



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

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

Quinceanera: SSCM Religious Education, Mass Attendance and Instruction required

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Sunday of the Divine Mercy ~ April 19, 2020

All Masses will be offered PRIVATELY BY OUR PASTOR

Check our website for online or on the air Mass options.

Church is closed to the public and Reconciliation is suspended

Saturday	April 18	† Dan Steffek; † VJ Hajda; † Joe & Alfred Vrana; † Anton & Bernice Huf; † Louis & Cecilia Vrana; † Bennie Bartosh
Sunday	April 19	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish Facebook live @10AM Divine Mercy Chaplet and Adoration on Facebook live 3PM-4PM
Tuesday	April 21	† Frank & Kalina Mikulencak, Lucy Frank
Wednesday	April 22	† VJ Hajda; Legion of Mary
Thursday	April 23	Wellbeing of Patricia Graham
Friday	April 24	Living and deceased members of the Vrabel & Wolf Families
Saturday	April 25	† Norma Cavanaugh; † VJ Hajda; † Monica Schwertner; † Ludmila Mann Tobolka; † Lorenza Oviedo Garcia
Sunday	April 26	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish Facebook live @10AM

Regular and Special offerings may be made by mail or online at www.sscmchurch.org

Regular: April 12: \$2,316.00 (Online: \$675.00) Building & Maintenance: \$212.00 (Online \$75.00)

Easter: \$907.00 (Online\$242.00) Holy Land: \$137.00 (Online: \$ 55.00) (in pew offering will be held September 13)

My beloved Parish Family,

As we continue this Easter season with our hope in the Risen Lord, may we continue to pray for each other during this very difficult time in our history. The Lord reminds us to pray constantly and to keep our eyes focused in on Him for our Redemption. Please continue to pray for all those who are trying to find treatments and vaccines to help us through this dangerous Coronavirus and other illnesses and diseases that affect our bodies in many ways. May God show us many avenues of demonstrating Christ's presence to each other. My staff and I and our Councils will keep you in prayer. Please do the same for us. Please have confidence to call us if there is something that it is possible for us to do in ministry for you and your loved ones. Please continue to be the amazing people that you are during this Coronavirus outbreak. May all the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace and may God comfort all those who grieve their loss. God bless.

Bulletins are available curbside in a brochure box at the Main Entrance of the Church.

Copies of the new missalettes are in the red barrel on the DPC Carport porch. When we are allowed back into the church you will need to bring it with you since it goes through August 8. Praying that will be soon.

All events have been cancelled or postponed until further notice, including Reconciliation. All offices, the church and the playground are closed to the public.

Divine Mercy Sunday (Second Sunday of Easter) Thomas believes Jesus has risen from the dead only after he sees Jesus and places his fingers in his wounds. We may not be able to place our hands physically on Jesus every day, but we can see his presence in those around us. How are we helping others see Jesus today?

Area Schools Enrollment Information

Applications for the SSCM Trust Fund Scholarships for Catholic Schools will be available beginning May 1st. Please watch the bulletin for more details to come. For questions, contact Rosanne Naizer 512-431-4959.

St. Helen Catholic School in Georgetown is currently enrolling for the 2020-2021 school year. St. Helen's offers classes in PreK-4 through 8th Grade. Go online to www.shcslions.org to take a Virtual Tour and fill out an Inquiry Form. St. Helen Catholic School is conveniently located at 2700 E. University Ave., Georgetown, TX 78626. 512-868-0744

BECOME A ST. MARY'S RAM! Enrollment for 2020-2021 has begun, and classes are filling quickly! PLEASE APPLY NOW so that your application is first in line for admittance. Email Kim Bohac at kim-bohac@stmarystaylor.org or call 512-352-2313 ext 213 for your tour today.

Prayers of the Faithful for Divine Mercy Sunday

Dear friends, we celebrate God's mercy today—that gift of compassionate forgiveness that is offered to all. For generations people had turned away from God, failing to respect the law or the prophets. Yet God sent us the Son, who took upon himself the sins of the world in order to redeem us all. Let our presence here today be a sign of our gratitude as we lift up our hearts and voices to the author of divine mercy.

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Prayers of the Faithful

We are told that God's mercy endures forever, so we rely on the infinite mercy of God as we bring forth our needs and the needs of the world.

- For the Church that we may spread God's mercy to those most in need of it: The impoverished, the chronically ill, the lonely, the forgotten and those suffering from coronavirus, we pray to the Lord
- For leaders of nations, that they may work toward achieving true justice and lasting peace within their countries and with their neighbors, we pray to the Lord
- For victims of persecution and their loved ones, especially for all those who were killed in the Holocaust, that they may be comforted in the arms of a merciful God, we pray to the Lord
- For an end to the pandemic and recovery for all who are suffering from it, we pray to the Lord
- For all who are not able to join us today because of the stay home stay safe order, we pray to the Lord
- For the prayers offered in the prayer book and those we hold in the silence of our hearts, we pray to the Lord.

Merciful God, you have given us a new birth through the resurrection of your Son. May we share this living hope with our families, friends and neighbors. Hear this and all the prayers we make to you and grant them through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Risen Lord.



Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



Jesus, I trust in You.

Divine Mercy Chaplet and Adoration Sunday, April 19 @ 3PM on Facebook Live.