

SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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March 11, 2018

Sacred Liturgies

March 11 – Sunday – 3rd Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Daniel Pohl

9:30 a.m. Isidor Camacho

March 12 – Monday

6:30 a.m. Natividad Perez

10:00 a.m. Robert Siegel (Nursing Home)

March 13 – Tuesday

6:30 a.m. Deceased Members of Vietnamese Dominican Community

March 14 – Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Willie & Frances Harabis

March 15 – Thursday

6:30 a.m. Rosalie Siegel

March 16 – Friday

8:00 a.m. Joe F. & Frances Svatek

Joe R. & John Svatek & James Mica

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

March 17 – Saturday

5:00 p.m. Patrick Welfl

March 18 – Sunday – 4th Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Denis Berger, Sr.

9:30 a.m. People of Sts. Cyril & Methodius Parish



From the Pastor's Desk



We have reached the half-way mark of Lent. It might be a good time to review and possibly renew our commitments made on Ash Wednesday. Are we sticking with our

acts of penance and sacrifice? Have we been generous in sharing our resources in purposeful acts of almsgiving? Have we added meaningful prayer time to our daily schedule? If we are sincere in our efforts to keep Lent a holy time, we will then be able to more fully join in the joyful celebration of our Lord's Resurrection at Easter.

Bishop Donald Hying, host of the ECHO series online at FORMED, will have an interactive discussion on the topic of persevering in our Lenten resolutions, on Monday, March 12, at 12:00 p.m. Tune in to FORMED using our parish code of: 6Z3HJX. The following is a summary of his presentation.

Bishop Hying speaks of Lent as a time in which "the traditional practices of prayer, almsgiving, and fasting" help us to "focus on relationship—relationship with God, with others (especially the needy), and fasting" help us to "focus on relationship—relationship with God, with others (especially the needy), and with ourselves through fasting. [The Lenten Season] is [about] renewing those relationships, preparing ourselves to celebrate once again the love of Christ poured out in his Death and Resurrection." In this Live Event, Bishop Hying will share insight to help us examine our Lent thus far and make a renewed commitment, that we may ready our hearts for the solemn remembrance of Good Friday and the triumphant celebration of Easter Sunday.

Father Bryan Heyer

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick



will be administered in our church at a special service to be held on **Sunday March 11, at 5:00 p.m.** It is hoped that family and friends will offer their assistance to elderly and home bound parishioners to help transport them to this service. People will be seated in every other pew in church and, thus, they will not have to leave their pew to receive the sacrament.

Sacrament of Penance: Wednesdays, 5:30-5:55 p.m.; Fridays, 6:00-6:30 p.m. (during Stations); Saturdays, 4:00-4:45 p.m.

Area Parish Penance Services:

All services begin at 5:30 p.m.

March 19, (Mon.) St. Joseph – Moulton

March 20, (Tue.) SS. Cyril & Methodius – Shiner

March 22, (Thur) St. Joseph – Yoakum

March 23, (Fri.) Sacred Heart – Hallettsville

Stations of the Cross – Friday, 6:00 p.m.

Solemn Vespers (in Church)–Sundays, 6:00 – 6:20 p.m.

Lenten Lunch Lessons – Fridays, 12:05. During your lunch hour, come to the PAC Center for simple lunch and a faith lesson by Seminarian Chase Goodman.

Daily Mass – an ideal way to keep holy during Lent.

6:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday

6:00 p.m. Wednesday

8:00 a.m. Friday

Out-of-Parish Spiritual Opportunities:

Saturday, March 24: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., at St. Mary's Church, Hallettsville. Confession, Mass, Adoration, Stations, Rosary, Divine Mercy. Call 361-293-1300.



Adoration Chapel Open Hours

Eucharistic



Persons are needed in our Eucharistic Adoration chapel on

Sundays: 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Tuesdays: 2:00 – 3:00 a.m.

Thursdays: 4:00 – 5:00 a.m.

Some of these times are for every other week. Call the parish office at 594-3836 if you can take an hour or be a substitute.

Altar Society will meet on Tuesday, March 13, at 2:00 p.m. in the PAC. Hostesses are Edwarda Roeder, Vickie Netardus, Rosalie Hagens. Visitors and new members welcome!

K.C. Meetings, Thursday, March 15

Officers meeting, at 6:00 p.m.

Social at 6:30 p.m., meal at 7:00, meeting to follow.

NOTE: K.C. Fish Fry will be on March 23 – and not the date previously announced.



**Catholic School & Religious Ed
Spring Break Schedules**

- ▶No Religious Ed (CCD) Classes this week.
- ▶Catholic School will have Spring Break beginning Tuesday, March 13 through March 16.



Totus Tuus Chorum: No rehearsal on Wed, Mar 14 – Spring Break. Rehearsals on Wed, Mar 21 from 8:00 – 8:50 p.m. and Mon, Mar 26 from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. for the 9:30 Mass on April 1, Easter Sunday.

Laudate Dominum: Rehearsals on Mondays, Mar 12, 19, & 26 at 7:00 p.m. for the 9:30 Masses on Mar 18 and April 1 – Easter Sunday.

Totus Tuus Chorum: No rehearsal during Spring Break.

Laudate Dominum: Rehearsal, March 12 for the 9:30 a.m. Mass on March 18.

Weekly Bible Study, Mondays from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. in the PAC. Everyone is welcome and invited.

Liturgy Ministry Schedules are available in church or on our parish website.

Found in Church: A necklace with a real garnet stone. Owner may claim at parish office or call 594-3836.



Church Bulletin

In Memory of Daniel Pohl by Family

Children's Bulletin

In Honor of Living & Deceased Members of KJT #20

Sanctuary Candles

In Memory of Mary Ann Novak by Family

Adoration Chapel Candles

In Honor of Marvin & Dorothy Kremling on their 50th Wedding Anniversary

Memorial Candle for the Unborn

Martinsen Family

Vocations Cross

Keith & Tessa Bowman & Family



**Altar Society Bake Sale –
This Weekend, March 10 & 11**

The Altar Society is having a Bake Sale in front of church after the

Masses this weekend. Members are asked to provide baked or canned goods, homemade noodles or other goodies. Or make a cash donation, which may be paid at the sale or by mailing to: Treasurer, Mary Rose Barta, 1003 S. Peck St., Shiner. Members may also pay their dues at the Bake Sale.



K.C. Fish Fry, Friday March 23, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Please note that the date announced in last week's bulletin has been changed. The new date is **Friday, March 23.** Advance tickets will be available soon – watch for more details next week.



Our Gifts to God this Week

Envelopes.....	\$ 8,746.00
Loose Collections.....	\$ 854.00
Repair Fund.....	\$ 190.00
Rice Bowl.....	\$ 458.35

Help Jesus in Disguise: Through Catholic Relief Services and the Rice Bag we can feed Jesus' hunger in the suffering, give water to quench Jesus' thirst in poor people who lack water, and send aid to Jesus in the victims of natural disasters around the world. As part of our Lenten almsgiving observance, let us realize that "whatever we do for the least of His brethren" we do for Jesus. Please be generous in the second collections during Lent for these worthy causes.

2017 Contribution Statements for those who requested them last year are in the foyer of church. If you need a statement and don't find yours there, call the parish office at 594-3836



Shiner Youth Work Camp, June 3 - 6, 2018

More projects are needed for this summer's Work Camp. As part of our Christian outreach fulfilling God's command to love our neighbor, the youth of Sts. Cyril & Methodius parish will once again offer service to those with needs in the Shiner community and surrounding area. If you or someone you know is in need of help with projects that can reasonably be accomplished in three days by our group of youth and adult volunteers, please call Sharon Patek at 594-3836.



Natural Family Planning (NFP)

The CREIGTON MODEL Fertility Care System (CrMS) featuring NaPro TECHNOLOGY™ is a system designed for women to learn how to monitor, maintain and evaluate their procreative and gynecologic health for their entire reproductive life based on observations of their own biological markers. Contact Susanne Koch at susannekoch614@gmail.com (979) 488-4528 for questions. The Renew Center is a team of practitioners. For anyone with questions about NFP, infertility or women's gynecologic health in general, their website is a great resource: www.renewfertilitycare.com.