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CHURCH BULLETIN – June 2, 2013 – CORPUS CHRISTI

Founded in 1928

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Readings: Gen 14.18-20 1Cor 11.23-26

Lk 9.11-17

Responsorial Psalm: "You are a priest forever,

according to the order of Melchizedek" (Ps.110)

WE OFFER THE HOLY MASS FOR:

9:00 élő és †osztálytársak, 60. érettségi találkozó (Szabó László)

élő és †családtagok (Molnár Éva)

♦Házi Jenő (fia)

♦Kovács Erzsébet édesanya (családjaik)

11:00 az egyházközség (plébános)

Lents Mihály, születésnap

Heffner Júlia felgyógyulása (testvére és családja)

Gabi felgyógyulása (Szendi család)

Wohlfart János felgyógyulása (szerettei)

Mária Kongregáció élő és †tagjai (kongreganisták)

- †Fabók László (gyermekei, Piroska és András)
- ♦Miklós, Rozika, Miklós, János
- Patrick Quish
- ♦Csizmadia Ferencz (felesége és lánya Réka)
- *Bukovec Dávid (édesanyja és testvére Péter)
- **†**Bolla Louise (Julie, Terri and Frank)
- ♦Bolla Imre 7. évf. (Julie, Terri and Frank)
- ♦Kolycius Vince és Luszi (Horváth Zoltán és családja)
- Pál szülők (lányuk, Horváth Ilona és családja)
- ♦Nyerges-Bognár szülők (Haraszti család)

Monday (3) Saint Charles Lwanga and companions

7:30 the intention of the Jesuit General

†Kovács Péter, Budapest (Berger Kristina)

♦Miklós János and Rozika (Berger Kristina)

Tuesday (4)

7:30 Lents Mihály, on his birthday thanksgiving for the 90 years (Lents family) the Holy Father's missionary intention †Évi

Wednesday (5) Saint Boniface

7:30 our †Jesuits holy souls

7 PM egyházközségünk zsinata

Thursday (6) Saint Norbert

7:30 Jesuit vocations Etelka and Pál Friday (7) Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

7:30 world peace

♦ Varazsdi Anna (Évi and Zoli)

7 PM Bálintok

♦Lajos (felesége)

Saturday (8) Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30 end of abortion

Vivian, special intention

2:00 the Roma Hungarians in Toronto

The Holy Father's prayer intentions for June <u>General</u>: That a culture of dialogue, listening, and **mutual respect** may prevail among peoples. <u>Missionary</u>: That where secularization is strongest, Christian communities may effectively promote a **new evangelization**.

Funeral: Horváth Ervin (85), Kovács Erzsébet (100)

PARISH EVENTS

Today, June 2 Crepe Sale of the Scouts ❖ How to go together with Trianon at 3 PM 4 MCC meeting at noon 5 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; please sign up at the back of the church 8 Closing ceremonies of the Hungarian School ❖ Mass for the Roma Hungarians in Toronto at 2 PM 9 Tea party for the elderly at 3 PM 16 Fundraising schnitzel and bake sale ❖ picnic of the Altar Servers in Oshawa 24 Lecture in English at 7 pm: Rev. Henri Boulad, S.J: "Theosis and our daily life in the shadow of mosques and secularized societies", introduction by Fr. Szabolcs Sajgó, S.J. 30. Saint László pilgrimage to Coutland.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

❖ Today, June 2nd, on the **Solemnity of Corpus Christi**, the Holy Father will preside over a special

Eucharistic adoration that will extend at the same time all over the world involving the cathedrals and parishes in each diocese. In Toronto, everyone is invited to gather at St. Paul's Basilica (Queen & Parliament) at 4:30 pm for Mass with His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins; immediately following Mass there will be a Eucharistic procession along Shuter Street to St. Michael's Cathedral; following a period of silent adoration, Cardinal Collins will celebrate Vespers and Benedictions at 7 pm, and conclude with his monthly Lectio Divina series for the year of Faith.

- ❖ SEEING WITH HEART. CATHOLIC **PARENTS OF LESBIAN DAUGHTERS AND GAY SONS**. Day of Reflection on Saturday June 8, from 9am -5 pm. Fee: \$40.00 (includes lunch). MANRESA JESUIT RETREAT CENTRE, 2325 Liverpool Road Pickering Ontario L1X 1V4. For Brochure and information call John Montague 416-523-6449.
- ❖ Another honeymoon is a perfect way for a couple to celebrate their marriage. Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre offers **married couples** the privacy, comfort, hospitality and inspiring program that encourage couples to continue exploring their lives together. The next weekend is June 15-17. For information telephone: 905-278-8879, 905-829-0116, 416-694-1742 or register at Queen of Apostles: 905-278-5229.

The Feast of Corpus Christi

The Feast of Corpus Christi, or the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (as it is often called today), goes back to the 13th century, but it celebrates something far older: the institution of the Sacrament of Holy Communion at the Last Supper. While Holy Thursday is also a celebration of this mystery, the solemn nature of Holy Week, and the focus on Christ's Passion on Good Friday, overshadows that aspect of Holy Thursday.

History: In 1246, Bishop Robert de Thorete of the Belgina diocese of Liège, at the suggestion of St. Juliana of Mont Cornillon (also in Belgium), convened a synod and instituted the celebration of the feast. From Liège, the celebration began to spread, and, on September 8, 1264, Pope Urban IV issued the papal bull "Transiturus," which established the Feast of Corpus Christi as a universal feast of the Church, to be celebrated on the Thursday following Trinity Sunday.

At the request of Pope Urban IV, who extended the celebration of the Feast of Corpus Christi to the universal church, St. Thomas Aquinas composed the office (the official prayers of the Church) for the feast. This office is widely considered one of the most beautiful in the traditional Roman Breviary (the official prayer book of the Divine Office or Liturgy of the Hours), and it is the source of the famous Eucharistic hymns "Pange Lingua Gloriosi" and "Tantum Ergo Sacramentum" (the final two verses of the "Pange Lingua").

For centuries after the celebration was extended to the universal Church, the feast was also celebrated with a eucharistic procession, in which the Sacred Host was carried throughout the town, accompanied by hymns and

litanies. The faithful would venerate the Body of Christ as the procession passed by. In recent years, this practice has almost disappeared, though some parishes still hold a brief procession around the outside of the parish church.

While the Feast of Corpus Christi is one of the ten Holy Days of Obligation in the Latin Rite of the Catholic Church, in some countries, including the United States, the feast has been transferred to the following Sunday. Today, Catholics are familiar with the "Pange Lingua" primarily from its use during the procession at the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday evening, when the Body of Christ is removed from the tabernacle and transferred to another place to be kept overnight, while the altar is stripped bare. This is a traditional English translation of the "Pange Lingua."

Pange Lingua

Sing, my tongue, the Savior's glory, of His flesh the mystery sing; of the Blood, all price exceeding, shed by our immortal King, destined, for the world's redemption, from a noble womb to spring.

Of a pure and spotless Virgin born for us on earth below, He, as Man, with man conversing, stayed, the seeds of truth to sow; then He closed in solemn order wondrously His life of woe.

On the night of that Last Supper, seated with His chosen band, He the Pascal victim eating, first fulfills the Law's command; then as Food to His Apostles gives Himself with His own hand.

Word-made-Flesh, the bread of nature by His word to Flesh He turns; wine into His Blood He changes; what though sense no change discerns? Only be the heart in earnest, faith her lesson quickly learns.

Down in adoration falling, Lo! the sacred Host we hail; Lo! o'er ancient forms departing, newer rites of grace prevail; faith for all defects supplying, where the feeble senses fail.

To the everlasting Father, and the Son who reigns on high, with the Holy Ghost proceeding forth from Each eternally, be salvation, honor, blessing, might and endless majesty. Amen.