#### **BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**

(Corpus Christi)
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JUNE 18 – SATURDAY
2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34
Vigil Readings: See Sunday
4:00 PM – Fr. Pat (English) – Intention of the Parishioners

**6:00 PM – Fr. Rudy (Spanish)** – Jim Tenhunfeld

JUNE 19 – SUNDAY (Corpus Christi) Gn 14:18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17 9:00 AM- Fr. Rudy (Spanish) 11:00 AM – Fr. Jim (English) – Father's Day Remembrance

**12:30 PM – Fr. Rudy (Spanish)** 

JUNE 20 – MONDAY 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Mt 7:1-5 7:30 AM – Fr. Pat (English) – Intention of the Parishioners

JUNE 21 – TUESDAY 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Mt 7:6, 12-14 7:00 PM – Fr. Rudy (Spanish)

JUNE 22 – WEDNESDAY 2 Kgs 22:8-13, 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20 7:30 AM –Fr. Rudy (English)- Carly Boers Brown

JUNE 23 –THURSDAY (Birth of John the Baptist) Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80 7:00 PM – Fr. Rudy (Spanish)

JUNE 24 – FRIDAY (Sacred Heart of Jesus) Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7 7:30 AM – Fr. Jim (English) – Joan Fahey

## JUNE 25 – SATURDAY (Immaculate Heart of Mary)

Lam 2:2, 10-14; 18-19; Lk 2:41-51

Vigil Readings: See Sunday

4:00 PM - Fr. Jim (English) - Intention of Fr. Jim

6:00 PM - Fr. Rudy (Spanish)

JUNE 26 – SUNDAY

1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Gal 5:1:13-18; Lk 9:51-62

9:00 AM- Fr. Rudy (Spanish)

11:00 AM -Fr. Pat (English) – Intention of the

Parishioners

12:30 PM – Fr. Rudy (Spanish)

### Ministry Schedule: June 25-26

**Lectors:** 

**4:00 PM** – P. Wesseler

**11:00** AM – R. Pennekamp

#### **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

**4:00 PM** – B. Burns/K. Fahey/M. Sonenschein/ H. Wesseler

**11:00 AM** – L. Washam/L. Finke

**Servers:** 

4:00 PM B. Browning/Z. Nintrup

11:00 AM L. Finke

#### FROM THE FINANCE COMMISSION

Sunday offering Goal to-date: \$424,000

Offerings received to-date: \$417,800

Amount needed to catch up: \$6,200

Our Weekly Goal is \$8,000

Thank you for your generosity.

Make it easy on yourself. *Use our direct debit system for your Sunday Stewardship offering*. To take advantage of this convenience, please call 541-1563.

## 4 GRAND CLUB

Congratulations to Mary Schweitzer, Paul Wostenberg, and Ken Lane. They are the winners of the Week 42 drawing and each won \$25.

# Happy Birthday

**CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:** Martha Coby (22), Francis Pospiss (22), Tim Baker (23), Bill Konerman (25), Anne Creekmore (25), Doug Meyers (26), Jonas Loyd (26), Olivia Koester (26).

FR. JIM'S DESK: Pope Francis reminded us to think of a single mother who goes to church or parish, and says to the secretary: "I want to baptize my son," and the attendant says: "No, you can't because you are not married..." Let's keep in mind that...This mom had the courage to continue with a pregnancy — and what is she finding with a locked door! And so, if we continue on this path and with this attitude, we are not doing the people, the People of God, right. Jesus created the seven sacraments and with this kind of attitude we created an eighth: the sacrament of pastoral customs!

"WHOEVER APPROACHES THE CHURCH MUST FIND OPEN DOORS AND NOT PRISONERS OF FAITH."

"We need saints without veil, without veil. We need saints' jeans and sneakers. We need saints to go to the movies, listen to music and hang out with friends. We need saints who will put God first and stand out in University. We need saints who find time to pray every day and who know how to fall in love with purity and chastity, or who consecrate their chastity. We need modern saints, 21st Century saints with spirituality embedded in our time.

We need saints who are committed to the poor and necessary social change. We need saints who live in the world, who are sanctified in the world and who are not afraid to live in the world. We need saints who drink coke and eat hot dogs, who are internet users, who listen to iPod. We need saints who love the Eucharist and are not ashamed to have a beer or eat pizza on the weekends with friends.

We need saints who like cinema, theater, music, dance, sports. We need sociable, open, normal, friends, cheerful, companions, saints. We need saints who are in the world and who know how to savor the

pure and good things of the world, but without being worldly." That has to be us!!!

My friends, last week, on the Feast of the Holy Trinity, the parishes of St. Leo and St. Boniface gathered for the first time to celebrate Eucharist. Eucharist is our source of unity, and may it continue to unite us as we learn how to become a family of parishes with the parishes we have been assigned.

Thank you to everyone who came together to celebrate with us and with me on my upcoming retirement. I am very grateful to the staffs from both parishes for planning this day. God has blessed us with good, faith-filled, caring, competent personnel. It is an honor to work with them and share ministry with them.

Thanks to everyone for praying with us. All of you have called me to a holy life and have shared your holy lives with me in the way Pope Francis has described. I am forever grateful to you. As I near retirement, please join me in thanking God for bringing us together, for the opportunities we have been given to experience the extra-ordinary love of our Triune God in our ordinary lives and grow together in holiness and grace. Let's give God praise and glory with our worship and our lives now and forever! Amen! Alleluia!

JUNETEENTH: We have been hearing a lot about Juneteenth in the news lately. Juneteenth, officially Juneteenth National Independence Day, is a federal holiday in the United States commemorating the emancipation of enslaved African-Americans. It is also observed for celebrating African-American culture. Although Juneteenth has been celebrated in various parts of the Country since 1865, it was not an official holiday until President Joe Biden signed the Juneteenth National Independence Day Act in 2021. Juneteenth's commemoration is celebrated on the anniversary date of June 19, 1865. Let us pray for our diversity of cultures, not only here at St. Boniface, but also throughout Cincinnati and our entire Country.

**VOCATION VIEW:** Jesus asked, "Why do you not give them something to eat yourselves?" What do you have to offer to the hungry world? (Luke 9:11-17)