

# St. Peter the Fisherman Parish

## June 23rd: Corpus Christi Sunday

"Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch." – Luke 5:4

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Holy Name—Machias



St. Timothy—Campobello Isle, NB



St. Michael—Cherryfield



Sacred Heart—Lubec

Dear Parishioners,

The word "Eucharist" means "Thanksgiving," and we have so much to be thankful for today. Today we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi, where we joy in the gift of Jesus' real presence among us in the Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist. The Eucharist is the source and summit of all we do in the Catholic Church because Jesus is our Source and Summit. In John's Gospel Jesus says, "Unless you eat my body and drink my blood, you will not have life within you." (Jn.6:53) The Catholic Church takes this passage literally, and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is that quintessential prayer that brings us the Eucharist. Therefore, let us on this day thank Jesus in a special way for the Eucharist, the Mass, and the priests who bring us the Mass. And let us remember the words of St. Padre Pio who said, "It would be easier for the world to survive without the sun than to do without Holy Mass." Thank you, Lord, on this day, for the gift of both.

With prayers for your holiness and God's abundant blessings,  
Fr. Philip Clement, Pastor

thank  
you!

**OFFERTORY  
COLLECTION**  
June 1st & 2nd  
**\$2,772.00**

Thank you for your generosity.

### Mass Intentions for Corpus Christi Sunday & Week 12 O.T.

Sat	June 22, 2019	4:00 pm (ATL)	ST	CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY — People of SPF Parish
Sat	June 22, 2019	4:30 pm (EST)	SH	CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY — Fr. Donald McAllister
Sun	June 23, 2019	8:30 am	HN	CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY — Fr. Donald McAllister
Sun	June 23, 2019	10:30 am	SM	CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY — Chuck Coggins & Fly
Wed	June 26, 2019	8:30 am	HN	WEEK 12 — No Mass
Wed	June 26, 2019	9:00 am	SM	WEEK 12 — Joseph Cote
Thurs	June 27, 2019	8:30 am	SH	WEEK 12 — No Mass
Fri	June 28, 2019	8:30 am	SM	WEEK 12 — Orlando & Sinai Herrera
Sat	June 29, 2019	4:00 pm (ATL)	ST	WEEK 13 — People of SPF Parish
Sat	June 29, 2019	4:30 pm (EST)	SH	WEEK 13 — OLO Rosary, prayers answered
Sun	June 30, 2019	8:30 am	HN	WEEK 13 — Evelyn Marcinek
Sun	June 30, 2019	10:30 am	SM	WEEK 13 — Carol Altemus

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*Baptisms, Weddings, Holy Communion to the homebound, Sacrament of the Sick, Funerals, or any other sacramental or pastoral needs.*

*Confessions:* Sat. 3:00-4:00 ATL @ St. Timothy; Sat. 5:30-6:00 @ Sacred Heart; Sun. 7:30-8:20 @ Holy Name; Sun. 11:30-12:30 @ St. Michael's

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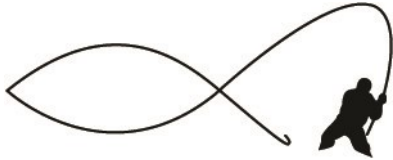
# Catholic Trivia ...

What does the word "Eucharist" mean?

- A. Thanksgiving B. Communion C. Jesus D. Christ in me

Does one receive Jesus in His fullness if one only receives the host at Mass and not the Precious Blood?

- A. Yes B. No



## SPF Capital Improvement Campaign

The weekend of July 13-14th is the kick-off of our in-house capital improvement campaign to fund the much needed improvements to our facility. More details will be forthcoming. As you know, we need to replace two roofs, two steam boilers, and three chimneys. As these repairs cannot be delayed any longer, please prayerfully consider how you can help. May the Holy Spirit help us achieve our goal to make these repairs and build a foundation for the future of the Catholic faith Downeast.



To everyone who volunteers in any way in the parish. From those who set up, clean, and the like, you are the unsung heroes of the parish. Your time, dedication, and selflessness is very much appreciated.



To Maggie Kovacs for volunteering to be the Finance Council representative for St. Michael's congregation. And thank you to all the members of the finance council who work so hard to keep the parish afloat. Most importantly, thank you to all of you for your generosity in the offertory collection each week. We know that you take much pride in your parish, and you are appreciated.

# BAZAAR



## BAKE SALE

We are in desperate need of items to sell at our Bazaar & Bake Sale in August, and now is the time to donate. If you have anything to donate, please call Maria Lester to plan a time to drop off your donation at the hall in Machias. Maria's number is: 255-3942. Please, please, please, consider a donation. Please no clothing.



If you have old photos of any of our church buildings, please share them with Fr. Philip. We are planning to update the history of our churches on our website. Any photos from ages past would be greatly appreciated. Buildings only, please.



2nd Collection  
Next Week  
Chimney Fund



### OFFICE HOURS

Fr. Philip's day off is Monday. Office hours are Wednesdays from 10am — 4pm by appointment only. If you need to see Fr. Philip for any reason, please call the office, or email Fr. Philip directly to make an appointment. Appointments are held at Holy Name Church in Machias.

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