



Oh God, who in this wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray, so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption. Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Collect for the Feast of Corpus Christi, composed by St. Thomas Aquinas



Let Us Pray



Lord Jesus, help me to love the mystery of the Mass. May every doubt and distraction I suffer give way to greater faith and love. While I live on earth here below, may the light of the Eucharist dispel every darkness in my life.

Amen



Eucharistic Revival 2022 - 2024 REAL PRESENCE, Real Life

Understanding the Real Presence of Jesus Together, we will ask Him to revive our hearts, our Church, our world, launching us into a new chapter of missionary faith.





Works of Charity

Our encounter with Christ in the Eucharist prepares us for a mission of service.

To love God, our neighbor, and ourselves we must keep the commandments of God and Church, and preform the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.

A Parish should consider having a discussion and/or identify the unmet needs in the footprint area.

- What efforts have been made to welcome and encourage parishioners to return to your Sunday liturgy?
- Where is Christ leading your Parish and its parishioners to serve the needs of the least?
- How is your Parish currently practicing the works of charity?
- How can your Parish expand its work or practice of charitable actions?

"Whatever you do to the least you do unto me."
Matt. 25:40

Encounter Christ

For the people of God in the Diocese of Sacramento to experience a renewed, energized, and transformative encounter with Christ as Our Eucharistic Lord.

Parish and Deanery Recommendations

- Highlight the beauty and efficacy of the Holy Mass and adoration
- Emphasize the Mass and the Eucharist through intentional formation and faith sharing sessions
- Feature the Eucharist in retreats for youth and young adults
- Feature Eucharistic centered gatherings, processions and conferences (e.g. 40 hours devotion, Corpus Christi Procession/Day of Service)
- Attend diocesan wide Eucharistic gatherings, processions, and conferences



A Welcoming Church

For the Church to bear witness to the communal nature of the Eucharistic Life, by living out hospitality and dialog, as a welcoming Church.

Once we receive the superabundant graces of the Holy Eucharist, our right response is to reach out to our neighbors, near and far. With humility and unfettered charity, we approach our hungry brothers and sisters. We are called to nothing short of radical welcome into the House of the Lord, where all burdens are lifted and souls are nourished in the light and gratuitous love of God. First, we strive to welcome those of the household of faith, through acts of hospitality within the Church walls, and from parish to parish. Secondly, we invite those on the margins of the Church, and society, into our walls and halls, where we listen to their stories, encouraging them to open their hearts. We are their near kinspeople. We care, and desire to know what they need, and how we can build bridges to communion and fellowship.

Parish Recommendations

- Host regular listening sessions on racial justice and other social justice topics
- Collaborate events with other parishes, i.e. parish to parish Eucharistic Procession
- Promote cultural and intercultural masses and events
- Promote cultural group formation within the parish
- Encourage People of Color to serve as parish leaders
- Read and reread the Bishop's Pastoral Letter on Race
- Conduct and promote parish and diocese wide ecumenical and Interreligious gatherings
- Collaborate with the Intercultural, Access, Integration, and Mission Committee (ICAIM -Anti Racism/Task Force) and other lay advocacy groups
- Celebrate the International Day of Human Fraternity February 4 <https://www.un.org/en/observances/human-fraternity>

