



SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS CHURCH

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Parish Hall: 500 West Davilla Street (512)859-2236 sscmhall@gmail.com (Deborah Todd)

Holy Rosary: 30 minutes before every Holy Mass

Reconciliation: Saturday 5:15-5:45PM/Thursday 4:30-5:30PM during Adoration

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

Healing Mass: First Thursday of every month

Nursing Home Mass: Will O Bell 3rd Thursday (Subject to change)

Baptism: Class required/Darve Horak 512-859-2646 or darve.horak@gmail.com

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

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Pastoral Council: Chip Geil
Finance Council: Chris Nemecek
Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek
Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

Ascension of the Lord ~ June 2, 2019

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| Saturday | June 1 | 8:00AM Respect for all human life 6:00PM † Anton L. Vanek; † Jack & Orpha McGarghan; † Lad & Regina Mayer; † Dan Steffek; † Gloria Stefek Willis |
| Sunday | June 2 | 10:00AM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish |
| Tuesday | June 4 | 12:00PM † Tim Martinka; James L. Pekar Family |
| Wednesday | June 5 | 6:00PM † Mary Barcuch; † Rudy Hajda |
| Thursday | June 6 | 4:00PM Adoration/4:30PM Confessions/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction |
| <i>Healing Mass</i> | | 6:00PM † Joseph Rosipal; Legion of Mary; Wellbeing and health of Larry Joe Loeve, Jr. |
| Friday | June 7 | 8:00AM † Amy Wolf & Bernice Vrabel; Wellbeing and health of Larry Joe Loeve, Jr. |
| Saturday | June 8 | 6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish |
| Sunday | June 9 | 10:00AM † Louis, Sallie & Robert J. Cervenka; † Anton Sladeczek; † Cyril & Frances Polasek; † Kalina Mikulencak; † Patrick Hajda; George & Linda Knapek-50 th Wedding Anniversary |

Offering: Sunday: \$3,323.03 Children: \$15.00 Archdiocese of the Military: \$805.00

Liturgical Ministers June 8-9 (Lectors, Ministers of Holy Communion and Musicians are needed. Call the office for more information)

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| Saturday 6PM | Lector: Debra Cavanaugh | EMHC: Ronnie Steffek, Henrietta Hajda, Beatrice Perez, Paula Marak |
| | Music: Volunteer | Servers: McKenna, Daryl, Luke and Caleb Stefek |

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| Sunday 10AM | Lector: Deborah Hensel | EMHC: Frankie & Shirley Volek, Jolene Volek, Regina Carlson |
| | Music: Mary Kreidel | Servers: Caige, Cash and Colt Hajda, Albert Martinez |

Route EMHC: Theresa Hajda, Marilyn Gaydos, Bill Pavlat

Religious Articles Store 6PM: Gail Heger 10AM: Esther Villarreal

Special collection next weekend is for the Building and Maintenance Fund. Thank you for your support. As you can see we have been doing a lot of work on the property and you make it possible with your donations.

Father's Day remembrance envelopes are at the doors. Please turn them in no later than **June 9**.

Flowers: In honor of Kayla and Ryan McGinley, congratulations and best wishes on your marriage
In loving memory of Jimmy Williams, Arthur Palla and Alfred Cervenka, Sr.

Calendar of Events

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| Sunday | June 2 | : 11:30AM KJT bingo kitchen—Tacos, nachos and homemade desserts/2PM KC Bingo |
| Tuesday | June 4 | : 5PM Bingo Kitchen/ 7PM KC Bingo |

Parish Office will be closed June 5-12/ Bulletin will be printed on Tuesday June 4

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| Thursday | June 6 | : 7PM KC meeting |
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| Sunday | June 9 | : Pentecost Sunday—Wear RED |
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| | | : 11AM Youth Ministry Bingo kitchen—hamburgers, fries, nachos, desserts/ 2PM KC Bingo |
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Vacation Bible School ROAR

July 22, 2019 — July 26, 2019, 5:30 pm — 08:30 pm

Make your VBS the mane event! All children PreK through 5th grade are invited to join us. 6th Grade and up are invited to help. This epic African adventure engages the whole herd. At Roar, kids explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life.

Registration is now open online @ <https://vbspro.events/p/84322a>

Parish News

Save the Date: June 30, 2019 is the day of our Parish Chicken Dinner and Dance. Please call the parish office to volunteer for a shift or change your assignment from the past. **The work list will be available next weekend.**

Catholic Spirit Subscription: If you no longer wish to receive the Catholic Spirit you may opt out by calling the editor, Shelley Metcalf at 512-949-2443 or email catholic-spirit@austindiocese.org

St. Helen's Society #18 wants to thank everyone who came out and supported our Chicken Fried Steak fund raiser for the Granger Volunteer Fire Department either by working in the kitchen and the pit, baking a dessert or purchasing plates. We raised \$3,830 and the KJZT State office will match a percentage of it. Thank You and God Bless everyone for your support and generosity.

Area News

Holy Trinity Catholic Church of Corn Hill is hosting their annual fundraiser and dance on Sunday, June 2. Holy Mass is at 10:30AM with traditional Czech hymns followed by a Fried Chicken & Sausage dinner served from 11AM to 1PM. Afternoon dance begins at 1PM with music by the Jodie Mikula Orchestra.

Our first ever! The Ladies Club at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Church, 1520 N. Railroad Ave., Pflugerville will be hosting their first **BINGO Night on Saturday, June 8th after the 5:00 o'clock Mass.** Bingo starts at 7:00pm. A total of 15 games will be played. All game winners will be paid out with cash. If more than one bingo, consolation prizes will be drawn. **There will be food and refreshments to purchase** so please join us for a fun evening. All proceeds will be going to the 2nd Floor Build-out of the Religious Education Building.

Catholic Charities of Central Texas is proud to offer virtual therapy through our Counseling Services program! Virtual therapy (or Teletherapy) is mental health counseling utilizing a HIPAA-compliant live video connection over the internet. Clients receive the same treatment they would in person, but through an electronic device. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call (512) 651-6150 or visit <https://portal.ccctx.org/directory>.

Catholic Charities of Central Texas offers free classes through its Financial Stability program to help individuals and families better their financial future. Classes take place at the CCCTX Austin Campus at 1625 Rutherford Lane. For more information on specific topics and class times, visit www.ccctx.org/financial-stability. To inquire about hosting financial classes for a parish or group, contact John Paci, CCCTX Director of Financial Stability, at (512) 651-6134 or john-paci@ccctx.org.

The diocesan Tribunal will host "Annulment: Pathway to Healing – A Spiritual and Emotional Healing Experience" June 15 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the diocesan Pastoral Center in Austin. The purpose of this seminar is to help participants begin a journey in awareness of the healing process of nullity (annulment) through a straight-to-the-heart response to persons considering or already seeking a declaration of nullity. The seminar is a time for reflecting on the demise of one's marriage by taking a journey from pain and loneliness to acceptance and healing. If you have further questions, please contact e-mail deborah-patin@austindiocese.org or call (512) 949-2478. Visit www.austindiocese.org/annulmentpathway2019 to register.

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

As we await Pentecost, the Scriptures this week invite us to ponder these questions: Are we a community who lives the love and unity for which Jesus prayed? Are we courageous witnesses of the risen Jesus and the Holy Spirit? Do we live as people reborn and refreshed by the life-giving waters of baptism? How will our baptism make us people of justice and charity?