

# *Christ the Servant Catholic Church*

*Our Faith in Action—Serving God. Serving Others.*

# Pentecost

## SUNDAY

June 5, 2022

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**There appeared to them tongues as of fire,  
which parted and came to rest on each one of them.**

**Acts 2:3**

### **Our Mission**

Christ the Servant Parish is a welcoming Catholic faith community gathered together to gratefully share and live the Eucharist, the inspiration of the Gospel, the presence of the Holy Spirit, and to follow Christ's example in service of others.

Pope Francis' Tweet for the Week "My peace I give you" (Jn 14:27). Jesus knows that on our own we are not able to cultivate peace, that we need help, a gift, the Holy Spirit.

Please continue to check our parish website [www.ctswoodridge.org](http://www.ctswoodridge.org), and facebook, for up to date information about what we are able to offer to help keep our community connected.

At this time, we continue to record the mass for people who are not able to make it to church, posting it by 4:30 pm Saturdays on the YouTube channel [christtheservant](https://www.youtube.com/channel/ChristTheServant).



## CASH FOR FOOD Saturday, June 11 Sunday, June 12

**CHRIST THE SERVANT** supports the West Suburban Food Pantry, Downers Grove Area FISH (includes Woodridge), and Blue Jeans for the Homeless.

Food items are very welcome, including canned goods, rice, peanut butter, etc. as well as personal care and paper products.



Please drop off your food and product items in the parking lot before Mass.

Cash donations are most appreciated. Any cash amount is welcome!

A **Cash for Food Blue Donation Box** will be available in the Narthex for your convenience.



Please make checks payable to **Christ the Servant**. All cash and checks will be converted to food donations and distributed promptly.

*Thank you for attending to the needs of those less fortunate.*



Congratulations to our KofC Cubs/Sox tickets raffle winners: 1) four WhiteSox tickets with parking pass to Scott G, CTS Parishioner and Brother Knight and 2) two Cubs prime tickets to Megan B, niece of Joe and Mary T, CTS Parishioners

and fellow Knight of Columbus.

The Knight's want to explicitly thank Fr. Bob, the parishioners of Christ the Servant parish, Fr. Norbert, the parishioners of St. Scholastica church, and family and friends who generously supported us in this important fundraiser. We are happy to report that we raised thousands of dollars, which allows us to help support our Churches and the Woodridge community.



The Knight's also want to recognize and thank our generous ticket donors: 1) Joe G and the RDI Group for the fabulous Cubs tickets and 2) Phillip P and Austin Community Tavern for the fantastic Sox tickets.

God Bless!

Sincerely,  
Joe T,  
Knights of Columbus Council 5918 Fundraising Committee Chairman

**MINISTERS NEEDED:** Maybe you've noticed that sometimes you see the same people doing the same functions at mass week after week after week. It's not necessarily because they WANT to do the ministry every week, but because no one else has stepped up to do that job.

Most needed are people to assist with what we call "Host Team", greeting people as they arrive, handing out the music booklets, recruiting someone to present the gifts, passing the baskets for the collection, directing the flow of communicants, and distributing bulletins at the end of mass. Training is offered, and you have the ability to choose which masses you serve on the scheduling program. 630-910-0770

Find us (and like us!) on Facebook. [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com).  
Type "Christ the Servant Catholic Church" into the search bar.

## A PRAYER TO THE SPIRIT

Spirit of Jesus,  
poured out in flames of fire upon your disciples  
on the day of Pentecost,  
we pray to you:  
Set afire the hearts of your faithful  
so that they will announce  
in all the languages of the world  
the wonders of the salvation of God.

—From *Come, Lord Jesus* by Lucien Deiss, CSSP,  
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## Sacramental Information

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION** Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, the celebration of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation are invited to contact the parish office.

**BAPTISM OF INFANTS** Baptisms are usually celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month (except during Lent) at 11:30 AM. A Baptism Preparation Class must be attended if you are planning your first child's baptism or if three years have passed since your last child was baptized. Call the Parish Office to register and to check whether adjustments have been made to the schedule.

**MARRIAGE** Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months in advance by contacting the Parish Office to set the date and reserve the church. Reserve the church before you reserve the reception hall.

**HOLY ORDERS:** Are you thinking of becoming a priest or religious? Talk with Fr. Bob or email Fr. Steven Borello [vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org).

**RECONCILIATION** Available Saturdays from 4:00-4:30 pm (except Holy Saturday), or by appointment with Fr. Bob.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK** Please contact the parish office for a visit from a priest when sickness occurs or death is imminent for the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. To arrange for Communion to be brought to the sick/homebound members of the parish community, call Deacon Tom F.

**FUNERALS** Arrangements for funerals are usually made in cooperation with the attending funeral home. Contact the parish office for pre-planning of funerals.

**Baptism Preparation Class:  
Thursday, July 7, 7:00 PM**

# EXODUS

## world service

### Report on the Delivery of the Exodus Welcome Pack

*Continued from last week...*

**Mary:** I had the opportunity to set up the bathroom. When I was done, I stepped back and marveled at the color coordination our donors had managed. The bathroom, while still with the original fixtures and tile, had the color scheme of pink and gray. The bright floral shower curtain with a white background was so pretty and cheerful, while the bath towels, which I placed on a towel rack, were gray with a pretty border. It was as if the Holy Spirit knew where these were going and guided each donor to pick out the perfect items. I hung the hangars in the closet and imagined how nice it would be for this family to have someplace to hang their own clothes. The family was scheduled to arrive shortly after we finished. I really felt privileged to be able to help set up the apartment. The quality of the donations reflected that our CTS family chose these items as if they were choosing for their own families.

**Lorena:** (on setting up the kitchen with Bonnie) As I was helping unpack all of the generous donations, I felt such gratitude for having been a part of this experience. I was helping a family feel welcomed to the United States by doing such a small act of kindness. It overall made me realize how small acts of kindness by different individuals can be combined to create a much bigger impact, which I got to experience in person myself. I will cherish this amazing opportunity and look forward to continuing to help with other projects in the near future.

In conclusion, your generosity made a great impact on the people from the Exodus organization. Bonnie wanted us to share that we (CTS) sound like an incredible church body and that they (Exodus) really appreciate the way we all came together alongside of God in welcoming this refugee family to America. They are truly thankful! Thank you for letting us represent the community of Christ the Servant. We are privileged to be a part of this awesome parish!

#### Hotline Numbers for Help

Family Shelter Service Domestic Abuse	630-469-5650
National Domestic Abuse Hotline	800-799-SAFE
Illinois Adult Protective Services	866-800-1409
Will County Crisis Line	815-722-3344
Mayslake Ministries	630-852-9000
Diocese of Joliet Sexual Abuse Victim Assistance Coordinator	815-263-6467
Waterleaf Women's Center	630-701-6270

# Religious Formation News

**Come join us June 19 after the 10:00 Mass!  
For a Eucharistic Procession.**



**(Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ)**

**What is a Eucharistic procession?**

It is a “public witness of faith and worship of the Most Blessed Sacrament” (Holy

Communion and Worship of the Eucharist Outside Mass. Founded upon the Church’s belief that Jesus becomes substantially present to us in the Eucharist at Mass, the Corpus Christi procession is one of the ways that we express our devotion to Christ.

A Corpus Christi procession usually begins after the celebration of Mass, at which the host for the procession is consecrated.



Placed in a monstrance (a sacred vessel that displays the sacred host to the faithful), the Blessed Sacrament is then carried out of the church and through the streets or neighborhood accompanied by the songs and prayers of the people. **(CTS’ procession will be around the circle in the parking lot)** Often along the route the procession will stop, and the people are blessed. In this way the Church shows that Christ, here among us, walks with us on our pilgrimage to heaven.

**Please Join us for this Special Catholic Parade**

### Early Registration! For Religious Formation



This year we are providing early registration for the 2022-2023 Religious Formation classes at a discount! Tuition for students registered for classes before August will only pay \$150 per student. (Sacrament fees separate.) RF

registration information forms can be found at [www.ctswoodridge.org](http://www.ctswoodridge.org) and at the back of church.

## Monumental VBS: Celebrating God’s Greatness!

**Coming June 20-24**



A summer kids’ event called Monumental VBS will be hosted at Christ the Servant Parish from June 20 to June 24. At Monumental, kids explore the sunbaked Southwestern desert as they dig into God’s great love! Kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, make and devour yummy treats, experience one-of-a-kind Bible Adventures, collect Bible Memory Buddies to remind them of God’s love, and test out Sciency-Fun Gizmos they’ll take home and play with all summer long. Plus, kids will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called God Sightings. Each day concludes with a Canyon Closing that gets everyone involved in living what they’ve learned. Family members and friends are encouraged to join in daily for this special time at [time of Canyon Closing].

Monumental is for kids from Kindergarten to 4<sup>th</sup> grade and will run from 9:30 to 11:45 each day. For more information, call Christine at 630-910-0770.

### Volunteers Needed for Vacation Bible School

Youth 5<sup>th</sup> grade to High school and Adult volunteers are needed to help lead Vacation Bible School. We need volunteers who



like to laugh, have fun and who like to smile while share the love of God with others.

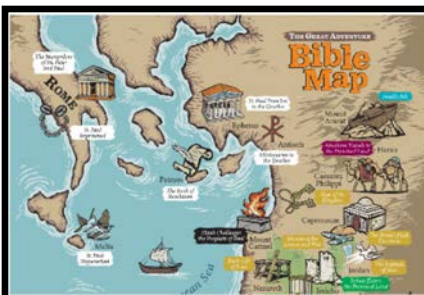
### Registration For Vacation Bible School



Registration forms are available in the Narthex, Flocknotes Parent Newsletter and at <http://www.ctswoodridge.org> Please drop off completed forms to the parish office or email them to [cgoba@rcdoj.org](mailto:cgoba@rcdoj.org)

### Religious Formation Up Coming Dates

**NOW!** Early registration for 2022-2023 classes  
Eucharistic Procession Sunday June 19, after the 10:00 Mass  
June 20-24 Vacation Bible School  
Adult Bible Study Starts June 30 1:30-2:45



### **Coming this Summer: Adult Bible Study and Youth Bible Study**

We will learn the major people, places, and events of the Bible and discover how they all come together to reveal the remarkable story of our faith. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. Adult group will meet on Thursday’s from 1:30-2:45pm starting June 30. For more information contact Christine Goba at 630-910-0770 or [cgoba@rcdoj.org](mailto:cgoba@rcdoj.org).

## Job Opportunities

### **BOOKKEEPER/ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

Christ the Servant Church

Part-time, non-benefitted position

The Bookkeeper/Assistant will be responsible for financial record-keeping and reporting, bill-paying, (ParishSoft software), payroll functions (Paylocity), pension reporting (Christian Brothers), Protecting God’s Children compliance (Virtus, in collaboration with the Director of Religious Formation), contributions data entry and other duties as assigned by the Business Manager. The ability to maintain confidentiality is required as well as experience in accounting. For a full description, visit [www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr). The bookkeeper reports to the Business Manager. Submit cover letter and resume to [FrBob@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:FrBob@ctswoodridge.org).

See full job descriptions for these and other opportunities at [www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr)

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### **Diocese of Joliet Grandparents Mass July 24, 2022 2:00 PM**

At Cathedral of St Raymond in Joliet  
An event of the Family Ministry office

[Www.dioceseofjoliet.org/familyministry/](http://Www.dioceseofjoliet.org/familyministry/)  
Email: [familyministry@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:familyministry@dioceseofjoliet.org)

Mass honoring grandparents with a reception following the mass. Pre-registration is required by July 8, 2022. Online registration at <https://bit.ly/3pEvX28>

### **ONLINE EVENT**

### **Making Happiness a Habit: Four Steps to a More Joyful Marriage Sat, June 25, 2022 10:00 am—11:00 am CDT**

Spend an hour enlivening your marriage while also helping Catholic Relief Services

About the event: Pope Francis says the three most important words for couples are “please,” “thanks” and “sorry”. With that in mind, please come and share one hour with your spouse looking at simple ways to immediately enliven your marriage. All proceeds go to Catholic Relief Services to help Ukraine.

About the speaker: Dr. Jim Healy: Called both “entertaining” and “profound,” Dr. Jim Healy has spoken to married couples across the United States, as well as in Asia, Europe, and the Caribbean. A leader in Catholic Family Ministry for over 30 years, Dr. Healy has acted as a consultant to the U.S. bishops, and received the national Family Ministry award in 2000. Along with his earned doctorate in Counseling Psychology, he recently received an honorary doctorate in the humanities for his work in family ministry. He and his wife Madonna have been married for 38 years.

**Register** for this ONLINE event at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/making-happiness-a-habit-four-steps-to-a-more-joyful-marriage-tickets-297375828107>. Suggested donation \$10/couple

**OR:** visit [www.dioceseofjoliet.org](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org), then Offices, then Christian Life, then Family Ministry Then click on the box “Marriage & Family Enrichment” Then the first link on the left is Calendar of Events & Registrations.. Then click on the event link you want.  
**OR:** call the Family Ministry office: 815-838-5334.

### **2021 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal as of 5/29/22**

**Your Gift to the CMAA Makes a Difference!** The Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal helps our parish and the Diocese of Joliet to provide countless ministries, programs, and services to support our friends and neighbors in immeasurable ways.



Our goal is \$43,400. 70% of gifts received over goal will be returned to our parish for our use. A mailing has been sent to parishioners who have not yet made a gift to the 2022 CMAA. If you have not done so already, please prayerfully consider supporting the CMAA.

A gift to the CMAA, no matter the amount, will make a difference! Together, we can continue to spread the Gospel message in our diocese through our ministries and help others in need. Thank you for your support!  
**If you would like to make your pledge/payment online, visit [jolietdioceseappeal.org](http://jolietdioceseappeal.org) or text DONATE to (815) 205-1949.**

2022 GOAL	\$43,400	AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$43,284	PLEDGES NEEDED TO GOAL: \$116
AMOUNT PAID:	\$33,819	REMAINING BALANCE:	\$9,465	<i>getting close!</i>
DONORS THIS YEAR:	199	REBATE AMOUNT:	none yet	

*Thank you so much for your generosity!!!! God bless you!!!*

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### TABERNACLE LIGHT

Eileen Nemec

### MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, June 4

4:45 PM John & Esther Michalek and Gerald Johnson, *r. family*  
Mary Kay Bastuga, Sp. Int. *r. Krieger family*

#### Sunday, June 5

8:30 AM Bernice C. Deron, *r. Barry Deron*  
10:00 AM People of the Parish

#### Monday, June 6

8:30 AM Stanley A. & Bernice C. Deron, *r. Barry Deron*

#### Tuesday, June 7

8:30 AM William Moracewski, *r. Barry Deron*

#### Wednesday, June 8

8:30 AM Robert Nemec, Sp. Int., *r. Jackie Nemec*

#### Thursday, June 9

8:30 AM People of the Parish

#### Friday, June 10—communion service

8:30 AM

#### Saturday, June 11

4:45 PM Bill Kolodziej, *r. Helene Peslak*

#### Sunday, June 12

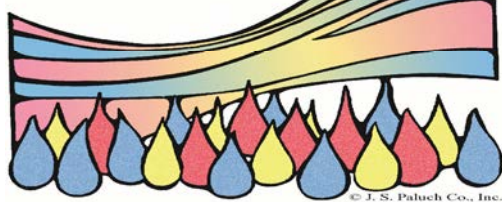
8:30 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM Wally Silunas, *r. Helene Peslak*

*To request a mass, or the Tabernacle Light,  
call the parish office at 630-910-0770.*



In one Spirit we were all baptized  
into one body.

— 1 Corinthians 12:13a



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## Bible Readings—June 5-June 12

**SUNDAY:** Acts 2:1-11 / 1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13 or  
Rom 8:8-17 / Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16,23b-26

**MONDAY:** Gn 3:9-15 or Acts 1:12-14 / Jn 19:25-34

**TUESDAY:** 1 Kgs 17:7-16 / Mt 5:13-16

**WEDNESDAY:** 1 Kgs 18:20-39 / Mt 5:17-19

**THURSDAY:** 1 Kgs 18:41-46 / Mt 5:20-26

**FRIDAY:** 1 Kgs 19:9a,11-16 / Mt 5:27-32

**SATURDAY:** Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-3 / Mt 5:33-37

**SUNDAY:** Prv 8:22-31 / Rom 5:1-5 / Jn 16:12-15

## We pray for the Sick

Ray Banaszak	Fred Huth	Andrew Peslak
Barbara Bayro	Rayna Januska	Alie Phillips
Sharon Bhaskar	Ed Jascewsky	Bob Pluta
Jim Brabec	Madeline Jascewsky	Lolit Ranchero
Pat Chang	Jeanne Jordan	John Rossi
Donna Ciolek	Derek Kaunelis	Jim Sanders
Vic Cordes	Jaxxon Kelner	Jennifer Stile
Marge Felix	Ida Kenny	Dan Szymanski
John M. Foresman	Barb Kosiek	Frank Tiesenga
Marty Foy	Karen Kripas	Hanh Truong
JoAnn Frale	S.Suzanne Lesniewski	Mary Vanderplow
Dcn. Tom Fricke	Robert Losik	Bill Wagner
Robert Gripp	Joyce Maples	Vince Zitella
Joan Haffner	Jan May	
Michael Harris	Chuck Neal	
Carolyn Heinrich	Anthony Nowak	
Carol Hendrich	Linda Pennock	

*Names remain on this list approximately three months, unless specifically requested otherwise. **To update the list, call the Parish Office at 630-910-0770 or email corinne@ctswoodridge.org. Thank you.***

## We pray for the Deceased

**Lauren Fields**

**Josephine & Bob Schmuch**

**Alan LeDuc**

*(uncle of Mike Magee)*

**Charlotte Richter**

*(aunt of Corinne Hanson)*

**Deacon Tom Nolan**



## We pray for those who Serve

**Andrew McGraw**, nephew of Ann & Mike Andreshak

**Nolan Bowers**, grandson of Daniel & Karen Bowers

**Christopher Durkovic**, grandson of Joan Kurtz

**Chase Halik**, son of Tim & Peggy Halik

**Avery Jackson**, grandson of Steve & Karen Jackson

**Ben Jalove**, nephew of Chuck & Linda Jalove

**Cole Jirgl**, nephew of Corby & Sheri Schmitz

**Brock Ketcham**, cousin of Jean Durran

**Kade Ketcham**, cousin of Jean Durran

**Joshua Plucinski**, grandson of Joan Kurtz

**Raleigh Redinger**, nephew of Mike Magee

**Dan Ward**, nephew of Sister Rosemary Ward

*If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. Please also let us know when they return home.*

# Office Hours & Staff

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Woodridge, Illinois 60517  
Phone: (630) 910-0770  
Fax: (630) 910-6060  
[www.ctswoodridge.org](http://www.ctswoodridge.org)



### Office Hours

Monday—Friday.....9:00 AM—4:30 PM

### Mass Schedule

Monday through Thursday.....8:30 AM  
Friday Communion Service.....8:30 AM  
*The Rosary is recited following daily Mass.*  
Saturday.....4:45 PM  
Sunday.....8:30 and 10:00 AM  
Holy Days....consult bulletin or call

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00-4:30 or by appointment

### Pastoral Staff

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**Pat Savage**, Administrative Assistant

### Commission Chairpersons

- Tom Swik**, Pastoral Council Chair
- Ed Koch**, Administration/Finance
- Position Open**, Christian Service
- Donna Ciolek**, interim Parish Life Chair
- Bill Ciolek**, Religious Formation
- Chris Bojanowski**, Worship

# Calendar of Events

**Blessing of Graduates**

**Sunday, June 5**  
8:30 am—mass  
10:00 am—mass  
11:00 am—Baptism

**Monday, June 6**  
8:30 am—daily mass

**Tuesday, June 7**  
8:30 am—daily mass  
12:30 pm—Mah Jong

**Wednesday, June 8**  
8:30 am—daily mass

**Thursday, June 9**  
8:30 am—daily mass  
9:30 am—Yoga

**Friday, June 10**  
8:30 am—daily mass

**Saturday, June 11**  
4:45 pm—mass

**Sunday, June 12**  
8:30 am—mass  
10:00 am—mass

## Upcoming Events

**June 19:** CTS Corpus Christi Procession, after 10:00 am mass (note: date change!)

**June 20-24:** Vacation Bible School

**June 28:** Primary Election all day

**Sept 10/11:** St. Vincent DePaul Clothing Drive

**Nov 4:** Parish Social Event with Grand Raffle

# Parish Giving

One miracle of Pentecost was that, despite their diversity, each listener heard God’s word in his or her own language. The meaning for stewardship is that, by sharing the gifts poured out on us by the Holy Spirit, we will be empowered to meet the needs of our brothers and sisters, whatever they may be.

**NEEDED WEEKLY: 2021-2022**

Parish Expenses	\$ 7,700.00
Debt Payment	<u>2,600.00</u>
<b>Total Needed</b>	<b>\$ 10,300.00</b>

**CONTRIBUTIONS May 25-May 31:**

Sunday 5/29	\$ 4,099.00
Sunday other forms	1,507.00
General Funds	40.00
Restricted	370.00
Debt Reduction	<u>45.00</u>
<b>Total Contributed</b>	<b>\$ 6,061.00</b>

**Differential this week:**

Needed	\$ 10,300.00
Reported	6,061.00
<b>Deficit this period:</b>	<b>\$ 4,239.00</b>

**General Funds includes Holy Days, All Souls, mass intentions, etc.**

**OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:**

Diocesan cemeteries	\$ 10.00
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Debt to Diocese 4/30/2022 \$193,589  
Registered Households—781


**God bless you, and thank you for your generous support!**

**Did you know....** The many languages heard at Pentecost are reflected in the Peace Garden, with the many rocks painted with the word for “Peace” on them. Many thanks to all who have painted rocks, thanks to the people who have donated to help create the Peace Garden, thanks to Ken S for maintaining the letters on the Peace Pole, and thanks to Chris B for maintaining the garden!

  
**LEAVING A LEGACY**  


A free, online will-writing tool is available through the Diocese of Joliet. Visit [FreeWill.com/DiocesefJoliet](http://FreeWill.com/DiocesefJoliet).

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To enjoy the sweetness of quiet prayer, we must shut our minds to all worldly desires.

**St. Norbert of Xanten**  
*12th-century wealthy German who gave all he had to the poor, zealous bishop and founder of a religious order*

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