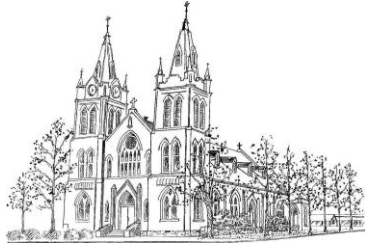


# HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH



Pope Francis  
Vatican City State



Bishop Joe Vásquez  
Diocese of Austin

## Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 29, A.D. 2023

### Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday	Jan 28	5:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sunday	Jan 29	8:30 AM	†Johnny Pavelka, †Steve Janish
		10:30 AM	†Paul Straka, †Kathleen Valenta
Tuesday	Jan 31	<b>NO MASS</b>	
Wednesday	Feb 1	<b>NO MASS</b>	
Thursday	Feb 2	<b>NO MASS</b>	
First Friday	Feb 3	6:00 PM	†Dr. Cheryl Springer
First Saturday	Feb 4	7:30 AM	For Rain, †Cyril & Eileen Rosipal
Saturday	Feb 4	5:00 PM	†Agnes Hrcir, †Dorothy Klepac, †Emma Ann Rodriguez
Sunday	Feb 5	8:30 AM	†Gerrie King, †Linda Grigsby, †Frank & Anastasia Knapak
		10:30 AM	Pro Populo

### Ministry Schedule for January 30 – February 5

**Tuesday, January 31 - NO MASS**

**Wednesday, February 1 – NO MASS**

**Thursday, February 2 – NO MASS**

**First Friday, February 3, 6:00 PM:**

**Altar Servers:** Stefeks (3)

**Lector:** Chris Stefek

**First Saturday, February 4, 7:30 AM:**

**Altar Server:** James Nemeč

**Lector:** Janine Nemeč

**Saturday, February 4, 5:00 PM:**

**Altar Servers:** Snooks (2), Ben & Thomas Chaney

**Lector:** Theresa Orecchia

**EMHC:** Jim Heuert

**Gift Bearers:** Clawson Family

**Head Usher:** Bill McDonald

**Sunday, February 5, 8:30 AM:**

**Altar Servers:** Brousseaus (3)

**Lector:** Louis Brousseau

**EMHC:** Brandon Danek, James Nemeč

**Gift Bearers:** Cassidy Goode & Ronnie

Vrabel

**Head Usher:** Frank Knapak

**Sunday, February 5, 10:30 AM:**

**Altar Servers:** Michael & Jonah S.

**Lector:** Kitz Crawford

**EMHC:** Daniel & Hilda Perz

**Gift Bearers:** Voigt Family

**Head Usher:** Jeff Voigt

**EMHC to Shut-Ins:**

February 5: Brandon Danek

If you would like a **2022 Donation Report** for tax, or other, purposes, please let the office know. If you received one this past year, you will automatically receive one again. Reports will be mailed out by January 31.

#### Rosary for Life

Open to all parishioners. To sign-up, call the parish office.

Jan 29 – Feb 5: Josh & Steffani Jacobs

Feb 5 – 12: Louis & Louise Straka

#### Vocations Crucifix Prayer

##### Campaign

Open to all parishioners. To sign-up, call the parish office.

Jan 29 – Feb 5: Pinto & Lucille Nemeč

Feb 5 – 12: Josh & Steffani Jacobs

✠ Fr. Stephen Nestrsta ✠

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**Hours:** Tuesday – Friday, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

**Administrative Assistant:** Monica Snook 512-863-3020

**Bulletin Announcement Deadline:** Tuesdays @ 2:30 pm

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday @ 5:00 pm

Sunday @ 8:30 am & 10:30 am

**Reconciliation:** Sat: 3:45–4:40 pm; Sun: 7:30–8:10 am & Wed: 5:30-6:10 pm (or by appt.)

### Parish Contacts & Resources

**Director of Faith Formation:** Virginia Loza-Lee 737-215-1042

**Financial Bookkeeper:** Rebecca Melend 512-863-3020

**Parish Activity Center (PAC) Rentals:** Parish Office

**PAC Manager:** Marla Tonn 512-863-0755

**Cemetery Information:** Parish Office

**Cemetery Director:** Johnny Martinka 512-966-4301

**Cemetery Maintenance:** Scott Templeton 512-845-0221

**Music Ministry / Choir:** Ronnie Simek 512-630-5074

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**Pastoral Council:** Brandon Danek 512-948-5292

**Pro-Life Prayer Group:** Position Vacant

**Knights of Columbus:** James Von Der Vellen 512-868-6415

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas:** Monica Sherek 512-864-4748

**Conf. of Christian Mothers:** Kitz Crawford 512-635-5967

**Religious Articles:** Louise Straka 512-746-5322

**K.J.T. Society #55:** John Danek 512-819-4362

**KJZT Society #15:** Belinda Beyer 254-527-3657

**Catholic Life Insurance #50:** Tommy Sladeczek 512-635-3496

**CEF Enrollments:** Janine Nemeč 512-289-9242

**Marriage Preparation:** Contact the priest before setting a wedding date and at least 9-12 months before the desired date.

**Baptisms:** Contact Virginia Loza-Lee for questions and requirements (737-215-1042)

### Last Week's Collection(s)

Weekly Collection	\$ 5,720.05
Online Donations	\$ 1,207.35
Building Fund	\$ 3,657.70

### Altar Flowers

The altar flowers at the Blessed Sacrament and Crucified Jesus are donated by **Leo & Diane Bringman** in thanksgiving.

**Reminder:** No flowers are needed during the Lenten & the beginning of the Easter Season (Feb 22 – April 16)

### This Week at a Glance

Sat/Sun, Jan 28/29 – Social Ministry 2nd collection at all Masses

Sat/Sun, Jan 28/29 – Selling 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Books at all Masses

Tuesday, Jan 31 – Holy Hour of Reparation @ 4:30 pm in church

Tuesday, Jan 31 -- RCIA Class starts @ 7:00 pm (Topic: Confirmation)

Wednesday, Feb 1 – CCE Classes begins at 6:15 pm

Thursday, Feb 2 -- Adoration 3:00 – 9:00 pm

First Friday, Feb 3 – First Friday Family Night after 6:00 pm Mass

Fri/Sat/Sun, Feb 3/4/5 – Blessing of the Throats at all Masses

Sun, Feb 5 – Hospitality Breakfast after 8:30 am Mass

### In Memoriam

We extend our sympathies and prayers to the family of **Dr. Cheryl Springer** who died this past week. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May she rest in peace. Amen.

The new year is in full swing, yet there are still several boxes of assigned 2023 Contribution Envelopes that have not been picked up so if you haven't already, please pick yours up. If you are not currently using them and would like a box, please put your name on the sheet provided or contact the parish office, and one will be put out for you.

We will have our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Second Collection this weekend (January 28/29) for the benefit of our Social Ministry Fund, which supports the Caring Place in Georgetown, the Jarrell Food Pantry and our local community needs.

Happy & Glorious New Year everyone!! Our **Confraternity of Christian Mothers** will meet this Sunday, January 29 at 9:30 a.m. in the RE Building. (We changed the date so all can attend the Cemetery Fundraiser lunch, yum for us.) Our yearly schedule & budget will be discussed and dues for 2023 will be collected. All ladies of the parish are welcome to join us for prayers, spiritual formation & fellowship. Pax, y'all.

**KJZT Family Life St. Agnes Society #15-Corn Hill** will meet February 1 at 6:00 p.m. in the home of Betty Ann Vrabel. All members are welcome to discuss plans for activities for the new year.

**First Friday & Saturday of the month – February 3 & 4:** Friday's Mass is at 6:00 p.m. with a time of Adoration, our devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and Benediction. Saturday's Mass is at 7:30 a.m. and will conclude with our devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Please join the **Knights of Columbus for First Friday Family on Friday, February 3.** The First Friday Devotion will begin with Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by Benediction and Exposition as well as Family Potluck in the PAC with open gym for the kids. Since this is a Friday potluck, please bring only MEATLESS meals. All parishioners are welcome.

We will have the **Blessing of Throats** at all Masses next weekend (February 4/5) as February 3 is the feast of St. Blaise and it is our tradition to bless the throats of the faithful asking for St. Blaise to protect us from all illness, especially that of the throat.

All visitors and parishioners are invited to our **Hospitality Sunday** next Sunday, February 5 in the PAC Bldg after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. We appreciate the Moravian Club for preparing the breakfast.

Our monthly **Senior Citizens' Supper** will be held this Monday, February 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC Bldg. We thank the Moravian Club for preparing the meal.

**Knights of Columbus (KC) – Holy Trinity Council:** There will be a KC meeting Thursday, February 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the RE Bldg. All members are invited. All men interested in becoming a member of the KC, or in transferring into the Holy Trinity Council from another, are also invited and encouraged to attend. For questions or more information, contact James Von Der Vellen (512-868-6415 or vondervellen@suddenlink.net).



**Participants Needed!** Please join us in reenacting the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ. This will be a production done for the Holy Trinity community that is powerful and moving. Teens are needed to play soldiers, criminals, Pontus Pilate, women of Jerusalem. Minimal acting required. We need craftsmen to make the crosses that will hold Jesus and the criminals, and seamstress that can sew costumes. Please contact Virginia at 737-215-1042 or htcdre@holyltrinityofcornhill.org.

**STEBENVILLE LONESTAR**

Sins?  
Doubts?  
Questions?

You're not alone.

Regardless of what your faith life or life struggles look like, you have a place in the Church and a seat at a Life Teen Steubenville Conference.

This weekend is going to be one of the best of the summer and it will get even better if you join us.

**For more information or to register:**  
htcdre@holyltrinityofcornhill.org  
Open to all 8th-12th grade youth.  
Fundraising will cover most costs.

Steubenville Lone Star  
June 23-25, 2023

**ESTAR**



**KJT # 55 Corn Hill** will be having a bake sale the weekend of February 18/19 following the Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m. and the Sunday Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Proceeds will help offset the cost of Hospitality Sundays, Senior Meals, Bazaar donations as well as a donation being made to the Priest & Religious Retirement Fund.

The **Georgetown/Round Rock Deanery Council of Catholic Women** will meet on Thursday, February 9, A.D. 2023, at St. Mary's in Taylor. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. prior to the business meeting at 10:00 a.m. All ladies are welcome and encouraged to attend as we share in fellowship and carry out the message of the National Council of Catholic Women. You may call our President, Irene Scheuer at (512) 639-8282 with questions or further information.

Starting Monday February 13, we will be hosting a **33-day Consecration to Saint Joseph**, ending on his feast day March 19. This consists of daily prayer and readings highlighting many things you may have never known about Jesus's earthly father, including serious devotions from some of the Church's earliest fathers and greatest saints. We will also have five weekly in-person meetings every Monday night starting at 5:30 p.m. - dinner will be provided. For those who attended last year, you are also welcome - this can be an annual renewal of your consecration. Come and learn about Saint Joseph as we deepen our devotion to this Protector of the Universal Church. Requires purchase of book by Father Donald Calloway. For more information or to sign up, please contact Spencer Chaney: 512-534-1520 or [spencer\\_chaney@yahoo.com](mailto:spencer_chaney@yahoo.com).

**Czech Mass - Vítame Vás na Corn Hill:** In February we celebrate the Feast Day of Sts. Cyril and Methodius, patron saints of the Czech Republic and patron saint of Slavic peoples. In honor of these saints a Czech Mass will be celebrated on, **Sunday, February 19, at 5:00 p.m.**, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Corn Hill. All prayers, readings and hymns will be in the Czech language. After Mass, a Dinner will be served in the Parish Activity Center. Everyone is welcome to come and celebrate this special feast day of Sts. Cyril and Methodius.

**Dear friends in Christ,**

May the peace and love of our Lord be with you all. Thank you to all of you who helped with the Cemetery Fundraiser last Sunday. Thanks for a great job and handling it all so well. The food was excellent as usual. All of you and the work you do are greatly appreciated.

This week I and many other priests of our diocese will be on retreat. Please pray for us all that we may be open to the Holy Spirit working within us so that we all become holier priests.

Friday, February 3, is the feast of St. Blaise. St. Blaise was a bishop in Sebaste in Armenia in the late 200's and early 300's. He was a very holy man. He was known for working several miracles to save the lives of people. One miracle was when he saved a boy from choking on a fish bone. No one could get the bone out but Blaise was able to save the boy's life. On the feast of St. Blaise it is our tradition to bless the throats of the faithful. We will have the blessings of throats on Friday evening, February 3, and then next weekend, February 4/5, at the end of Mass.

In today's Gospel we read the beatitudes, Jesus' instruction on how to live a joy-filled life that we find in the Sermon on the Mount in chapter 5 of the Gospel of Matthew. The beatitudes which Jesus offers us are a sign of contradiction to the world's understanding of happiness and joy. How can one possibly find happiness in poverty, hunger, mourning, and persecution? Being poor in spirit reminds us that true joy and happiness can only be found in God. Those who hunger and thirst for righteousness seek nourishment and strength in God's Word and Spirit. Sorrow and mourning over wasted life and sin leads to joyful freedom from the burden of guilt and spiritual oppression. God reveals to the humble of heart the true source of abundant life and happiness. Those who offer mercy and forgiveness to others will experience the mercy and forgiveness of God. Those who try to bring peace between peoples, without compromising the Truth, will experience the love and peace of God. Jesus promises his disciples that the joys of heaven will more than compensate for the troubles and hardships they can expect in this world. St. Thomas Aquinas said: "*No one can live without joy. That is why a person deprived of spiritual joy goes after carnal pleasures.*" Is joy lacking in your life? Are you trying to find fulfillment in pleasures of the flesh and are only finding disappointment and emptiness? May we all try to live the spiritual joy that God offers us by being His faithful witness in the world. Live the Beatitudes and you will truly be blessed.

May all of you have a most blessed week as we begin the month of February.

**Fr. Stephen Nestrta, farář**

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**K ZAMYŠLENÍ:** Blahoslavení, tedy ti, kteří jsou šťastní. Blahoslavení chudí v duchu jsou startem Kristova učení. Po celé evangelium bude třeba jeho slova správně chápat! Ježíš nechce učinit ze všech lidí blázny či hlupáky. Ježíš mluví o postojích srdce. Chudoba je schopnost zřeknout se množství nesmyslů, které odvádějí pozornost od podstatného. Pánem vyzdvižená chudoba znamená odvahu spolehnout se na Boha a nespolehat jen na sebe, své zajištění, svoji moc... Možná to zní velmi bláznivě. Copak se nemáme snažit zajistit? Ale zde je řeč o víře. O schopnosti vidět neviditelné, nahlédnout „za horizont“. Víra se opírá o Boží plán se světem, o Boží náhled na svět. On ví, co je moudré a co nikoli. Bůh nám připravil všechny podmínky včetně smazání hříchů tak, abychom mohli se vši naší slabostí světit svůj život do jeho rukou, žít pro něho a být mu blízko. Tak to dnes udělejme.

**Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario:** ¡Aleluya! El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra, y es quien hace justicia al oprimido; él proporciona pan a los hambrientos y libera al cautivo. ¡Aleluya!

# Holy Trinity Catholic Church Corn Hill, Texas



## Healing Mission

With Paul Rymniak

“He has appointed me to preach Good News to the poor, to heal the broken hearted, and announce that God is ready to give blessings to all who come to HIM.”

Luke 4:18

Paul conducts his Healing Mission in approximately 30 churches a year, along with being the director of The Center for Peace. He also publishes a monthly newsletter that reaches thousands of people all over the world. He has had his own Catholic T.V. Program which many noted Catholics appeared on. He has a series of tapes which includes the one tape that started his ministry... THE HEALING ROSARY. With his busy schedule, he has written a book about healing called...THE MYSTERY OF HEALING. This book details his life in the healing ministry along with his own personal story on how it all began.

Paul sees it as an honor to be at our parish to conduct his HEALING MISSION, which includes the ROSARY and the STATIONS OF THE CROSS. Paul will offer his healing efforts to all who seek it. So if you are in need of a HEALING, be it Mental, Emotional, Physical or Spiritual, you might want to consider coming to this Healing Mission.

### **MANY DOCUMENTED HEALINGS HAVE OCCURRED AT THESE SERVICES.**

**Paul will also speak at the Weekend Masses, and the schedule for the 3 evenings is as follows:**

#### **Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

7:00 pm – Evangelization...Individual Prayer and Confessions.

#### **Tuesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

7:00 pm – Evangelization...Individual Prayer and Confessions.

#### **Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023**

7:00 pm – Evangelization...Individual Prayer and Confessions.