St. Justin the Martyr Roman Catholic Church

975 Fischer Boulevard, Toms River, NJ 08753
SUNDAY, June 14
THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)



TODAY'S READINGS

Reflections by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

Reading I: Deuteronomy 8: 2-3, 14b-16a

The writer looks back to the past of his people and recalls the manna by which God fed His people. He concludes that "not by bread alone does one live," but by the Word of God.

Reading II: I Corinthians 10: 16-17

Our sharing in the one cup and one loaf of bread forges the unity that we believers have, and this sharing makes us one body

The Gospel: John 6: 51-58
A relationship exists between the believer and Our Lord Jesus that is established by the Holy Eucharist. There is a sharp distinction between the community that possesses "the bread of life," and the ancients, who had only the manna.

Pastor: Reverend Mark A. Kreder
Parochial Vicar: Reverend Daniel Price
Deacons: James Campbell; James Gillespie
Frederick C. Ebenau, Sr.;
Pastoral Associate: Deacon James Gillespie
Religious Education: Ellen Noble
Trustees: Jean Glynn, William Anderson
Director of Sacred Music: Angela Petti
Sacristan: Carol Lewandowski

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday ~ Thursday 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon and 1:15 PM to 4:00 PM; Friday 9:00AM-12:00 Noon REGISTRATION: All are welcome! Sponsorship letters for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or Matrimony will only be issued to registered parishioners. Please contact the Parish Office to register and please also notify the Parish Office of a change of address or if you plan to move from the parish so that we may keep our records updated



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, June 14**

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

8:00am Pasquale Cosentino

Theresa Fanelli

Edward Ferris

10:00am Marv Laureti

Monsignor John McCarthy Deacon Richard Hauenstein

12Noon Louis Auriemma

Marv Korab

MONDAY, June 15

Weekday (Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time)

8:00am Agnes R. Holler

Louise A. Riccie

TUESDAY, June 16

Weekday

8:00am **Gloria Longot**

> Joseph Carrasco Mary Ferragamo

WEDNESDAY, June 17

Weekday

8:00am **Marie Gullace**

Fred & Clare Schmid

THURSDAY. June 18

Weekdav

8:00am **Carol Baker**

Living & Deceased Paparazzo Family

Kenneth Ritter

Deacon Richard Hauenstein

SATURDAY, June 20

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

People of the Parish 5:00pm

Joell Lanfrank Lisa Ann Paparazzo

SUNDAY. June 21

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; Father's Day

8:00am Father's Day Novena 10:00am Anthony Monielllo

Deacon Richard Hauenstein

Saverio Farrera

12Noon Christina Johnson

Carmela & Pasquale Cennamo

Michael Papaleo



OUR PARISH WEBSITE HAS DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS ON THE PROCEDURES TO FOLLOW AS WE NOW RE-ENTER OUR CHURCH FOR MASS www.stjustin.org PLEASE READ THE DIRECTIVES BEFORE YOU COME —-WELCOME HOME



The Altar Bread.

which will become the Body of Christ at the Masses celebrated during the week is offered in Loving Memory of

Louise A. Riccie

requested by Antoinette & Dominick Sblendovio

The Flowers Adorning the Altar are in Loving Memory of

Mary Korab

requested by Chris & Ed



MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION:

Every third weekend of the month. Contact St. Vincent de Paul for any questions:732-929-1119

PARISH OFFICE: 732-270-3980 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 732-270-3797 (Offices are temporarily closed until further notice) PARISH WEBSITE: www.stjustin.org

MASS SCHEDULE: See Directives on parish website

WEEKEND: Saturday Evening Vigil: 5:00PM Sunday: 8:00AM; 10:00AM; 12Noon

WEEKDAY: Monday-Thursday:8:00AM (Alphabetical)

Holy Days: Announced

BAPTISM: Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Session. Godparents/Sponsors are invited and strongly encouraged to attend. Please call the Parish Office as early as possible to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays: 3:30pm –READ NEW DIRECTIVES FOR PROCEDURE BEFORE YOU COME: www.stjustin.org

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Adult R.C.I.A. program: Contact Parish Office Children R.C.I.A. program: Contact Religious Ed.

MARRIAGE: The Sacrament of Marriage requires a time of spiritual preparation. According to the Common Policy adopted by the Bishops of New Jersey, this preparation requires attendance at a marriage preparation program (Pre-Cana) as well as sessions with the parish deacon or priest. Therefore, couples should make arrangements at the Parish Office one year before the planned wedding date and before finalizing any social plans.

MISSION STATEMENT: The goal of Saint Justin the Martyr Parish is that each member grow in the Grace through Jesus Christ, and in so doing cooperate with the Holy Spirit in giving glory to God, in experiencing the salvation of their soul, and in building up the Body of Christ.

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From the Pastor The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ - A [Corpus Christi] June 14, 2020

<u>"EUCHARIST & THE CHURCH.</u> As the disciples on the road to Emmaus

learned, we MUST have Eucharist to be 'Church!' For as the Gospel notes: reviewing biblical events; sharing concerns; and journeying together was not enough; even the Risen **Lord's** explanation of how all the Scriptures referred to Him did not suffice! Only when He was "with them at table ... took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them." (C.f. Luke 24:13-35] did they recognize *Our Lord's Real Presence.* No wonder the *Church* requires us to receive Holy Communion at least once a On Corpus Christi, which celebrates Christ's gift of this great **Sacrament** - a gift many were deprived of during the pandemic - may our hearts burn within us, as did the hearts of the first disciples, as we reflect on the orations that extol the unity of the Eucharist and the Church.

Collect - Holy Church-1-E - For the Particular Church
O God, who in each pilgrim Church throughout
the world make visible the one, holy, catholic and
apostolic Church, graciously grant that your faithful may be so united to their shepherd and
gathered together in the Holy Spirit through
the Gospel and the Eucharist, as to worthily embody the universality of your people
and become a sign and instrument
in the world of the presence of Christ.
Who lives and reigns ... for ever and ever. Amen.

ONE FLOCK, ONE SHEPHERD, ONE FOOD. Our Faith uniquely gifted the fractured human family by enabling all to become Christian regardless of their language, native country, diet, gender, economic level, etc. We are 'catholic' which, with a lower case 'c' means 'universal.' **Baptism** makes us members of a family that extends all over the earth and into heaven! While each "pilgrim Church throughout the world" [i.e.: Diocese or Parish] is different due to its culture, socio-economic level, etc. - and each level of the Church is led by a shepherd with his own gifts and shortcomings and each place the Church gathers - be it a Cathedral or Parish church, Monastery or Convent - has innumerable differences - one

thing - or rather, one *Person*, is the same everywhere.

For in each *Tabernacle* in each worship space - dwells our *Lord Jesus Christ,* truly present in the *Eucharist.* So no matter where we go, we can always find a familiar Face!

Prayer over the Offerings - Holy Church-1-E
Celebrating the memorial of your Son's boundless
love, we humbly beseech you, O Lord, that through
the ministry of your Church
the fruits of his saving work may advance
the salvation of all the world.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

NOT JUST 'ME' BUT 'WE.' While there is some truth in the belief that receiving Holy Communion is a 'ME and Jesus' moment: the closest we can come to Him until we die; the Eucharist is primarily a 'WE and Jesus' moment! In a small but subtle 'alteration' in the revised Mass, the Priest no longer says: "Take this, all of you, and eat it," but: "Take this, all of you, and eat OF it." 'Of implies we only partake in PART of something, a share of the whole; a stake in the enterprise. The Church's ministry will never have its fullest impact until we become the team Christ calls us to be as we share in His Body and Blood.

Prayer after Communion - Holy Church-1-E
In this your Church, O Lord, may integrity of faith, holiness of life, fraternal charity and pure religion flourish and abide until the end, and, as you do not fail to feed her with the Body of your Son and with your word, so also never cease, we pray, to guide her under your protection.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

IMPORTANCE OF THE LOCAL COMMUNUTY. Just as foliage differs according to the local climate and circumstances, so does each Parish. While the basics are the same, the non-essentials can - and should - be adapted to suit each local community's needs. While the Church Universal accomplishes great things because of her size, each Parish affords a sense of closeness, where everyone knows your name - or is at least familiar with your face. As each Parish grows stronger, so does the whole Church - by sharing in the same Food: the *Most Holy Body and Blood of our Lord* Jesus Christ. Let us pray for our president, governor and mayor and all who lead us in this difficult time in our country. May God guide us as a nation and as individuals.

In Christ.

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To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven

Ecclesiastes 3:11
"...a time to be born..."
"...a time to love..."

... "and a time to be born to fternal fife..."

Those who have died in the Service of our Country.

"...and a time for peace in all the world..."

pray for our servicemen and women at home and abroad,

Cody Fisher, Jason Howie, Daniel Robert Costello, Mark
Caruso, Rick DiSanti, A.J. Elbert, Ryan Buckley, Eric P. Fenske,
Louis Graffeo, Michael Griffing, Alexandria Del'Romero Hughes,
Audrey Hughes, Antoni Jedra, Charles Jones, Ian Krong,
Walter Reed, Tyler Brandon Sansone, Trevor Smida,
Christopher Sylvester, Nick Roma, Nick Panzara, Greg Hermack,
John DiMicelli, John M. Budenas, Robert Tront,
Joey Colosimo, Michael Anthony DeAnni, Kieran Murphy,
Colin Berrios, Kevin Kreder, Christopher Wright, Jordan Thomas
And for our President and elected Leaders of our Country.

Please pray for a full recovery for Father Jack Bogacz's brother Dan who was in a serious accident.



Readings for the Week of June 14, 2020

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7; Mt 5:38-42 **Tuesday**: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16;

Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 **Thursday**: Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt 6:7-15 **Friday**: Dt 7:6-11; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10; 1 Jn 4:7-16;

Mt 11:25-30

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34;

Lk 2:41-51

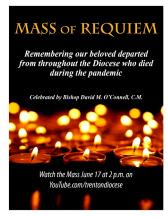
Sunday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35; Rom 5:12-15;

Mt 10:26-33

Collections are vital to our existence as a Parish. If your circumstances permit, please consider donating to the parish at this time. Donations can be mailed to the church: St. Justin the Martyr, 975 Fischer Blvd. Toms River, NJ 08753. <u>There are also collection hoppers</u> located in the parish hall when you enter or exit for Mass Also, consider making your online offertory for our parish thru the Diocese, that has now created a "Pass the Basket Emergency Fund." If you wish to make your weekly donation to our parish thru this method, please visit our parish website: www.stjustin.org, Under the News/Events tab, select the On-Line Giving tab. When the Diocese page opens, scroll down to the "Pass the Basket" option, select St. Justin the Martyr Parish. You will receive a confirming email from the Diocese for your contribution. These are challenging times for all of us. This crisis has hit many of us hard and our parish is no different. I am most grateful to all who have continued to mail in their weekly offerings, or donated on line, so we can pay all bills on time.

Farewell to Father Dan

On Friday, May 1, Bishop O'Connell announced the assignments for priests. Sadly, we will be losing Father Dan. Father has been assigned as the parochial vicar of St. Barnabas Parish in Bayville. We thank Father for his service and wish him well. The assignments are effective July 1st. We will plan a proper farewell in the future.



Bishop O'Connell will celebrate a Mass of Requiem

that will be aired
on www.YouTube.com/trentondiocese
June 17 at 2 p.m. We invite our parish community to watch this Mass and join in prayer for the beloved departed from our parish and throughout the Diocese who we lost during this pandemic.

Dear Parishioners, if you would wish to submit names for Father's Day Mass Remembrances, please either print out the form or simply write the information down and either mail in or drop off an envelope to the church in the collection hoppers located at the exits in the parish hall.

Father's Day Remembrance		
	(Please Remember)	
	Name: (Living) (Deceased)	
	Requested by:	
	Address:	
	Offering: \$ Envelope No.	
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