

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH of CORN HILL



Pope Francis
Vatican City State



Bishop Joe Vásquez
Diocese of Austin

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 14, A.D. 2024

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday	July 13	5:00 PM	Tracy Allen & Donovan Starghill, Martha Pavelka(In thanksgiving), †Helen Theaker
Sunday	July 14	8:30 AM	The James kids(Spiritual Fortification), †Al and †Carmen Clawson
		10:30 AM	Pro Populo
Tuesday	July 16	6:00 PM	†Gerrie King, †Jan Hein, †Floyd Lange
Wednesday	July 17	6:30 PM	†Kathleen Valenta, †AJ Tschoerner
Thursday	July 18	7:00 AM	†Steve Janish, †Joe Janosec
Friday	July 19	7:00 AM	Craig & Krystle
Saturday	July 20	7:30 AM	The Cooke Family, †Lawrence Korenek Sr., †Albert Rychlik
Saturday	July 20	5:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sunday	July 21	8:30 AM	†Vincent & Mary Maney, †Greg Maney
			†Frank & Anastasia Knapke
		10:30 AM	†John & Frances Nemec, †Johnny Gerik, †Cyril Rosipal

Mass Ministry Schedule for July 16 - 21

Tuesday, July 16, 6:00 PM:

Altar Server/ Lector: Josh Jacobs

Wednesday, July 17, 6:30 PM:

Altar Server/Lector: Leo Bringman

Thursday, July 18, 7:00 AM:

Altar Server/Lector: Pinto Nemec

Friday, July 19, 7:00 AM:

Altar Server/Lector: Josh Jacobs

Saturday, July 20, 7:30 AM:

Altar Server: James Nemec

Lector: Pinto Nemec

EMHC to Shut-Ins: July 21

Route 1: Ray Nemec

Route 2: Joe Parks

Saturday, July 20, 5:00 PM:

Altar Servers: Carter M, Ava H.

Lector: Jennifer Marquis

Gift Bearers: Tommy & Cindy Sladeczek

Head Usher: Tommy Sladeczek

Sunday, July 21, 8:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Caleb & Emily S.,

Isaac & Danielle N.

Lector: Laura Hill

Gift Bearers: Matt & Amy Mertink

Head Usher: Frank Knapke

Sunday, July 21, 10:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Martin & Isaiah O., Arian P.

Lector: Kitzki Crawford

Gift Bearers: Daniel & Hilda Perez

Head Usher: Bill McDonald

This Week at a Glance

Tues, July 16 – Holy Face Prayers/ Hour of Reparation @ 4:10 pm

Thurs, July 18 – Adoration 3:00 – 9:00 pm in church

Sat, July 20 – Allen/Starghill wedding @ 2:00 pm in church

New Weekend Mass Schedule Starting

August 4, A.D. 2024

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

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Bulletin Announcement Deadline: Tuesdays @ 2:30 pm

Weekend Masses: Saturday @ 5:00 pm

Sunday @ 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Reconciliation: Sat: 3:30–4:40 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: Laura Fowkes 512-922-4808

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

Finance Council: Tommy Sladeczek 512-635-3496

Pastoral Council: Stephanie Wright 512-470-5204

Pro-Life Prayer Group: Kathryn Streadwick 254-721-4530

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

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

Conf. of Christian Mothers: Deanna Fojtik 254-217-2268

Religious Articles Cabinet: Deanna Fojtik 254-217-2268

CEF Enrollments: Janine Nemec 512-289-9242

K.J.T. Society #55: John Valenta 281-507-5686

KJZT Society #15: Belinda Beyer 254-760-0255

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

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	\$ 7,658.00
Online Donations	\$ 3,411.00
LSOSF	\$ 3,496.00

Altar Flowers

To donate altar flowers in memory or honor of loved ones, complete and return an 'Altar Flower Envelope' (from the bulletin table or from our website).

Vocations Crucifix Prayer Campaign

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

July 14 – 21: Chaney Family

July 21 – 28: Daniel & Hilda Perez

Rosary for Life

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

July 14 – 21: Laura Halbleib

July 21 – 28: Mike & Janine Nemec

We congratulate and welcome **Grace Faustina Castillo** (daughter of James & Samantha Castillo) into the Catholic Church and the parish family through the Sacrament of Baptism.

Banns of marriage are announced for the final time for Tracy Allen & Donovan Starghill, who will celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony here on July 20, 2024.

The **Confraternity of Christian Mothers 41st Anniversary Celebration** will be Saturday July 20th. Beginning with 7:30 a.m. Mass, we will also have an induction ceremony for new members right after that Mass. All members past and present are invited to celebrate our 41st Anniversary at 9:00 a.m. in the PAC Holy Family Room.

The **Finance Council will meet next Thursday, July 25**, at 7:00 p.m. in the RE Bldg.

The **Pro-Life Prayer Group will meet** Thursday, August 1. They will begin with a Pro-Life Rosary in the church at 6:30 p.m. and then continue their meeting in the St. Cecilia Choir Room in the church. All parishioners are invited and encouraged to join them for both!



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VBS-VOLUNTEERS & CRAFTERS
JULY 23-26 10:00AM VBS PREPARATIONS
JULY 25 6:00PM
VBS SET UP
ALL HANDS ON DECK!
HELP IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

VBS July 28-Aug. 1
To sign up or volunteer:




VBS Volunteers are still needed. Wednesday's meal is also open.

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN A CHILD'S LIFE.

WE NEED YOU

We need:
CCE Teachers and Aides
Teen Core Team Members
Safety Team Members
VBS Volunteers
Crafters
Song leaders

All volunteers must be a Catholic in good standing and be EIM compliant. For new volunteers, Holy Trinity is hosting an EIM workshop on Tue. Aug. 13 from 6:30-9:00pm. You must go to VIRTUS.ORG to sign up and submit an application.



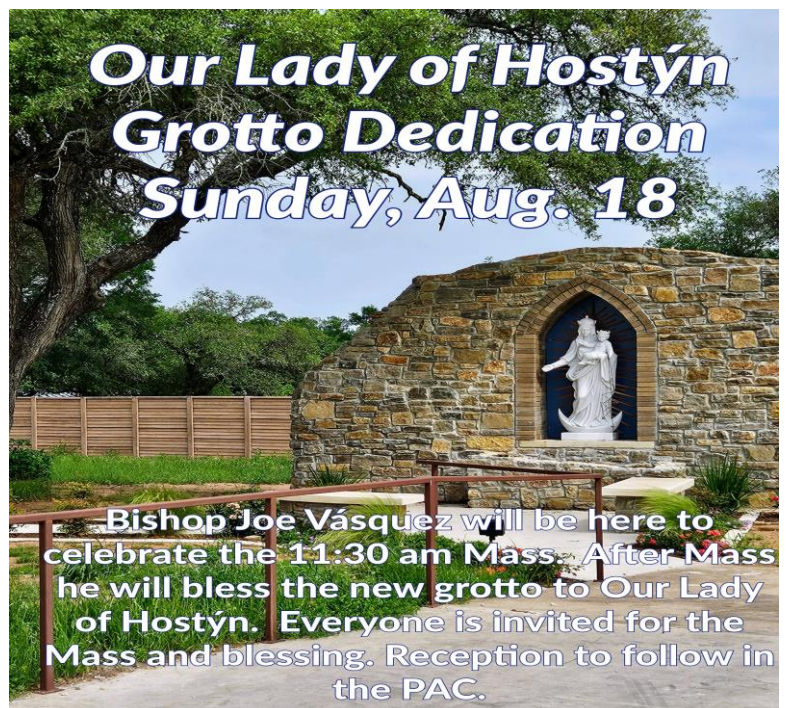
To volunteer or to see how you can share your faith:
htcdre@holyltrinityofcornhill.org



 NATIONAL Eucharistic Congress

LET US PRAY FOR YOU!

A small group of pilgrims from Holy Trinity will be traveling to the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis July 17-22. We would like to pray for your intentions. Please send your prayer request to htcdre@holyltrinityofcornhill.org or drop them by the office. Thank you for supporting our youth.



Our Lady of Hostyn Grotto Dedication
Sunday, Aug. 18

Bishop Joe Vásquez will be here to celebrate the 11:30 am Mass. After Mass he will bless the new grotto to Our Lady of Hostyn. Everyone is invited for the Mass and blessing. Reception to follow in the PAC.

Ethics & Integrity in Ministry (EIM) Workshop – HERE – on Tuesday, August 13th, at 6:30 p.m. in the RE Bldg. If you would like to become EIM compliant (which you must be in order to serve in a ministry in the parish), then sign-up for this workshop ASAP. **IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND THIS – OR ANY OTHER WORKSHOP – YOU NEED TO DO SOME THINGS PRIOR TO THE CLASS!** You will actually register for the workshop on the diocesan website. If you don't have access to the internet, you may contact the parish office and we will help you out. But, for those of you who do, please go online (VIRTUS.org) and follow all of the directions on the Ethics & Integrity in Ministry page.

Dear friends in Christ,

May the peace and love of our Lord Jesus Christ be with each of you.

Some of you can remember the beginning of television. Almost nobody had one. It was a luxury. Today a television is regarded as a necessity. Almost everybody has at least one. The same is true with cars and pickup trucks. In a few years they moved from being a luxury to being a necessity. Isn't it strange how today's luxuries become tomorrow's necessities? Telephones have become a necessity. What about personal computers and cell phones? Luxury or necessity? Sometimes it is very difficult to tell one from the other.

Some of our so-called necessities are things that we did not have just a few years ago. For most of our lives, we got by without them. Most of the world's population is getting by without them right now. But to us, they are necessities, things we must have. In actuality, we do not have to have most of these things, these are things that we simply want. They make life more pleasant, more convenient, and maybe more productive. But if we had to, we could function quite well without them. When you get right down to it, the things we need are few in number and simple in quality.

The Gospel reading for today makes this quite clear. Jesus sent his disciples on their first mission, telling them what to do and what to take with them. The list was short: a walking stick, a pair of sandals, one tunic and one friend. They were not to take food, or a traveling bag, or money or a change of clothes. The instructions Jesus gave to His disciples might seem a little strange, but Jesus knew that they would be taken care of. They were to take the necessities, not the luxuries. I wish Jesus would have told me what to take and what not to take when I went on vacation. I am sure my load would have been a lot lighter. However, the list in today's Gospel is not meant to be a list for you and I to follow when we go on vacation. We do need to take money and/or a credit card. But it does give us some insights in what we really need.

The first insight in today's Gospel is that our material necessities are few. Most of us do not really need half of the things that we have. However, we become convinced by advertisers that we really need the products which they are selling. As a result, we end up with a lot of things we do not need. It is nice to have these things, but we do not need them.

I have a TV in the Rectory. It is nice to have but I could live without it. I have a remote control which I use to change channels and to adjust the volume on the TV without getting out of my chair. At one time in my life I had to get out of the chair to change channels and adjust the volume. If I had to I could live without it and do all this manually again. And the same is true with many other material possessions. They are nice to have, but not really a necessity of life.

What we really need in life is to do something that is worth doing. Jesus sent his disciples out on a mission in today's Gospel. He sent them out to help people. They had something to do besides just making a living for themselves. The same is true for you and I. All of us have to make a living, but we are also sent on a mission to help others just as the disciples were. By virtue of our baptism we are disciples of Jesus. We can help others in many different ways. Maybe you could help a child to learn to read. Serving Christ does not require a college degree, unless you are going to be a priest. then you must have a Masters. All we need is an awareness of people and a willingness to help them. Then we will always have something to do that is worth doing.

One other thing Jesus did was to send someone with them so that they would not be alone and so that they could encourage one another when they got discouraged. We all need someone to lift us up from time to time. The thing is that we should not look for someone to be our friend, but instead, we need to look for someone whose friend we can be.

A man was on one of the mean streets of a big city in a shiny new car. A little boy saw this car and asked, "Mister, where did you get that car?" The man said, "My brother gave it to me." And the little boy replied, "Wow, I wish I could be a brother like that." Of course, the man thought the boy was going to say, "I wish I had a brother like that." But the boy got it right. His wish was to become a brother who was generous and helpful to others.

What do we really need in life? We need to become a friend to another person, to be of help to someone else. In doing so we will be Christ to others.

May all of you have a most blessed week.

Fr. Stephen Nestrta, farář

K ZAMYŠLENÍ: Ježíš posílá učedníky poprvé na misi. Jako každý žák, i oni se to teprve učí. Ale zjistili, že je lidé neodmítli. Naopak, zakusili mnohé úspěchy a Boží moc je provázela. Jako bychom slyšeli jejich úžas: „Ono to funguje!“ Úspěch ale jistě neplatí vždy a ve všem. Jak jednat, když nás lidé nepřijmou? Co znamená „vytřást si prach z nohou“? Snad se za tím dá vidět hněv, hořkost a pocit zklamání, které člověk v sobě nese z neúspěchu. A právě tuto vnitřní bolest, „naštvanost“ máme zanechat v místě, kde jsme je zakusili, a nenést je dál. Misie je věcí Boží, on nás poslal a on si ji vyhodnotí. Soudcem lidských srdcí je Bůh. On ví, on mění. My zůstaňme jeho služebníky! (Vira.cz)

Décimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario: San Pablo nos recuerda en su carta del día de hoy que somos los escogidos de Dios, sus hijos adoptados. Hemos sido bendecidos por Dios al ser llamados y al compartir un lugar especial en Su vida. Pero esta bendición requiere que aceptemos la responsabilidad del discipulado. Como Amós, a pesar de que tal vez no entendamos por qué Dios nos ha dado esta bendición y esta tarea, se nos dará la gracia de verla a través de la fidelidad y la confianza ¿Cómo puede usted actuar de acuerdo a su llamado al discipulado esta semana?



Holy Trinity of Corn Hill Bazaar

Sunday, **September 15**, we will host our annual Parish Bazaar at the Parish Activity Center (PAC). It is a full day of good food and family fun. The meal of barbecue brisket & Corn Hill Fried Chicken will be served beginning at 11 a.m. Adult plates are \$15. Children eat for \$8. Adult plates are available in the drive-thru from 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. BBQ by the Pound can be purchased at the pit from 8 a.m. till noon. Desserts are available for purchase during the meal.

Homemade kolaches and ice cream will be sold. The activities include cake walk, children's games, bingo, live and silent auctions and a raffle drawing. Hamburgers are available at 2:30 p.m. Invite your friends & family!

All Parish Families can help with this event. Information about what is needed, as well as raffle tickets, is being given to our registered parishioners. After Mass, please drop by the tables located in the **foyer and south side of church** to receive your envelope. You may turn in your sold raffle tickets and pick up more at this table. Raffle tickets can also be picked up at the parish office or from Stephanie Wright (512-470-5204). Stubs and money can be returned in the collection, by mail, at the office or given to Stephanie.

Monetary Donations are being accepted to help offset the cost of groceries, supplies, etc. There are Bazaar Donation envelopes by the bulletins. You can drop it in the collection or bring it by the office. All donations, no matter the size, are very much appreciated!

We have several events where items/prizes are needed. Below are some suggestions.

- **Live Auction** – NEW & Unused items – valued at \$30 or more. Contact Jacqueline Danek for all Live Auction information (512-423-2598).
- **Silent Auction** – NEW & Unused items – religious articles, homemade goods, crafts, candles, plants, small tool & garden sets, lotion/bath sets, etc.
- **Bingo Prizes** – NEW & Unused items - valued at \$5 or more – crafts, coffee, sugar, snacks, candy, laundry and/or dish detergents, etc.
- **Toy Walk Prizes** – NEW & Unused items - valued at \$5 or more – stuffed animals, Barbies/dolls, tractors, trucks, crafts, Legos, board games, etc.
- **Ring Toss Game** – 2-liter sodas – will need 200 (any brand / any flavor)
- **Cake Walk** – full-size cakes ONLY (bring to the PAC the morning of the bazaar)
HTCC families are asked to bring at least 1 cake
- **Desserts** – Homemade baked items, such as cakes, pies, bars & cookies
(bring to the PAC on bazaar morning)



Beginning in August, all donated items can be brought to the PAC, which will be open after each weekend Mass. If you need to bring them during the week, they can be dropped off at the office during regular hours (Tuesday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.). They may also be brought to the PAC from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday, September 14.

All parishioners – new and seasoned – are welcome and encouraged to share their time & talents!

The Bazaar is a full day and a lot of fun but it's a lot of work and takes the effort of all of our parish family! Many people are needed to work in the various areas of the bazaar, so please see the Function Leader list in your Bazaar envelope or on the church bulletin board and consider volunteering. We thank you and appreciate all that you do for your parish!

For any Bazaar questions or information, please don't hesitate to contact the **parish office 512-863-3020, Charles (512-818-6765) or Jennifer (254-718-9697) Marquis - marquisfab5@gmail.com.**

