"THIS IS MY BODY GIVEN FOR YOU; DO THIS IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME."

Saint Theodore Roman Catholic Church

Port Murray, New Jersey



June 2, 2024

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Mass Intentions

- <u>Saturday, June 1st ~ St. Justin</u> 5:00 pm † Anne Guerriere By Charlie & Nancy Guerriere
- <u>Sunday, June 2nd ~ Corpus Christi</u> 8:00 am **† Thomas Mc Glynn** By DeStefano Family
- 10:30 am **† Josephine Ciszkowski** By Theresa Cappelello

Mondayy, June 3rd ~ St. Charles Lwanga & Companions8:45 am† Richard & Gina SparacinoBy Karl & Rose Strohmaier

<u>Tuesday, June 4th</u> 8:45 am Living & Deceased

Parishioners of St. Theodore

Wednesday, June 5th ~ St. Boniface8:45 am† Rogalla SchuettlerBy Helen Schuettler

Thursday, June 6th

No Mass

First Friday, June 7^{th~} The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:45am **† Henry & Theresa Rebinski** By Family

 Saturday, June 8th ~The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed

 Virgin Mary

 5:00 pm
 † Frances Blevins

 By Rachel & Family

Sunday, June 9th ~ Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time8:00 am† Alan Keegan
By Theresa McLaughlin

10:30 am Blessings for Scott Griseto By Cooke Family

You are invited! What better way to start your day

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Daily Mass & Devotions

Blessed Virgin Mary–Monday 8:45 am Saint Joseph – Tuesday 8:45 am Divine Mercy – Friday 8:45 am Rosary Prayer – 1st Saturday 8:45 am



Confession Schedule

Every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment





We had a fantastic response for the Garden Club last weekend! Thank you to all the parishioners that chose their areas to tend to! We still need volunteers to cut the grass and a few more garden areas are up for grabs! Call the office or email for more info.

GIFT CARDS AVAILABLE! \$2200+ raised from your purchases of gift cards! This is from 66 families; we have lots of room to grow.



Use your normal purchases at grocery, pharmacy, gas, restaurants, and many more stores. Every time you purchase a gift card the Scrip program



sends us a rebate on your purchase, which can be used towards our parish operating expenses. They are sold through the Altar Rosary Society after all Masses. Stop in the Narthex to get more info!!!





Friday, June 7th

First Friday Devotion at 8:45 am Mass with Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

The Saints Encourage Us to Go to Adoration

"Whenever I go to the chapel, I put myself in the presence of our good Lord, and I say to him, 'Lord, I am here. Tell me what you would have me to do'... And then, I tell God everything that is in my heart. I tell him about my pains and my joys, and then I listen. If you listen, God will also speak to you, for with the good Lord, you have to both speak and listen. God always speaks to you when you approach him plainly and simply." – St. Catherine Labouré



The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is also known as the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, which translates



from Latin to "Body of Christ." This feast originated in France in the midthirteenth century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264. This feast is celebrated on the Thursday following the Trinity Sunday or, as in the USA, on the Sunday following that feast.

This feast calls us to focus on two manifestations of the Body of Christ, the Holy Eucharist and the Church. The primary purpose of this feast is to focus our attention on the Eucharist. The opening prayer at Mass calls our attention to Jesus' suffering and death and our worship of Him, especially in the Eucharist.

At every Mass our attention is called to the Eucharist and the Real Presence of Christ in it. The secondary focus of this feast is upon the Body of Christ as it is present in the Church. The Church is called the Body of Christ because of the intimate communion which Jesus shares with his disciples. He expresses this in the gospels by using the metaphor of a body in which He is the head. This image helps keep in focus both the unity and the diversity of the Church.

Remember in your prayers the sick of the parish:

Perry Alburg, Scott Griseto, Teresa & Danny, Vincent Locasto, Ann Morpeth, Frances Oleni, Patsy Reiger, Michaela, Adam, Andrew, Kimberly Rivers, Wally Schlegel, Billy Pinamont, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, for the Cáceres Family, Ryan Clarke, Sharon Stritenberger, Helen Schuetler & Family, Marietta, Kathy Finnegan, Joelynn Locasto, Edward Kirby, Joseph Mattar, Patricia Walker and all the intentions found in **THE BOOK OF INTENTIONS** located in the Narthex.

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