



STS. CYRIL & METHODIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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June 28, 2026

Mass Intentions

5:00 p.m. Parishioners of Sts. Cyril & Methodius

June 28 – 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Leona Sestak +

9:30 a.m. Dorothy Patek +

June 29 – Monday

6:30 a.m. Victor Molnoskey +

10:00 a.m. Lillie Herman (Nursing Home)

June 30 – Tuesday

6:30 a.m. John & Virginia Pustka +

July 1 – Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Jack Janecek +

July 2 – Thursday

6:30 a.m. John & Belle Matula +

July 3 – Friday

8:10 a.m. Darryl Kalich +

July 4 – Saturday

8:10 a.m. Purgatorial Society +

5:00 p.m. Members of Herschap &
Nagelmueller Families

July 5 – 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Parishioners of Sts. Cyril & Methodius

9:30 a.m. Victor Pustka +



Spending an hour in Eucharistic

Adoration is a personal, intimate time of prayer in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed

Sacrament. It is simply being with Him and resting in His peace. You don't need to do anything perfectly — just come with an open heart.

A traditional, time-tested way to structure your Holy Hour is to break it down into four 15-minute intervals:

+ **Adoration (0-15 minutes):** Genuflect to the altar, kneel, and acknowledge Jesus's presence. Praise Him, clear your mind, and let Him look at you.

+ **Thanksgiving (15-30 minutes):** Thank Jesus for your specific blessings, your faith, and the graces He has given you.

+ **Reparation (30-45 minutes):** Offer your sorrows, struggles, and personal failings to Him. Ask for forgiveness and healing.

+ **Petition (45-60 minutes):** Present your needs and the needs of others.

Adoration Chapel Hours for This Week

The chapel will close at noon on Thursday, July 2. Adoration resumes on Tuesday, July 7, at 7:00 a.m. Please consider filling one of the open hours in the Adoration Chapel:

Tuesdays: 12:00–1:00., 1:00–2:00 and 4:00–5:00 a.m.

Thursdays: 3:00–4:00 a.m.; 11:00–12:00 p.m.

*Whoever Receives You
Receives Me*

Matthew 10:37—42

13TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME
28th June 2026

From the Pastor's Desk

Our Lord presents a challenging message about discipleship. He tells His disciples that their love for Him must come before every other attachment. These words may seem difficult to accept, especially when we value family relationships so deeply, yet Our Lord is not asking us to love our families less. Rather, He is calling us to love Him first so that all our other relationships may be rooted in God's love.

True discipleship requires sacrifice. Every Christian faces moments when faith demands courage, generosity, forgiveness, or perseverance. The cross we carry may come in many forms, but when united with Christ, it becomes a path to deeper life and freedom. American Christianity has been sanitized and made effeminate with feel good, comfortable, non-offensive messages that do not invoke the Cross that our Lord wants us to carry. Many are attracted to these messages because they do not want to be holy, they want to be comfortable.

The Gospel also highlights the importance of hospitality and kindness. Small acts of charity, often hidden from public view, become powerful expressions of Christ's love in the world. As we reflect on this Gospel, may we renew our commitment to place Christ at the center of our lives. May our daily choices, sacrifices, and acts of kindness reveal that we are truly His disciples, and motivate us to fundamentally change our lives for the good, even if that means sacrificing what makes us comfortable.

Father Jacob



Confession Times:

Sunday, June 28, 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 1, 5:00 – 5:50 p.m.

Saturday, July 4, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 5, 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.



Parish Office Hours This Week:

Monday - Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

Thursday & Friday: Closed

Parking Lot Extension: Starting the week of June 29th the parking lot along St. Ludmila Street will be extended to Phillip Street for easier and safer parking. The dirt/grass area will be paved and this will address the erosion that has occurred between the telephone poles. Watch out for construction vehicles in this area.



Additional Hours for Parish Directory Pictures:

Monday, August 10, 2026

Tuesday, August 11, 2026

Go to www.ucdir.com and select from the times listed for these days. Click on photography appointment scheduling login on the right side, enter **tx860** the Church Code field and enter **shiner** in the Church Password field. Follow the prompts to schedule your appointment time.



Teen Acts Retreat – July 23-26.

Registration forms with the details are available in foyer of church.

Eligibility is limited to high school students who are 14 years old and

have completed their freshman year, up to/through 2026 seniors. **Registration forms** are available in church or contact Karli Rodriguez at 512-557-1285.



Word Among Us Booklets for July can be found at the church entrances.

Ministry Schedules for July are available in church and on the parish website

Flowers on the Altar

In Memory of Jack Janecek

Church Bulletin Sponsor

In Memory of Ben Mendez by Deborah Mendez & Family

Sanctuary Candles & Candle for the Unborn

Shiner Knights of Columbus Council #3081

Note: There are openings for above sponsorships in the coming weeks. Please contact the parish office at 361-594-3836 to book a date.



Our Gifts to God Last Week

Envelopes..... \$ 6,564.00
Loose Collections..... \$ 1,072.00
Parish Repair Fund..... \$ 415.00



Picnics

June 28: Sts. Peter & Paul, Plum. Chicken, Plum sausage & trimmings lunch. Auction, bingo, music, cake walk, country store, other games, hamburgers.

4th of July Celebration, St. John’s Parish, Schulenburg, Saturday, July 4. Mass 9 am; flag raising; 10 am; lunch, 10:30 am (stew & fried chicken) & music begins; auction, 12:30 pm; music, games, kid’s games, hamburgers.

4th of July Celebration, Benefitting the Gabriel Project of the Crossroads, Saturday, July 4 at 206 W. Water St., Victoria. Starting at 2:00 p.m. there will be live music, games and activities. Food and beverages available for purchase.



Choir Rehearsals: Sunday, July 5th immediately following the 9:30 am Mass in the loft and Sunday, July 12th at 8:30 am in the Meeting Room for the 9:30 Mass on Sunday, July 12th . New members always welcome. Contact Marty Egan at 361-401-9807 for information.

2026 Spring Picnic Financial Report will be available this week. It was a huge success! We give thanks to God for the support and generosity of everyone who helped to make it possible. **We are now accepting raffle prize donations for the Fall Picnic which will be held on September 6, 2026.**



19th Annual Shiner REEF Fishing Tournament, July 10-11, 2026



Annual fishing tournament that benefits the Religious Education Endowment Fund (REEF) for students at Shiner Catholic School and within the Sts. Cyril & Methodius Catholic Church CCD program. Check out all the details on their FB page.



Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church – May 2026

INCOME	
Collections	\$52,129.00
Repair Fund Collections	6,439.95
Other Income	1,861.20
Special Collections	8,246.15
Memorials	200.00
Purgatorial Society Stipends	365.00
Diocesan Services Appeal	979.00
Interest Earned	89.23
Total Income for Month	\$70,309.53
EXPENSES	
Salaries/Benefits	\$38,822.56
Payroll Taxes	6,742.21
Clergy Assistance	84.80
Utilities	1,986.50
Other Expenses	1,718.66
Auto Expenses – Gas & Insurance	2,467.20
Repairs & Maintenance	1,469.48
Parish Household/Office	3,603.28
Religious Ed Adult/Youth	407.01
Diocesan Services Appeal	979.00
Special Collections	8,246.15
School Subsidy	3,000.00
Total Expenses for Month	\$69,526.85
Monthly Expenses vs. Income	\$782.68