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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

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.

Fifth Sunday of Easter ~ May 14, 2017

Saturday	May 13	6:00PM	All Mothers (100 th Anniversary of the appearance of Our Lady of Fatima)
Sunday	May 14	10:00AM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish especially all Mothers
Tuesday	May 16	12:00PM	Wellbeing of the Jackie Volek family
Wednesday	May 17	6:00PM	† John Jezisek
Thursday	May 18	Will O Bell Mass has been moved to May 25	
		4:00PM	Adoration/4:30PM Confession/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction
		6:00PM	Welling being of Bernard & Cecilia Stuchly family
Friday	May 19	8:00AM	Lillie & Sylvester Pavlock, Anton & Anna Vanek and all living & deceased family members
Saturday	May 20	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	May 21	10:00AM	†Lillian & John David; †Vince Marek; †Margaret Kerlin; †George Vrana; †Carmen A. Luna

Offering: Sunday: \$5,260.00

Children: \$25.41

Liturgical Ministers May 20-21 (Please call Parish Office to volunteer)

Saturday	6PM	Lector: Ronnie Steffek	Servers: Kyle & Karsyn Hamons, Jose Campos
		Music: Volunteer	EMHC: JoAnn Pavelka, Doc Pekar, Barney Fudge, Louis Repa
Sunday	10AM	Lector: Seniors	Servers: Ronnie & Andrew Vrabel, Kye Welles
		Music: Guitar Group	EMHC: Logan Hernandez, Jonathan Lee, Harold & Kurt Kaderka

Route EMHC: Lisa Repa, Esther Villarreal, Louis Repa, JoAnn Pavelka

****Please note:** Call the Parish Office to add or remove loved ones from the Route List.

Religious Articles Store: 6PM: Lillian Pacha 10AM: Rita Marburger

Special collections this weekend are for the Parish Building and Maintenance Fund and the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC. [Today we will participate in a national collection for the Trinity Dome to be completed in the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., before its 100th anniversary. Also known as America's Catholic Church, the National Shrine has been a century in the making, built by and for the faithful of our great nation in honor of our Blessed Mother, the patroness of the United States. Please be generous in your support of this most worthy cause. Envelopes are available in the pews.]

Calendar of Events

Sunday	May 14	: Happy Mother's Day!
		: 1:30PM Legion of Mary Rosary at Bartlett Will O Bell/3PM at the Granger Villa
Tuesday	May 16	: 5PM Bingo Kitchen—chili spaghetti and chicken salad sandwiches
		: 7PM Final V Encuentro session in Church
Thursday	May 18	: 7PM Finance Council meeting (DPC)
Sunday	May 21	: 10AM Senior Mass (See Announcement)
		: 12 noon KC hamburger/2PM KC Bingo

Parish News

All graduating seniors (college and high school) are invited to participate at the SSCM Senior Mass on Sunday, May 21. Seniors will meet at the DPC at 9:40AM and Mass will begin at 10:00AM. Wear your cap and gown.

To **RSVP please contact Virginia Loza-Lee at sscmre@gmail.com or [512-859-2634](tel:512-859-2634).

Parish Family please join us for cookies and punch after the 10AM Mass on Sunday, May 21 in the DPC. We will be congratulating and celebrating the Class of 2017. All are welcomed.

KJZT Society #18 will sponsor a fund raiser for the Granger Fire Department on Sunday May 28, 2017 at the SSCM Recreation Center. They will be serving a Chicken Fried Steak Dinner. The cost will be \$9.00/ plate. Serving will begin @ 11:30AM and go through bingo. Drive thru will be available till 12:30PM. All proceeds plus matching funds from the KJZT State Office will go towards the purchase of equipment. Volunteer workers and desserts are greatly appreciated.

Altar Flowers: Weekends are available for flower donations. Please contact the office at least 2 weeks in advance of the weekend you would like to donate flowers.

All are invited to participate in the crowning of our Blessed Mother Mary after the 10AM Mass on Sunday, May 28th. We will gather around the grotto near the DPC. Feel free to bring a flower to honor Our Mother.

Diocesan News

May 27-28 Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops approved a special triennial collection for the AMS in November 2012. The Diocese of Austin has set May 27-28 as the collection date.

Holy Trinity Parish in Corn Hill will host its annual June fundraiser June 4. The day will begin Mass at 10:30 a.m. with traditional Czech hymns sung by the Holy Trinity choir and the Happy Czech Singers of Austin. Fried chicken and sausage will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. (adults plates are \$10, children plates are \$5 and drive-through plates are available), followed by an afternoon of dancing to the music of the Jodie Mikula Orchestra. For more information, visit www.holytrinityofcornhill.org.

The diocesan Office of Canonical and Tribunal Services will host an "Annulment: Pathway to Healing" workshop on June 3 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at [St. Thomas Aquinas Parish](#) in College Station. The purpose of this seminar is to help participants begin a journey in awareness of the healing process of nullity (annulment) through a straight-to-the-heart response to persons considering or already seeking a declaration of nullity. The seminar is a time for reflecting on the demise of one's marriage by taking a journey from pain and loneliness to acceptance and healing. For more information, contact Deborah Patin at (512) 949-2478. To register, visit austindiocese.org/tribunal2017.

Together in God's Love is a four-part marriage preparation series, presenting an overview of the Church's teachings on the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony. The weekend class will focus on Catholic marriage as a visible sign of the Holy Trinity and the relationship of Christ to the Church. Each session will include a talk on faith, communication, sexuality, and stewardship within the context of Catholic matrimony. Couples are given the opportunity to engage in conversation, self-reflection, and journaling on these topics. **Location: St. John Vianney Catholic Church Vianney Center 8 Lake Drive Round Rock, TX 78665 Date/Time: June 9 6:30 pm-9:30 pm/ June 10 8:00 am-4:00 pm** Flyer and registration form on bulletin board.

Catholic Charities of Central Texas, along with the Texas Here to Stay coalition, is co-hosting **Know Your Rights** clinics that offer free presentations and immigration consultations for individuals seeking immigration information and legal services. Immigration clinic **June 18 from 9:30AM to 12:30PM** at [Our Lady of Guadalupe](#) Parish in Taylor.

Cedarbrake Retreats: To register call [\(254\) 780-2436](tel:254-780-2436) or visit www.cedarbrake.org.

The Practice of Art Journaling will be held May 22 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. Art Journaling is the use of simple art material, written journaling, contemplative gazing and receptive noticing to help respond to prayer and expression. Sister Marianne Hieb, RSM, D. Min, will lead this retreat. She is a member of Lourdes Wellness Spirituality Retreat Team. The cost is \$40 and includes lunch.

The Parables in Luke's Gospel Retreat will be held June 1 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. The retreat will focus on why Jesus used parables and how we can apply them to our life today. Father Angelo Bertini, retired chaplain from Cedarbrake, will facilitate this day. The cost is \$40 and includes lunch.

The Desert Solitude Retreat will be held June 9-14 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. This is a silent retreat that focuses on centering prayer and daily Mass. Beverly Collin, assistant director of Cedarbrake, will lead this retreat. This is a wonderful time to come to Cedarbrake and enjoy the quiet. The cost varies: \$300 (3 nights, single) or \$550 (3 nights, couple); \$360 (4 nights, single); or \$640 (4 nights, couple); \$420 (5 nights, single) or \$720 (5 nights, couple).