

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH



Pope Francis
Vatican City State



Bishop Joe Vásquez
Diocese of Austin

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 3, A.D. 2024

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday	Nov 2	5:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sunday	Nov 3	7:30 AM	Barbara Bur (healing), †Dennis Messex, Sr.
		9:30 AM	†Eileen Rosipal, †James Castillo, Sr., †Frank & Barbara Simek
		11:30 AM	Liv/Dec members of the John & Annie Valis family
Tuesday	Nov 5	6:00 PM	Mario LaMaestra, †Howard Mertink, †Kathleen Valenta
Wednesday	Nov 6	6:30 PM	All Souls
Thursday	Nov 7	7:00 AM	†Willie Vrabel, †Tim Valenta, Sr.
Friday	Nov 8	6:00 PM	Craig & Krystle, Marcy Wiley (healing), †Paul Rosipal
Saturday	Nov 9	7:30 AM	For all vocations, Kristoffer Julianna, †Calvin Blackman, Jr.
Saturday	Nov 9	5:00 PM	†Louis & Albina Sladeczek, †Charles Petru, †Jan Hein
Sunday	Nov 10	7:30 AM	Mary Petrarca, †Frank DelSignore, †Tommy Martine
		9:30 AM	Pro Populo
		11:30 AM	†August & Louise Batla, †Adolph & Louise Valenta

Ministry Schedule for November 5 – 10

Tuesday, November 5, 6:00 PM:

Altar Server: Leslie Allen
Lector: Kitzi Crawford

Wednesday, November 6, 6:30 PM:

Altar Servers: Ava H., Luke A.
Thomas & Ben C.
Lector: Janine Nemeč
EMHC: Leslie Allen, Spencer Chaney

Thursday, November 7, 7:00 AM:

Altar Server: Pinto Nemeč
Lector: Pinto Nemeč

Friday, November 8, 6:00 PM:

Altar Server: Leo Bringman
Lector: Leo Bringman

Saturday, November 9, 7:30 AM:

Altar Server: Leo Bringman
Lector: Janine Nemeč

Saturday, November 9, 5:00 PM:

Altar Servers: Carter M., Landon B.
Lector: Jennifer Marquis
EMHC: Janine Nemeč
Gift Bearers: Billy & Kathy Meissner
Head Usher: Paul Melos

Sunday, November 10, 7:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Wesley & Noah C.
Lector: Louis Brousseau
EMHC: Brandon Danek, Leo Bringman
Gift Bearer: Pinto & Lucille Nemeč
Head Usher: Phil Everett

Sunday, November 10, 9:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Amy S., Rustin S.,
Isabella H., Mikey Bartkovak
Lector: Denise Sellers
EMHC: Linda Castillo, Joe Parks
Gift Bearer: Dennis & Michelle Messex
Head Usher: Frank Knapek

Sunday, November 10, 11:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Michael S., Landon B.,
Thomas & Ben C.
Lector: Spencer Chaney
EMHC: Chee Hart
Gift Bearers: Bill & Linda Montreuil
Head Usher: Stephanie Wright

EMHC to Shut-Ins: Nov 10

Route 1: Brandon Danek

Route 2: Joe Parks

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Bulletin Announcement Deadline: Tuesdays @ 2:30 pm

Weekend Masses: Saturday @ 5:00 pm

Sunday @ 7:30 am, 9:30 am & 11:30 am

Reconciliation: Sat: 3:30–4:40 pm; Sun: 6:30 – 7:10 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 Nemeč 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	\$ 12,058.00
Online Donations	\$ 1,700.00
Building Fund	\$ 3,725.55

This Week at a Glance

Sun, Nov 3 – Hospitality Sunday Breakfast after 9:30 am Mass in PAC

Sun, Nov 3 – Final Bazaar Meeting after Hospitality Sunday in PAC

Sun, Nov 3 – Confirmation/YM Classes @ 10:30 am in RE Bldg

Tues, Nov 5 – Holy Face Prayers/ Hour of Reparation @ 4:05 pm

Tues, Nov 5 – RCIA @ 7:00 pm in RE Bldg

Wed, Nov 6 – CCE classes @ 6:15 pm in RE Bldg

Thurs, Nov 7 – Genesis Bible Study @ 12 noon in RE Bldg

Thurs, Nov 7 – Adoration 3:00 – 9:00 pm in church

Sun, Nov 10 – Burger Fundraiser after 9:30 & 11:30 am Masses @ PAC

Mon, Nov 11 – Senior Citizens Supper @ 6:30 in PAC

Mon, Nov 11 – Catholic Daughters Meeting @ 6:15 pm in RE Bldg

Thank you to those who have returned their Pro-Life Baby Banks! If you haven't yet, please do so as soon as possible (to the designated baskets at the entrances of the church) so that the donations can be forwarded to the Pro-Life apostolates of our diocese.

Rosary for Life

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

Nov 3 – 10: Laura Halbleib

Nov 10 – 17: Mike & Janine Nemeč

Vocations Crucifix Prayer Campaign

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

Nov 3 – 10: Daniel & Hilda Perez

Nov 10 – 17: Gary & Deborah Callahan

We congratulate and welcome **Emmett James Hansen and Maeve Marie Hansen** (children of Mitchell & Mary Hansen) into the Catholic Church and the parish family through the Sacrament of Baptism.

All visitors and parishioners are invited for **Hospitality Sunday** this weekend, Sunday, November 3 in the PAC Bldg after the 9:30 a.m. Mass. We appreciate the KJT organization for preparing the breakfast. **Our final Bazaar function leader meeting will be after breakfast.**



2024 National Vocation Awareness Week - This week we are celebrating National Vocation Awareness Week. Please keep in your prayers those who are discerning God's call to become a priest, brother or sister. You will find an insert in the bulletin. Attached to it is the updated prayer calendar for the seminarians of the Austin Diocese. We are blessed to have 57 young men discerning their vocation to the priesthood. In addition to your prayers, you might consider sending a seminarian a note of encouragement and support. The Vocations Ministry has prepared cards with mailing addresses for these men. If you are interested in sending a note, these cards can be found on the bulletin tables.

KJZT St. Agnes Society #15 will meet Wednesday, November 6 at 3:30 p.m. in the home of Barbara Danek. All members are welcome to review the year's activities, discuss plans for next year and elect officers.

Due to the Zion Wurstbraten, our monthly **Senior Citizens' Supper** will be held next Monday, November 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC bldg. We appreciate Catholic Life Ins. organization for preparing the meal.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas will hold their monthly meeting on **Monday, November 11** (a week earlier than usual due to Parish Mission) at 6:15 p.m. in the RE building. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

Banns of marriage are announced for the first time for Esperanza Alejandro & Adolfo Hernandez, who will celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony here on November 30, 2024.

Cemetery Donations 2024 – Thank you to all who have made their yearly contribution of at least \$25 for the Cemetery Fund. The money you contribute is for the annual maintenance expenses of the cemetery. If you plan to be buried here at Holy Trinity Cemetery, failure to make your annual donations may result in loss of parishioner burial rights.

Choir practice, for the Christmas Season, continues this Wednesday, November 6. Practice starts at 7:00 p.m. and will be held in the St. Cecilia Choir Room, in the church. If anyone would like to join the choir, please contact Ronnie Simek at 512-630-5074.

The Georgetown/Round Rock Deanery Council of Catholic Women (DCCW) will meet on Tuesday November 12 at Holy Trinity of Corn Hill. Registration begins at 9:30 am prior to the business meeting at 10:00. 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, Eileen Cmerek at (737)889-0727 with questions or further information.

Youth Ministry

Ham Burger

In A Bag




Nov. 10

Indulge in juicy perfection with every bite of our beef burger. Bag includes a burger, bag of chips, and condiments. After the 9:30 & 11:30 masses. Pick up in the PAC or drive thru. Thank you for supporting the youth.

Holy Trinity Youth

Prayer Circle

From Nov. 14-17, 6 teens and chaperones, will be attending the National Catholic Youth Conference in Long Beach, CA. We would like to pray for you. You can scan the QR code and add your prayers or email your prayer intentions to htcdre@holyltrinityofcornhill.org



EIM COMPLIANCE INFORMATION - EIM (Ethics and Integrity in Ministry) Office has completed the conversion to VIRTUS. Active EIM accounts were transferred to VIRTUS Online and an email with login information and instructions was sent in January. New to the EIM process? Or have more questions? Visit austindiocese.org/eim-instructions to learn how to create an account, sign up for a workshop (new applicants only) or update compliance. Contact us at eim@austindiocese.org for further assistance or if you did not receive the welcome email from VIRTUS.

Knights of Columbus (KC) – Holy Trinity Council: There will be a KC meeting this Thursday, November 14, 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.

Thank you to all who have given to the Catholic Services Appeal already! We are united by God into one community – the Diocese of Austin. As one, we share faith, fellowship, and life. We also share the responsibility for the stewardship of our diocese. If you haven't donated to the CSA yet, there is still time to make your gift, no matter how large or small. I invite you to prayerfully consider joining your brothers and sisters in being a miracle to others most in need. Many lives have been changed because of you for the better. You can complete and return your pledge card to the collection basket or make a secure gift online at austindiocese.org/csa/give.

Parish Mission Prayer

Prayer for the Success of a Mission O Jesus, Most Holy Redeemer, our Master, and our King, it is to Your Sacred Heart, that ocean of love, mercy and goodness, that we owe the inestimable blessing of a Mission. Touched with compassion at the sight of our miseries and the eternal unhappiness that threatens us, You have resolved to save us. The missionary who is coming to us is Your representative; in Your person he will break for us, the bread of God's Word and will bring us the joy of forgiveness. Grant, O Lord, that we may be faithful to your grace and correspond zealously with the advances of your mercy. Let the preaching of Your eternal truths enlighten and enliven our minds, and deeply move our hearts, so that we may realize our shortcomings and sincerely repent of them. Grant the light of faith to poor souls plunged in the darkness of ignorance and error. To those who have saddened You by a wicked life, give the grace of a sincere conversion. Bestow fresh fervor upon the lukewarm, and upon the just true progress in the way of virtue. Send forth Your Holy Spirit upon all of us, and the face of this Parish shall be renewed. And you, O Mary, Immaculate Virgin and Mother of Perpetual Help, you are the refuge and advocate of poor sinners; the more guilty they are, the more claim they have upon your tenderness. It is for this reason that we make bold to implore your powerful and motherly protection with all confidence. Our salvation is in your hands, plead our cause and intercede for us with your divine Son. Amen.

Dear friends in Christ,

"I'm dreaming of a white Christmas. Just like the ones I used to know." Oh, sorry, we are just beginning November. There is a different feel in the air now that we have begun this month and as people begin to prepare for Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas. I hope you are able to allow yourself to experience the presence of the Spirit during this time of year. Take time to allow the Spirit to work within you so that you are filled with the peace, love and joy that Jesus gives to those who live united with Him.

Today and this week is **National Vocations Awareness Week**. Please pray for more vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. If you know of someone whom you believe to have a calling to one of these vocations, please let them know and speak to them about it. Also, please pray for them that if God is calling them, then they will respond accordingly.

In today's Gospel Jesus gives us the two great commandments: Love God with all your heart, soul, mind and strength. And, love your neighbor as yourself. Jesus takes the first commandment from the Book of Deuteronomy as we read in today's first reading. He adds the second one to it because it is the fulfilling of the last seven of the Ten Commandments. Jesus was well aware of how the religious leaders and most of the people treated those who were ill and poor. Jesus was also aware of how they did not really love God as they should. He is telling them that loving God and loving neighbor are equally important. You cannot say you love God while neglecting to love your neighbor. All of us need to remember this as we approach the Altar and receive the Body and Blood of Jesus in Holy Communion. May we see everyone as our neighbor, as our brother and sister, and love them as God loves them.

May all of you have a wonderful beginning to the month of November.

In Christ, Fr. Stephen Nestrta, farář

K ZAMYŠLENÍ: Co znamená „milovat“? Čeština dnes toto slovo zcela převrátila a zaměnila za sex. Milovat ale neznamená „užívat si“ nebo zakoušet rozkoš. Milovat znamená žít pro druhého. Nikoli brát, ale dávat. Co tedy znamená milovat Boha? Jde o vztah, v němž Bohu nasloucháme, záleží nám na tom, jak věci vidí on. Ctíme ho, neseme v srdci. Láska myslí na dobro druhého. A tak milovat bližní znamená především mít na paměti dobro druhých. Mimochodem, učitel Zákona z evangelia ocenil Krista za jeho odpovědi, a to přesto, že ho přišel zkoušet. A také Ježíš s tímto člověkem jedná s velkou úctou. Zachovávaní podstaty Božích přikázání buduje veliké mosty. (Vira.cz)

XXXI Domingo ordinario: "Ahora es el tiempo de una nueva 'creatividad' en la caridad, no sólo a través de asegurarnos de que la ayuda es efectiva sino también por medio del 'acercarnos' a aquellos que sufren, de tal manera en que la mano que ayuda no sea vista como una ayuda humillante sino como un acto en el que hermanos y hermanas comparten. Debemos, por lo tanto, asegurarnos de que en cada comunidad cristiana los pobres se sientan en casa" (San Juan Pablo II, Novo Millennio Ineunte).



Holy Trinity Catholic Church of Corn Hill

Parish Mission

“The Holy Eucharist: Shadows and Fulfillments”

Join us

Sunday, November 17 – Thursday, November 21

to hear

Fr. Ben Cameron, CPM, of the Fathers of Mercy

speak to us about...

~The Passover Sacrifice: The Holy Eucharist as Sacrifice~

~The Manna: The Holy Eucharist as Communion with God~

~The Bread of the Presence: The Holy Eucharist as Real Presence~

~The Eucharistic Sacrifice: Renewal of the Calvary~

~The Eucharistic Sacrifice: Foretaste of Heaven~

Mission Schedule: (meals & reception are in PAC Bldg) Church & PAC located at 8626 FM 1105, Jarrell)

Sunday, November 17: Confessions 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Holy Hour & Mission: 7:00 pm

Monday, November 18: Mass at 7:00 am

Confessions at 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Light Meal: 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Holy Hour & Mission: 7:00 pm

Tuesday, November 19: Mass at 7:00 am

Confessions at 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Light Meal: 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Holy Hour & Mission: 7:00 pm

Wednesday, November 20: Mass at 7:00 am

Confessions at 5:30-6:15 pm / Light Meal: 5:30-6:15 pm / Holy Hour & Mission: 6:30 pm

Thursday, November 21: Confessions at 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Mass & Mission: 7:00 pm / Closing Reception



Fr. Ben Cameron was born in Kokomo, Indiana, and grew up as a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in that city. During his junior high and high school years, he attended a small Christian school that was operated by a local Baptist church. It was in that non-Catholic environment, where his faith was often challenged, that he began to study the Catholic Faith. Fr. Ben is a 1991 graduate of Christendom College, a small Catholic liberal arts college in Front Royal, Virginia, where he became involved in a lay apostolate known as the Legion of Mary, which awakened his desire to share his Catholic Faith with others. Upon receiving his degree in Political Science and History, Fr. Ben planned a career in the political arena, but soon found that God had other plans. He joined the Fathers of Mercy in 1992, studied theology at Holy Apostles Seminary in Cromwell, Connecticut, and was ordained to the Holy Priesthood on May 31, 1997. Fr. Ben has served as Vocation Director, Treasurer, Mission Director and Assistant General of the Fathers of Mercy

as a full-time parish mission preacher and retreat master (2000-2018), and as pastor of St. Helen's Parish, Glasgow, Kentucky, and its mission church, Our Lady of the Caves in Horse Cave, Kentucky (2018-2022). He is once again serving as a full-time parish mission preacher and retreat master.