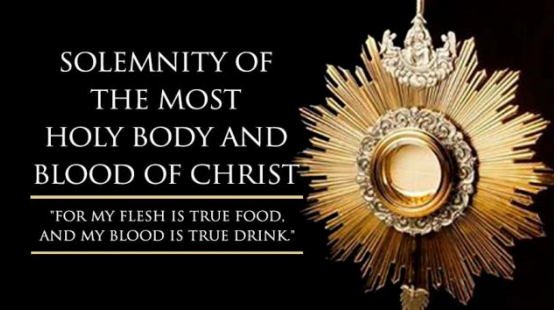


SOLEMNITY
MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF
CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)



JUNE 22nd, 2025

THIS WEEKEND

Saturday June 21st
4 pm ** People's Intention
Sunday June 22nd
9 am + Mr. & + Mrs.
Manuel Serranilla
11 am + Karen Enss



SUNDAY READINGS
First Reading: Genesis 14: 18~20
Psalms 110: You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek.
Second Reading: Corinthians 11: 23~26
Sequence: Praise Zion
Gospel: Luke 9: 11b~17



'This is my body, which is for you'
The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, historically known by its Latin name, "Corpus Christi," is this feast day that highlights the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, ~ Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. The word "Eucharist" means "thanksgiving." It

comes from the Greek "eucharistein" and "eulogein," which "recall the Jewish blessings that proclaim ~ especially during a meal ~ God's works: creation, redemption and sanctification." (Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 1328)

On the night before he died, Jesus shared one last meal with his Apostles. During this Last Supper, "he took the bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them, saying, 'This is my body, which will be given for you; do this in memory of me.' And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which will be shed for you.'" (Luke 22:19-20)

In the **First Reading**, Melchizedek, the king of Salem and a high priest, brings bread and wine and blesses Abram after Abram's victory in battle. This foretells Jesus's ultimate sacrifice of himself, and of how we are united with him through the Eucharist.

In the **Second Reading**, Paul is responding to reports of the Corinthians' inappropriate and abusive behaviour, particularly during the celebration of the Eucharist. His retelling of the Last Supper is a reminder of the sacredness and unity of the sacrament and the need to honour Jesus's great sacrifice.

The **Gospel** recounts the miracle of the loaves and fishes. The food multiplies as it is handed from person to person, reminding us that God's love is to be shared with others and is abundant.

As **Pilgrims of Hope** in this Jubilee year, we pray that we will be united in the healing power of God's unending love. Through sharing in the Eucharist, we are provided with the living bread that gives us strength and nourishment for all of life's struggles.

PARISH COMMUNITY
REMEMBERING THE
PARISH IN YOUR WILL

A bequest is a beautiful way to express your faith and your gratitude for a lifetime of blessings; it would be a gift to the parish. To learn more about making a bequest, please call the parish office.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knights of Columbus will be selling fireworks again from June 25 to July 1st ~ Canada Day.

Their trailer is located beside Tim Horton's on Argyle Road outside of Beaverton. We are seeking volunteers (+18) to staff the trailer. Shifts are only 4 hours in length and there is always a Knight assisting with anyone helping. It's a fun time and for a very good charity. Anyone interested in helping should speak with a Knight or contact Bro. Michael Blahy at (905) 392-8922 or fs@KofCBeaverton.org. The proceeds from the sales are used to support the parish and local charities.



CANADA DAY PARISH BBQ

NEXT Sunday, June 29th after the 11am Mass, we will have a parish social. The

Knights of Columbus will be at the BBQ and everyone is invited. If the weather cooperates, you are welcome to bring your lawn chairs for your comfort. Please pray for nice weather!

COFFEE TIME IS BACK

Come join us for social time and getting to know your fellow parishioners following 11:00 am mass this Sunday on the rectory porch. Coffee, tea and cookies will be supplied by the KOC. There is no cost; just your presence is requested.

MASS INTENTIONS

** living or + deceased.

June	Time	Mass for
Tuesday 24 th	6:00 pm	* Epifania Ganaba
Wed. 25 th	6:00 pm	+ Josiah Sarranilla
Thursday 26 th	9:15 am	+ Jess De Francia
Friday 27 th	9:15 am	+ Maier Family Souls
Saturday 28 th	4:00 pm	* People's Intention
Sunday 29 th	9:00 am	+ For all the Faithful Departed
	11:00 am	+ P. David Esguerra

PRAY FOR THE SICK, HOMEBOUND,
HOSPITALIZED & FOR THOSE IN NEED

Jean Adams, Tyler Billington, Tony Calabria, Ana Figueiredo, Derek Francis, Angela Hoffbauer, Gerry Kavanagh, Louise Kozolowski, Brock MacDonald, Maria Lisete Moreira, Mary Porter, Erika Rihel, and Ralph Slaney

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Parish Promissory Note	\$ 363,500.00
(For the new hall)	
E Transfer ~ ShareLife	\$ 100.00
ShareLife	200.00
Total ShareLife	2,217.30
Weekend Collection	1,363.55

Thank you for your donations!