



# Holy Family Parish

*The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*

*Corpus Christi - Year A - Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2020*



**FIRST READING : Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14-16;**

Moses said to the people: 'Remember how the Lord your God led you for forty years in the wilderness, to humble you, to test you and know your inmost heart – whether you would keep his commandments or not. He humbled you, he made you feel hunger, he fed you with manna which neither you nor your fathers had known, to make you understand that man does not live on bread alone but that man lives on everything that comes from the mouth of the Lord. Do not become proud of heart. Do not forget the Lord your God who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery: who guided you through this vast and dreadful wilderness, a land of fiery serpents, scorpions, thirst; who in this waterless place brought you water from the hardest rock; who in this wilderness fed you with manna that your fathers had not known.'

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM : Psalm 147:12-15,19-20;**

℟ Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.

O praise the Lord Jerusalem, Zion, praise Your God! He has strengthened the bars of your gates, He has blessed the children within you. ℟.

He established peace on your border, He feeds you with finest wheat, He sends out his word to the earth, and swiftly runs his command. ℟.

He makes his word known to Jacob, to Israel his laws and decrees, He has not dealt thus with other nations, He has not taught them his decrees. ℟.

**SECOND READING : 1 Corinthians 10:16-17;**

The blessing-cup that we bless is a communion with the blood of Christ, and the bread that we break is a communion with the body of Christ. The fact that there is only one loaf means that, though there are many of us, we form a single body because we all have a share in this one loaf.

**GOSPEL : John 6:51-58;**

Jesus said to the crowd: 'I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world.' Then the Jews started arguing with one another: 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' they said. Jesus replied: 'I tell you most solemnly, if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you will not have life in you. Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood has eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I live in him. As I, who am sent by the living Father, myself draw life from the Father, so whoever eats me will draw life from me. This is the bread come down from heaven; not like the bread our ancestors ate: they are dead, but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.'

**IT WAS PRIDE**  
that changed angels  
into devils;  
**IT IS HUMILITY**  
that makes men  
as angels.  
-Saint Augustine of Hippo

"Do not allow  
the sad spectacle of  
human injustice  
to disturb your soul."  
-St. Padre Pio

"In times of darkness, holding  
the Rosary beads is like holding  
your Blessed Mother's hand.  
Pray the rosary  
everyday, abandon  
yourself in the  
Hands of Mary. She  
will take care of you."

-Saint Padre Pio-

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN:**

Gather, Lord, Your people,  
called to be Your Bride,  
formed by Blood and Water  
flowing from Your side,  
joined with You in baptism,  
washed to give rebirth,  
she filled with Your Spirit,  
shall renew the earth.

You the one true Shepherd,  
searching for the lost,  
You the Lamb of offering,  
counting not the cost,  
You have called each one by name,  
each Your precious choice,  
May we enter by Your gate,  
listening to your voice.

At Your mother's pleading,  
You gave finest wine,  
Now Your Church implores You,  
Jesus fruitful vine.  
Heed the thirsting of her heart,  
and bring forth a flood,  
Open wide the fountain  
of Your Precious Blood.

Send Your Holy Spirit,  
by that Blood outpoured,  
making us one Body,  
Temple of the Lord.  
With Your sev'n fold gifts descend,  
font of Charity, that we may cry  
"Abba", and true children be.

**OFFERTORY HYMN:**

No more, Lord, may we walk apart,  
Restore me Jesus to your embrace,  
make Your tabernacle my heart,  
and deep within me Your dwelling place.  
Then will my love become true,  
and my heart burn with the purest  
flame, for I would live not for me but  
You, and glorify the Father's name,  
For I would live not for me but You,  
and glorify the Father's name.

Contented to be with my Lord,  
my Saviour who gave His life for me,  
O that all creation adored in holiness and  
humility. This age has many messiahs,  
all the while seeking to fill its need, but I  
have found what my soul desires, the  
Bread of Life does truly feed. But I have  
found what my soul desires, the bread of  
life does truly feed.

Your cross, O Christ has set us free,  
has shown to sinners a loving face.  
The pow'r of sin can no more be,  
if all but welcome this healing grace.  
Faced now with death and with hate,  
may I love even the sinners worst,  
that through my love they may  
contemplate You who alone will quench  
their thirst. That through my love they  
may contemplate You who alone will  
quench their thirst.

**COMMUNION HYMN:**

*Verily, verily, I say unto you:  
except ye eat the flesh of the Son of  
man, and drink his blood, ye have no life  
in you. Who so eateth my flesh, and  
drinketh my blood, hath eternal life;  
and I will raise him up at the last day  
and I will raise him up at the last day.  
For my flesh is meat indeed, and my  
blood is drink indeed. He that eateth my  
flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth  
in me, and I in him.*

Soul of my Saviour, Sanctify my breast;  
body of Christ, be thou my saving  
guest; blood of my Saviour, bathe me  
in thy tide, wash me with water  
flowing from thy side.

Strength and protection may thy  
passion be; O blessed Jesus, hear and  
answer me; deep in thy wounds, Lord,  
hide and shelter me; so shall I never,  
never part from thee.

Guard and defend me from the foe  
malign; in death's dread moments  
make me only thine; call me and bid  
me come to thee on high, where I may  
praise thee with thy saints for aye.

Jesus, my Lord, my God, my all,  
How can I love thee as I ought?  
And how revere this wondrous gift,  
So far surpassing hope or thought?

*Sweet Sacrament, we Thee adore,  
O make us love Thee more and more!  
O make us love Thee more and more!*

Had I but Mary's sinless heart,  
To love Thee with, my dearest King;  
O! with what bursts of fervent praise,  
Thy goodness Jesus would I sing.

O, see within a creature's hand,  
The vast creator deigns to be,  
Reposing infant like as though  
On Joseph's arm, on Mary's knee.

Thy body, soul, and Godhead, all  
O mystery of love divine!  
I cannot compass all I have,  
For all thou hast and art are mine.

Sound, sound His praises higher still,  
and come ye Angels to our aid;  
'Tis God, 'tis God, the very God,  
whose power both man and angels  
made.

**Adoration will follow the  
9:30am Mass TODAY.  
(11am till 6pm)**

**NEXT SUNDAY:**

**21 June 2020**

**12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr A)**  
*Jer 20:10-13; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33;*

**LITURGY ROSTER**

**Readers:** M. D'Souza, Leslie Ahio

**Prayers of the Faithful:** A. Leifi

**Offertory:** N & V Fakava

**Special Ministers:** F. Ulugia

**CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER**

Lim/Pillai Families

**SUNDAY CUP OF TEA ROSTER**

Samoan Community

**ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK**

**14 Jun:** Gerard Savage, Gwen Vernon,  
Esley Ulrich and Patric David.

**19 Jun:** Joe Malcon,  
Harata Hohoia - Nathan

**PARISH FINANCES**

<b>Parish</b>	<b>\$1,625.70</b>
<b>Priests</b>	<b>\$812.80</b>
<b>Total Cash</b>	<b>\$2,438.50</b>

**~ DIOCESAN NEWS ~**

The Diocesan Mass will still be screening  
on Sunday on Shine TV at 2pm.

**~ HOLY FAMILY NEWS ~**

**Morning tea in the Hall TODAY!** after  
the 9:30am Mass, *please bring a plate.*

**Thank you!** we cannot thank you all  
enough for all the help you gave the  
Parish during lockdown, levels 2 and 3  
as well as during communion on  
Sundays and helping out so that we  
could still celebrate Mass with the  
restriction. Thank you all so much.

**First Reconciliation Classes** - the  
final two lessons will start again on  
Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July from 4pm to 5pm.  
*Please note: These lessons are for those who  
were enrolled earlier in the year and were  
not able to receive the Sacrament of First  
Reconciliation due to lockdown.*

**Catechism Classes** - will start on  
Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July after the 9:30am  
Mass.

**Pledge Envelopes:** can be collected  
from the Parish Office on Thursday and  
Friday from 10am to 2pm.



**The Solemnity  
of the Most  
Sacred Heart of  
Jesus**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June  
Masses at  
9am and 7pm**