

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

Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 27, 2019

Saturday	Jan. 26	6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Jan. 27	10:00AM † Rudolph Kovar; † Dan (Doc) Steffek; † Theresa Hyzak Mazoch
Tuesday	Jan. 29	12:00PM † Frank & Annie Vrana
Wednesday	Jan. 30	6:00PM Wellbeing of James L. Pekar Family
Thursday	Jan. 31	4:00PM Adoration/4:30PM Confessions/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction 6:00PM † Edward Skrhak, Jr.
Friday	Feb. 1	8:00AM † Regina Mayer
Saturday	Feb. 2	8:00AM Respect for all human life 6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Feb. 3	10:00AM † Anton Sladeczek; † Charles & Shirley Carlson; † Antonio Lizardo; † Ella Mae Zbranek; † Robert Jezisek

We pray for the repose of the soul of Benjamin Jase Sifuentes. May he rest in peace.

Offering: Sunday: \$3,317.00 Children: \$47.00

Liturgical Ministers February 2-3 (Check your EIM Compliance/Workshop will be available here in March)

Saturday 6PM Lector: Debra Cavanaugh EMHC: Henrietta Hajda, Louis Repa
Music: Traditional Choir Servers: Bridget Lugari, Colby Marek, Garret Repa

Sunday 10AM Lector: Patsy Polasek EMHC: Mark & Wendy White
Music: Kathy Janke Servers: Elena & Tony Juarez, Alex Perez, Albert Martinez

Route EMHC: Lisa Repa, Ann Hall, Ronnie Steffek

Religious Articles Store: 6PM: Corinna Glenn 10AM: Rose Unnasch

Special collection next weekend is for Higher Education to support Campus Ministries in the Diocese of Austin.

Super Bowl Sunday is "Souper Bowl" Sunday for our parish. Please bring a can or package of soup for the Food Pantry to Mass **next weekend** to help feed our team mates in need.

Calendar of Events

Sunday	Jan. 27	: 11AM KJZT bingo kitchen-Taco Soup and sandwiches/ 2PM KC Bingo
Tuesday	Jan. 29	: 5PM Bingo Kitchen/ 7PM KC Bingo
Sunday	Feb. 3	: 2PM KC Bingo

Attention: EIM compliance is required of all clergy, religious, seminarians, diocesan employees, parish and Catholic school employees, and adult lay persons who volunteer in ministry with minors or vulnerable adults; or in any ministry, program or organization that serves youth or vulnerable adults in any manner, or functions at a time and place where they are typically present. To be compliant, one submits an EIM Application for Ministry (one time only) and attends an EIM Workshop every three years. **Please check your status to see if you are compliant.** Contact your parish EIM site administrator Joanne Selucky or go to www.austindiocese.org/eim-compliance to learn more about the EIM Application and EIM Workshop. You must submit your application before registering for a Workshop.

Please pray for **Bishop Daniel E. Garcia** as he transitions from the Diocese of Austin to being installed as the fifth Bishop of Monterey. The installation Mass will be Jan. 29 at 4 p.m. Central time and will be broadcast [live online](#).

Parish News

KJT Society #28, Granger will be having a **Fried Pork Steak Dinner on Sunday, February 10th** at the Hall after the **10AM Polka Mass**. Plates will be \$10 (no Childs Plates). To Go Plates will be available at the Kitchen (No Drive Thru). Donations of sweets are greatly appreciated as well as volunteer workers for the Kitchen and Pit. The Hall will be open before the 10AM Mass to accept sweets. Thank you.

Card of Thanks: I would like to thank everyone for the cards, prayers and words of encouragement I received after my accident in December. It has been a long process of healing but the prayers have made it much easier to bear. God bless all of you! *Dorothy Palla*

Area News

In February, we celebrate the Feast Day of Sts. Cyril and Methodius, patron saints of the Czech Republic and patron saint of Slavic peoples. In honor of these saints, a Czech Mass will be celebrated on, Sunday, February 10, at 5:00 pm, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Corn Hill. All prayers, readings and hymns will be in the Czech language. After Mass, a dinner will be served in the Parish Activity Center. Everyone is welcome to come and celebrate this special feast day of Sts. Cyril and Methodius

Please join other Catholics from the diocese to hike the **Camino de Santiago along the countryside of Spain**. This tour begins in Sarria, the most popular Camino starting point, covering the last 100km of the Camino Francés to converge on Santiago de Compostela. Tour includes hotel, airfare, two meals each day, luggage shuttled while you hike, a hiking guide, and training to get you physically ready. There are spots available for the following 2019 dates: **June 2-13th and October 2-14th**. If you are interested in joining either of these spiritual journeys, contact Jane Lakatos at jhlakatos@gmail.com to get more information.

A Healing Pilgrimage Retreat on the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes will be held Feb. 11 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake. This retreat will have talks on the great love of Mary, the message of Lourdes and it will include praying the rosary and Mass with the sacrament of anointing. Father Albert Haase, Beverly Collin and Brian Egan will facilitate the day. Cost is \$40 and includes lunch. To register, visit www.austindiocese.org/cedarbrake or call (254) 780-2436.

St. Mary's Catholic School in Taylor cordially invites you to their Catholic Schools Week Open House on Thursday, January 31 from 6 - 8 PM. With over 122 years of excellence in education, St. Mary's Catholic School educates student in the timeless wisdom of the classical Catholic intellectual tradition. With a focus on development of moral character and service to others, we move students beyond departmentalization, test preparation, and learning mere facts. St. Mary's aligns the basic knowledge and skills that the state education system requires with classic literature, original writings of the greatest scientists, historians, and philosophers of Western civilization, and active learning experiences that are integrated with technology, mathematics, science, and the local community environment.

St. Mary's provides PK3 - 8th grades with an active sacramental life, a fully accredited curriculum, competitive Athletics, Religion, Spanish, Art, Music, PE, and Technology. After-school Enrichment classes provide extended learning opportunities for students. Please contact us at 512-352-2313 or go to our website at www.stmarystaylor.org for more information.

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Catholic Church has much to offer the world: core beliefs and teachings; the love of Christ celebrated in the sacraments; the experience of the Holy Spirit in community. Because of this we have the confidence to work and pray for Christian unity. In what ways do you share the treasure of our faith with others?

The world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima is coming to our parish

We are hosting the world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima that has been traveling worldwide for 70+ years. **The statue will be at our parish on February 13 from 8AM to 8:30PM**. It will be an extraordinary occasion of healing, hope and grace. Please join us that day to hear the story of Fatima and venerate this beautiful statue that set out from Fatima in 1947 to bring the graces of Fatima to all who might not ever be able to make a pilgrimage to Fatima, Portugal. We bring the pilgrimage to you!

Hundreds and favors and graces, including cures, and countless conversions are associated with the image. The presence of this special Statue, sculpted by José Thedim based on Sister Lucia's description of her encounters with Our Lady, is a great gift to our community. Learn more about the statue at www.fatimatourforpeace.com.

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