



## SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS CHURCH

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Office Hours: Tuesday -Friday: 9AM-1 PM (After hours by appointment)

**Parish Hall:** 500 West Davilla Street (512)859-2236 [sscmhall@gmail.com](mailto:sscmhall@gmail.com)

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Youth Ministers: Wendy & Mark White [hafa\\_adai65@hotmail.com](mailto:hafa_adai65@hotmail.com)

Bible Studies: Mondays 8:30AM; 1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays 8:30AM (FMI: Virginia Lee)

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

Baptism: Class Required/Darve Horak 512-859-2646 or [darve.horak@gmail.com](mailto:darve.horak@gmail.com)

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

Marriage Prep required/Darve & Karen Horak 512-859-2646 or [darve.horak@gmail.com](mailto:darve.horak@gmail.com)

Quinceanera: Religious Education Attendance and Instruction required.

**Pastor: Very Rev. Chris Ferrer**

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Deacon: John Thornton

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Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

### Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 28, 2014

Saturday	Sept. 27	6:00PM	†Dan & Elaine Gaida; †Henry & Angeline Dillard; †Margie Hajda; † Sister Martha Martinka; †Dorothy & Steve Drozd
Sunday	Sept. 28	10:00 AM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Tuesday	Sept. 30	8:00AM	† Juanita H. Perez (A)
Wed	Oct. 1	6:00PM	† Carolyn Konarik Kaiser
Thurs	Oct. 2	4-5:45PM	Adoration/Benediction
		6:00PM	†Emil, John & Rose Knapek (Anointing of the Sick)
Friday	Oct. 3	8:00AM	† Louis Cervenka (A); † Nathan Huf (B)
Saturday	Oct. 4	8:00AM	† Cecilia & Louis Vrana
		6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Oct. 5	10:00 AM	†Dorothy Phillips; † Joe B. & Judy Pekar; † Margie Hajda; †Betty Stojanik

*We pray for Healing:* Robert Rister, Betty Bucanek, Misty Gonzales, William Pedroza, Concha Martinez \*

Offering: Sunday: \$3,869.00 Children: \$15.55 Middle East: \$755.50 Thank you for your support!

**Liturgical Ministers** October 4-5 (Please notify the Parish Office if your phone number or email changed)

Saturday 6PM Lector: Deborah Hensel EMHC: Beatrice Perez, Mike Vrana, Paula Marak, JoAnn Pavelka  
Music: Traditional Choir Servers: William Novak, Nicholas Novak, Garret Repa

Sunday 10AM Lector: Darve Horak EMHC: Greg Gonzalez, Jolene Volek, Frankie & Shirley Volek  
Music: Teresa Caslavka Servers: Sarah Arellano, Marcus Belcher, Mario Gonzalez

EMHC Route: Griselda Steglich, Ann Hall, Beatrice Perez, JoAnn Pavelka

Religious Articles Store: 6PM -Kate Strmiska 10AM – Griselda Steglich

*Special collection* today is for Fr. Isidore Ndagizimana's Mission in Uganda.

*Youth Ministry* will be selling sweets after this weekend's Masses. They are raising money to go to the Regional Catholic Youth Conference in Oklahoma City. All donations will be greatly appreciated.

### Calendar of Events

Sunday	Sept. 28	: 11AM Hamburgers (Hall) Proceeds will benefit the "facelift" at the Prayer Garden in front of the DPC. : 4:30PM KJZT meeting (Hall): Important meeting - discussing details for Turkey Dinner
Tuesday	Sept. 30	: 5PM Bingo Kitchen GHS Junior Class—Soft Tacos and nachos (Hall) : 6-9PM EIM Basic Workshop (See Announcement)
Wed	Oct. 1	: 7PM Religious Education/7:15PM RE Rosary
Saturday	Oct. 4	: 8AM Mass (St. Francis of Assisi) : 8:30AM 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday Bible Study : 7PM Respect Life Rosary after Mass
Sunday	Oct. 5	: 11:30AM KJT Hamburgers (Hall)/2PM KJT Meeting (Hall)

## *Parish*

**Caution!!** Rattlesnakes have been spotted at the Holy Cross Cemetery. Please be careful when visiting or cleaning graves as they are hiding in the flower arrangements and around tombstones.

**All parishioners** are invited to pray the rosary with the children of Religious Education on Wednesday, October 1 at 7:15. We will be praying in the Church parking lot. Let us honor our mother Mary together.

**Baby Banks are here!** The Office of Pro-Life Activities and Chaste Living has organized a Baby Bank Campaign during the month of October, Respect Life Month, to foster a greater respect for the sanctity of human life. Fifty percent of the funds raised will go toward supporting Sts. Cyril & Methodius Parish chosen Pro-Life apostolate and the other 50% will support Beginning of Life Apostolates at the Diocese. Please pick up a Baby Bank today and fill it with coins during October. Let us strive to live the Gospel of Life with honesty and love. Remember Pro-Life Apostolates such as the Gabriel Project and Project Rachel by making a donation through the Baby Bank Campaign. For more information, contact Diana Kerlin, Pro-Life Committee Chairperson (512) 859-2308.

**Respect Life Rosary** – To “Respect Life” is a lifetime obligation and a lifetime privilege. We are asked to love and honor the life of every man and woman born and unborn. Each and every one of you in our Parish is invited to join together for an evening candlelight rosary so that we may pray for the renewal of family life and respect for all life. Please join us on the evening of Saturday, October 4 right after the evening Mass. We will gather around the Respect Life monument located on the South side of the Church.

**Turkey & Dressing Dinner** - There is a KJZT Meeting on Sunday, September 28 at 4:30 at the Hall. If you are a KJZT Member please attend this meeting so that we can finalize all plans for the upcoming dinner. Also, to all parishioners, there are sign-up sheets at all entrances of the church. Please sign up for the shift you would like to work or e-mail Kathy Janke at [kathy.janke@yahoo.com](mailto:kathy.janke@yahoo.com)

**Enthronement of the Sacred Heart in your Home.** Consecrate your Home and Family to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, with this beautiful ceremony and dedication. The Enthronement will bring your home under His love and under the Father's holy will. For details and arrangements, contact the Theresa Valdez at [254-657-2374](tel:254-657-2374), or any Legion of Mary member. Blessings!

## *Religious Ed*

**EIM BASIC WORKSHOP:** A 3-hour Ethics and Integrity in Ministry (EIM) Basic Workshop on child sexual abuse will be held on Tuesday, September 30 in the DPC from 6-9pm. This workshop is part of the diocesan EIM policies that were adopted in January 2002 and revised in August 2008. All clergy and paid staff, and all volunteers working with youth and vulnerable adults, at any parish or diocesan location, are required to complete a one-time Application for Ministry prior to beginning their work/service and attend an EIM workshop within 60 days of submitting the application. Please login to your EIM account (use the Alternate Login option if needed) to pre-register to attend an EIM workshop. Please do not bring children to an EIM workshop. Materials used in the workshop include testimonies from victims and perpetrators of sexual abuse; if you have any concerns regarding your attendance at a workshop, please contact Emily Hurlimann at [\(512\) 949-2447](tel:512-949-2447) to make an alternative arrangement to receive your training. Such inquiries shall remain confidential.

## *Area Events*

*Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Taylor* will host its 100th Annual Jamaica October 4 and 5 at the Murphy Park in Taylor, Texas. Our Jamaica will last two days, come and have fun with all the family. Enjoy delicious food, live auction, games for all ages, live Music with Pegasso, Son del Rey, Vagabundo, Combinacion Potosina and more. FMI contact our office at [512-365-2380](tel:512-365-2380)

*St. Stephen in Salado Fall Fest* October 19<sup>th</sup> BBQ Dinner 11AM-1:30PM, 601 FM 2268-East of Wildfire Rodeo Arena.

*St. Margaret in Giddings Fall Festival* October 26 at the Sons of Hermann Hall off Hwy 77 South. Dinner 11AM/Auction 12:30PM.

*Healing the Whole Person* presented by John Paul II Healing Center - November 7-9, 2014 This weekend seminar to be held at St. Helen Catholic Church in Georgetown provides the opportunity to learn about and experience the healing power of God in the wholeness of body, soul and spirit. In a world full of brokenness, Christ has come to offer us new life. The central mission of the Gospel is to pave the way for us to reclaim our whole human identity. Join us on this journey, as we enter into the heart, face the pains and wounds within, and allow Christ's divine love to bring the healing we ardently desire. Talks include: Introduction to Healing the Whole Person, Facing our Brokenness, Prayer for Inner Healing, and Living in Freedom. Teachings are augmented by private activities for personal application and healing, including journaling, optional in-depth prayer ministry, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Adoration, and Eucharist. For more information and to register, visit [www.jpuihealingcenter.org](http://www.jpuihealingcenter.org), for additional questions contact [info@jpuihealingcenter.org](mailto:info@jpuihealingcenter.org)