

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH OF CORN HILL



30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 27, 2013

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

Reconciliation: Saturday: 4:15–4:45 p.m.; Sunday: 7:15–7:45 a.m.

Mass Schedule for the Week

Holy Trinity–Corn Hill

Saturday	Oct 26	5:00 PM	For the Parishioners of HTC & SSCM
Sunday	Oct 27	8:00 AM	Confraternity of Christian Mothers
Monday	Oct 28		(no Mass)
Tuesday	Oct 29	6:00 PM	†Raymond and Alex Klepac
Wed - CCE	Oct 30	7:30 PM	†Bill Klepac
Thursday	Oct 31	7:00 AM	†Sherry Vrabel

Sts. Cyril & Methodius-Granger

Saturday	Oct 26	7:00 PM
Sunday	Oct 27	10:00 AM
Monday	Oct 28	(no Mass)
Tuesday	Oct 29	(no Mass)
Wednesday	Oct 30	7:00 AM

Holy Day of Obligation – All Saints Day

Friday	Nov 1	7:00 AM	Pro Populo (for parishioners of HTC & SSCM)
Friday	Nov 1	7:00 PM	†Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Waltman, Jr.

Thursday	Oct 31	7:00 PM
Friday	Nov 1	12:00 noon

Saturday	Nov 2	11:00 AM	†For All Souls
Saturday	Nov 2	5:00 PM	Michael Bouck (for physical healing)
Sunday	Nov 3	8:00 AM	†Willie & Albina Beyer

Saturday	Nov 2	7:30 AM (@Cmtry)
Saturday	Nov 2	7:00 PM
Sunday	Nov 3	10:00 AM

(† in front of an intention denotes deceased) (Please note that the Saturday morning Masses do not fulfill your weekend obligation.)

Mass	Lectors	Altar Servers	Present Gifts	Ministers Holy Communion
October 26 5:00 PM	Aaron Liles	Jacob Liles Ciara Hernandez	Liles family	Richard & Jerrie Witte, Aaron Liles
October 27 8:00 AM	Nancy Zenner	Kelsey Marquis Carter Marquis	Louis & Louise Straka	Pete & Nancy Zenner, Louise Straka
November 2 5:00 PM	Debbie Klaus	Nathan Klepac Ciara Hernandez	Robert & Carolyn Barker	Debbie Klaus, Carolyn Barker, Keith Youngpeter
November 3 8:00 AM	Cynthia Edgar	John Danek Jenna Danek	Richard & Lisa Danek	John & Cynthia Edgar, Lucille Nemec

Ministers of Holy Communion to Shut-Ins:

October 27: Richard Witte

November 3: John Edgar

Last Week's Collection: \$2,930.00

World Mission Sunday: \$1,409.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Holy Trinity Prayer Tree: That the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, may rest in peace ... and for the intentions in our Prayer Journal ... we pray to the Lord.

The K.J.T. #55 would like to say **THANK YOU** to all who provided and/or purchased baked goods at their Bake Sale last weekend. Thanks to your generosity, they will be sending \$600 to the Priest/Religious Retirement Fund. God bless you all.

This is your last weekend to turn in **All Souls Envelopes**, which are located by the bulletins. **Don't forget, also, to turn in your Cemetery Dues envelopes**, which are located by the bulletins as well.

Confirmation Class today (Sunday, October 27) from 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. in the RE Bldg. The **HS CYM will meet** at 10:30 a.m. today as well, to build the picnic table that was auctioned at this year's Bazaar.

The **Confraternity of Christian Mothers will meet** today (Sunday, October 27) in the RE Building, immediately following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

The **Holy Trinity Parish Prayer Campaign for Church Vocations** is open to all parishioners. For information, or to sign-up, contact the parish office. This week, the crucifix will be in the home of Louis & Louise Straka. Next week, it will be in the home of the Tim & Gwyn Vrabel family. Please pray for Vocations!

The **Finance Council will meet** on Tuesday, October 29, at 6:30 p.m. in the RE Building. All parishioners are invited to attend.

CCE: PreK – 9th Class on Wednesday, October 30. Class from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. with Mass from 7:30 – 8:00 p.m. (CCE meal served from 5:45 – 6:15 p.m.) **NO Confirmation Class** on Sunday, November 3.

Please see the Mass Schedule above for the dates and times of our All Saints Day Masses and our All Souls Day Cemetery Service. (For the Cemetery Service, if you will need to sit, please remember to bring a folding chair from home.)

Daylight Savings Time ends next weekend, so don't forget to turn your clocks BACK one hour on Saturday (Nov. 2) evening!



The annual diocesan **Catholic Services Appeal** will be conducted next weekend (November 2/3). Each year, our bishop asks every one of us to make a commitment to support the work of our diocesan programs and ministries. By sharing the gifts God has granted us, we can work together to care for the Church. Please be generous.

Don't forget to bring back your **Baby Banks** next weekend (November 2/3). The money collected will support our diocesan Pro-Life apostolates, such as Gabriel and Rachel Projects, maternity homes, etc. God bless you, in advance, for your contribution and prayer.

Join us for **Hospitality Sunday** next weekend (Sunday, November 3) in the PAC Bldg, immediately following the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

The **Senior Citizens Supper will NOT be held on the usual first Monday** due to the Zion Lutheran Wurstbraten. **Instead, mark your calendars for Monday, November 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC Bldg.**

Everyone is invited to Zion Lutheran Church in Walburg for their **42nd Annual Wurstbraten** on Monday, November 4. Serving will be from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. --- dine-in or drive-thru. Plates are \$10 for adults / \$6 for children. Sausage sold by the lb on Sun, Nov 3, from 2 – 4 p.m.

If anyone is interested in taking on the position of **Pro-Life Coordinator for our parish**, please contact the parish office.

Dear friends in Christ,

Praised be Jesus Christ! Now and forever! Don't forget to mark you calendars to attend Mass on Friday, November 1, as we celebrate All Saints Day, a Holy Day of Obligation. November 2 is All Souls Day. Let us also attend Mass and pray for all the faithful departed as they go through the purification process that we call Purgatory. May they soon enter into the fullness of God's presence. During the entire month of November we are encouraged to pray for the souls in Purgatory. Pray for these souls. Maybe one day you will be wanting someone to pray for you also. Teach your children to continue this tradition. It is the least we can do for our deceased friends and relatives and for those who have no one to pray for them.

In today's Gospel Jesus tells the parable about the Pharisee and the tax collector who went to the temple to pray. The Pharisee, even though he said a prayer of thanksgiving, was only bragging to God that he was better than everyone else. The tax collector stayed further back and recognized his own sinfulness and asked God for mercy. The Gospel is a lesson of humility, a humility that is justifying and life-giving. When we come to church to pray are we more like the Pharisee or the tax collector? In today's day and time many people are like the Pharisee, they are not able to admit that they are a sinner and they are too proud to go to Him seeking His mercy and forgiveness. This is really sad because if we are not able to admit to our sinfulness and ask for mercy now then we will not be able to do it at the time of our death and we will sentence ourselves to eternal damnation. Having a fear of hell is a good thing as long as we do not become preoccupied with it. Having a sense of sin is a good thing also, as long as we do not become preoccupied with it. Even though we are sinners we are still children of God, we are still a holy people and sacred beings. May we never forget the awesomeness of God's love for us and may we always have the humility to go and seek His love and His mercy.

Have a blessed week and don't forget to pray with your family.

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