



SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS CHURCH

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Holy Rosary: 30 minutes before every Holy Mass (Suspended until further notice)

Reconciliation and Anointing of the sick: **Appointment only:** Call Father (512)595-6507

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursday 4:00-5:45 PM concluding with Benediction

Healing Mass: First Thursday of every month (Suspended until further notice)

Nursing Home Mass: Will O Bell 3rd Thursday (Suspended until further notice)

Baptism: Class required/Deacon Mark White

Marriage: Meet with Pastor six months in advance to set date. Marriage Prep required

Quinceanera: SSCM Religious Education, Mass Attendance and Instruction required

Pastor: Rev. Hilario Guajardo
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Pastoral Council: Debra Cavanaugh
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Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek
Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time ~ February 14, 2021

Sunday 10AM Masses are streamed on Facebook Live

Saturday	Feb. 13	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Feb. 14	10:00AM	† Gary & Flo Lester; † Johnny & Antonia Knapek, Nathan Huf; † Joe E. Stefek; Wellbeing of Jessica & William Wolf; Living and deceased members of KJT #28
Tuesday	Feb. 16	12:00PM	† Hubert Sr., Mary, Johnny & Hubert Jr. Barcuch
Wednesday	Feb. 17	12:00PM	† Frank & Julia Tomasek; † Eugene Stuchly
Ash Wednesday		7:00PM	Wellbeing of Joe Pavelka; † Bradley Barcuch
Thursday	Feb. 18	4:00PM	Adoration/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction (No Confession)
		6:00PM	† Robert J. Cervenka
Friday	Feb. 19	8:00AM	† George Vrana & Darwin Fojtik (<i>Stations of the Cross following Mass</i>)
Saturday	Feb. 20	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Feb. 21	10:00AM	† Eugene, Lad & Hattie Stuchly; † Mary Brosch; † Brandon Lee Pekar; † Kevin Remmert; † Charlie & Blanche Pajestka; Solis, Tovar, Perez Family
		2:00PM	For our young people receiving the Holy Spirit in Confirmation

We pray for the repose of the soul of Alex Tovar who graduated to the Fullness of Life on February 8.

Weekly Collection: Regular: \$4,090.00 (Online: \$935.00) Catholic Higher Education: \$362.00

January Online: Building & Maintenance: \$265.00 Parish Trust: \$230.00 Solemnity of Mary: \$75.00

Special collection this weekend is for the Parish Building and Maintenance Fund.

Ash Wednesday collection is for World and Home Missions

The Parish Office closed to the public. You may continue to drop off donations in the office lock box.

Flowers: In loving memory of Joe E. Stefek from his family

Parish & Area News

Granger Community Food Pantry is Wednesday, February 17 12-2PM Drive Thru at Divine Providence Center.

Catholic Charities of Central Texas' Immigration Legal Services offers legal assistance to individuals and families eligible to apply for immigration benefits, including family reunification, humanitarian relief, Temporary Protected Status, Removal Defense, as well as services for victims of domestic violence and human trafficking. If you or someone you know needs services, call 512-651-6125 (Austin)

The ninth annual Catholic Men's Conference will be held Feb. 20 from 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at St. William Parish in Round Rock, with limited seating. The event will be live streamed. This year's theme is "No Man Left Behind: Come Follow Me." Order tickets at www.centexcatholic.com.

Card of Thanks: The family of Laddie Naizer wishes to thank everyone for their love and support during their time of loss. Many thanks to everyone who sent get well wishes to Laddie during his time in the hospital and rehab as well as everyone who sent their condolences, memorial donations and Mass intentions when he graduated to the fullness of Life. Special thanks to Father Hilario for his support during this time and for the wonderful words and song at the graveside service on Laddie's birthday.

Holy Trinity Catholic Church of Corn Hill will be having Lenten Fish Fry every Friday during Lent beginning February 19 - March 26, 2021, from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. This will be a "Drive Thru Only" event at our Parish Activity Center (PAC). Plates-to-go will be \$11.00. All are invited and thank you for your support!

Catholic Schools News

St. Helen Catholic School in Georgetown is currently enrolling for the 2021-22 school year. Offering classes in PreK-4 through 8th Grade. Go online to www.shcslions.org to schedule your personal tour or contact Maranda Nemec at 512-868-0744 for more information.

St. Mary's Catholic School in Taylor provides PK3 – 11th grades with an active sacramental life, a fully accredited curriculum, competitive Athletics starting in 5-11th grades, Religion/Theology, Spanish, Latin, Art, Music/Handbell Choir, PE, and Tech/Formal Logic. Our After-school Enrichment classes provide extended learning opportunities for students, such as Guitar, Chess, Robotics, Legos, Recreational Sports, and Cooking (to name a few). **Please contact us at 512-352-2313 ext. 2130 to speak with Kim Bohac, or go to our website at www.stmarystaylor.org for more information.**

Dear friends, we gather together today, as we do each Sunday, as the body of Christ. Jesus called us to love God with all our heart, all our soul and all our mind, and all our strength and to love our neighbor as ourselves. This Valentine's Day, we commit ourselves to nurturing that love for God and love for our neighbor. We also commemorate our Patron Saints Cyril and Methodius on this day.

The leper challenged Jesus, saying, "If you wish, you can make me clean." "I do will it," Jesus responded, and so we have the courage today to ask the Lord for that healing touch for our infirmities, our anxieties, our needs.

- For the Church, that in imitation of Jesus we may break down barriers by including the outcast, the forgotten, the refugee, the ostracized and the sinner in stretching our love of neighbor to every corner of society, we pray to the Lord
- For our country that we may heal from the ills of division and find unity and love once again, we pray to the Lord
- For those who have diseases, especially COVID 19, that prevent them from fully participating in their communities, and for those who care for them, we pray to the Lord
- For married couples, that they may grow in God's love and be signs of Christ's selfless love for their families, their friends and each other, we pray to the Lord
- That our parish community may comfort and support those who suffer in relationships that have become strained or fractured, we pray to the Lord
- For our homebound and all who are not able to join us today, we pray to the Lord
- For the prayers we hold in the silence of our hearts, we pray to the Lord.

Loving God, you exclude no one from your mercy and compassion. Touch us with healing and comfort as you grant the prayers we make through your Son and our Savior, Jesus Christ.



Spiritual Communion: My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.