

# HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH OF CORN HILL



## ALL SAINTS

NOVEMBER 1, A.D. 2015

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Weekend Masses: Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

Reconciliation: Sat: 4:15–4:45 pm; Sun: 7:45–8:15 am; Wed: 5:45-6:15 pm

### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday	Oct 31	5:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sunday	Nov 1	8:30 AM	†Albert & Filipina Slovak
Sunday	Nov 1	10:30 AM	For the Souls in Purgatory (in cemetery if weather permits)
<b>ALL SOULS' DAY</b>			
Monday	Nov 2	12:00 PM	†All Souls
Monday	Nov 2	6:00 PM	Intention of the Holy Father
Tuesday	Nov 3	6:00 PM	†Arnold Kramr
Wednesday	Nov 4	6:30 PM	†All Souls
Thursday	Nov 5	7:00 AM	†Ted & Gabriella Nemec
Friday	Nov 6	6:00 PM	For All Priests
Saturday	Nov 7	7:30 AM	†Leo & Josephine Noska
Saturday	Nov 7	5:00 PM	†John & Tillie Klepac
Sunday	Nov 8	8:30 AM	Pro Populo



The Most Holy Trinity

### MASS MINISTRY REMINDERS

#### Wednesday, November 4, 6:30 PM:

Altar Servers: Thomas C, Maria B, Abby H, William Brousseau

Lector: Nancy Zenner

EM of HC: Jennifer Klepac

Gift Bearers: 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

#### Saturday, November 7, 5:00 PM:

Altar Servers: John & Maria Bruce, Jakob Voigt

Lector: Leo Bringman

EM's of HC: Patsy Hightower, Irene Cavanaugh, Janine Nemec

Gift Bearers: Alex & Virginia Hernandez

#### Sunday, November 8, 8:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Jamie & Jenna Danek, Carter Marquis

Lector: Michael Vrabel

EM's of HC: James Nemec, Lucille Nemec, Johnny Martinka

Gift Bearers: Pinto & Lucille Nemec

EMHC Route: Sunday, November 7: James Nemec

### ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to donate altar flowers in memory or honor of a loved one(s), complete and return an Altar Flower Envelope (by bulletins or from website).

### COLLECTION

October 24:

30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time: \$3,370.00

*Give unto  
the Lord*

### THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, November 1:	--All Souls' Cemetery Mass at 10:30 am
Tuesday, November 3:	--RCIA Class
Wednesday, November 4:	--CCE Class
	--Christmas Season Choir Practice
Thursday, November 5:	--KJZT St Agnes Society Meeting
Saturday, November 7:	--Parish Potluck
	--HS CYM Meeting

The Holy Trinity Parish Prayer Campaign for Church Vocations is open to all parishioners. To sign-up, contact the parish office. This week, the crucifix will be with Pinto & Lucille Nemec. Next week, it will be with the CCE Program.

All Souls' Day – Monday, November 2: We will have Mass at 12:00 noon and again at 6:00 p.m. Join us as we pray for and remember our loved ones who have gone before us.

Zion Lutheran's Wurstbraten – Monday, November 2 – serving from 4:30 – 7:30 p.m. Adults \$10 / Children \$6. Drive-thru - \$10 plates. Sausage sold by the pound on Sunday, November 1, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. See flyer on bulletin board for all information.

Senior Citizens' Supper – due to the Zion Wurstbraten, our monthly Senior Citizens' Supper will be held on Monday, November 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC Bldg. K.J.T. #55 will prepare the meal.

NOTE: The Men's Prayer Group will NOT meet this Monday, November 2. For information, contact Pete Zenner (512-863-4038).

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: Class this Tuesday, November 3, at 7:00 p.m. Discussion: The Mass.

CCE: Class this Wednesday, November 4, from 6:15 – 8:00 p.m. For CCE program information, contact Lucille D'Elia (512-746-4317 or [htcdre@yahoo.com](mailto:htcdre@yahoo.com)).

**Choir practice for the Christmas Season** begins this Wednesday, November 4, after the 6:30 pm Mass. New members are always welcome. For information, call Ronnie Simek (512-630-5074).

Fr. Stephen will celebrate **Mass at the Granger Villa Nursing Home** this Thursday, November 5, at 10:00 a.m.

**K.J.Z.T. St. Agnes Society #15 will meet** this Thursday, November 5, at 6:00 p.m. in the home of Dorothy Klepac. All members are welcome.

This Friday and Saturday (November 6 & 7) are the **first Friday and Saturday of the month**. Friday's Mass is at 6:00 p.m. followed by a time of Adoration, our devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and Benediction. Saturday's morning Mass is at 7:30 a.m. and will conclude with our monthly devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary by praying the Litany.

Join us for our **Parish Potluck** this Saturday, November 7, in the PAC Bldg, immediately following the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Bring your favorite dish and/or dessert to share with everyone! Thanks to the Marquis family for hosting!

The **HS CYM will meet** after the Parish Potluck on Saturday, October 7. For information, call Monica Sherek (512-864-4748).

**Faith, Hope and Love!** SSCM in Granger will host a Parish Mission next week – Monday, November 8 thru Wednesday, November 11. Fr. Barry Cuba, of the Diocese of Austin, will present "**Faith, Hope & Love: Theological Virtues and Everyday Life**". Each evening will begin with a light meal at 5:30 p.m., Reconciliation and the Rosary from 6:15-6:45, and the Mission talk at 7:00. See the flyer on the bulletin board for all information.

Join us for a **Healing Mission** on Thursday & Friday, November 12 & 13, at 7:00 p.m., facilitated by Paul Rymniak. Healing is not just for the physically impaired. Mental and emotional stresses and strains can also take a heavy toll on our lives, sometimes even more so than the worst of diseases. If you or your family need healing in any of these areas, come to this mission and experience the Lord and what He can do for you.

Holy Trinity and St. Stephens of Salado are joining forces with the STRONG team from UT to present a wonderful, day-long **Retreat for teens**. The theme for the Retreat is "**Catch the Spirit of a Saint**". Pope Francis has called all of us to be saints and this Retreat promises to help us on our journey. All current Confirmation I and II students are invited as well as any other parish teens who would like to participate. Please see the flyer attached to the bulletin for further information.

The visit of Pope Francis to the U.S., and his participation at the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia, provided much excitement for American Catholics. The diocesan office of Evangelization, Catechesis and Family Life is sponsoring their own similar event – "**Celebration of Families Fully Alive**" on **Saturday, November 14, at Santa Cruz in Buda**. If you are interested in attending, visit the diocesan website ([www.austindiocese.org](http://www.austindiocese.org)) or contact the diocese at 512-949-2400.

**BANNS OF MARRIAGE** are announced for the first time for Kimberly Danek and Brian Middleton, who will be united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony here at Holy Trinity, on Saturday, November 21, 2015.

**Dear friends in Christ,**

May the peace and love of our Lord be with you! Thank you to everyone who assisted with the Parish Mission this past week. The meals before the Mission talks each evening were excellent and so was the reception afterwards on Thursday evening. We had a good number in attendance for the Mission. May we continue to reflect upon Fr. Ken's talks and also continue to allow the Holy Spirit to speak to our hearts so that we can take what we heard and learned and live it each day.

Next weekend, we will have our annual Catholic Services Appeal (CSA). Most of you have received, or will receive soon, your pledge cards in the mail. Please complete the form making your pledge to the Diocese of Austin for this coming year and return it by mail to the Diocese in the envelope that is provided in the mailing. If you have not made a pledge and would like to do so, we will have extra pledge forms and envelopes available in the church next weekend. Please be good stewards and do your part in supporting the many ministries of the Diocese of Austin. If you are not able to make a monetary pledge to the Diocese, please mail back the card you received in the mail anyway and write on it that you will offer your prayers for the Diocese. See the attached flyer for more information on the CSA.

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of All Saints. We remember those who have died and are with God in Heaven. In today's Gospel we read the Beatitudes, Jesus' instruction on happiness and saintliness. If we live the Beatitudes, we will definitely join the saints in heaven. How do you strive to live the Beatitudes in your personal life? Live them, and as we read in today's Gospel, "Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven."

We will also celebrate All Souls' Day on Monday as we pray for all those who have died and are on their way to Heaven. We pray that they may quickly pass through the purifying process in Purgatory and soon join the saints in Heaven. During the month of November, we will be praying for these souls in a special way. We do this because of what we read in Sacred Scripture in passages that pertain to the Church's teaching on Purgatory: Praying for and making an offering for the dead - 2 Maccabees 12:43-46; The need to make up for transgressions - Mt 5:25-26, Lk 12:58-59; nothing profane can enter heaven – Rev. 21:27; cleansing fire – 1 Cor 3:12-15; David, though forgiven, still punished for his sin – 2 Sam 12:13-14. Jesus paid the price for our sins in general, but we still must make up for the individual sins that we do. Let us pray that we can truly be one of those Holy Ones of God. Please try to attend one of the Masses on Monday (noon or 6:00 p.m.).

May all of you have a blessed month of November.

**In Christ, Fr. Stephen Nestrsta, farář**

**Ethics & Integrity in Ministry (EIM): Are you aware of sexual or physical abuse or neglect of a child or vulnerable adult? The Diocese of Austin is committed to preventing harm from happening to any of our children or vulnerable adults.** If you are aware of sexual or physical abuse and/or neglect of a child or vulnerable adult, state law requires you to report that information to local law enforcement or to the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services at (800) 252-5400 or [www.dfps.state.tx.us](http://www.dfps.state.tx.us). Additionally, if the suspected abuse is by clergy or an employee or volunteer of any diocesan parish, school or agency, a Confidential Notice of Concern should be submitted to the diocesan Ethics and Integrity in Ministry Office at (512) 949-2400. The Confidential Notice of Concern can be found at [www.austindiocese.org](http://www.austindiocese.org) (click on the link HOW TO REPORT ABUSE). Reports may be made anonymously.