



After our **SUCCESSFUL** week of **ROAR** totally Catholic Vacation Bible School, it is time to start planning on attending the **Cooking Class!** This is where we learn that the Eucharist feeds our soul, and food feeds our body! This **AWESOME** time is filling up quickly, so get your registration in! The class runs from: **15 - 19 July, 9am - 12:00 pm (noon).** Come Join Us!

Answers to What's Your Catholic IQ?

1. **c** three times (Luke 22: 54-62; note v. 61)
2. **d.** blasphemy (Mark 14: 61-65)
3. **a** Barabbas (Luke 23:18-19)
4. **c.** Joseph of Arimathea (Luke 23:50-52)
5. **b.** Simon of Cyrene (Mark 15:21)

Fr. Raul and Fr. Dave will be at our General Chapter and traveling during the month of June. Here are the Masses assignment for the Month of June:

Saturday, June 22: 5:30—Fr. Marco Sanchez

Sunday, June 23: 8:30am—Fr. Tom Weise

11:30am—Fr. Marco Sanchez

5:00pm—Fr. Tom Weise

7pm—Fr. Raul Vazquez



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"Every Catholic an Apostle"

**Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi)
Sunday, June 23, 2019**

Each of the readings today feature food, namely bread, and this is intentional, considering the feast. The Body and Blood of Christ are spiritual food. They nourish us on our mission. However, there is one other common element in the readings, one of equal importance: God's blessing. Melchizedek offered bread and wine, then blessed Abram in the form of a prayer. Saint Paul narrates how Jesus took bread and wine, gave thanks to God, then shared them with his disciples as his body and blood. In the Gospel, before Jesus distributed the loaves and fishes to the multitudes, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing over them. As important as the food was for nourishment and sustenance, it was essential to thank its ultimate source.

It may easily be overlooked, but the disciples were an essential part of the miracle in the Gospel. It was not enough that Jesus multiplied the food so that there would be more than enough for everyone to eat. Someone then had to distribute the bread and fish to the thousands of people in attendance. The disciples are the Church, as are we. To overlook their role, our role, in feeding the hungry with what at first seemed like an inadequate amount of food would be a mistake. We are essential agents in feeding the hungry. The disciples carried out Jesus' ministry by distributing their baskets of food. So can we.

Through Jesus, God provides us with an abundance of food—more than is necessary to sustain us. Whether physical food as in the Gospel or spiritual food such as Christ's Body and Blood, an encounter with Jesus leaves us personally satisfied with an excess to share.

Today's feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus constantly calls us beyond ourselves to sacrificial love for others.

Question:

How can I share the abundance I have with those in need? How can the Eucharist I receive nourish me spiritually?

OFFICE HOURS AND STAFF:

Monday thru Friday from 9a.m. to 3p.m.

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MASS SCHEDULE (EST)

Monday: **NO MASS**

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 9am

Wed: 12:05pm Followed by Adoration

WEEKEND MASSES (EST)

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. English

Sunday: 8:30, 11:30 a.m., and 5p.m.

7:00 p.m. En Español

Holy Days—as announced

PARISH COUNCIL: Second Monday

of the month in the Parish Hall, 5:30 pm.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Every other

month on the Third Monday of in the

Parish Hall, at 5:30 pm

OUTREACH SCHEDULE: Wed. &

Fridays 9 to 11:30am **THE THRIFT**

STORE open Mondays, Wednesdays

and Fridays 10a.m.—2p.m.

SACRAMENTS: For preparation and

available dates for the sacraments:

Baptisms, Matrimony, or a special Mass,

please speak directly with Fr. David or

call the office.

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EMERGENCY AFTER HOURS:

Father David: (229) 205-8520

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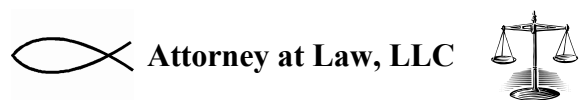
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For all other inquires please call parish

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SOLEMNITY OF HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
(Corpus Christy)

Sunday, June 23, 2019

Regular Collection: \$3,169.70

Trinity Missions Collection: \$1,960.77

Online giving: \$587.00

Thank You!



PRO-LIFE ROSARY, Every Saturday 5p.m.

Mass Intentions for this week

Saturday, June 22 2019: 5:30p.m. For the Unborn

Sunday, June 23, 2019

8:30 a.m. For Peace

11:30 a.m. For Our Parishioners

5:00 p.m. For Vocations

7:00 p.m. For the Homeless

Tuesday, June 25, 2019: 9:00a.m. Rosy Varghese (+)

Wednesday, June 26, 2019 : 12:05p.m. Mary Chaco (+)

Followed by adoration till 2p.m.

Thursday, June 27, 2019: 9:00a.m. P.J. John (+)

Friday, June 28, 2019: 9:00a.m. Isabel Salort; Raquel Silva; Rolando Marrero; Pedro Marrero; Manuel Marrero; Orlando Colón; Gregorio Colón; Hortensia Alfonzo; Andrea Silva; Jose Luis Silva; Carlos Juan Colón; Marcos Joel Rivera

Scriptures for the week of June 23—, 2019

June 23: THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Gn 14: 18-20, Ps 110:, 1 Cor 11: 23-26, Lk 9: 11b-17

Jun 24: Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

IS 49:1-6; ACTS 13:22-26; LK 1:57-66, 80

Jun 25: GN 13:2, 5-18; MT 7:6, 12-14

Jun 26: GN15:1-12, 17-18; MT 7:15-20

Jun 27: GN 16:1-12, 15-16; MT 7:21-29

Jun 28: Solemnity of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

EZ 34:11-16; ROM 5:5B-11; LK 15:3-7

Jun 29: Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

ACTS 12:1-11; 2 TM 4:6-8, 17-18; MT 16:13-19

Next Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 KGS 19:16B, 19-21; GAL 5:1, 13-18; LK 9:51-62

Communion On The Moon:

The Lord's Supper ensures that we can remember Jesus from any place. Apollo 11 landed on the moon on Sunday, July 20, 1969. Most remember astronaut Neil Armstrong's first words as he stepped onto the moon's surface: "That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind." But few know about the first meal eaten on the moon. Dennis Fisher reports that Buzz Aldrin, the NASA Astronaut had taken aboard the spacecraft a tiny pyx provided by his Catholic pastor. Aldrin sent a radio broadcast to Earth asking listeners to contemplate the events of the day and give thanks. Then, blacking out the broadcast for privacy, Aldrin read, "I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit." Then, silently, he gave thanks for their successful journey to the moon and received Jesus in the Holy Eucharist surrendering moon to Jesus. Next, he descended on the moon and walked on it with Neil Armstrong. (Dan Gulley: "Communion on the Moon": Our Daily Bread: June/July/August 2007). His actions remind us that in the Lord's Supper, God's children can share the life of Jesus from any place on Earth — and even from the moon. God is everywhere, and our worship should reflect this reality. In Psalm 139 we are told that wherever we go, God is intimately present with us. Buzz Aldrin celebrated that experience on the surface of the moon. Thousands of miles from earth, he took time to commune with the One who created, redeemed, and established fellowship with him.

(Dennis Fisher)

LAZARUS: We are in need of the following hygiene products: Tooth paste, tooth brushes, shampoo, bath soap, deodorants, for men and women and children

Ultreya: The next Ultreya for the Columbus, Ft. Benning and Phenix City Cursillo Community will be held on Sunday, July 7, at 1:30 PM ET in the parish hall of St Patrick's Church in Phenix City. Everyone is invited to join us for a potluck lunch at 12:45 following the 11:30 AM Mass. All Cursillistas and anyone interested in learning more about Cursillo are urged to attend. For information about Cursillo and upcoming events, call Bob Spano at 706-304-4457 or Louie Robinson at 706-464-5911.



Marriage Minute

A meal is a holy thing to share. Who cooks, prepares the table, or cleans up in your family? Who leads a prayer? Share it all.



PARISHIONERS DEPLOYED OVER-

SEAS: Jake Ryan, Jed Hardy and Greg Craig are deployed please keep them in your prayers.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Nancy Zaiz, Gloria Armstrong, Hannolore Davis, Harry Sellers, Jim Lowery, Emerson Horner, Roger Sigmon, Sr. Judy Jones, Thomas Walton, Oscar & Betty Horton. Your love one's name will appear on our list for at least four consecutive Sundays. If a longer period of time is needed, please renew your request by calling the office. Thank you.

PRAYER CHAIN: We want to help you storm heaven with special requests. Call Irene at (706) 888-1684.

The best of intentions?

A man fell into a deep pit and couldn't get himself out.

A socially concerned person stood beside the pit and said "I feel for you down there."

A researcher ran experiments that proved it was logical that someone would fall down into the pit sometime.

A mathematician calculated how far the man fell into the pit.

An engineer designed a better, safer pit for future use.

A news reporter announced the tragedy on the evening news.

A psychologist offered therapy to help the man deal with the pit.

A government agency did a study on how future pits could be prevented.

A political activist group protested the existence of pits around the world.

A local church put the man on their prayer list.

A church committee collected blankets to keep the man warm while in the pit.

Jesus, seeing the man, took him by the hand and lifted him out of the pit.



Religious Education
Educación Religiosa



Religious Education: As Confirmation does not take place until 13 July, we have made additional dates for our Confirmation students: They are: 9 June, and 7 July @ 4:00 pm, lasting until 6:00 pm. Mandatory.

13 July 2019 – 11:30 am – Confirmation – Must arrive 1 hour early.

14 -19 July 2019 – 9:00 am – 12:00 pm (noon) Kids Cooking Class.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)! Its for anyone that would like to learn more about our Faith. Adult Formation meets every Thursday from 6:45 pm, until 8:00 pm. All are welcome!

Happy Birthday!

July 02: Carlos J. Horner

July 03: Hunter Hamilton
Sandra Nearhoof

July 04: Donna Worthy

July 14: Elaine Richards

July 15: Bill Sellers

July 25: Ron Davis

July 28: Harriette Wright

Congratulations on your Anniversary!

July 03: Carlos & Nadia Wed. Ann

July 07: Gary & Sandra Nearhoof Wedd. Ann

Have a Birthday or Anniversary coming up?



WHAT IS YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?

- How many times did Peter deny Jesus?
a. 1; b. 2; c. 3; d. 4.
- The official reason the Sanhedrin wanted Jesus to die was a. he was a prophet; b. he was a Galilean; c. he was a zealot; d. he blasphemed.
- The name of the prisoner released by Pilate instead of Jesus was a. Barabbas; b. Barnabus; c. Simon; d. Joseph.
- Jesus was placed in a new tomb owned by a. Simon of Cyrene; b. Nicodemus; c. Joseph of Arimathea; d. Mary the mother of James.
- The father of Rufus and Alexander was a. Ananias; b. Simon of Cyrene; c. Malchus; d. Judas.

Answers are in the back!



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