

**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
June 3, 2018**

The cup of salvation I will take up,
and I will call upon the name of the LORD.
— *Psalm 116:13*



PRECIOUS BLOOD

On this solemnity we focus our attention on the Body and Blood of Christ. We listen to the story of the renewal of the old covenant, which Moses sealed by splashing the blood of animals on the altar of sacrifice, as well as on the people. Jesus, whose blood is the blood of the new covenant, shed that precious blood on the cross, saving us from sin and promising us everlasting life. Blood is the life source that courses through our bodies. The precious blood of Christ is the life source for our spirits. Today may we, like the psalmist, offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Lord, whose Body and Blood strengthen us to bring the Good News to everyone we meet.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — This is the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you (Exodus 24:3-8).

Psalm — I will take the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — Christ is the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 9:11-15).

Gospel — This is my body. This is my blood of the covenant (Mark 14:12-16, 22-26).

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday June 4
8:00 am Kathleen Galang (L)

Tuesday June 5
8:00 am † Pierina Benedetti

Wednesday June 6
8:00 am Communal Service
7:00 pm † Amelia Fernandez
† Beatrice Hargrove

Thursday June 7
8:00 am † Adolph Vannucchi

Friday June 8
8:00 am † Maria and † Giuseppe Moretto

Saturday June 9
8:00 am † Vincent Gagliardo Sr.
† Maria and † Giuseppe Mazzaferro
4:30 pm † Helen Guintu

Sunday June 10
7:30 am People of the Parish
9:30 am † Vittorio Rossi
11:30 am † Mary Ann Maryatt

† Denotes deceased – (L) Living

Sunday Collection May 27, 2018

Weekly Need: \$ 5,000.00
Sunday Collection \$ 3,011.00
Over/Under \$ 1,989.00
Catholic Communication \$ 844.00

If you make your offertory donation by check, without using parishioner envelopes, it would be most helpful if you placed your envelope # in the "memo" section of the check. This helps us input your donation to the offertory data system. **We will not be responsible for donations not credited due to missing envelope numbers (or not having a Sunday collection envelope.)**

From Archbishop Cordileone

"The theme for this year's Annual Appeal is 'One Body, One Christ.' In addition to changing lives, the AAA provides a unique opportunity for each of us to collaborate with our fellow Catholics as 'One Body' in the eighty-seven parishes of the Archdiocese. Together, we are able to offer significant support to such varied and critical needs as parish ministries and schools, clergy, young adults, social ministries, ecumenical efforts, and the greater Church."

Called to Care and Share

June 10th is Appeal Sunday and everyone's participation is essential to the success of the 2018 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal. Each household is asked to make a special effort to give a proportionate gift to support the work of the Church.

Please join other Catholics in our Archdiocese by supporting this once-a-year Appeal for the ministries and services of our archdiocesan Church.



**THIS IS THE BLOOD
OF THE COVENANT**

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It is with great joy that we welcome into our church and community, the following children who received the Sacrament of Baptism at our Church in May.

Gabriel Castro
Ariel Palomares



*Congratulations to
Emmanuel and Carmen Micallef
on celebrating
their 60th Wedding Anniversary*

*We offer Emmanuel and Carmen
our sincere congratulations,
prayers, and best wishes
for many more years
of happiness together.*