



SS. CYRIL & METHIDIUS 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)

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Holy Cross Cemetery: Cecilia Stefek

Calvary Cemetery: James Cervenka

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 9, 2018

Saturday	Sept. 8	6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Sept. 9	10:00AM † Johnny Machacek; † Frank & Betty Cervenka, Carolyn Borst; † Patrick Vrabel; † Anton Sladecsek; † Alfonso R. Luna, Sr.; † Mary Lou Carpenter
Tuesday	Sept. 11	12:00PM † Mary Hargreaves; † George J. Simcik
Wednesday	Sept. 12	6:00PM † Bennie Bartosh; Wellbeing of C. Green
Thursday	Sept. 13	4:00PM Adoration/4:30PM Confessions/5:30PM Evening Prayer/5:45PM Benediction 6:00PM † Patrick Vrabel; † Tim Martinka
Friday	Sept. 14	8:00AM † Kevin Raye Remmert; † Mary Barcuch
Saturday	Sept. 15	6:00PM Living and deceased members of SSCM Parish
Sunday	Sept. 16	10:00AM † Richard Rosipal; † Charlie Pajestka; † Jessie & Agnes Stojanik; † VJ & Margie Hajda; † Joe & Mary Barcuch; † Harvey Joe Nemeč

We pray for the repose of the soul of Jordan Nira. May he and all the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace.

Offering: Sunday: \$3,904.00 (Online: \$70) Children: \$44.00 ACH: \$750.00 (Monthly)

We have already begun having ONLINE donations. Go to our website for more information.

Liturgical Ministers September 15-16

Saturday	6PM	Lector: Ronnie Steffek	EMHC: Henrietta Hajda, Theresa Hajda, Paula Marak, Cirila Gomez
		Music: Volunteer	Servers: Lexi Lopez, Garret Repa, Jude Lugari
Sunday	10AM	Lector: Patsy Polasek	EMHC: Chris Nemeč, Marilyn Gaydos, Baldo & Rosalva Degollado
		Music: Guitar Group	Servers: Andrew & Ronnie Vrabel, Albert Martinez

Route EMHC: Carolyn Kaderka, Barbara Taisler, JoAnn Pavelka

Religious Articles Store: 6PM: Ofelia Lopez 10AM: Ofelia Lopez (Workers needed: Call Ofelia 512-859-2357)

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

Remember to submit your nominations for the Pastoral Council by September 16. All contributing parishioners 18 Years Old and over can submit 4 names to be considered for the council. Ballots are available at the bulletin tables.

Ballot MUST BE SIGNED to be valid.

Calendar of Events

Sunday	Sept. 9	: 11AM Youth Ministry Bingo kitchen—hamburgers & fries/2PM KC Bingo
Monday	Sept. 10	: 8:30AM Monday Morning Bible Study begins (DPC)
Tuesday	Sept. 11	: 7PM KC Bingo
Wednesday	Sept. 12	: 7PM RE / 7PM ECC committee meeting (DPC)
Sunday	Sept. 16	: 12PM Bingo kitchen--KC Hamburgers/ 2PM KC Bingo : 1:30PM Legion of Mary Rosary at Will O Bell (Everyone is welcomed to join)

2018 Parish Bazaar: Thank you to everyone who came out to support our parish. We would like to thank all of our parishioners who donated items for bingo, cake walk, auction and dessert along with their time and money for our Bazaar. The list is endless and surely we would leave someone off if we published it, but be aware that we appreciate your generosity. God bless you all!

Recap meeting will be held on Thursday September 27 at 7:30PM in the DPC. Everyone is invited to attend.

Parish News

Database: Please call the office when your address, email or phone number changes. We have no way to contact you if our information is outdated. Much of the information in our last directory is now outdated as people disconnect from land lines and go to cellphone only. Thank you in advance for your help in this matter.

KJT Society #28 will be serving BBQ on Bun, Fries and Desserts on **Sunday, October 7** at the Hall. All proceeds will benefit Missionaries of Hope. Serving will begin at 11:30 AM. Donations of sweets are greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance!

Area News and Events

September 9: St. Mary's Taylor Fall Festival and Parish Picnic at the KC Hall in Taylor (Flyer on Bulletin Board)

September 9: SS Cyril & Methodius Marak Annual Homecoming Picnic (Flyer on Bulletin Board)

September 16: St. John Lutheran Bartlett Polka Worship Service (Praha Brothers) and meal. 10:30 AM Liturgy and hymns followed by a home-cooked German meal. (\$10 per meal served until 1PM)

September 16: Holy Trinity Parish in Corn Hill will host its annual Bazaar (Flyer on Bulletin Board)

September 22: St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish, located at 1520 N. Railroad Ave in Pflugerville will host its *Annual Fiesta Dinner and Bingo* at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall. The \$10 BBQ dinner will consists of sliced brisket, sausage, macaroni & cheese, baked beans, green beans, and iced tea or lemonade. Bingo will begin promptly at 7:00 pm. Bingo cards will cost \$5 each or 3 for \$10. Fifteen games will be played and cards are good for all 15 games. Prizes will be awarded to the winners of each game. Cash, checks, and credit cards will be accepted. We will also be selling concessions, so come hungry and ready to have fun!

Sunday, September 30th, A Ministerial Common Ground Sunday. Judea Missionary Baptist Church, 401 N. Willis, in Granger will be hosting this event. We need all the support of all the Granger churches to help with food as their membership is very small. The program is fantastic so please mark your calendars to attend.

GRANGER COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY AUGUST 2018

Families Served – 69 Cash Donations received for Food Pantry \$500.00

SSCM – \$150.00 and 92 pounds of food KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - \$300.00

BRETHREN CHURCH - \$50.00 and 38 pounds of food

ANONYMOUS COUPLE FROM GEORGETOWN – Purchased brand new children clothes from Old Navy which included pants and shirts to give to the children for school. The children who received the clothes were so happy. THANK YOU!

BIG B'S – Thank you for continuing to support this ministry by providing meat and eggs at cost.

What Can You Do? Needed items: peanut butter, jelly, macaroni and cheese, tuna, canned vegetables (corn and green beans) spaghetti sauce, soups, ketchup, mustard, pastas, breakfast items (cereals; oatmeal; cream of wheat) desserts, sugar free jello and pudding. Toiletries, laundry soaps, shampoos are welcomed and **money** can always be used to purchase needed groceries. Thank you all for supporting the Granger Community!!

Next Food Pantry: The next food pantry will be September 20th **from 12:00 – 4:00**. Please deliver your donations to the church or office the day before.

FRESH FOOD FOR ALL: 2nd Tuesday of every month, Food Distribution 2:00-4:00 p.m. at SSCM Hall. Next date is **Tuesday, September 11th from 2 until 4**. In August we served 74 families which included distributing 1145 pounds of food. Thanks to the volunteers that make this happen and Hill Country Ministries. We welcome anyone to volunteer to sort and distribute. Volunteers please show up at 12:00 to prepare food on the date of distribution.

Future dates: October 9; November 13 and December 11.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ephphatha! As we open our eyes to see, and open our ears to hear, we will notice people around us suffering from homelessness, poverty, inadequate health care and joblessness. The Gospel story reminds us not only to remember those on the peripheries, but also to open our hearts — reaching out to them in humble service.