



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

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Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek
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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ August 11, 2019

Saturday	August 10	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	August 11	10:00AM	† Anton Sladecek; † Kevin Remmert; † Adrian Pedraza; Descendents of John & Marie Mazac
Tuesday	August 13	12:00PM	† Joe Selucky, Margie Selucky Martinka & Anton Martinka III
Wednesday	August 14	6:00PM	† Arthur Palla
Thursday	August 15	10:00AM	Will O Bell Nursing Home: Wellbeing of Barbara Sulak & † Charles Sulak
Assumption (Holy Day)		12:00PM 7:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish KJZT Society #18 living and deceased members † Jose Maria, Vicente & Abelina Estrada, wellbeing of Maria Rosales
Friday	August 16	8:00AM	† Dan & Elaine Gaida
Saturday	August 17	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	August 18	10:00AM	† Deacon John Thornton; † Charlie Pajestka; † Maureen Poplawski; † Curtis Ging; † Henrietta Haessly; † Elizabeth Marek; † Norma Cavanaugh

Offering: Sunday: \$3,566.00 Children: \$ 23.00 Online: \$418.21

Liturgical Ministers August 15 & 17-18 (Volunteers needed Music on several weekends a month)

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

Thursday	12PM	Lector: Volunteer	EMHC: Volunteers
		Music: Kathy Janke	Servers: Volunteers
	7PM	Lector: Theresa Valdez	EMHC: Deacon Mark, Wendy White, Rose Unnasch, Lillie Huf
		Music: Volunteer	Servers: Volunteers
Saturday	6PM	Lector: Terry Lee Pekar	EMHC: Deacon Mark, Terry Pekar, Henrietta Hajda, Louis Repa
		Music: Volunteer	Servers: Alexi Montagnino, Dominik Lopez, Onesimo Rodrigues
Sunday	10AM	Lector: Darve Horak	EMHC: Deacon Mark, Wendy White, Deborah Hensel, Marilyn Gaydos
		Music: Guitar Group	Servers: Caige, Cash, Colt Hajda, JD Morgan

Route EMHC: Lisa Repa, Regina Carlson, Paula Marak

Religious Articles Store 6PM: Patricia Luna 10AM: Bernice Jezisek

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

Granger Community Food Pantry collection this week for the August 15th distribution.

Fresh Foods for All August 13th 2-4PM at the Parish Hall.

Flowers: (Blessed Mother) In thanksgiving of our daughter, Madison Vrabel on her birthday August 11th.

August 15: In honor and memory of the members KJZT Society #18.

This weekend our Pastoral Council Chairperson, Chip Geil will speak to us about the upcoming selection of 3 new members for the council and the ballot.

Calendar of Events

Sunday	August 11	: 11AM Youth Ministry Bingo Kitchen—hamburgers, fries and desserts/2PM KC Bingo
Tuesday	August 13	: 2-4PM Fresh Foods for All/5PM Bingo Kitchen/ 7PM KC Bingo
Thursday	August 15	: Parish Offices closed
Sunday	August 18	: 11:30AM KC Bingo kitchen—hamburgers /2PM KC Bingo : 11AM KJZT meeting (Hall)

Parish News

Pastoral Council Nominations: A nomination form is attached to this bulletin. All active parishioners over 18 years of age will be allowed to nominate three people to be considered for the three positions on the Pastoral Council. People elected to the Council must be EIM compliant or become compliant. All ballots must be signed by the person submitting the nomination. Only one ballot per person.

Volunteers are needed to help toast bread for the dressing for the Bazaar on **Thursday, August 22nd** starting at 8AM at the Hall. Any and all help is greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance!

Area News

Church of the Visitation: Many people have asked how they can help. In response to this, the diocese has established the [Church of the Visitation Fund](#). While the building was insured, we know that there are always unexpected expenses in such times. Donations to the fund will be used for the immediate needs of the parish, as well as on-going expenses that the parish will encounter as it rebuilds. [Click here](#) to donate to the fund online. Checks can be sent to the diocese at Church of the Visitation Fund, Diocese of Austin, 6225 E US 290 HWY SVRD EB, Austin, TX 78723. Please make checks payable to the Diocese of Austin with “Church of the Visitation” in the memo line.

Dear Parish Family,

Our Annual Parish Bazaar is scheduled for Sunday, September 1, 2019 at the Parish Hall. Together, we have worked wonders, with the grace of God helping us in all our events. Our Annual Parish Bazaar is our challenge and test of our stewardship of our time, talent, and treasure for the support and growth of our parish. In order for this event to be successful, all chairpersons need your cooperation and help. We depend on this fundraiser for the \$40,000 + Parish insurance and general working capital.

A special collection will be held on the weekend of August 25 (Envelope in tithing box or online through our website) to offset expenses for the bazaar. Please be generous as this pays for the meat and supplies for the meal. All donations including BBQ donations must go through the collection basket and the Parish Office.

Challenge amount is \$14,000 needed for expenses (Approximately \$5,500.00 for the BBQ expenses)

EACH FAMILY IS ASKED TO PLEASE BRING THE FOLLOWING:

1. Sweet items for the sweets table and cakewalk.
2. Bingo items, valued price \$5-7 or more. Please non perishable items only
3. Items for the “Big Auction.” It must be a new and unused item. Suggested items: Gift baskets, canned or homemade items, crafts, toys, etc. (NO SILENT AUCTION)

Bingo & Auction items must be dropped off at the parish hall on Thursday evening, August 29 during 7PM set up, Friday, August 30, from 9AM to 1PM, or on Saturday, August 31, from 9AM to 5PM. Please make every effort to bring your items during these times as **any items brought on Sunday will not be on the Auction list and will be auctioned last.** Please do not bring items to the Parish Office.

Bazaar set up will be Thursday, August 29 at 7PM. All parishioners are asked to come and help get the hall ready for the big day. Game booths and tables and chairs for dinner will be set up. On Sunday evening volunteers are requested for the set up of the dance. The main hall will be cleared for set up following the auction about 1 hour before the dance to give the crew time to clean and reset the tables and chairs.

WORKLIST: is available at the bulletin tables. Please work your assigned shift or find a replacement. Also, if your name is not on this list, please feel free to volunteer in any shift. Please tell the crew leader to add your name to the list for next year. All able-bodied members of the parish are asked to please help make this bazaar a big success.

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time The call to discipleship in the Gospel this Sunday is to let go of fear, simplify our lives by giving alms and to be watchful and faithful servants. For centuries, Christians have waited for the Lord to return and while we wait it is easy to be distracted, to become fearful and to forget the needs of those around us. But God is present with us in Word, sacrament and community. While we wait for the fullness of the kingdom we can experience it in the here and now if we live as disciples – without fear, with great generosity and as God’s good servants.