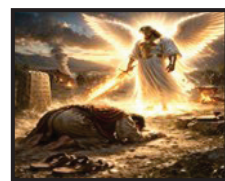
Interested in joining the team and help to plan events? Email Karen at [corpus.yfm@gmail.com](mailto:corpus.yfm@gmail.com). View our events on Facebook: **“Corpus Christi Young Family Ministry”**

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**NEW**

**Sight & Sound Millennium Theatre**  
**“JOSHUA”**  
**Tuesday, November 17, 2026 | \$192.00**

Includes: Round trip motor coach transportation tax and tip for the Bus Driver. Family style Sit-down Luncheon at Hershey Farms Restaurant. Admission to Sight & Sound’s Show “Joshua” at the Millennium Theatre. Arrive at the Corpus Christi side parking lot at **9:30 AM**, the bus departs at **10:00 AM** and returns at approximately **8:00 PM**.



Call: Wanda Marshall at 215.570.7401 / 1347 Brittany Pointe, Lansdale, PA 19446 **or** Stella Pietrzak at 267.918.7907.

## CORPUS CHRISTI PRAYER GARDEN

Things you might not know about the Corpus Christi Prayer Garden...

- It was started in the 1980's by Fr. Lochran, as a quiet place to pray.
- It has now grown to become nearly three acres in size.
- It has four memorials to our Blessed Mother: Lourdes, Fatima, Bethlehem, and to our Lady of Guadalupe.
- It is listed in the Catholic Garden Network of Catholic gardens in the U.S.
- Features a stone pathway for the Stations of the Cross, and a pathway for the Beatitudes.
- Works with both Girls Scouts and Boy Scouts on large projects.
- Self-funded by selling firewood in the parking lot and home delivery.

Thank you for your continued support of the Prayer Garden.

*Don Janssen*

### SAVE THE DATES!



The Ladies of  
Mount Carmel

# Rummage SALE

**DROP-OFF DONATIONS AT OLMC SCHOOL GYM**

**June 20 8:00 am – 4:30 pm | June 21 1:00 – 5:00 pm**

**SALE DATES & TIMES**

**EVENING PRE-SALE: \$10 Admission Fee**

- ▶ June 22 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm
- ▶ June 23 9:00 am – 7:00 pm
- ▶ June 24 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

**FINAL HALF-DAY SALE:**  
**\$5/Bag\* (Select Items) or 50% OFF (Everything Else)**  
\* Bag supplied at door

- ▶ June 25 9:00 am – Noon


**Our Lady of Mount Carmel School Gym**  
**225 East Ashland St., Doylestown, PA 18901**

For more information, scan the code at right,  
 call the Rectory: **215-348-4190** or email:  
[rummagesale@ourladymtcarmel.org](mailto:rummagesale@ourladymtcarmel.org)



We  
love

having you  
as part of  
our flock



If you aren't receiving Fr. Schiele's Flocknote communications from Corpus Christi by email, please sign-up by sending an email with your full name and address to:  
[CorpusChristiLansdale@gmail.com](mailto:CorpusChristiLansdale@gmail.com).  
 Put "Flocknotes" in the subject line and we will add you to Corpus Christi's Flock!

Thank you!

## RETROUVAILLE: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE

**Family Life Center, Malvern, PA**

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. **The next program will be held the weekend of July 31st—August 2nd, with an additional program being held the weekend of October 2nd–4th.** For more information, or to register, call 215.766.3944 or visit [www.MarriageHelpDelVal.org](http://www.MarriageHelpDelVal.org). All inquiries are strictly confidential.



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## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

*Real Beauty*

IN AN ARTIFICIAL AGE

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2026 | 9:00 AM—4:00 PM**

National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa | Doylestown, PA

Registration General Admission: \$60.00 | Groups of 5+: \$50.00

College Students: \$20.00 | Religious Sisters: \$15.00

Join Catholic women from the greater Philadelphia area for a day of fun, friendship, faith formation and prayer at the Catholic Women's Conference. Over the past few decades, women have been held to near-impossible standards of beauty through airbrushing, curated social media posts and the ubiquity of pornography, all of which seduce women into thinking they will only be loved if they look like "her." But with the advent of AI, the *near-impossible* now becomes *impossible*. Join your sisters in Christ this year as we seek to hold ourselves to the only standard that matters: our receptivity to the infinite love with which God wishes to love us. Visit: [catholicwomensconference.org](http://catholicwomensconference.org)

Questions? Email us @ [archphillycwc@gmail.com](mailto:archphillycwc@gmail.com)

# < KID'S > KORNER

## Gospel Today

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time | Matthew 9:36–10:8

Jesus knew that many people were troubled, so He sent His disciples out to help. He gave the twelve the power to cure the sick and proclaim, 'The Kingdom of Heaven is near.' Jesus told them, "The gift you have received, give as a gift."

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As you go,  
proclaim this  
message: 'The  
Kingdom of Heaven  
has come near.'

MATTHEW 10:7



## BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words... left, right,  
up, down or diagonally.

Jesus	A	M	E	D	I	S	C	I	P	L	E	S	C	P	A
Shepherd	I	E	L	E	A	D	E	R	S	H	I	P	O	L	R
People	G	S	H	M	L	E	J	E	S	U	S	H	M	E	F
Crowds	H	S	R	E	K	R	O	W	N	W	O	E	I	N	C
Leadership	Y	A	I	B	A	P	E	O	P	L	E	A	H	T	O
Compassion	K	G	O	A	L	V	V	P	R	O	C	L	A	I	M
Harvest	I	E	V	R	E	C	E	I	V	E	D	I	R	F	P
Plentiful	N	A	F	L	E	E	I	N	C	D	O	S	V	U	A
Workers	G	G	P	O	H	U	L	H	T	R	E	F	E	L	S
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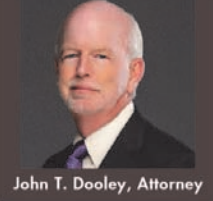
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