

June 18, 2023

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SACRED HEART PARISH (SH); SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS PARISH (SSCM)
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MONDAY, June 19

Parish Office Closed.

TUESDAY, June 20

9:00 a.m. SH CCF Building, Quilting Circle

WEDNESDAY, June 21

Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, religious; memorial

6:00 - 6:30 p.m. SH, Sacrament of Penance
(confessions / confesiones)

THURSDAY, June 22

6:30 - 7:30 a.m. SH Parish Hall, Men's Group

FRIDAY, June 23

SATURDAY, June 24

The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist; feast

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

SUNDAY, June 25

8:00 a.m. SSCM, Sunday Eucharist

9:30 a.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

FUTURE EVENTS

SUNDAY, August 27

Saints Cyril & Methodius Annual Homecoming Picnic

FOR THE WEEK

Scripture Readings

Monday: 2Cor 6:1-10 Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2Cor 8:1-9 Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2Cor 9:6-11 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2Cor 11:1-11 Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2Cor 11:18, 21-20 Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: Is 49:1-6 Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66, 80

Sunday: Jer 20:10-13 Rom 5:12-15 Mt 10:25-33

Remember in your prayers

the following Catholic clergy:

Pope Francis, Bishop Brendan Cahill, Bishop Emeritus David E. Fellhauer, Rev. Robert Guerra, Rev. Roger Hawes, Rev. Bryan Heyer and Deacon Jerome Grahmann

Mass Intentions

+Frank Daehne, +Bessie & John Pechacek, +Bianca Solis; Parishioners of Saints Cyril & Methodius & Sacred Heart; +Lori Berger, +Gerald Pospisil, +Edwin Krametbauer, +Leon Krametbauer, +Frank Krametbauer, +Edwin Mica, Sr., +Gary Zimmerhanel

OUR OFFERING TO GOD

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish

Sunday Collection: \$673.00

On Line Giving through May 29, 2023: \$173.00

Sacred Heart Parish

Sunday Collection: \$2,122.00

On Line Giving through May 29: \$482.00

PICNICS

June 25 Saints Peter & Paul, Plum

July 2 Saints Cyril & Methodius, Dubina

July 4 Saint John, 6 Miles SW of Schulenburg

CARTS, a regional rural bus service now has a route for Flatonia. Pamphlets are in the entry of the church or call 512-478-7433 or go to ridecarts.com for more information.

CARTS, *un servicio regional de autobus rural ahora tiene una ruta para Flatonia. Los folletos están en la entrada de la iglesia o llame al 512-478-7433 o visite ridecarts.com para obtener más información.*

A SPECIAL COLLECTION for Peter's Pence will be taken at the Sunday Eucharist at 5:00 p.m., 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. on June 24 & 25. This collection provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world.

Nuestra segunda colecta en la próxima semana será para Peter's Pence en la eucaristía del 24 y 25 de Junio, la cual le proporciona al papa Francisco los fondos necesarios para llevar a cabo sus obras de caridad alrededor del mundo.

MESSAGE FROM THE DEACON

"At the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved with pity for them because they were troubled and abandoned..." A good message for us to dwell on today, especially in our world today. We as Christians seem to be bombarded daily with cultural changes that challenge our very core beliefs. These changes and challenges are becoming so prevalent that Christians are now being labeled as the radicals and extremists in the world! The situation seems hopeless. Thankfully, our readings remind us of so many good things we need to hear.

In the first reading, God tells the Israelites in the desert at Mount Sinai, "if you hearken to my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession..." This promise continues today with us Christians. As long as we listen to God and try to do His will, we remain in his love. This promise does not mean that we will no longer have to endure suffering, but that if we trust in Him and stay true to the covenant, we will become conduits of God's love to the rest of the world. Much like the Israelites were set apart, not so much to receive special treatment, but to not be influenced by all the other pagan peoples in the world, so they could remain pure in their faith and worship of God.

We see this fully come to life in the gospel. Jesus saw that there was a need for spiritual leadership in the people he was ministering to, so he called twelve apostles and taught them and gave them special gifts to be able to go out into the world to guide the lost sheep back into the fold and to let the world know that the kingdom of heaven is at hand. We are called to continue this mission of ministering to those who have become lost. Through the Word and through the Eucharist, we are given the gifts we need to spread the gospel to others, and when we need it ourselves, someone is there to find us.

God is good all of the time and all of time God is good!
In Christ, Deacon Tim

MEN'S GROUP meets weekly on Thursdays, from 6:30 am until 7:30 am in the parish hall. Coffee provided. Any questions, contact Andrew Velasquez 361-798-6883 or Johnnie Hoffman 361-772-5049.

DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL 2022

As of June 5, 2023

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish, Cistern

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| Parish Assessment | \$ 8,705.00 |
| Parishioner Contributions | \$ 2,450.00 |
| Balance Owed February 28, 2024 | \$ 6,255.00 |

Praise to God for those who have given!

*Anonymous, Elizabeth & Darrel Brosch,
Barbara & David Charba, Betty Danner,
Isabel & Luciano Martinez, Sharon & Larry Schultz,
Della Mae Urban, Grace & Eugene Vinklerek, Patrick Vinklerek*

Sacred Heart Parish, Flatonia

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| Parish Assessment | \$21,953.00 |
| Parishioner Contributions | \$ 6,560.00 |
| Balance Owed February 28, 2024 | \$15,393.00 |

Praise to God for those who have given!

*Sylvia & Doug Baker, Agnes & Leonard Barta,
Irene & J. D. Bartek, Ann & Ted Bratton, Evodio Cedillo,
Lucreta & David Fike, Barbara & Dennis Freytag, Joe Gajdos,
Isabel Garcia, Maricela & Antonio Grifaldo, Terri & Mike Kalina,
Carolyn & Ronnie Kallus, Barbara Klotz, Ronnie Koncaba,
Ginny & Gary Marek, Donna & Tim Masek,
Melanie & Jonathan Mikulencak, Beverly & Don Mikulenska,
Deitra & Chad Novak, Karen & Hank Novak,
Renee & Kenneth Pavlica, Connie & Sylvan Rossi,
Margaret & Bernard Svatek, Claudia & Juan Vasquez,
Judy & David Vire, Julia Webster, Gretchen Zapalac,
Jeanette Zouzalik, Laura & John Zouzalik*

PLEASE, PRAY FOR THE SICK.

April Abdelbagi, Giselle Aguillon, Andrea & Jerry Alvarado, Juana Alvarez, Larry Baird, Agnes & Leonard Barta, Carol Barta, J. D. Bartek, Elva & David Benavides, Bob Bizzell, Angeline & Wiley Boehnke, Betty Borel, Lillie Branecky, Dawn Bratton, Ted Bratton, Dub Brazzel, Kenneth Brosch, Georgia Brunner, Edwin Bullock, Richard Cernosek, Linda Clabourne, Jackie Coldewey, Allie Delgado, Analea Del Rio, John Demny, Emma Dunham, Emery Eldridge, Darlene Ermis, E.J. Filip, Tommie Foster, Cathy Frazier, Doris Garbade, Landry Gipson, Nancy & William J. Gosch, Jill Borel Gough, Raymond Harbich, Lincoln Hardy, Roy Henderson, Lenore Hernandez, Leona Herzik, Jimmy Holub, Estella Hughes, Joyce & Dale Hutcherson, Karen & Quinton Janak, Erna Johnson, Charlie Jurak, Sharyn Kahlden, Carolyn Kallus, Garrett Kallus, Daniel Kocian, Ronnie Koncaba, Isabela Kozelsky, Keith Le Pori, Georgie & Joe Lev, David Lev, Cullen Machac, Deborah Blinka Machicek, Becky & Larmon Maddox, Myrtle Maeker, Maria Angelse Manzano & Family, Tiffany Kalina Marek & Family, Luciano Martinez, Anthony Martin, Kim McCoy, Gary McNatt, Mary Mendoza, Chuck Meyer, Cevin Meyers, Evelyn Miller & Family, Glenn Molnoskey, Margaret & Victor Molnoskey, E. Norma Montoya, Linda Munos, Truett Dawson Nicholes, Earline & Bennie Okruhlik, Evelyn Okruhlik, Jose Olvera, Allene Phillipus, Almeda Poth, William Psencik, Samantha Ramirez, Norm Ratliff, Richard Ratliff, Mariana Reyes, John Schroeder, Brandon Smolik, Vivi Snow, Edward Stech, Skylar Stephens, Carl Gene Taylor, Janice & James Taubert, Victor Tichacek, Annie Tompkins, Carol Tupa, Jacob Vargas, Hollye & Bruce Vecera, Felix Velasquez, Stella Velasquez, Kevin Whiteman, Pat Wolfenson, Gretchen Zapalac, Jeanette Zouzalik, Luke Zouzalik