



**May 04, 2025**  
**Third Sunday of Easter**

**Pastor 主任司鐸**  
Fr. Bruce-John Hamilton

**Assistant 助理司鐸**  
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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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Vancouver, BC V5S 0J1  
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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**

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|---|---|
| Adoration Chapel                          | Araceli Hinz  |
| Alpha                                     | Michelle Wong   |
| Altar Servers                             | Fr. Hamilton, Fr. Salvino, Margie Lacson  |
| After Mass Socials                        | Mary Vendencia, Mellysa Lim (9am/11am), Tina Chan (3pm)   |
| Baptism Preparation                       | Adelia Yiu  |
| Bible Study                               | Joyce Fung (Tues Morning)<br>Joseph Chiu (Chinese)  |
| Catholic Women's League                   | Camille Macapanpan  |
| Chinese Community                         | Frank Chan  |
| Choir                                     | Kevin Garcia (5pm)<br>Dominica Chan (9am)<br>Scholastica Au (11am)<br>Vincent Lau (3pm)                   |
| Church Care                               | Joyce Fung  |
| Altar Linens                              | Agnes Lo  |
| Church Flowers                            | Monica Lau  |
| Emergency Management                      | Serafina Chau   |
| Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion | Bill Lam  |
| Hospitality Ministry                      | Annie Dee, Mary Vendencia, Mellysa Lim (Greeters)   |
| Intercessory Prayer Ministry              | Lina Glass, Winnie Koch   |
| Knights of Columbus                       | David Robinson  |
| Legion of Mary                            | Margie Goebel   |
| Marriage Mentorship                       | David & Connie Robinson   |
| Men's Group                               | Seamus O'Brien  |
| PREP                                      | Veronica Yam  |
| RCIA                                      | Neila Tong<br>Joseph Chiu (Chinese)<br>Thomas Robinson  |
| Faith Studies                             | Irene Goh (Weekend Mass)<br>Joyce Fung (Weekday Mass)   |
| Readers                                   | Karen Tully   |
| Safe Environment                          | Theresa Stewart,<br>Remedios Yeung  |
| Seniors' Ministry                         | Fr. Hamilton, Fr. Salvino, Schola Au,<br>Prisca Cheung, Annie Dee, Peter Lee, Winnie Shiao, Deborah Welsh |
| Senior Leadership Team                    | Rick Lam  |
| Ushers                                    | Miguel Lacson, Isabelle Liu   |
| Youth Ministry                            |   |

**BAPTISM**

The Baptism Preparation Classes for parents are held via Zoom every 1<sup>st</sup> (Part 1) and 3<sup>rd</sup> (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 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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, May 03**

*Vigil Mass*

5:00 PM Sandor Alex Csori, RIP

**Sunday, May 04**

*Third Sunday of Easter*

9:00 AM All Parishioners, Living and Deceased

11:00 AM Filomena & Nicola Iacovetta, RIP

3:00 PM Mary Wong, RIP

**Monday, May 05**

8:00 AM Raymond Jay Dilan, RIP

**Tuesday, May 06**

*St. Francois de Laval*

8:00 AM Manuchehr Mirzaie, RIP

**Wednesday, May 07**

8:00 AM Joanne Cruz Mirzaie, Birthday

9:00 AM School Mass

**Thursday, May 08**

8:00 AM Jianna Tow, Birthday

**Friday, May 09**

8:00 AM Leo & Albo Family, RIP

6:00 PM Holy Hour

**Saturday, May 10**

9:00 AM Confirmation

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS**

**May 4, 2025**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

*"...Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'" (JOHN 21:17)*

How often do you actually say the words "I love you" to Jesus, to family members, or to friends? We are made to be in relationship with God and each other. Sincerely telling someone that you love them is the best gift you can give them because it comes from your heart. You are giving them the gift of yourself. We all were made by love and for love. Tell someone you love them every day.

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**PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**RELIGIOUS ARTICLES BOOTH**

The Religious Articles Booth will be opened on May 4th & 18th from 8:45 am—11:15 am (closed during mass).

**CWL MAY MEETING**



We invite you to attend the Corpus Christi Catholic Women's League Meeting on Sat, May 10 at 9:00 AM at the Parish Hall Conference Room.

Please email [corpuschristicwl1@gmail.com](mailto:corpuschristicwl1@gmail.com) for any questions.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Vacation Bible School will take place July 28 to August 1. This year's theme is "**Radical Ride on the Wings of Prayer.**" Throughout the week, children will explore the true power of prayer and how it can guide them through the challenges of everyday life.

Each day, they'll rotate through five exciting stations—faith, games, music, crafts, and snacks—where they'll gain hands-on experience and learn Catechesis in fun and meaningful ways.

All youth volunteer positions have now been filled. We are currently only accepting registrations for children.

To take advantage of the early bird rate, please submit your registration by May 15. Spots are filling up quickly, so be sure to register early!

**SECOND COLLECTION**

There will be a collection this weekend to support the victims and families of the Lapu-Lapu Tragedy.

You can also donate online at the Archdiocese of Vancouver website or by clicking [here](#).

There will be a second collection on May 11 to support seminarians studying to become priests for the Archdiocese of Vancouver.

## Last Weekend's Collection

Sunday Offertory Collection	\$7,068.10
Building Fund	\$4,204.80
Easter	\$545.00
Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$805.00
Initial Offering	\$3.25
Lenten Charity	\$60.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	\$10.00
St. Joseph's Society	\$10.00
Work of Vocations	\$10.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12,721.15</b>

*Thank you for your generosity*

## Remembering the Sick In Prayers

Joseph Chiu                      Kamla Samy  
Viginia Mak                      Fred Vendencia  
Maria C. Martinez              Digno Vibat

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 for 2 months unless the office is notified.

IN-PERSON

## TRUST & ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Monday, May 12

7 PM at Parish Centre Hall

Learn about the components of an estate plan and the basics of a trust. Gain insight into topics such as probate, tax, and legal considerations. By the end you will be equipped with practical steps on how to plan your estate.

Presenter: Joboy Varghese, Lawyer

To register, click [here](#) or email us at [parish.cc@rcav.org](mailto:parish.cc@rcav.org)

## The Catholic Church: Largest Charity in the World

Serving with love for over 2,000 years



More than 5,000 Catholic hospitals  
& 16,000 health clinics

Serving the sick and vulnerable globally

Sources: Annuario Statisticum Ecclesiae 2020, Catholic Health Association



Over 140,000 Catholic schools

Educating 60+ million children worldwide – many in underserved areas

Sources: Annuario Statisticum Ecclesiae 2020, CSM Global Catholic Education Report 2024



Millions fed daily

Through soup kitchens, food pantries, and disaster relief run by Catholic organizations

Sources: Caritas Internationalis, Catholic Charities USA



Charity isn't new for us

Catholics have cared for the poor since the early Church (Acts 2:45 Acts 6:1-6)



Why?

"Whatever you did for one of the least of these... you did for me."



Think the Church doesn't make a difference?  
Look again







# pastor's Corner



## Third Sunday of Easter

Last week the parish celebrated First Holy Communion Mass for the Grade 2's and some make-up students of our parish. The Mass was beautiful! Thank you to everyone who prepared the students throughout this year. Now let us continue praying that the parents of our parish make the Lord's Day a priority by bringing their children to Mass. Trust in the Lord, make him a priority and all other things shall be added unto you.

Here is a photo of the students taken after Mass and in the school gym.



I will be conferring the Sacrament of Confirmation on the Grade 7 students of our parish this Saturday at 9am. **Remember that there is no 8am Mass on May 10<sup>th</sup>, the day of Confirmation.**

### Learning to Hate What Hurts Us

There are so many people who struggle with and may even be addicted to pornography. It is very good that people bring this to our Lord in the sacrament of Penance (Confession). I wanted to give

some advice that will help everyone, advice that I follow (yes, I'm not made of steel!). I pray it helps you; young, or old, or in-between.

Begin by memorizing this powerful teaching of Scripture: Psalm 97:10 says, **"The Lord loves those who hate evil."** Focus on the word "hate." Let's be real: **porn is evil – all porn is evil!**

It's not "neutral," it's not "just a weakness." It's **satanic**, straight from hell. Zero negotiation! There's nothing - **nothing** - good about it.

If we're serious about following Christ, we have to ask God for something deeper, far more important and effective than just feeling guilty. **Pray to hate it!**

Not by getting angry, or dramatic, but by sincerely asking the Holy Spirit to show you how ugly and destructive it really is.

When you begin to hate impurity for what it is:

- **Grace** can finally rush in and heal you.
- A spiritual "firewall" goes up in your heart. You start thinking before you look... and before you act.

**Hate what is evil! Love what is good!**

That's not being harsh, that's how real freedom begins.

Fr. Hamilton



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### 復活期第三主日 本堂神父的話



上主日，我們本堂區為二年級學生及一些補領聖體的學生舉行了首次領聖體彌撒。彌撒非常莊嚴美好！感謝所有在過去一年裡為學生們作準備的老師及家長。現在讓我們繼續祈禱，願本堂區的家長們能帶同子女參與主日感恩祭，作為主日為生活的優先。信賴上主，以祂為首，其他一切必加給你們。

以下是彌撒後及在學校體育館拍攝的學生合照。



我將於本週六上午九時，為本堂七年級的學生施行堅振聖事。請留意：在5月10日堅振當天，早上八時將不設彌撒。

#### 學習憎恨傷害我們的事物

在現今社會，有許多人正為色情問題掙扎，甚至已成癮。感謝天主，他們把這重擔帶到主前，在和好聖事（告解聖事）中尋求

醫治。現在我想分享一些建議——這些是我自己也會實踐的忠告（是的，我不是鋼鐵人！）。無論你是年輕人、年長者或介於兩者之間的人，我誠心希望這些建議對你有所幫助。

請先背誦聖詠中的這句話，它蘊含莫大的力量：**聖詠 97:10**：「上主愛那恨惡邪惡的人。」請注意「恨惡」這個詞。

讓我們面對現實：色情是邪惡的——所有的色情都是邪惡的！

它不是「中性的」，也不是「只是個軟弱」。它是**魔鬼**的工具，是來自地獄的。零容忍，絕不妥協！色情絕無益處——**絕無**！

如果我們真心想做基督的門徒，就必須向天主祈求比「感到內疚」更深、更有效的恩寵。

祈求去「憎恨」它！

不是以憤怒或戲劇性的方式，而是誠心地請求聖神讓你看清色情的醜陋與破壞力。

當你開始從心底憎惡不潔時：

- 恩寵才會如洪流般湧入，治癒你。
- 你心中會升起一面靈性的「防火牆」。

你會在觀看與行動之前先思考。

**憎恨邪惡，熱愛良善！**這不是苛刻，而是真正自由的開始。

Hamilton 神父



## [8 Powerful Ways to Pray for the Conclave Gathering on May 7 to Elect the Next Pope](#)

This is a crucial time for Catholics to come together and pray for the cardinals who will elect the next pope. Here are eight ways we can pray for the upcoming conclave.

By: Jacqueline Burkepile, ChurchPOP



The College of Cardinals will gather for a conclave to choose our next pope on May 7, 2025.

This is a crucial time for Catholics to come together and pray for the cardinals who will make this important decision.

**Below are eight ways Catholics can pray for the upcoming conclave:**

### **1) Pray the Novena to Saint Michael the Archangel**

The [novena to Saint Michael the Archangel](#) begins on April 29 and ends on May 7, just before the May 8 feast of [Saint Michael's apparitions at Gargando](#).

**Providentially, this novena ends on the day the conclave begins.** Let us entrust the conclave to Saint Michael the Archangel, that the cardinals will listen to the promptings of the Holy Spirit and be guarded against any demonic influence or attacks.

### **2) Adopt Cardinals to Pray for**

In [this Instagram post](#), EWTN published all 135 cardinals participating in the conclave. The challenge? Adopt three cardinals to pray for.

**Here's the post below:**

### **3) Pray Father Chad Ripperger's Prayer for the Conclave**

Exorcist Father Chad Ripperger released a prayer entrusting the conclave to the Blessed Mother.

**Here is the prayer:**

**Lord Jesus Christ, by entrusting to St. Peter and his successors the keys of the Kingdom of Heaven, thou didst establish the office of the papacy. Grant to thy Church, we beseech thee, a pope who, in his dedication to the Sacred Tradition of the Church, will seek to govern the Church according to the Deposit of Faith and for the salvation of souls.**

**Immaculate Mary, Mother of the Church and Queen of Confessors, we consecrate to thee the conclave and the election of the Holy Father. Blessed Mother, look not upon our sinfulness or upon the infidelity of many Catholics who do not accept the teaching of thy Son, but upon the Church which is the spotless Bride of thy son, so that we do not get the leader we deserve, but a Holy Father who will guide the Church for the glory and honor of thy Son. Amen.**

### **4) Pray Cardinal Raymond Burke's Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe for the Conclave**

Cardinal Burke published a novena prayer entrusting the conclave to Our Lady of Guadalupe. Even though [the novena began on April 26](#), it's never too late to join in.

**Here's the prayer below:**

**I kneel before you, O Virgin Mother of God, Our Lady of Guadalupe, the compassionate mother of all who love you, cry to you, seek you, and trust in you. I plead for the Church at a time of great trial and danger for her. As you came to the rescue of the Church at Tepeyac in 1531, please intercede for the Sacred College of Cardinals gathered in Rome to elect the Successor of Saint**

**Peter, Vicar of Christ, Shepherd of the Universal Church.**

**At this tumultuous time for the Church and for the world, plead with your Divine Son that the Cardinals of the Holy Roman Church, His Mystical Body, will humbly obey the promptings of the Holy Spirit. Through your intercession, may they choose the most worthy man to be Christ's Vicar on earth. With you, I place all my trust in Him Who alone is our help and salvation. Amen.**

**Heart of Jesus, salvation of those who trust in Thee, have mercy upon us!**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe, Virgin Mother of God and Mother of Divine Grace, pray for us!**

### **5) Pray the Rosary**

Offer your intentions on the Rosary for the conclave and their decision regarding the future pope.

Our Lady of Fatima emphasized the importance of her intercession for the Holy Father, especially on the Holy Rosary. Fatima visionary [Jacina Marto](#) offered many prayers and sacrifices for the Pope, encouraging others to do the same.

She said, "Poor Holy Father, I feel a lot of pity for him. We must pray a lot for him."

[Our Lady also promises](#), "By the recitation of the Rosary, you shall obtain all that you ask of me."

[Click here to learn how to pray the Rosary.](#)

### **6) Go to Eucharistic Adoration & Make a Holy Hour**

Eucharistic adoration is a powerful way to present your petitions to God. Many saints and holy people of God stressed the importance of making a holy hour, preferably daily.

**Saint John Paul II, who made a daily Eucharistic Holy Hour said,**

**"The Eucharist is the heart of the Church. Where Eucharistic life flourishes, there the life of the church will blossom."**

Archbishop Fulton Sheen also stressed the importance of a daily Eucharistic Holy Hour "because we live in a demonic age." He called it "the secret" of his power behind his ministry.

***"When I stand up to talk, people listen to me; they will follow what I have to say. Is it any power of mine? Of course not... But the secret of my power is that I have never in fifty-five years missed spending an hour in the presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. That's where the power comes from. That's where sermons are born. That's where every good thought is conceived."***

### **7) Offer Your Communion at Mass**

Offering your communion for a specific intention is a very powerful way to present our requests to God, specifically for the future pope. Why? Because the Eucharist is the "source and summit of Christian life." The priest offers his intention at the Mass, [but you can too](#).

When you receive the Holy Eucharist, you are the closest to Jesus you can be while on Earth. What better way to present your intentions to Him?

### **8) Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet**

The Divine Mercy Chaplet is another powerful way to pray for the cardinals during this important time. Jesus even asks that we pray for the "souls of priests and religious" on the second day of the Divine Mercy novena.

He also tells us that he will grant all that is asked of him if it is in accordance with His will.

***"I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion."***

# 2025 MAY



The month of May is dedicated to The Blessed Virgin Mary.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				01 St. Joseph the Worker	02 St. Athanasius	03 Sts. Philip & James
04 3rd Sunday of Easter	05 Monday of the Third Week of Easter	06 St. Dominic Savio	07 St. Rose Venerini	08 Thursday of the Third Week of Easter	09 Friday of the Third Week of Easter	10 Saturday of the Third Week of Easter
11 Good Shepherd Sunday	12 Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter	13 Our Lady of Fatima	14 St. Matthias	15 St. Dymphna	16 St. Margaret of Cortona	17 St. Paschal Baylon
18 5th Sunday of Easter	19 Monday of the Fifth Week of Easter	20 Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church	21 Wednesday of the Fifth Week of Easter	22 St. Rita of Cascia	23 St. Magdalene De Pazzi	24 Mary Help of Christians
25 6th Sunday of Easter	26 Monday of the Sixth Week of Easter	27 Tuesday of the Sixth Week of Easter	28 Wednesday of the Sixth Week of Easter	29 Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord	30 St. Joan of Arc	31 Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary



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**AGES:** Children in Gr. K-5 in September 2025

**WHERE:** Corpus Christi School - Gym

**WHEN:** July 28 - August 1, 2025 9:15am - 12:30pm

**COST:** \$140/child Early Bird or \$350/family (3 or more)

**CONTACT:** Prisca Cheung [778-994-6829] or Mirna Lewis [778-987-6998]

**REGISTER BEFORE:** May 15, 2025 for Early Bird; June 20 deadline