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

Bible Studies: Mondays 8:30AM; 1st 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 (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.

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time — August 14, 2016

Weekday Masses Tuesday through Friday are in the DPC Chapel

Saturday	Aug. 13	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of the Mazac family; †Mike Shirocky; †John F. & Mary Knappek; † Bennie Bartosh; † Hubert Gorubec
Sunday	Aug. 14	10:00AM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Monday	Aug. 15	8:00AM	† Abelina Calvo
Masses in the Church		7:00PM	Living and deceased members of the KJZT
Tuesday	Aug. 16	12:00PM	† Adella Bucek
Wednesday	Aug. 17	6:00PM	† Agnes Motloch; † Raphaela Trevino
Thursday	Aug. 18	10:00AM	Will O Bell: † Agnes Bohac
		4:00PM	Adoration/4:30-5:30PM Confession/Evening Prayer/Benediction
		6:00PM	† August Svehlak, Jr.
Friday	Aug. 19	8:00AM	† Henrietta & Pete Wolf
Saturday	Aug. 20	6:00PM	Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Aug. 21	10:00AM	†Orlando Lopez; † Marie Hajda; † Edd & Angeline Sladeczek, Ed Cmerek; † Vince Marek; † Rafael & Mercedes Rivera

Offering: Sunday: \$5,074.00

Children: \$ 23.00

Liturgical Ministers August 15 & 20-21 (Anyone interested in serving as Lector, Music or Server please contact the Office.)

August 15 Masses: 8AM: Music: Kathy Janke (Volunteer-Lector, EMHC, Servers) & 7PM Masses (Volunteers)

Saturday 6PM Lectors: Ronnie Steffek/Blanca Olivas Servers: Aaron & James Arellano Cortez
 Music: Karen Simcik EMHC: Ronnie Steffek, Diana Kerlin, Henrietta Hajda, Louis Repa

Sunday 10AM Lectors: Rose Unnasch/John Unnasch Servers: Christopher, Nicholas, Thomas & Marissa Hall
 Music: Kathy Janke EMHC: Harold & Carolyn Kaderka, Mark White, Mary Pavlat

Route EMHC: Baldo Degollado, Rosalva Degollado, Margaret Vrana, George Strmiska

Special collection this weekend is for the Parish Building and Maintenance Fund.

Granger Food Pantry collection is this week. Bring items to Church or Parish Office by Wednesday, August 17 for the next distribution to be held **Thursday, August 18** from 12:00 to 4:00PM at the Methodist Church. Caring Place will also be on hand for assistance.

Flowers are in honor and memory of the living and deceased members of KJZT Society #18.

Calendar of Events

Sunday Aug. 14 : 11AM Youth Ministry Bingo Kitchen—hamburgers and fries/2PM KC Bingo
 : 7-9PM Upper Room High School students and their friends

Tuesday Aug. 16 : 5PM Bingo Kitchen: Granger Lions Club benefit—hamburgers, fries and desserts

Wednesday Aug. 17 : 6:30PM RE Registration (DPC)

Saturday Aug. 20 : 8PM 'Back to School Bash' Murphy Pool in Taylor/High School Lock In following Bash

Sunday Aug. 21 : KC hamburgers/ 2PM KC Bingo

Parish

Save the Date: Wednesday, August 24 at 6PM Very Rev. Michael O'Connor will install Fr. Hilario as our Pastor. Everyone is invited to attend.

We need you to make our family directory complete! This weekend, (before and after Masses) sign-ups for photography sessions for our new directory will be available at the back of the church. Volunteers will be on hand to assist. Also, you can visit our website, www.sscmchurch.org or call the church office to sign up. Early sign-ups will get the first choice of times!

Donations are now being accepted for the meat at the bazaar. If you would like to make a donation, contact Tommy Huf 512-845-5545, Johnnie Naizer 512-859-2542 or drop in the collection basket marked BBQ donation.

Bazaar: Our Annual Bazaar is only a month away. Each family is asked to donate one item for the desserts or cake walk, one bingo prize (\$5-7) and one auction item. Clearance Sales and Back to School Sales are great places to find items for the bazaar.

Celebration Apparel: Last weekend to order Shirts to have them by the Bazaar. Get your order in today.

Next Sunday, **August 21st** is the final deadline for turning in applications for tuition assistance for Catholic Schools for enrollment in the 2016-17 school year. Forms are available at the front entrance and may be returned in the collection basket or parish office. For more information, please contact Rosanne Naizer [512-431-4959](tel:512-431-4959) or email rnaiz@yahoo.com

The **Legion of Mary** thanks everyone for the overwhelming support last Saturday at the praying of the 2000 Hail Mary Devotion. Thank you so much for your attendance, donations, and gifts of food to help keep us all going. It was an incredible day of prayer spent with our Blessed Mother Mary. The Legion of Mary meets every Thursday following the evening mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. The rosary is also prayed weekly at the Granger Villa and Will O'Bell in Bartlett every Sunday. Please join us at any time. This weekend (today) we pray at 3 p.m. at the Granger Villa. Our travelling Blessed Mother has openings available for the coming months. Help us continue her travels by choosing a week for her to be with your family. Signup sheet is at the main entrance of the church.

Thank you! Albert Hajda wishes to thank our parish family for all the prayers, care, and concern over the last month after his recent illness. Your kindnesses are most appreciated! May God bless you all!

KJZT Society #18 invites all members to attend the Mass on Monday evening, August 15th @ 7:00 PM. The Mass is in honor of all living and deceased KJZT members.

The Granger Lions Club is sponsoring a hamburger & fries night at the Tuesday bingo on Aug. 16. Serving will be from 5-8PM. Sweets will also be available for purchase. The public is invited. This is a good time to feed the harvesting crews. Proceeds benefit the Lions Club projects including the scholarship program. Thanks in advance for the support of the Granger Community.

SSCM Recreation Hall has older 6 foot and 8 foot tables for sale at 5.00 each. There are also a few children's chairs still available. Please call the Hall Manager, Debbie Todd at [512-930-8747](tel:512-930-8747).

Religious Education

Religious Education Families, have you checked your mail? Please look for your 2016-2017 registration packets. Religious Education Registration will be held at the **Back to School Bash** on Aug. 20 at 8:00pm at the Murphy Pool in Taylor. Bring the family and enjoy an evening with your parish family. If you are unable to make the Bash, you may register on Aug. 17 at the DPC at 6:30pm.

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? Would like to know a little more about the Catholic Faith? We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting.

DO YOU HAVE A CHILD OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO HAS A CHILD WHO...Is over the age of seven who has not been baptized? Is a child in the 3rd grade or above who needs First Communion? Is a teen above the 9th grade that needs confirmation? A new Sacramental Preparation class will begin September and meet the Wednesday of each month. Homework will also be sent home to help with instruction.

To register or for more information for both programs, please contact Virginia at sscmre@gmail.com or [512-859-2634](tel:512-859-2634). A copy of your baptismal certificate (or birth certificate, if not baptized) will be needed for anyone desiring sacraments.

ROAR II Progress Report ~ We have exceeded our goal! 132+%

Pledged: \$135,230.68 (\$133,675.68 paid)	129 of 138 Pledges Paid in Full	(Only 9 more pledges to fulfill \$1,555.00)
Fundraisers thus far: \$39,133.43	Memorials and Donations: \$24,595.33	\$150,000-198,959.44= (\$48,959.44 over)

125 Year Anniversary History Book Preorder Form (Fill out and Drop in the collection basket)

Number of copies _____ (Price dependent of total number ordered by parish for \$10-15 each to be paid at time of delivery)

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____