



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 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. (6 month notice)

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Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek

Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 1, 2018

Saturday June 30 6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish

Sunday July 1 10:00AM † Betty Jarolik; † Albert Vrana, Sr.; † George Vrana; † Gloria Willis; † Paul & Frances Repa;
† Vince Marek; † Albina & Cecil Peat & Sabrina

No Weekday Masses: July 3-6/Parish Office will be closed July 3-6

Saturday July 7 8:00AM In respect for all human life

6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish

Sunday July 8 10:00AM † Frank & Elizabeth Kollaja; † Joe & Viola Sevcik; † Adrian Pedraza; † Patrick Vrabel;
† Leroy, Ella & Curtis Unnasch; Wellbeing of Ann & John Franklin

We pray for the repose of the soul of Kevin Remmert, may he rest in peace.

Offering: Sunday: \$3,887.00 Children: \$19.25 Monthly ACH: \$770.00 Thank you for your generous support!

Liturgical Ministers July 7-8

Saturday 6PM Lector: Debra Cavanaugh EMHC: Louis Repa, Terry Pekar, Darve Horak, JoAnn Pavelka

Music: Volunteer

Servers: Kyle & Karsyn Hamons, Dominik Lopez

Sunday 10AM Lector: Ellen Wolf

EMHC: Blanca Olivas, Baldo & Rosalva Degollado

Music: Mary Kreidel

Servers: Emily, Evan, Cody, Caleb Polasek

Route EMHC: Deborah Hensel, Angie Pavelka, Diana Kerlin

Religious Articles Store: 6PM: Ofelia Lopez 10AM: Bernice Jezisek

Special collection this weekend: The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide to support the most disadvantaged – victims of war, oppression, natural disasters and others in need of emergency assistance.

Special collection next weekend is for the Parish Building and Maintenance Fund. It is through your generosity that we are able to maintain our campus. Thank you for your support.

Flowers: In memory of the grandparents of Dillon Kreidel and Mary Unnasch: Johnny & Antonia Knappek, Leroy & Ella Unnasch, John & Margaret Kreidel, and Ray Smith & Clara Belle Smith Homesley.

Calendar of Events

Sunday July 1 : 11AM KJT Kitchen—Hamburgers, fries and homemade desserts

Tuesday July 3 : 7PM KC Bingo

Sunday July 8 : 11AM Youth Ministry kitchen—hamburgers, fries, desserts/2PM KC Bingo

: 6PM Appreciation Party for Virginia Loza Lee

: 1:30PM Legion of Mary Rosary at Will O Bell

Parish Office is CLOSED July 3-9. We will reopen Tuesday July 10. Office messages will be monitored during this time. Emergency calls only to Fr. Hilario 512-595-6507 or Joanne 512-595-1345.

Parish News

Note Change: Knights of Columbus meeting has been moved from July 7 to **July 12 at 7PM.**

KJT will be serving Hamburgers and French Fries at Bingo on July 1st. Proceeds will benefit Granger Food Pantry with a Matching Grant from the KJT Home Office. Donations of sweets would be greatly appreciated. May God bless you for your generosity!

A huge thank you to everyone who sacrificed their time to help with the Chicken Dinner/Dance fundraiser last weekend. A full report is on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Due to the reduced workforce for our fundraisers there will NOT be a 5th Sunday Chicken Dinner on July 29.

Thank you to all who supported the teens who attend the Lone Star Steubenville Youth Conference. The teens were moved by the presence of Jesus in Adoration. May they continue to be inspired by the Holy Spirit. Thanks again for making this happen through your support and prayers.

Save the Date: As you know our beloved Virginia Loza Lee and her family are leaving us for Reno, NV. We will be having an Appreciation Party for her on **Sunday, July 8 at 6PM** at the Hall. Bring your favorite dish (Entrée and Veggie) and dessert to share as we wish her and her family a fond farewell for now.

We are going to celebrate an Altar Server Appreciation Day on, Sunday July 15, 2018. I would like to have all current and new servers at that day's 10 a.m. Mass. After Mass we will go to Austin Park and Pizza from 1 pm – 4 pm. Unlimited pizza and drinks, plus games. The parish will pay for the servers. However, if your parents and siblings want to come they too are invited; they would just have to pay for themselves. We want to have a great day together and give you our thanks. **Please RSVP** if you can or are unable to make it. Please e-mail me at white.mark@att.net or call (254)-760-7174 you may also call Ms. White at (254)-231-5675. Come and have a blast.

Mission Appeal: Fr. Chris Ferrer will be joining us July 14 and 15 for our weekend Masses to present his mission appeal for Gawad Kalinga which builds affordable homes and

Area News

The Central Texas Fellowship of Catholic Men will host the annual **Men's Mass July 21 at 10 a.m.** at St. Elizabeth Parish in Pflugerville. Bishop Joe Vásquez will celebrate the Mass, and a reception will follow. For more information, visit www.centexcatholic.com.

July 29th - Common Ground Community Service: This will be held at the 1st Baptist Church in Granger at 6:00 P.M. on July 29th (Sunday). The Steel Magnolias from Belton will be bringing special music. They are a women's group who sing beautifully. Everyone is invited. Fellowship will follow the service. Please mark your calendars and try to support this service of worshipping together as **One**.

EXCITING NEWS:

The Granger and surrounding areas will receive fresh food, (fruit and vegetables) The next distribution is July 10 from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM and every 2nd Tuesday thereafter. This is being provided by a grant in coordination with HCCM (Hill Country Community Ministries in Leander and Capital Area Food Bank). Volunteers are needed to help sort and distribute the fresh foods once a month at the SSCM Hall in Granger. Residents from Granger, and surrounding areas, Taylor, Bartlett, Schwertner, Jarrell, Little River and Holland areas are all welcome to come and get fresh food at the SSCM Hall. No qualification documents needed. Please help us get the word out to your family and friends.

Catholic Charities Utility Assistance: Catholic Charities is partnering with St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Round Rock and Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Taylor to provide utility assistance to households in Williamson County. Families in need of assistance may visit St. John Vianney on July 6 or 20, August 3 or 24, or September 7 or 21 from 9:30am - 3pm. Assistance is available at Our Lady of Guadalupe on July 13, August 10 and September 24. Please bring a current utility bill and a photo ID.

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

This week, both the Gospel and first reading affirm the healing and life-giving power of God's love. Yet, we experience that death, suffering and pain are a very real part of life. Many find themselves asking: "Where is God?" The death and resurrection of Jesus is the assurance that God is with us in the midst of pain, suffering and even death and bringing us to new life. How can we hold others in their pain and suffering to help them to trust in God? Who needs the witness of your faith and love this week?