



November 03, 2024

Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor 主任司鐸
Fr. Bruce-John Hamilton

Assistant 助理司鐸
Fr. Raffaele Salvino

Chinese Mass 中文彌撒司鐸
Fr. Paul Chu

Office Manager 辦公室經理
Winnie Shiao
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Parish Office Hours 堂區辦事處時間
Mon—Fri 9:00am - 12:00pm

Sunday Mass 主日彌撒
Saturday Vigil 週六:
5:00 pm (English 英)
Sunday 週日:
9:00 am (English 英)
11:00 am (English 英)
3:00 pm (Cantonese 廣東話)

Weekday Mass 平日彌撒
Monday to Saturday - 8:00 am
Wednesday - 9:00 am (*School Mass when school is in session*)
Holy Hour every Friday - 6:00 pm
First Friday Evening Mass - 7:00 pm
Holidays - 9:00 am

Confession 修和聖事
Monday to Friday - 7:45 – 7:55 am
Friday - 6:00 – 6:45 pm (during Holy Hour)
Saturday - 8:30 am after Mass
Saturday - 3:45 – 4:45 pm
Sunday - 2:30 – 2:55 pm (Cantonese)

Liturgy of the Hours/Devotions
Lauds - 7:30 am on weekdays
Holy Rosary - Monday to Saturday
After morning Mass

Emmaus Adoration Chapel
The Chapel is now open 24/7 and accessible by a code. Please contact the Parish Office for the code.

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Principal: Ms. Rosa Natola

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Manager: Mrs. Ivana Ciccone
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4 Core Values of Corpus Christi Parish
Engaged Disciples: Corpus Christi parishioners strive to be fully committed to holiness, mission, community and service. (cf. *Mission of the Redeemer 90, JP11*)



Rooted in Tradition: Corpus Christi parishioners are firmly rooted in the living Tradition of the Church, faithful to the fullness of the teachings of Christ in every aspect of parish life. (cf. *2 Thessalonians 2:15*)



Multiplying Leaders: Corpus Christi parishioners follow Jesus' example of ministry by identifying, recruiting and investing in others to become leaders, and equipping them to do the same. (cf. *2 Timothy 2:2*)



Evangelical Hospitality: Corpus Christi parishioners aim to be generous and evangelical in service and hospitality, providing everyone with opportunities to belong to the parish family. (cf. *Acts 2:44-47*)

PARISH MINISTRIES/GROUPS

Adoration Chapel
Alpha
Altar Servers

Araceli Hinz
Michelle Wong
Fr. Hamilton, Fr. Salvino,
Margie Lacson
Mary Vendencia, Mellysa Lim
(9am/11am), Tina Chan (3pm)

After Mass Socials

Baptism Preparation
Bible Study

Adelia Yiu
Joyce Fung (Tues Morning)
Joseph Chiu (Chinese)

Catholic Women's League
Chinese Community
Choir

Camille Macapanpan
Frank Chan
Kevin Garcia (5pm)
Dominica Chan (9am)
Scholastica Au (11am)
Vincent Lau (3pm)

Church Care
Altar Linens
Church Flowers
Emergency Management
Extraordinary Ministers of
Holy Communion
Hospitality Ministry

Joyce Fung
Agnes Lo
Monica Lau
Serafina Chau

Knights of Columbus
Legion of Mary
Marriage Mentorship
Men's Group
PREP
RCIA

Bill Lam
Annie Dee, Mary Vendencia,
Mellysa Lim (Greeters)

Faith Studies
Readers

David Robinson
Margie Goebel
David & Connie Robinson
Seamus O'Brien
Veronica Yam
Neila Tong
Joseph Chiu (Chinese)
Thomas Robinson
Irene Goh (Weekend Mass)
Joyce Fung (Weekday Mass)

Safe Environment
Seniors' Ministry

Karen Tully
Theresa Stewart,
Remedios Yeung
Fr. Hamilton, Fr. Salvino, Schola Au,
Prisca Cheung, Annie Dee, Margie
Lacson, Peter Lee, Winnie Shiao,
Deborah Welsh

Senior Leadership Team

Ushers
Youth Ministry

Rick Lam
Miguel Lacson, Isabelle Liu

BAPTISM

The Baptism Preparation Classes for parents are held via Zoom every 1st (Part 1) and 3rd (Part 2) Saturdays of the month, 10:30 am to 12 noon, except during the months of July and August. Parents must attend both sessions. Call the Parish Office to pre-register for the class. **Baptism celebrations are held on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month @ 11:00 am.**

HOLY MATRIMONY

We welcome your wedding celebration at Corpus Christi Church. To arrange the date and begin your preparations, please contact the Parish Office or either one of our priests at least 9 months prior to the proposed wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If your loved one, relative or friend would like to arrange for a priest for the administration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick or to visit the sick in a hospital, please phone the Parish Office. Or you may contact the hospital chaplain:

VGH:
604-875-4111
Fr. Gilbert Nunez & Fr. Luis Martin Brian Delgado (Mon., Tue., Fri., Sat. and Sun.)
Fr. Aresene Dutunge (Wed. and Thurs.)

MOUNT ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL:
Fr. Joseph Ha Vinh Tran, OP (Chaplain)
604-876-7826

BURNABY HOSPITAL:
St. Theresa's Parish
604-434-4211 (Chaplain)
604-298-6800 (Parish)

ST. PAUL'S HOSPITAL:
Fr. Victor Fernandes, OCD
604-682-2344/604-445-9323
(cell)/604-252-4224 (pager)

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Saturday, Nov 02

Vigil Mass

5:00 PM Hernane Mahinay, RIP

Sunday, Nov 03

9:00 AM Gino, Angelo & Nicandro Martino, RIP

11:00 AM All Parishioners, Living and Deceased

3:00 PM Deceased members of the Chinese Ladies Circle, RIP

Monday, Nov 04

St. Charles Boromeo

8:00 AM The Volpe Family, Thanksgiving

Tuesday, Nov 05

8:00 AM The Bonifacio Family, Thanksgiving

Wednesday, Nov 06

8:00 AM Barbara Boehm, RIP

9:00 AM School Mass

Thursday, Nov 07

8:00 AM Amelita Almeda, RIP

Friday, Nov 08

8:00 AM Robert Kelly, RIP

6:00 PM Holy Hour

Saturday, Nov 09

8:00 AM Robert Kelly, RIP

THE CANONIZATION PROCESS IN FOUR STEPS
CatholicLink

- 01 SERVANT OF GOD**
A cause is presented to the Congregation for the Causes of Saints and it is accepted.
- 02 VENERABLE**
After the cause is approved, the Congregation for the Causes of Saints declares that the person has lived the Christian virtues heroically.
- 03 BLESSED**
The Congregation recognizes that the person is in Heaven. This requires that a miracle has taken place through the intercession of that person. In most cases, the miracle is a healing.
- 04 SAINT**
After beatification, a second miracle is needed to declare someone a saint. After this, the Pope summons all the Cardinals of the Church and the date for the Canonization Ceremony of the saint is determined.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

FALL BACK

Daylight Saving Time ends on Sunday, Nov 3!!! Please remember to **set your clocks one hour back on the night of Nov 2nd.**

You will have an extra hour of sleep!!!!



CLERGY STUDY WEEK (Nov 12-15)

Please note that during the Clergy Study Week, there will be **no morning Masses here at Corpus Christi from Tuesday, Nov 12th to Friday, November 15th.**

Our two priests will be attending the Study Week. There will also be no opportunity for Confession on these days. We will have the usual Holy Hour at 6:00 pm on Friday, November 15.

SENIORS' MINISTRY

Seniors' Ministry meeting on **Nov 7th @ 10 am** at the Parish Centre. We will be hosting the Vancouver Police for a talk on Personal Safety for Seniors.

Please join us for coffee, tea, snacks and information about safety in the home and safety on the streets.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES

All Souls envelopes are available and will be at the back of the church where you can write the names of your deceased loved ones and friends.

Please drop the envelopes in the Sunday collection.

The stipend (or offering) for 1 Mass is \$10

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES BOOTH

The Religious Booth will be opened on Sunday, Nov 10 & Nov 24 from 8:45am to 11:15am (closed during Mass).

PASTOR FEEDBACK SURVEY

The Archdiocese of Vancouver is conducting a survey in our parish to help Father Hamilton grow as our spiritual leader. The survey will ask for your feedback on his strengths, areas for improvement, and specific topics such as his homilies, community building, and overall leadership.

We encourage all parishioners to participate. The survey is anonymous and only takes about 7 minutes to complete.

To participate, simply scan the QR code or visit rcav.org/pastorsurvey. Your input is invaluable in helping Father Hamilton continue to grow in his ministry and leadership.



Thank you for your participation!

Last Weekend's Collection

Sunday Offertory Collection	\$7,449.10
Building Fund	\$4,008.10
Evangelization of Nations	\$280.00
Total	\$11,737.20

Thank you for your generosity!



Remembering the Sick In Prayers

Sr. Florchita Bautista	Juan Garzon	Grace Macapinlac
Naty Bonus	Gerda Heilemann	Maria C. Martinez
Anthony Centeno	Paul David	Cecelia Mulcahy
Helen Cervo	Matilde Fernandez	Toma Nitta
Mavis Chow	Norena Gonzales	Maria Pinto
Francis Claire	Peter Hinz	Sebastian Pinto
Joseph Chiu	Sanae Hogan	Margaret Tai
Christianne Depre	Peter In	Fred Vendencia
Heloisa Schuch Durao	Yuk King Lai	Digno Vibat
Honesto Estabillo	Yen Ting Lin	David M. Williams
	Yvonne Lombardo	Julia Williams

Prayers for the sick can be requested. To add the name of your loved one, please drop by or call the Parish Office.

The names listed in the bulletin will remain here unless the office is notified.

Funeral Announcements

In your charity, please remember

Julian See Licaros

Funeral Mass was held on October 30, 2024

Eternal Rest, grant unto him, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.



Baptism

Let us welcome to our Catholic Community:

Andres Cabal Preciado
Andreia Chan
Kayla Zhao

May the Lord's blessings and goodness be upon them abundantly.

NOVEMBER

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
All of November Is Devoted To The Souls In Purgatory			HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION		1 All Saints Day	2 All Souls Day
3 THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	4 St. Charles Borromeo	5	6	7	8 The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	9
10 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	11 St. Martin of Tours	12 St. Josaphat	13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini	14	15 St. Albert the Great	16 St. Garruch, St. Margaret of Scotland
17 THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	18 St. Rose Philippine Duchesne	19	20	21 The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	22 St. Cecilia	23 Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro
24 OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE	25 St. Catherine of Alexandria	26	27	28 Thanksgiving Day	29	30 St. Andrew, Apostle





pastor's Corner



31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

常年期第三十一主日
本堂神父的話

Pope Francis has released a new encyclical (letter) on the Sacred Heart. Here is a link to the letter. You can download it in epub, mobi, or pdf. It is good spiritual reading.

<https://opusdei.org/en-us/article/encyclical-dilexit-nos-pope-francis/>

Next Sunday, many parishioners will be gathering at the Italian Cultural Centre to celebrate my 65th birthday and to fundraise for our parish debt. I am so grateful for the committee members who have worked hard to put this event together and to promote ticket sales. I am also grateful to the many people who are able to be present, but if you are not able to be there, kindly pray for me, for the reduction of the debt and the furthering of our 10 Year Vision. We have so many reasons to be grateful.

I will be highlighting some of our blessings. I hope it will be a truly uplifting evening for all who attend.

Please note: Fr. Salvino and I will be away for a Study Week from Monday, November 11th through Friday the 15th. There will be a morning Mass on Monday the 11th, but no Mass on the 12th through to the 15th inclusive. The Holy Hour of Adoration will take place on the evening of the 15th.

Remember to pray for the dead during the month of November and offer suffrages for them.

United in Prayer,
Fr. Hamilton

教宗方濟各發佈了一封關於耶穌聖心的新通諭（牧函）。以下是該通諭的連結，您可以下載電子書格式（epub、mobi 或 pdf）。這是一份很好的靈修讀物。

<https://opusdei.org/en-us/article/encyclical-dilexit-nos-pope-francis/>

下星期日，許多教友將聚集在意大利俱樂部，慶祝我的65歲生日，並為我們堂區的債務籌款。我非常感謝為這次活動努力籌劃和推廣票務的委員會成員們，也感謝那些能夠參加的朋友。如果您無法出席，請為我祈禱，為我們堂區減少債務以及我們的十年願景祈禱。我們有許多值得感恩的理由。

我會重點分享一些我們的恩典。希望這將是一個讓所有參加者都能感到振奮的夜晚。

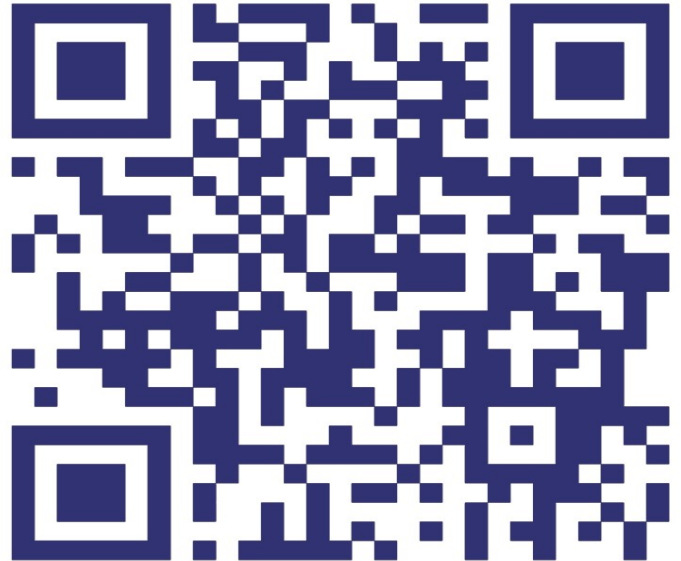
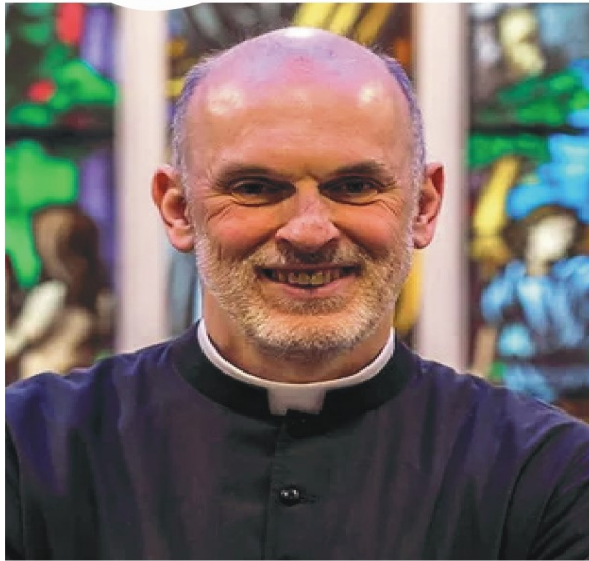
請注意： Salvino神父和我將於11月11日（週一）至15日（週五）外出進修。11日早上有彌撒，但12日至15日將不舉行彌撒。15日傍晚仍有聖體朝拜的聖時。

請記得在十一月份為亡者祈禱，並為他們奉獻贖罪經。

在祈禱中聯結的，
Hamilton神父

The Archdiocese of Vancouver invites you to participate in a feedback survey to support your pastor's growth as a spiritual leader

Pastor Feedback SURVEY



BEGIN SURVEY

Your response will be anonymous and only shared with your pastor as part of an aggregate

The survey will ask you about:

**HIS STRENGTHS
AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT
HOMILIES**

**AND OVERALL LEADERSHIP
OF THE PARISH**



Archdiocese
of Vancouver

Learn more at rcav.org/pastorsurvey

We're happy to announce the results of our **2024 Corpus Christi Parish Survey**

Back in March, we asked you to share your thoughts about Corpus Christi's strengths and growth opportunities. This was a chance for parishioners to provide feedback on our community and financials to continue improving our parish. On behalf of Fr. Hamilton, Fr. Salvino and all the staff at Corpus Christi, we thank you for participating in the survey.



An Engaged Parish

Of the **759 surveys** that were completed, we found some very good news on our parish's community engagement and long term growth...

- 35%** Respondents who have been a parishioner of Corpus Christi for **5 years or less**
- 91%** Respondents who attend Mass at least **3 times or more per month**.
- 75%** Respondents who would like to **learn more about CC's long term strategic goals and plans**
- 82%** Respondents who rated their **experience with the parish as positive or very positive**

Your Contributions

We also asked you a few questions about your motivation to contribute to the parish and what we can do to help...

Q What inspires or drives your decision to contribute to Corpus Christi Parish?

- 1. Church and Spiritual Obligations**
- 2. Evangelical Impact**
- 3. 10 Year Vision and Values**

Q Are there specific aspects that would encourage you to consider adjusting your donation amount to Corpus Christi?

- 1. Clearer impact reports**
- 2. Greater financial transparency**
- 3. Improvement in personal finances**

Corpus Christi's Strengths

Additionally, we touched base on what you think our parish's strengths are. Here's what you had to say...



Community

Many parishioners appreciate the sense of community within the parish and value the fellowship and social interaction.



Leadership

We received high praise for our parish leadership and clergy, with acknowledgment of their dedication to fostering spiritual growth and providing meaningful Mass experiences.



Outreach

Many parishioners feel Corpus Christi is very welcoming and inclusive. People from diverse backgrounds feel accepted, valued and at home.



Family/Youth Programs

Appreciation for initiatives that cater to the needs of families and provide opportunities for children and teenagers to engage with their faith.

What you would like to see

Lastly, we asked what you wanted to see from Corpus Christi and how we can make your experience better...



Financial Transparency

Many parishioners expressed concerns regarding the frequency of financial appeals during Mass and a desire for more transparency regarding parish finances and expenditure.



Family and Youth Programs

Requests for more family-oriented activities, and programs to engage youth in the parish community.



Mass Experience

Suggestions for enhancing the Mass experience include clearer homilies, shorter Mass durations, better sound quality, and the inclusion of children's liturgy or religious classes during Mass.



Enhanced Communication

Improved communication between parishioners and priests, as well as better transparency regarding parish activities and decision-making processes, is desired.

How we're improving

As we look to the future of Corpus Christi we're always looking to improve. Here are some of the actions we've implemented already to address your feedback...



Back in June of this year we launched the second edition of our **Parish Magazine**. The Parish magazine included information about what happened in Corpus Christi this past year and there was also a whole section on **how your contributions have made an impact on our parish**.



Scan here to read the Parish Magazine!

Also during June **Fr. Hamilton** launched a **four-part homily series on financial stewardship** which explored not only the importance of contributing to Corpus Christi but also the impacts your donations are already making in our community.



Scan to watch part one of Fr. Hamilton's homily series!

DID YOU KNOW?

For every **\$500,000** that's applied towards our outstanding loan, we save **\$200,000*** in **interest cost** that we can use to fund **other initiatives for the parish!** Every bit of **your** financial support, no matter small or large, **matters!**



*over the balance of our remaining term



All throughout summer at Corpus Christi, our staff and clergy organized various activities to support our children and youth. Some examples of this included the **one-week Vacation Bible School camp**, the **one-week Altar servers camp** and the **Witness retreat!**

Sign up for our email list on Flocknote for updates on Corpus Christi:



www.youtube.com/@CorpusChristiParish

www.facebook.com/CCRCPV

[ccparishvan](https://www.instagram.com/ccparishvan)



Corpus Christi Dinner Fundraiser



*Join us to celebrate
Fr Hamilton's 65th Birthday*

Italian Cultural Centre - 3075 Slocan Street
Sunday, November 10
Doors open at 5pm
Cash bar and live auction

\$150* for ages 13+
*\$80 is tax deductible

\$30 for ages 6-12
Free for 5 and under

Tickets will go on sale starting in October,
following Sunday Mass. You can also purchase
tickets in person at the parish office.