

Our mission is to ensure the adoration of Jesus Christ present in the Holy Eucharist at every hour of every day in our chapel.

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"Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration. May our adoration never cease."

St. John Paul II



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"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth...When you look at the crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you NOW."

St. Teresa of Calcutta

What is Eucharistic **Adoration**?

Eucharistic Adoration is visiting and spending time with Jesus who is present in the Consecrated Host. It is an expression of our love for Him. Jesus loves us so much that He never wants to be apart from US.

The priest takes the Consecrated Host from a prior mass and places it in a special holder called a monstrance. He then places the monstrance on the altar in the Adoration Chapel. When we visit Jesus exposed in the Blessed Sacrament, we can talk to Him as a personal friend sharing our worries, hopes and fears. Jesus will refresh us in mind, heart, and spirit with His graces to encourage us, strengthen us, guide us and heal us.

What is *Perpetual* **Fucharistic Adoration?**

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration is when a parish sets aside a small chapel that is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week with permanent exposition of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Each person must be willing to spend a quiet hour of prayer in His Eucharistic presence once a week so Jesus is never left alone. The chapel is always open for anyone to visit Him.

Why Perpetual **Eucharistic Adoration?**

Because Jesus loves each and every one of us infinitely. We bring unlimited joy to His Sacred Heart when we spend an hour with Him.

Jesus gives us His graces.

Jesus gives us His graces and stays with us day and night in the Blessed Sacrament. He calls out to each one of us, "Come to me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you."

(Mt 11:28)

Become an adorer!

An adorer is a person who commits to a specific hour of each week to adore Jesus exposed in the Blessed Sacrament at the adoration chapel.

How do I participate?

We invite you to participate! Those who commit themselves to this wonderful one hour meeting will leave refreshed in mind, heart and spirit and with a deeper confidence that Jesus walks with them, always.

What is expected?

Arrive at your scheduled time, pray, and remain present in the chapel until the next person arrives one hour later. Be available to cover occasional hours of adoration for another adorer, when requested. You may choose which days/hours work best for you.