



## 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday (Subject to change)

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Pastoral Council: Chip Geil

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Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek

Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

### Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 1, 2019

Saturday	August 31	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Sept. 1	10:00AM	† Anton Sladecek; † John Stefek; † Rudolph Matula; † Vince Marek; † Arthur Palla
Tuesday	Sept. 3	12:00PM	† Amy Wolf
Wednesday	Sept. 4	6:00PM	† Vince Marek
Thursday	Sept. 5	4:00PM	Adoration/4:30PM Confessions/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction
<i>Healing Mass</i>		6:00PM	† Kalyn Rae Brymer; Legion of Mary
Friday	Sept. 6	8:00AM	† Harvey Joe Nemec
Saturday	Sept. 7	8:00AM	Respect for all human life
		6:00PM	† Joe & Viola Sevcik; † Lad & Regina Mayer; † Dan Steffek; † Robert Jezisek; † Gloria Stefek Willis; † Joe & Jannie Prcin
Sunday	Sept. 8	10:00AM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish

Offering: Sunday: \$3,533.00 (Online: \$258.21) Children: \$26.00 Bazaar: \$ 6,803.00 (Online \$675.00)

### Liturgical Ministers September 7-8 (Please check your EIM Compliance/Workshop September 4<sup>th</sup>)

Saturday	6PM	Lector: Wendy White	EMHC: D. Mark White, Henrietta Hajda, George & Kate Strmiska
		Music: Volunteer	Servers: Garret Repa, Bridget Lugari, Kye & Kendall Welles
Sunday	10AM	Lector: John Unnasch	EMHC: D. Mark White, Marilyn Gaydos, Lillie Huf, Blanca Olivas
		Music: Kathy Janke	Servers: Nicholas, Thomas, Christopher & Marissa Hall

**Route EMHC:** Rosalva Degollado, Baldo Degollado, Bill Pavlat

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

**Special Collection** next weekend is for the Building and Maintenance Fund.

Next **Granger Community Food Pantry** is September 19<sup>th</sup> from 12-4PM. Please deliver any food items to the church office or church by Wednesday September 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Flowers:** (Main Front) In memory of Amy Wolf on the 17th Anniversary of her return to her heavenly home from her loving family

(2 Gold Main) In loving memory of Margie Hajda on her birthday from her family

### Calendar of Events

Sunday	Sept. 1	: 11AM Parish Bazaar
Tuesday	Sept. 3	: 5PM Bingo Kitchen/7PM KC Bing
Wednesday	Sept. 4	: 7-9 PM Ethics and Integrity Workshop (DPC) <b>Registration Deadline Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup></b>
Thursday	Sept. 5	: 7PM KC meeting (Hall)
Sunday	Sept. 8	: 11AM Youth Ministry Bingo Kitchen—hamburgers, fries, desserts : 2PM KC Bingo

**Beginning September 1st. SSCM Recreation Center will not allow outside liquor, beer or wine** to be brought in for consumption on the property. This is per Diocese event insurance requirements. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. Questions may be directed toward Deborah, the Hall manager at 512-930-8747

### *Parish News*

**Religious Education begins Wednesday, September 18 at 7PM.** Online registration is now available at [www.sscmchurch.org](http://www.sscmchurch.org) or pick up a form in the foyer of the church.

**RE volunteer opportunities:** We still need teachers and assistants for the fall. Also, we no longer have the monthly cleaning service for the building so another way you can help with RE is by adopting a classroom so that it can be ready for our students and catechist. Our hope is that we get families to adopt a classroom from prek-12th to help tidy before RE begins. We need all the help we can get, please email Miriam Morales at [sscmre@gmail.com](mailto:sscmre@gmail.com) or call for more information at 512-859-2634

**Pastoral Council Nominations due September 15:** Nomination forms are available at the bulletin tables. 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.

**Everyone: Please check your EIM compliance and register. We only have 12 spaces available.**  
**EIM Workshop** will be held on **Wednesday, September 4 at 7PM** in the Divine Providence Center.  
**Deadline to register September 3<sup>rd</sup>**

### *Area News*

**Bishop Joe Vásquez will host a Listening Session on Racism** in the Diocese of Austin Sept. 4 from 6 to 8 p.m. at St. Edward's University in Austin. Everyone is invited to attend and share their stories during the session.

**St. Mary Parish in Taylor** will host its Fall Festival Homecoming **Sept. 8** from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the parish and school grounds. Activities include live music, a live and a silent auction, a variety of foods and games for all ages.

**Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Corn Hill** invites you to their annual Bazaar on **Sunday, September 15**. BBQ and Fried Chicken will be served from 11AM – 1PM. Drive thru available until 12:30PM. Live Polka music, children's games, live and silent auctions, bingo and kolache sale. Hamburgers available at 2:30PM

**St. John Lutheran Church in Bartlett** will host their Polka Worship service and meal **Sunday, September 15** at 10:30AM. The Praha Brothers Band will accompany the liturgy and hymns and Pastor Ardene Wuthrich will lead the service. A home-cooked German meal will be served immediately following the service. Tickets for the meal are \$10.

### **GRANGER COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY ~ AUGUST 2019**

Thanks to all for your generous support of the food pantry, special thanks to KJT for their fundraiser and for the donation of 10 fans from David and Kim O'Mary! Families Served – 60

Cash Donations received for Food Pantry = 1,415.00

KJT FUNDRAISER - \$775.00      SSCM – \$215.00 and 213 pounds of food      KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - \$300.00

BRETHREN CHURCH- \$50.00 and 14 pounds of food      WIC – 113 pounds of cheese, baby food and staples

BIG B'S MEAT MARKET, GRANGER – 20 pounds of food and meat and eggs at cost

GRANGER PIT STOP - \$75.00      10 Fans from Kim and David O'Mary

**What Can You Do?** We could use canned goods (i.e. canned corn, green beans), desserts (i.e. box cake mixes, pudding, cookies, fruit) cereal, oatmeal, grits, malto meal, pastas, tuna, soap, detergent, shampoo, lotions, and toilet paper. Money contributions will help volunteers purchase needed items.

**FRESH FOOD FOR ALL:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month, Food Distribution is September 10th from 2:00-4:00 p.m at the SSCM Hall. In August we served 103 families which included distributing over 3000 pounds of food. Thanks to the volunteers that make this happen and Hill Country Ministries. We welcome anyone to volunteer to sort and distribute. Volunteers please show up at 12:30 to prepare food on the date of distribution.

**22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time** Today's readings invite us to meditate on the virtue of humility. Humility is recognizing the truth of who we are before God. It is the virtue that helps us to acknowledge ourselves as creatures that are limited, dependent and needy before our God. This virtue also helps us to identify with the poor who are intimately aware of their dependency and neediness. What can you do this week to interact with someone living in poverty to learn about humility from them?