

SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Church of the Diocese of Victoria in Texas

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**Bishop Emeritus David Fellhauer
Deacon: The Rev. Mr. Joe Machacek**

November 12, 2017

Sacred Liturgies

November 12 – Thirty-Second Sunday Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. People of Sts. Cyril & Methodius Parish

9:30 a.m. Julius J. & Mary Vrana

November 13 – Monday

6:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

10:00 a.m. All Souls Novena (Nursing Home)

November 14 – Tuesday

6:30 a.m. Edwin & Gertrude Jaks

November 15 – Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Matthew Pohler, Harvey & Irene Pohler and
Leonard G. Darilek

November 16 – Thursday

6:00 p.m. All Souls Novena

November 17 – Friday

8:10 a.m. Bennie E. Orsak

November 18 – Saturday

5:00 p.m. Gene Nagelmueller

November 19 – Thirty-Third Sunday Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. People of Sts. Cyril & Methodius Parish

9:30 a.m. Edwin & Hilda Schmidt and Rudolph & Minnie
Fiedler



What is Ordinary Time?

As we draw near to the end of Ordinary Time in the Church's liturgical year, it may be a good time to reflect on exactly what is Ordinary Time.

The rhythm of the liturgical seasons reflects the rhythm of life — with its celebrations of anniversaries and its seasons of quiet growth and maturing.

Ordinary Time, meaning ordered or numbered time, is celebrated in two segments: from the Monday following the Baptism of Our Lord up to Ash Wednesday; and from Pentecost Monday to the First Sunday of Advent. This makes it the largest season of the Liturgical Year.

In the vestments, usually green, the color of hope and growth, the Church counts the thirty-three or thirty-four Sundays of Ordinary Time, inviting her children to meditate upon the whole mystery of Christ – his life, miracles and teachings – in the light of his Resurrection.

If the faithful are to mature in the spiritual life and increase in faith, they must descend the great mountain peaks of Easter and Christmas in order to "pasture" in the vast verdant meadows of *tempus per annum*, or Ordinary Time.

Sunday by Sunday, the Pilgrim Church marks her journey through the *tempus per annum*, or Ordinary Time, as she processes through time toward eternity. Next Sunday, November 19, marks the end of Ordinary Time for this year.

Source: catholicculture.org

Marian Consecration – Weekly Meeting

This week's meetings that are a part of the retreat to prepare for a Marian Consecration on December 8 are on **Monday, November 13, at 6:00 p.m. and on Friday November 17 at 9:00 a.m.** in the PAC. The material presented is the same – participants may choose either meeting.

Vocations Committee Prayer Intention for this week is for the deceased priests of the Diocese of Victoria. Let us remember to pray for all the priests who have served in our diocese, in particular those who are from our parish or have served in our parish. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord!



Eucharistic Adoration: Persons are needed in our adoration chapel on **Tuesdays from 2:00 – 3:00 a.m. and on Thursdays from 3:00 – 4:00 a.m. (both of these times are for every other week).** Please consider taking one of these times and call the parish office at 594-3836 if you can help out.



KJZT Society #5, Shiner, will hold their annual meeting on **Sunday, November 12,** at the PAC at **8:30 am.** All members are encouraged to attend.

Altar Society will meet Tuesday, November 14, at 2:00 p.m. in the PAC. Hostesses are Janie Cimrhanzl, Ann Meyer and Joan Simper.

K.C. and CDA Memorial Service and Mass: There will be a Memorial Service on Thursday, November 16, beginning with Mass at 6:00 p.m. Deceased members of these organizations will be remembered in a candle-lighting ceremony during the Mass. Following the Mass a meal and social will take place for members and their families at the K.C. Hall.



Flowers on the Altar

In Memory of Marcus Hrcir by the Hrcir Family

Church Bulletin & Adoration Chapel Candles

In Memory of Marcus Hrcir by the Hrcir Family

Children's Bulletin

In Memory of Matthew Pohler by
Don & Gerrie Pohler and Family

Sanctuary Candles

In Memory of Julius J. & Mary Vrana by Family

Memorial Candle for the Unborn

By the Martinsen Family

Vocations Cross

Curtis & Denise Pilat

Bible Study: Everyone is invited to the weekly Bible study held on Mondays from 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. in the PAC.

November and December Ministry Schedules can be found at the church entrances and on our website.



Parish Choir Notice: Practice on November 13 at 6:00 p.m. Choir will sing on November 18.

Totus Tuus Chorum: Rehearsals every Wednesday in Nov and Dec from 8:00 – 8:50 p.m. for Christmas in the Park and Christmas Midnight Mass.

An Invitation: We are forming a combined choir – adults, youth, and instrumentalists – to provide the music for Christmas Midnight Mass and also to sing at Christmas in the Park on Dec 7. All students in grades 7 – 12 who would like to participate in these two Christmas events as choir members are invited to attend rehearsals Wednesdays from 8:00 – 8:50 p.m. beginning Nov 8. Adults who would like to participate, please attend a rehearsal on Mon., Nov 13, at 7:00 p.m. If you plan on attending, please contact Mrs. Marty Egan at marthaegan110@gmail.com or text to [830-445-6512](tel:830-445-6512) so that she can have enough music for everyone. Come join us for these festive occasions!



Thank You To:

- Students in Religious Ed Classes who donated food items for the food pantry this past week.
- Youth and adults who worked at the cemetery cleaning held recently.



Respect Life Brochures: Several brochures are available in the church pamphlet racks for information on several respect life issues. Topics include: *Death Penalty; Catholic Questions and Answers; Top Reasons to Oppose Assisted Suicide; How to Build a Culture of Life; Catholic Considerations for Our Earthly Passion; What to Do When a Friend is Considering Abortion.* These brochures are being made available to you by the Shiner Catholic Daughters.

Towels for the Homeless: In an effort to assist people in South Texas who are still struggling following Hurricane Harvey, the Shiner Catholic Daughters are collecting towels of all sizes (new or gently used). Please leave donations in containers at the church doors anytime through November 22. The donations will be distributed by Mid-Coast Family Services in Victoria. Thank you for caring!

Tamale Sale: The Catholic Daughters are sponsoring a Tamale Sale, with the tamales scheduled to arrive on December 7. These are traditional pork tamales that will be fresh made by Grumpy's Mexican Café, Bracken. Price: \$10/dozen. Place your order by November 29 by calling Marjorie Kresta, 361-594-2361; Betty Kosler, 361-649-4248; or Quality Pharmacy, 361-594-2262.



Our Gifts to God This Week

Envelopes.....	\$ 8,935.00
Loose Collections.....	\$ 1,286.00
Repair Fund.....	\$ 350.13

Special Collection: Next weekend's second collection will be for the Campaign for Human Development.

Strudel Donations: Donations are still being accepted to defray the expenses of supplies for the strudels that were made at our Parish Strudel Bake on November 11. **As of Thursday, a total of 65 of the 90 boxes of apples expected to be used had been donated. Thank you!** Donations (\$25/box of apples) may be left at the parish office or in the collection basket.

Strudel Pick-Up: If you ordered strudels but did not pick up on Saturday, please stop by the parish office as soon as possible.



Cardinal Booster Club Turkey Shoot, Fried Chicken Dinner, and Auction, Sunday, November 19, Wied Hall

The event begins at 10:00 a.m.; **turkey shoot** sign-up begins at 9:00 a.m. A **kettle fried chicken dinner** will be served from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for dine-in and drive-through at Wied Hall. Advance tickets are \$10 and are available at Patek Grocery, Quality Pharmacy and the school offices. Advance tickets are recommended; a limited number of unsold plates will be available.

A live auction begins at 12:00 noon. All proceeds benefit the athletic and physical education program of Shiner Catholic School, Pk3 through 12th grade.



Church and School Memorials:

In grateful appreciation we wish to acknowledge Memorials received in October, 2017.

Church Memorial Fund:

In memory of Margaret Aschenbeck, \$170
In memory of Dorothy Muras, \$10
In memory of Ernest Berger, \$185
In memory of Christie Sofka, \$175

Church Repair Fund:

In memory of Ernest Berger, \$50
In memory of Margaret Aschenbeck, \$135
In memory of Henry Joe Henke, \$10
In memory of Ivan Pfeil, \$55
In memory of Christie Sofka, \$60
In memory of Louis Spann, \$150

St. Nicholas Society:

In memory of Margaret Aschenbeck, \$25

Shiner Catholic School Endowment Fund:

In memory of Ivan Pfeil, \$20

Shiner Catholic School Memorial Fund:

In memory of Henry Joe Henke, \$25
In memory of Margaret Aschenbeck, \$350
In memory of Ben Netardus, \$5
In memory of Ivan Pfeil, \$375
In memory of Louis Spann, \$60

Convent Restoration Fund:

In memory of Margaret Aschenbeck, \$365
In memory of Louis Spann, \$650
In memory of Christie Sofka, \$275
In memory of Ivan Pfeil, \$10

Church Window Restoration Fund:

In memory of Margaret Aschenbeck, \$135
In memory of Christie Sofka, \$15

God's Little Helpers:

In memory of Christie Sofka, \$40



The Diocese of Victoria has an opening for a Kitchen Assistant located at the Spiritual Renewal Center. The person will be responsible for preparing and serving meals, washing dishes, and maintaining the cleanliness of the building for retreats. For the complete job posting and application process visit: www.victoriadiocese.org/current-job-postings or contact Melissa Salinas, Director of Human Resources at 361-573-0828. Deadline to apply is November 21.