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June 2, 2024

**The Most Holy Body and
Blood of Christ**

Sunday Masses
10am & 8:00pm

Confessions
Sunday, 7:30pm

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*In case of immediate need, call
your parish office to reach a
priest directly.

This Week's Happenings

Tuesday (6/4)

Staff Meeting

Wednesday (6/5)

Parish Council Meeting 7pm

Saturday (6/8)

Community Meal 11:30am

Sunday (6/9):

Mass: 10am & 8pm

**EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR
ORDINARY MOMENTS**

We Can Prepare the Upper Room

We all know that person, don't we? Hey, maybe we've even been that person.

"I have a great relationship with God, but I don't go to church regularly. God and I are on good terms. I can talk to Him just fine on my own."

There isn't anything false in these statements. It's important to have an intimate, even conversational prayer relationship with God. But the problem with this attitude is that it implies that churches don't matter. Community worship doesn't matter. Today, we are reminded exactly why that is so untrue. Why we need our parishes, our priests, and each other.

The Body and Blood of Christ — that's what it's all about. If it's not about that, it's not about anything. If we don't have the Eucharist, we're just like the ancient priests, making sacrifices that don't have the power to redeem anybody.

Where do we receive the Body and Blood of Christ? For most of us, it's in our parishes. The altar of sacrifice is also the table we gather in front of, as a family, to become one with Christ in the truest and realest way possible, recreating the scene in the Upper Room over and over again every time Mass is celebrated.

The disciples were commissioned by Christ to prepare the Upper Room for the Last Supper. How can we take up that work ourselves? How can we strengthen the bonds in our spiritual family? How can we serve our parish, always remembering that the table is not meant to be set only for two?

— *Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS*

Parish Prayers

† Jacob Olson
† Carrie Ahrens
† Michael Dale
† Shawn Preisler
† Don Teff, brother of Bonnie Stachowski
Glenda and Ron Prom Family
† Arleen Boyd, Mother of Glenda Prom
† Parisa
Skip & Pati Rothstein
† Julie Gabrielson
† India Faith Krueger Wasilowski
† Bob Trisko

A Prayer related to the meaning of the Feast of Corpus Christi

The following comes from Bishop Patrick Neary's pastoral letter on the Eucharist:

God of Life, You created us for communion, with You, with the created world and with one another. Time and time again You nourish us to deepen this sense of communion so that we can live out of it with and for others. Your Son came to give his life toward the same end. His body and blood became bread and wine, giving us life, abundance, strength and an eternal bond with You that is sustained by the Holy Spirit.

Open within us the desire to hunger and thirst for this heavenly communion. May it shape us in such a way that our presence may be bread and wine, broken and shared for the world. May we be generous to give ourselves as gift for others. May we be humble to bend down and wash feet. May we be courageous to lay down our pride, our will, our lives. May we live a eucharistic life to share the joy of our communion with You. We ask this through Jesus, the Bread of Life, whose real presence accompanies us from the altar to the highways and byways of our lives and back. Amen

To read more of his pastoral letter, see: stcdio.org/bishop-nearys-2023-pastoral-letter/

ONLINE GIVING:

Please scan this QR code to donate to the many needs of our parish.
Thank you!



July 22-26, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM
For children entering K-5th grade

\$25 per child
Registrations due by July 3 and can be turned into the parish office

Vacation Bible School

Valet Parking

During the road construction project this spring and summer, we will be offering Valet service to those who may need it. Just pull up to the front door and someone will park your car for you, and then after Mass will get it for you. If you would like to volunteer to help out with this service, please contact Warren Christie at [wbchristie56@gmail.com](mailto:wchristie56@gmail.com) or 320-493-5404.

Daily Readings are found at usccb.org

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Bulletin Submissions

If you have a submission for the bulletin, please send it via email to kterhaar@scsucatholic.org. All submissions need to be received by 10 am on Wednesdays. Please contact the Parish Office with questions.

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