

# dear Padre

June 7, 2015

## What do we do if we see the Communion host on the floor?

What should I do if see a piece of host on the floor? What do I do if I drop the host? Sometimes after holy Communion is given out, I see pieces of the consecrated host on the floor. Is it OK to eat them? And what about receiving holy Communion with chewing gum in one's mouth?

**Eating the pieces is one option.** However, it might be hard to distinguish between pieces of a host, lint, or dust. So a better option is to talk to your pastor.

If he thinks there is an issue, then he could have someone take the particles into the sacristy and put them in a container of water, allowing them to dissolve and then wash them down the sacrarium, a sink that goes directly into the ground. If he does not think there is an issue, be obedient to his decision.

That brings us to your second question. It is not respectful to chew gum when one is receiving holy Communion.

Receiving holy Communion demands our respect and reverence. It requires our fullest attention.

If a person were about to eat a fine meal with gum in his mouth, the cook would be insulted. In the same way, how much more important and “delicious” is the sweetness of the Lord (Psalm 34:8)?

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### Monday

June 8

Weekday

2 Cor 1:1–7

Mt 5:1–12

### Tuesday

June 9

*St. Ephrem, Deacon  
Doctor of the Church*

2 Cor 1:18–22

Mt 5:13–16

### Wednesday

June 10

Weekday

2 Cor 3:4–11

Mt 5:17–19

### Thursday

June 11

*St. Barnabas, Apostle*

Acts 11:21b–26;

13:1–3

Mt 5:20–26

### Friday

June 12

*The Most Sacred  
Heart of Jesus*

Hos 11:1, 3–4, 8c–9

Eph 3:8–12, 14–19

Jn 19:31–37

### Saturday

June 13

*The Immaculate  
Heart of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary;*

*St. Anthony of Padua,*

*Priest and Doctor*

*of the Church*

2 Cor 5:14–21

Mt 5:33–37 or

Is 61:9–11

Lk 2:41–51

### Sunday

June 14

*Eleventh Sunday  
in Ordinary Time*

Ez 17:22–24

2 Cor 5:6–10

Mk 4:26–34

# Good News!

June 7, 2015

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

Ex 24:3–8 / Heb 9:11–15 / Mk 14:12–16, 22–26

I used to dream about the kind of house I would live in when I grew up. I wanted gracious, rooms, a large kitchen, a family room and—for reasons passing understanding—I wanted a stream running through the house with a waterfall somewhere in it. The house I actually live in was more than 100 years old when we bought it. It needed a boiler, a roof, and a new bathroom within the first year.

The rooms were small; the kitchen had no drawers. There were no closets on the first floor. But it was ours and we raised our family in it. The smallness of the house did not seem to matter to our children's school friends who regularly visited, knew they could call us if there was an emergency, and could count on a full bowl of fruit salad (strawberries, blueberries, kiwi, and grapes) in the refrigerator.

It would have been easy to have complained about the difference between the dream and the reality. My husband and I might have argued about getting a bigger home. But we realized that “home” was not about the building; it was—and is—about the community and relationships inside.

Had the love not been there, we might have even become divided over the flaws. I like to think that our marriage and family were blessed with the grace to see what was important. I know that in a world of poverty, we were privileged. But I believe that having each other and sharing our faith was our strength and our foundation, and would have been even if we had lost everything.

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**THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST**

**JUNE 7, 2015**

**St. Peter the Fisherman Parish**  
**407 Jackson Street, Fairmont, WV 26554**  
**Parish E-Mail: ChurchOffice@thefisherman.org**  
**Parish Website: www.thefisherman.org**

**Rectory/Office Telephone:** 304-363-7434  
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(7-12) Mrs. Cynthia Garcia

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**Lambert Hall:** 304-363-5703  
**Holy Cross-Mt. Carmel**  
**Cemeteries Office** 304-363-7420  
**Fairmont Catholic School** 304-363-5313  
**Principal: Mr. Richard Pellegrin**

**Parish Membership:** Welcome to St. Peter the Fisherman Parish! To register as a new or returning member of the parish, please contact the parish office at 304-363-7434. Parish registration and membership is required for the reception of Baptism, the Sacraments of Initiation, Marriage, and for the issuance of Sponsor Certificates, among many other important matters. Please identify yourself as a new or returning member to Father Robert before/after Mass.

**Baptism:** For infant Baptism, please contact Father Perriello. Pre-baptism sessions are normally required, and will be arranged with Father Robert. Parish membership and regular Mass attendance is important with all the Sacraments.

**Marriage:** The couple must contact Father Perriello at least six months in advance to begin preparation requirements. No date can be set until you have met with the pastor. Parish membership and regular Mass attendance is important with all the Sacraments.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation/Penance:** On Saturdays, 4:00 to 5:00 p.m., and at other times by appointment with Father Robert.

**Sick and Homebound Ministry:** If you or a family member is sick, hospitalized or homebound, please contact the parish office (304-363-7434) to be placed on our Communion & Visitation list. In an emergency, or for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact Fr. Robert at the Rectory at any hour, at phone extension 22.

**The Newman Center:** Catholic Campus Ministry for students, faculty and staff of Fairmont State University and Pierpont Community & Technical College, 1200 College Park, Fairmont, WV 26554. Our website is [www.fsunewman.org](http://www.fsunewman.org) and the Newman Center phone is 304-363-2300. Schedules of Mass and activities are also posted on the doors of the Newman Center. **Very Rev. Robert A. Perriello, V.F., Chaplain/Administrator:** his e-mail is [Robbiemuse@aol.com](mailto:Robbiemuse@aol.com) and his phone 304-363-7434 extension 22. **Mrs. Mara K. Vogel, Campus Minister:** her e-mail to [FSUNewman@gmail.com](mailto:FSUNewman@gmail.com) and phone 304-363-2300. Parish Priests of the greater Fairmont area serve as Assistant Chaplains on a voluntary basis.

**Prayer Chain**

**If you would like to request prayer for some one call:**  
**Carmela Saporito** (7am-4pm) 304-363-4328  
**Joan Ross** (7am-4pm) 304-363-3959  
**Christina Adducchio-McCutcheon** (4pm-8:30pm)  
304-363-0820

**WV RESCUE MINISTRIES, INC.:** Your gift of \$500.00 received on 5/18/2015 is greatly appreciated. Your gift helped feed and house mothers and their families along with others needing your care. On behalf of the men, women and children we housed in May, thank you for caring help. We housed them because of people like you. We are able to provide the essentials of life along with guidance and teaching with your help. Your partnership makes a difference to homeless people we serve and this ministry. Thank you for being a part of the work of rescue! **(George Batten)**

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** is Tuesdays, 12:00 p.m. prior to the desired publication date. Please submit announcements to Pam or Judy at ChurchOffice@thefisherman.org. Announcements must be submitted as copy-ready text. You may also submit a clearly hand printed or typed announcement if you do not have access to a computer. Thanks You! **(Pam Jett-Pagliaro)**

**UNLEASH YOUR INNER GIFTS:** is a Women's Retreat presented by Kathleen DuBois on November 13-15, 2015 at the St. John XXIII Pastoral Center, Charleston, WV. For more information please pick up a flyer/registration form on the table in the downstairs foyer of the church. **(Beth Longo)**

**DRIVE FOR HOPE:** Catholic Charities West Virginia (CCWVa) Parkersburg Region will hold its first **Drive for Hope** golf scramble Saturday, July 18 at Worthington Golf Club in Parkersburg W.Va. Registration will open at 7:00 a.m. with start time at 8:30 a.m. Proceeds from the scramble will support direct service programs throughout the region which serves Calhoun, Jackson, Pleasants, Ritchie, Roane, Tyler, Wetzel, Wirt and Wood Counties. A variety of cash prizes as well as door prizes will be awarded. A variety of sponsorship opportunities are available, as well. To sponsor or register your team for the scramble call **304-917-4486** to get a form or visit [www.CatholicCharitiesWV.org](http://www.CatholicCharitiesWV.org) **(Tina High)**

## Jesus the Bread of Life

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world." John 6:51 (NIV)



Enter the missing vowels to complete the words from the Bible verse shown above.

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5. FL \_ SH \_\_\_\_\_
6. H \_ \_ V \_ N \_\_\_\_\_

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND, JUNE 13 AND JUNE 14**

**5:30 p.m.**      **Lectors:**                      **Rosetta Caldwell, Danielle Chefren**  
**Eucharistic Ministers:**      **Patricia Andrews, Nancy Demming, Barbara Fox**  
**Altar Servers:**                      **Billy Tobin, Sinead Tobin**

**8:00 a. m.**      **Lectors:**                      **Ann Burns, Mary Jo Roman**  
**Eucharistic Ministers:**      **Elizabeth Kennedy, Ellen Snyder, James Yanero**  
**Altar Servers:**                      **Elijah Frank, Pat Stowe, Volunteer**

**10:30 a.m.**      **Lectors:**                      **Ken Enos, Kathy Nigh**  
**Eucharistic Ministers:**      **John Nigh, Emily Nigh, Ron Straight**  
**Altar Servers:**                      **Eviana Barnes, Nicklaus Jenab, Trent Retton**

**Masses This Weekend, June 6th & June 7th**

**Saturday 5:30 p.m. † Paul Bartic**  
**Sunday 8:00 a.m. † Smiley Caldwell**  
**10:30 a.m. For Our People**

**Stewardship for May 30th & May 31st**

<b>Regular</b>	<b>\$4,395.00</b>
<b>Charities</b>	<b>10.00</b>
<b>Major Facilities</b>	<b>20.00</b>
<b>Peter's Pence</b>	<b>75.00</b>

**THE CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS.** Court Joan of Arc will have an "Informational Open House / Ice Cream Social" on Saturday, June 13th, 1:30 to 3:30 in Marian Hall. All members and guests are invited to attend. **(Kathy Daniels)**



**WORKSHOP:** "The Diocesan Religious Unity Office announces the 45th Ecumenical Scripture Workshop, to be held at Priest Field Pastoral Center June 22-26. Registration information is available on the table in the downstairs foyer of the church, or by contacting the Office of Religious Unity at the diocesan offices (304) 925-2864." **(Rev. Mr. Dennis Nesser)**

**WINNER'S CIRCLE  
 NUMBER IS  
 152**

**HEY COLLEGE STUDENTS!** Home for the summer and want to stay involved in your faith with people your age? The Newman Center at Fairmont State University is opening its doors for the summer to all college students and recent high school graduates in the area. We will have a wide variety of activities and trips planned over the summer to keep you busy and involved with people your age and in your faith. For more information or to sign up to receive emails with updates, visit [www.fsunewman.org](http://www.fsunewman.org) or call/txt 304-319-2128. **(Mara Vogel)**

**RECYCLE YOUR OLD CELL PHONES** and benefit the Task Force on Domestic Violence, HOPE Inc. (a United Way Agency). Phones will be re-programmed for victims of abuse to use for emergencies or will be recycled. All brands and types of cell phones, batteries, and their chargers accepted. Drop off location at: St. Peter the Fisherman Parish Office, 407 Jackson Street, Fairmont. You may also drop them in the Priests' Sacristy before/after all Masses. **(Father Robert)**

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:** I am away from the parish at Notre Dame University in South Bend, IN, from Sunday afternoon June 7<sup>th</sup> through Saturday afternoon, June 13<sup>th</sup>. I will be participating in the Annual Liturgical Conference there. While I am away, please check with our parish staff at the office 304-363-7434 for any special assistance you may need. Beginning on June 15<sup>th</sup>, our environmental contractor will be downstairs in Lambert Hall removing the last little bit of asbestos tiles we could not reach back in Dec/Jan when we removed most of it. The process is entirely safe to the public, as everything is behind a sealed barrier, and air tested to confirm that no asbestos is launched into the air or anywhere else. We had a pre-bid meeting with prospective contractors last Thursday morning along with the Diocesan Buildings and Properties Supervisor, Mr. John Reardon. Contractors should begin their demo work as soon as the asbestos contract is concluded, a matter of a few days. Throughout the rest of the summer all of Lambert Hall and the downstairs restrooms will be off limits, beginning around June 17<sup>th</sup> but I will update the parishioners in more detail soon. Pray for a safe and successful renovation project. Have a great week! **(Fr. Robert)**



**MISSIONARY APPEAL WEEKEND:** This weekend we have an Authorized Missionary Group representative at all the Masses who will be preaching the Homily, and helping us to understand more about their Missionary Works on behalf of the Church. We have included a paper about them in the bulletin last weekend: The Missionaries of St. Francis de Sales (MSFS) and the visiting Priest will tell us more about them. There will be a second collection this weekend for our Missionary Group but there will not be any special envelopes in your packets for this. If you wish to have a record of your donations for tax purposes, use a plain white envelope for the second collection, and write your name on the front, the words "Missionary Collection" and your envelope number (if you know it.) **(Father Robert)**

**NORTH CENTRAL WV TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST:** invites everyone ages 16-24, to spend three days on a retreat that will change your life. From July 18-20, 2015 at Immaculate Conception Church, Fairmont, WV. Cost: \$50, but don't let the expense keep you away; financial assistance is available. Come over and spend some time talking and learning about faith with people your age. Questions? Please contact John Yaquina 304-838-1987; Becky DeVito 304-657-8357; or Marge McCawley 304-376-4188. For registration information, email [ncwvtec@gmail.com](mailto:ncwvtec@gmail.com) Applications can be found on the table in the downstairs foyer of the church. **(Marge McCawley)**

**NOMINATIONS DUE FOR PASTORAL COUNCIL:** In May and June each year, we have a process for nominating parishioners for a revolving 3-year term on our Parish Pastoral Council. We want to thank those whose current terms are expiring now: Joanna Ross, Mary Jo Roman, Teresa Zelt and Tina Peterman. According to our records, this is a first term for each, so each is able to be nominated in this process, should you wish to do so. Beyond that, any registered parishioner over the age of 18, who is Baptized, Confirmed, and has celebrated their First Communion, and who are in good standing under Church Law may stand for Nomination and Selection. Please take the time to nominate up to four persons using the sheets we provided last weekend, and which will also be found near the various Church entrances this weekend near the bulletin stations. Please note you are to first ask the person you want to nominate if they will be willing to serve on Council prior to nominating them. This saves everyone a tremendous amount of time. Please be attentive to this important detail. You may fill out the Nominating Ballots and place them into any collection basket at weekend Masses over the next week. You may also drop them off at the Rectory Parish Office, or mail them into us there. All Ballots must be in by Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> when they will be processed, and the selection process will happen at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup> after Communion, during the Announcements time. Thank you! **(Fr. Robert)**

**LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Monday	June 8	8:15 a.m.	Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion
Tuesday	June 9	8:15 a.m.	Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion
Wednesday	June 10		<u>NO MASS</u>
Thursday	June 11	8:15 a.m.	Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion
Friday	June 12		<u>NO MASS</u>

**NEXT WEEKEND**

Saturday	June 13	5:30 p.m. †	Sophia Andrews
Sunday	June 14	8:00 a.m. †	Seseen Francis
		10:30 a.m.	For Our People

Please Note: If we have a Funeral Mass, the regular 8:15 a.m. Mass is cancelled

MASSES MAY BE SCHEDULED FOR ONE YEAR IN ADVANCE

**PARISH CALENDAR**

THE SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR THE AUTHORIZED MISSIONARY GROUP

Sunday June 7  
11:30 a.m. Confirmation Class - Convent

Wednesday June 10  
2:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion - Wishing Well - Pierpont  
NO Women's Faith Study Group

**NEXT WEEKEND**

Saturday June 13  
4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday June 14  
11:30 a.m. Confirmation Class - Convent

# Corpus Christi 2015

Most holy Body & Blood of Christ

10:30 Prelude: Le banquet céleste – Messiaen  
He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth in me and I in him." – John 6:56

Extremely slow, juxtaposing beautiful chords – representing the love God shows the world by offering His Son for the remission of sins – with notes in the pedal line representing the drops of Christ's blood from the cross. Time seems to be completely suspended in the meditation on the meaning of the Eucharist – the heavenly banquet. Understanding this organ meditation takes prayer & concentration. Messiaen was a mystical composer from France.

Gathering song RS 658 LET ALL MORTAL FLESH

Gloria: MASS OF CREATION

Responsorial psalm 116 • Psallite

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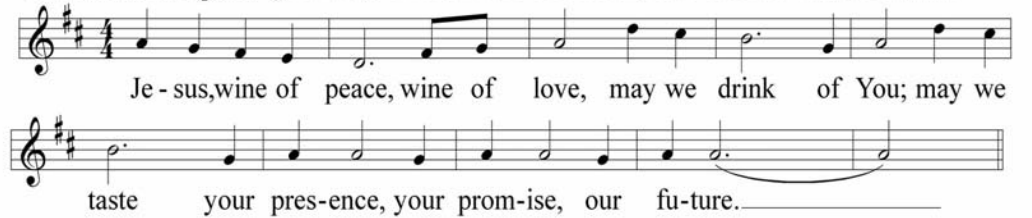
Raise the cup of sal-va-tion and call up-on the Name of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation MASS OF CREATION

Presentation hymn RS 760 A TOUCHING PLACE

Eucharistic Acclamations: MASS OF CREATION

Communion hymn JESUS, WINE OF PEACE/Haas ©1995 GIA Publications, Inc. Used with permission.



Saint Augustine recounts in his autobiography, *Confessions*, an experience he had during the singing of the Mass: "How I wept, deeply moved by your hymns, songs, and the voices that echoed through your Church! What emotion I experienced in them! Those sounds flowed into my ears, distilling the truth in my heart. A feeling of devotion surged within me, and tears streamed down my face — tears that did me good". How can we explain this overwhelming and transforming experience that led one of our greatest saints to the Church? Clearly, this was much more than a man simply being moved by a well-performed song. His entire being was penetrated and transformed through music. How can this be? The Catechism of the Catholic Church (1157) makes a direct reference to Saint Augustine's experience when it teaches that the music and song of the liturgy "participate in the purpose of the liturgical words and actions: the glory of God and the sanctification of the faithful."



Cantors

Susan Spadafore 5:30 Xavier Garcia 8:00 & 10: 30  
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Following this weekend, our choir disbands for the summer.  
Many thanks to them for the commitment of their time to our music ministry.  
(This means that you – the Assembly – are also the CHOIR.)