



SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS CHURCH

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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
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Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek
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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 21, 2019

Saturday	July 20	6:00PM	† Kevin Remmert & Wellbeing of Loretta Remmert; † Cyril C. Rosipal; † E.J. Strmiska; † V.J. & Margie Hajda; † Anton Sladecsek; The Kurtin Family
Sunday	July 21	10:00AM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Tuesday	July 23	12:00PM	† John & Mary Knappek; † Macey Dobias
Wednesday	July 24	6:00PM	† Annie & Anton Vanek, Robert J. Cervenka; † Judy Pekar
		6:45PM	Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help
Thursday	July 25	4:00PM	Adoration/4:30PM Confessions/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction
		6:00PM	† Vince Marek; † Norma Cavanaugh
Friday	July 26	8:00AM	† Mary & Eddie Karkoska; † Bernice Huf
Saturday	July 27	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	July 28	10:00AM	† Charlie Pajestka † Adrian Pedraza; † E.J. Strmiska; † Ella Mae Zbranek; † Curtis Ging; † Frank J. Famulare III

Offering: Sunday: \$4,026.00 Children: \$27.50 Building & Maintenance Fund: \$1,308.00 Thank You!

On vacation or out of town? No worries, you can give online. www.sscmchurch.org

Liturgical Ministers July 27-28

Saturday	6PM	Lector: Pat Greger	EMHC: Barney Fudge, Cirila Gomez, Mike Vrana, Louis Repa
		Music: Guitar Group	Servers: Riley & Brodie Fudge, Kyle & Karsyn Hamons
Sunday	10AM	Lector: John Unnasch	EMHC: Frankie & Shirley Volek, Jolene Volek, Lillie Huf
		Music: Horak Family	Servers: Andrew & Ronnie Vrael, Kye & Kendall Welles

Route EMHC: Theresa Hajda, Angie Pavelka, Ronnie Steffek

Religious Articles Store 6PM: Felicia Luna 10AM: Lillian Pacha

Reminder: Please make your payments to the Diocese for the Encountering Christ Campaign. Our REBATE depends on you! If you have not made your commitment yet you still have time. We have \$19,432.34 in the Account as of June 30, 2019. Thank you for your support of our Diocese and our Parish.

Calendar of Events

Sunday	July 21	: 11:30AM KC Bingo kitchen—hamburgers/2PM KC Bingo
Monday-Friday	July 22-26:	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 5:30-8:30PM (Volunteers NEEDED**)
Tuesday	July 23	: 5PM Bingo Kitchen/ 7PM KC Bingo
Thursday	July 25	: 7PM PC meeting (DPC)
Sunday	July 28	: 11AM Bingo Kitchen—Dirty Barbeque/2PM KC Bingo

****Vacation Bible School Volunteers NEEDED:** Volunteers Grade 6-12 are still needed as well as Adults with EIM Compliance. Please let Miriam know ASAP if you can help sscmre@gmail.com or 512-859-2634.

Parish News

KJT would like to thank everyone who supported their Hamburger fundraiser for the Granger Food Pantry. Thank you to everyone who donated sweets, helped in the kitchen and those who came and ate with us. We made a profit of \$525.00 and will also receive a \$250 matching grant from the KJT Home Office for a total donation of \$775.00 to the Food Pantry. Thank you again!

SSCM Recreation Hall is looking for a group or individual to host the bingo dinner on **Sunday August 25**. This is an excellent way for your group to earn a little extra money. Please contact Debbie, the Hall Manager at 512-930-8747
The traveling pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Grace desires to come to your home. The signup book (copper and black striped cover) is located at the west entrance. Welcome her into your home, pray for her intercession, and allow her to shower your family with many graces. If you need help transporting her to your home, please call (254) 657-2374.

The Legion of Mary will be hosting A Devotion of 2000 Hail Marys that will be prayed on Saturday, August 3, 2019 at Saints Cyril and Methodius Catholic Church in Granger, TX. The day will begin with the Mass at 8:00 a.m. followed by a light breakfast. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed and the devotion will begin around 9:15 a.m. and will conclude around 9:00 p.m. There will be 20 universal petitions and 100 Hail Marys prayed for each intention. (We will break for lunch. Snacks and drinks will be provided.) Please come with 3 personal petitions that you will place in our Blessed Mother's hands so she can present them to God the Most High. We will storm the heavens with our persistent prayers and our Blessed Mother Mary will shower down rich graces from her Son upon this earth. Dress comfortably, bring a rosary, and join us for part of the day or for the full day. Questions? Call Theresa Valdez at (254) 657-2374. (If you leave a message, I will return your call.) There is a signup sheet at the west entrance.

Area News

Quo Vadis, a weekend retreat for high school men, will be held July 26-28 at Eagle's Wings Retreat Center in Burnet. This retreat experience, led by the seminarians studying for the Diocese of Austin, will include talks, prayer time, games and activities to help young men come to a deeper understanding of masculinity and fraternity through the lens of Jesus Christ. The registration fee for this retreat is \$35. This fee covers all means, lodging and supplies. The deadline to register is July 23. For more information, visit www.godiscalling.me or call (512) 949-2430.

The Understanding Your Spiritual Archetype Retreat will be held July 27 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. Based on Christine Valters Painter's book, "Illuminating the Way," retreatants will journey with the great saints and mystics by exploring and reflecting on archetypes. Beverly Collin, assistant director, will facilitate this retreat. Cost is \$40 and includes lunch. To register, visit www.cedarbrake.org or call (254) 780-2436.

Calling all women in the Diocese of Austin to the Fourth Annual Catholic Women's Conference! Saturday, Sept. 7, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m. at St. William Parish in Round Rock. Program includes guest speakers (in English and Spanish), Mass, Vendors, Reconciliation and more. Bring your friends and register today while space is still available! For more information visit www.austindiocese.org/womens-conference.

The Bearing Fruit in this Chaotic 21st Century Retreat with Chuck Neff will be Aug. 23-25 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. Neff, the talk-show host for "The Inner Life" on Relevant Radio, will lead participants into a deeper understanding of the quest for holiness. Cost for this retreat weekend is \$235 for a private room, \$185 per person for a shared room or \$100 for commuters. To register, visit www.cedarbrake.org or call (254) 780-2436.

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's readings focus on hospitality: the welcome of Abraham and Sarah toward the travelers, who were God's messengers, and the hospitality of Mary and Martha, especially Mary's openness to listen to God's word. In the midst of our busy lives do we make room for hospitality? Who is the angel that God is sending us and do we make room to welcome them? Do we take time to listen to God's word and allow it to help us to welcome the stranger in our midst? Do we recognize and welcome Jesus in his distressing disguise as poor?