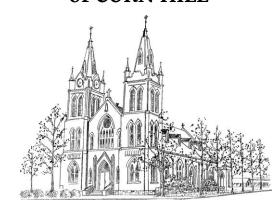
HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH of CORN HILL



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The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

May 29, A.D. 2016



Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday	May 28	5:00 PM	Tschoerner Family Reunion
Sunday	May 29	8:30 AM	Pro Populo (incense)
Tuesday	May 31	<u>7:00 AM</u>	Virgil Tonn (healing)
Wednesday	June 1	NO MASS	
Thursday	June 2	<u>6:00 PM</u>	†Merlene Turman
Friday	June 3	6:00 PM	†Raymond Angell
Saturday	June 4	7:30 AM	†Annie Vanek
Saturday	June 4	5:00 PM	†Johnnie Simek
Sunday	June 5	8:30 AM	Liv/Dec Members of John & Annie Valis family
Sunday	June 5	10:30 AM	Pro Populo

Mass Ministry Reminders

Saturday, June 4, 5:00 PM:

Altar Servers: Matthew & Nathan Klepac

Lector: Jennifer Klepac

EM's of HC: Keith Youngpeter, Debbie Klaus, Leo Bringman

Gift Bearers: Alex & Virginia Hernandez

Sunday, June 5, 8:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Travis & Thomas Clawson, William Fonville

Lector: Henry Taylor

EM's of HC: Johnny Martinka, Jim & Mary Margaret Heuertz

Gift Bearers: Johnny & Dee Martinka

Sunday, June 5, 10:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Caleb Stefek, Jakob Voigt

Lector: Pete Zenner EM's of HC: Nancy Zenner Gift Bearers: volunteers/ushers

EMHC to Shut-Ins: June 5: Jim & Mary Margaret Heuertz

Altar Flowers

To donate Altar Flowers in memory or honor of a loved one(s), please return an **Altar Flower envelope** (on bulletin tables or from website).

This Week at a Glance

Sat/Sun, May 28/29: --5th Sunday Collection for Jarrell Food Pantry

--Deadline to Sign-up for VBS!!

Monday, May 30: --NO Men's Prayer Group

Wednesday, June 1: --Year of Mercy Book Study Meeting

Friday, June 3: --First Friday Mass
Saturday, June 4: --First Saturday Mass
Sunday, June 5: --June Fundraiser

Thank you to the Confraternity of Christian Mothers for hosting the Baccalaureate reception this past Wednesday evening.

Last Week's Collection

May 22: Most Holy Trinity: 3,488.00

Stewardship: Sharing God's Blessings!

Parish Prayer Campaign for Church Vocations

is open to all parishioners. To sign-up, contact the parish office.

May 29 – June 4: Louis & Louise Straka

June 5 – 11: Tim & Gwyn Vrabel family Please pray that all will discern God's call to vocations!

Clerical Endowment Fund - Spiritual Bouquets

make appropriate gifts for any occasion (birthday, anniversary, death, graduations, sacraments, etc). You can contact our parish CEF chairperson, Janine Nemec (512-863-6892) for enrollments any time.

Religious Articles Cabinet (in foyer of church)

is full of many wonderful items, for all occasions, which are available for purchase. You may contact the parish office, Louise Straka (512-746-5322) or Janine Nemec (512-863-6892) to purchase an item in the cabinet, or to have item(s) ordered for you.

We will now have – on each 5th Sunday of the month (4 total each year) – a **second collection to benefit the Jarrell Food Pantry** – the first one will be taken up this weekend. May 28/29. This almsgiving enhances our dedication to the Corporal Works of Mercy, so please be generous in your donations.

The **Men's Prayer Group will NOT meet this Monday, May 30.** Next meeting will be on Monday, June 6, at 7:00 p.m. in the RE Bldg. Please contact Pete Zenner for information (512-863-4038).

Our Year of Mercy Book Study Meeting will be held this Wednesday, June 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the RE Bldg. We do have a few extra books available if anyone else would like to attend the meetings. Also...for the months of June, July & August, the YoM Book Study Meetings will take place in the RE Bldg instead of the PAC Bldg. Contact Pete Zenner for information (512-863-4038).

This Friday and Saturday (June 3&4) are the **first Friday and Saturday of the month.** At Friday's Mass, we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus with a time of Adoration, our devotion to the Sacred Heart and Benediction. At Saturday's 7:30 a.m. Mass, we will celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and will conclude with our monthly devotion to the Immaculate Heart by praying the Litany.

Our June Fundraiser will be held next Sunday, June 5, with an additional Mass at 10:30 a.m. (w/traditional Czech hymns sung by our choir and the Happy Czech Singers of Austin), a delicious Fried Chicken & Sausage meal from 11 am – 1 pm, and a dance afterward with music by the Jodie Mikula Orchestra! If you signed up to donate cooked chicken & broth and toasted bread cubes, don't forget to bring them to the PAC on Saturday morning, June 4. Desserts for the meal are also requested from parishioners. If you would like to contribute by making a monetary donation to help pay for groceries and supplies, 'June Fundraiser' envelopes are available on the bulletin tables.

Due to the June fundraiser, our monthly Senior Citizens' Supper will be held on Monday, June 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC Bldg (instead of Mon, June 6).

We are forming a Vocations Committee in our parish to raise awareness and share information about the various Catholic vocations. If you are interested, an informational meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 7, in the RE Bldg, after the 6:00 p.m. Mass. Please contact the church office to let us know you are coming. Each of us should be aware of our need to answer God's call in our lives. In a special way, let us pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life in our families.

CCE: Enrollment for next year's classes has begun and registration forms are available in the church, at the office and on the website. You must meet with Lucille D'Elia to register your child(ren) for CCE classes and she will do her best to accommodate your schedule. For all CCE information, please contact Lucille D'Elia (512-318-5149 or htcdre@yahoo.com).

Parish Activity Center (PAC) Changes: PAC Management will now be handled by Jennifer in the office, including scheduling all rentals and parish use, and Marla Tonn will then work with the Renters on event details, etc. Please call the office for questions or more information.

Dear friends in Christ.

Peace be with you all. Next Sunday is our June Fundraiser. Invite your family and friends for a wonderful dinner and dance. We will also be having an extra Mass at 10:30 a.m. next Sunday.

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of Corpus Christi, the Body and Blood of Christ. Since the time of the Apostles, the Church has believed and taught that Jesus is present, body and blood, soul and divinity, in the Holy Communion that we receive at Mass. The bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Jesus during the consecration in the Eucharistic Prayer. The appearance remains the same, but the substance changes. This is not a symbolic presence – it is the REAL PRESENCE of Jesus. That is why we take such care of the Blessed Sacrament, the Eucharist, and offer to the Real Presence of Jesus our Adoration and Praise. That is why we have our annual Corpus Christi Procession to give a more public witness of our belief in this Real Presence. The early Church Fathers wrote about this presence, as did St. Paul in his letter to the Corinthians (1 Cor. 10:16–17, 11:23–29). May we all be careful of how we speak about the Holy Communion that we receive at Mass. We should speak of it as the Body of Christ and the Blood of Christ, not just bread and wine. And, just as Jesus multiplied the loaves and fishes in today's Gospel, Jesus continues to multiply His presence around the world as Mass is celebrated. He continues to feed and nourish us so that we may have the strength we need to live the life He has given us to live. We pray that one day all Christians will once again believe what the Apostles and the early Church believed about Jesus' Real Presence in Holy Communion.

Tuesday, May 31, we celebrate the Feast Day of The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This feast recalls the event of Mary going to the aid of her cousin Elizabeth who was with child. Mary had learned a couple of weeks earlier that she herself was pregnant by the power of the Holy Spirit. Elizabeth is pregnant with her baby, John the Baptizer. Despite Mary's own challenges that she is facing, she goes to Elizabeth to assist her in her time of need until John is born. May we all have the same willingness to go beyond ourselves to assist those in need. Mass will be at 7:00 am.

Friday, June 3, we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. I would encourage everyone to attend Mass on this special day. Saturday, June 4, at the morning Mass, we will celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. I encourage everyone to try to honor our Blessed Mother Mary by attending Mass that morning.

Please pray for the priests of the Diocese of Austin who will be meeting Tuesday thru Thursday of this week.

May all of you have a most blessed week.

Fr. Stephen Nesrsta, farář



VBS 2016 is "farm-tastic!"

In Barnyard Roundup VBS, your children learn that Jesus gathers us together!
They'll look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, and explore five Bible accounts where Jesus graciously gathers us together to be with Him with His abundant provision and saving protection, now and forever.

Last chance to sign-up for this year's VBS!! In order to assure sufficient supplies for the day, all children MUST be PRE-registered by May 29! Registration is open for ages 4-11 to attend VBS on Saturday, June 11, from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. in the RE Bldg. Come along with us as we sing fun songs, do crazy crafts, eat yummy snacks, play awesome games, and *more*. Plus, you'll learn all about Jesus our Savior and how He gathers us together! Registration forms are available in the church, at the parish office, or from our website and you may return the form in the collection plate, at the office, or via email (htcdre@yahoo.com). For all VBS questions, or to volunteer to work on that day, please contact Lucille D'Elia (512-318-5149 or htcdre@yahoo.com).

The Spiritual Works of Mercy

Admonish the sinner Instruct the ignorant Counsel the doubtful Comfort the sorrowful Bear wrongs patiently Forgive all injuries Pray for the living & dead



Jubilee Year of Mercy

By the grace of God's abundant mercy, we are freed from our sins through the Sacrament of Reconciliation!
His MERCY endures forever!
His LOVE is everlasting!



The Corporal Works of Mercy

Feed the hungry
Give drink to the thirsty
Clothe the naked
Shelter the homeless
Visit the sick
Visit the imprisoned
Bury the dead

Do not judge and you will not be judged. Do not condemn and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven. Luke 6:37

Has Anyone Ever Hurt You? ... Several years ago, I led the funeral service for a young man named Shawn. We all just loved this kid. Shawn was killed because one of his friends – while driving – made a bad mistake. Shawn's dad, Mike, is a giant of a man. Mike and I were talking in the back of church before the service began when the driver of the car that killed his son was wheeled in on a wheelchair. Had had been released from the hospital to come to the funeral. Mike saw him, said, "Just a minute, Father," and headed over to the young man. Mike towered over his wheelchair and for a second I held my breath. Then I watched as Mike got down on his knees and held out his arms and hugged this sobbing young man, the one who drove the car that killed his son. Though Mike's heart was broken, he did not want to carry hatred or bitterness there.

As has been said, every hurt can either make us bitter or better. You and I? We all get hurt along the way. Is there some anger or hurt that you carry that, instead of becoming bitter, maybe today you could allow God to help you let go? Even part of it?

Two Minutes Toward Meaningful Life

Merciful God, you understand the hurt in my heart. And you love me right where I am. In your love, you don't want me to become bitter. Please help heal and open my wounded heart. Amen.

Our 2016 Bazaar (Sunday, September 18) will be here before we know it!

We are already preparing for the big day! If you are interested in working at the Bazaar, or are new to the parish and would like more information about this annual fundraiser, please call the parish office. New members are always welcome and encouraged to join in the fun!

Mark your calendars for our first Bazaar meeting, which will be held on Sunday, June 12, in the RE Bldg, immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass. The Bazaar Committee and Function Leaders should plan to attend, as well as anyone else interested in helping or learning more about the Bazaar.



WE ARE NOW COLLECTING ITEMS FOR OUR BAZAAR RAFFLE!

The trend of Gift Cards last year was a hit and seems to be the norm these days, but any and all donations will be accepted and very much appreciated!

<u>Deadline for donations is June 19</u> --- contact Bill and Monica Sherek at 512-864-4748.

Within Our Diocese ...

Catholic Social Teaching Corner - May 28-29 – The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ - We are a Eucharistic people and today's solemnity celebrates this great gift we have been given - to share in the very Body and Blood of Christ. As thankful sharers in this Eucharistic feast, we are called to give witness to our gratitude by becoming nourishment for others. We commit ourselves to being broken open and poured out for others as Jesus has done for us. What sacrifice are we willing to make for others in gratitude for the sacrifice Christ made for us?

Men's Mass at the Cathedral - The 8th annual diocesan Men's Fellowship Mass will be held on Saturday, July 23, at 10 a.m. at St. Mary Cathedral in Austin. All men -- sons, brothers, fathers and friends -- are invited to attend. A reception will follow The Mass is sponsored by the Central Texas Fellowship of Catholic Men. For more information, visit www.CTFCatholicMen.org.

Men's discernment dinners - Quo Vadis, a retreat for young men in high school (incoming freshmen to incoming seniors within the diocese), will be held June 25-26 at St. Thomas More Parish in Austin. This is a two-day retreat designed to help young men in high school grow spiritually and allow them to think and pray about what God might be asking them to become. Participants will have the opportunity to explore the themes of prayer, virtue, leadership, and discernment. For more information, visit www.austinvocations.com or call the Vocation Office at (512) 949-2430.

Summerfest – St. Mary in Wimberley – Saturday, June 25 from 11:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Wimberley Community Center. Variety of food, children's games and activities for all ages. Showcase three bands, providing music from different cultural backgrounds. Live auction late afternoon.

10th **Annual Picnic & BBQ Cook-Off – Sacred Heart in Lott –** June 25/26 - Check-in for cook-off will be on June 25 at 10:00 a.m. Plates are \$10 and will be served from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Live auction after the meal. Information – contact Chris Smith (254-482-0529) or Glen Dutton (512-740-6952).

EIM Workshops and compliance - Persons needing to attend an EIM workshop should go to https://www.eappsdb.com in order to find the workshop schedule and Sign Up for a Workshop. If you don't recall your User ID/Password, please use the Alternate Login option to access your application. If you have never submitted an EIM application (online or paper copy), use the above link to create your EIM account and complete the application. Attendance at either a Basic or Refresher workshop meets the 3-year refresher compliance requirement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse and have concerns regarding your attendance at a workshop, please contact Emily Hurlimann at (512) 949-2447 to discuss an alternative workshop arrangement.

How to report an incident of concern - 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 the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services at (800) 252-5400 orwww.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 Notice of Concern should be submitted to the diocesan Ethics and Integrity in Ministry Office at (512) 949-2400. The Notice of Concern can be found at www.austindiocese.org (click on REPORT ABUSE OR AN EIM CONCERN). Reports may be made anonymously.



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Upcoming Retreats & Events

Visit their website or contact them for specific event details.

Starting Anew: June 3-5

Those who have gone through divorce can feel out of place in a church that teaches the permanence of marriage. This is a retreat that acknowledges the pain, but also looks to build new dreams and restore hope that one truly is a vital member of the Church and Body of Christ.

Desert Solitude Silent Retreat: June 10-15

The practice of silence is essential to growth and spiritual awakening. Prayer and daily Mass are the center of this silent retreat. A true get-away from life's noise ... to hear God more fully.

The Cup of Life Wednesday: June 22

Anyone thirsting for a more intimate life of prayer will find enrichment in this retreat with Sister Joyce Rupp, as she reminds us that God uses the ordinary things of life to connect us to the extraordinary!

Catholic Charities is dedicated to helping people of all ages, faiths, ethnic backgrounds and economic circumstances and works to address the needs of residents in Central Texas. People of faith serving anyone in need by strengthening families and promoting respect for human dignity and life.



Did you know that the Gabriel Project Life Center at Catholic Charities serves all new moms and dads? Whether you are married or single, a first-time parent or needing a refresher, we're here for you. We offer free classes about pregnancy, life as a new parent, one-on-one support and help with mom and baby items. Learn more by calling 512-651-6100.



The Office of Pro-Life Activities of the Diocese of Austin seeks to bring the Gospel of life and love "to the heart of every man and woman and to make it penetrate every part of society".

Info on these Pro-Life Programs and more - visit the diocesan website, www.austindiocese.org.











Alliance for Life's 22nd Annual Walk for Life will be held on Saturday, June 25, from 8:30 – 10:00 a.m. in North & South Austin, Cedar Park & Georgetown and is for the entire family. Sign-up online and start getting pledges today. To register as a walker, visit www.texasallianceforlife.org/walk-life/, or call Lance Peterson (512-477-1244, ext. 12). Promote the sanctity of life and help raise funds for pro-life programs and activities.