



SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS CHURCH

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

Religious Education: Coordinator: Virginia Loza Lee 512-859-2634 sscmre@gmail.com

Bible Studies: Mondays 8:30AM; 1st Saturdays 8:30AM (FMI: Virginia Loza Lee)

Holy Rosary: 30 minutes before every Holy Mass

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

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

Healing Mass: First Thursday of every month

Nursing Home Masses: Granger Villa 2nd Thursday/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.

Marriage Prep required/Darve & Karen Horak 512-859-2646 or darve.horak@gmail.com

Quinceanera: Religious Education Attendance and Instruction required.

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Pastoral Council: Deborah Hensel

Finance Council: Chris Nemecek

Holy Cross Cemetery: Vacant

Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

Fourth Sunday of Lent—March 26, 2017

Saturday	March 25	6:00PM	† Adrian Pedraza; † Georgia Naizer; † Bennie Bartosh; † Joe P, Vrana; † Henry & Angeline Dillard & Mary Conlee
Sunday	March 26	10:00AM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Tuesday	March 28	12:00PM	† Mary Knapek; † Margie Hajda
Wednesday	<u>March 29 12:00PM</u>		Martinka Family; † Oscar Bunge
		6:30PM	Stations of the Cross
Thursday	<u>March 30 12:00PM</u>		Jezisek Family
		4:00PM	Adoration/ NO Confession /5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction
Friday	March 31	8:00AM	Stuchly Family; † Oscar Bunge
			(Stations of the Cross following Mass)
Saturday	April 1	8:00AM	† John Kurtin
		6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	April 2	10:00AM	† Adrian Pedraza; † Lillian & Albin Steffek; † Norbert L Polasek; † Emil Matula; † Patrick White

Remember to check the weekday Mass schedule for time changes.

Offering: Sunday: \$4,265.00 Children: \$26.00 CRS: \$ 1,151.00

Liturgical Ministers April 1-2

Saturday	6PM	Lector: Pat Greger	Servers: Kyle & Karsyn Hamons, Jose Campos
		Music: Traditional Choir	EMHC: Theresa Hajda, Henrietta Hajda, Louis Repa, Terry Pekar
Sunday	10AM	Lector: Patsy Polasek	Servers: Emily, Evan, Cody Polasek, Alexi Montagnino
		Music: Kathy Janke	EMHC: Elena Castro, Regina Carlson, Baldo & Rosa Degollado

Route EMHC: Theresa Hajda, Esther Villarreal, Louis Repa, Rosanne Naizer

Religious Articles Store: 6PM: Ofelia Lopez 10AM: Theresa Valdez

Easter Flower Fund donation envelopes are available at the bulletin tables.

Calendar of Events

Sunday	March 26	: 11AM KJZT Bingo Kitchen—Soft Tacos/2PM KC Bingo : 3PM Legion of Mary Rosary @ Granger Villa
Tuesday	March 28	: 5PM Bingo Kitchen—enchiladas, super nachos, nachos, Frito pies
Wednesday	March 29	: 7PM RE Classes
Thursday	March 30	: 7PM Pastoral Council (Special Celebration meeting) (DPC)
Saturday	April 1	: 8:45AM 1 st Saturday Bible Study
Sunday	April 2	: 11:30AM KJT Bingo Kitchen—hamburgers and fries/2PM KC Bingo : 1:30PM Legion of Mary Rosary @ Bartlett Will O Bell

Parish News & Events

Thank you to all who have already registered for our 125th anniversary celebration and for your numerous donations. Our count is over 400! It is not too late and you can still register if you want to attend. Parish registration forms are available at the front entrance of the church. Guest registration is also now open so please invite your out of town family and friends. Each guest family must also fill out a guest registration form available at the front entrance of the church as well or can also be downloaded from our website <http://www.sscmchurch.org> Deadline for registering is April 1st! Please remember that no extra meal tickets will be available that day as the meal is being catered. For more information or questions, contact Rosanne Naizer [512-431-4959](tel:512-431-4959) or email rnaiz@yahoo.com

A parish choir is being formed for the 10 a.m. celebration Mass of thanksgiving on April 30th. All choir members, musicians, and anyone who enjoys singing is invited to be part of this group. A practice will be held on Wednesday, April 26 at 6:30 PM in the church.

Volunteers are needed for homemade sweets for our dessert table at the anniversary celebration. If you would like to help, there is a sign up sheet at the front entrance of the church or you can call Angie Pavelka [512-859-2748](tel:512-859-2748).

Diocesan News

The Gift of Hope April 4 9:30AM – 2:30PM at Eagle’s Wings Retreat Center: Just as humanity is dependent upon a supply of oxygen, so too is humanity’s dependence upon its supply of hope. Yet today hopelessness and despair are everywhere. Join us as we prepare to enter into Holy Week as we explore the depth of hope that we are given through the power of Christ’s resurrection. **Presenter:** Cheryl Maxwell; Former Director of the Office of Worship and Secretariat Director for Formation and Spirituality at the Diocese of Austin and gifted Retreat Leader. \$35 per person and a light breakfast and lunch is included. Preregistration required visit www.ewrc.org.

A day of reflection on the Passion of the Lord will be held at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center on April 8 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Come ponder and pray about Our Lord’s Passion as passed down to us in the Gospel of Mark. Brian Egan, director at Cedarbrake, will lead this day. The cost is \$40 and includes lunch. To register call [\(254\) 780-2436](tel:254-780-2436) or visit www.cedarbrake.org.

“The Spiritual Journey,” a morning with our retired priests, will be held April 25 beginning at 9 a.m. and concluding with Mass at noon at St. Helen Parish in Georgetown. Our beloved, retired priests will share stories and faith. The cost is \$20 per person. To register call [\(254\) 780-2436](tel:254-780-2436) or visit www.cedarbrake.org.

Catholics from across Texas will unite for the 2017 **Texas Catholic Faith In Action Advocacy Day on April 4 at the State Capitol in Austin.** This bi-annual rally is hosted by the Texas bishops to promote the church's values of life, justice, charity and religious freedom to members of the Texas Legislature. For more information, contact Dekarlos Blackmon, diocesan director of Life, Charity and Justice for the Diocese of Austin, at [\(512\) 949-2486](tel:512-949-2486).

"Seven Sorrows of Mary," a retreat for women, will be held April 1 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in at St. William Parish in Round Rock in the Parish Hall. The retreat will be led by Dominican Sister Helen Marie Raycraft from the Dominican Preaching Team in South Austin. Love gift donations will be accepted for the Dominican Preaching Team. Morning refreshments and lunch will be provided. To register, contact Linda Freeman at linda.ann.freeman@gmail.com or [\(512\) 417-5756](tel:512-417-5756).

Deanery Penance Services:

St. Joseph in Manor: Wednesday, March 29, 7:00 p.m. (English & Spanish)
St. John Vianney in Round Rock: Thursday, March 30, 7:00 p.m. (English)
Holy Trinity of Corn Hill: Sunday, April 2, 5:00 p.m. (English & Spanish)
St. William in Round Rock: Wednesday, April 5, 7:00 p.m. (English & Spanish)
St. Mary in Taylor: Sunday, April 9, 6:00 p.m. (English)
St. William in Round Rock: Monday, April 10, 1:00 – 6:00 p.m. (English & Spanish)
St. Helen in Georgetown: Dates and times on bulletin at the main entrance of the church

All Pre-K through 5th graders are invited to join us as we sing at the Anniversary Celebration. We will be singing a couple of songs from VBS. We will practice on April 26 at 7:15PM. If you are interested, please fill out the form and place in the collection basket or email Virginia at sscmre@gmail.com. Please let us know by April 5 so we can order your child's T-shirt. All parish children are welcomed.

Name: _____ T-shirt size: _____ Grade: _____