

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH OF CORN HILL



**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 9, 2014**

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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 & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Holy Trinity–Corn Hill

Saturday	Feb 8	5:00 PM	Pro Populo (for parishioners of HTC & SSCM)
Sunday	Feb 9	8:00 AM	†Mary Stojanik
Tuesday	Feb 11	6:00 PM	†Roy Miller
Wednesday	Feb 12	7:00 AM	†Janette Zurovetz
Thursday	Feb 13	7:00 AM	†Stanley Havelka
Friday	Feb 14	6:30 PM	Liv/Dec Benefactors of Czech Seminarian Fund
Saturday (a.m.)	Feb 15	(no Mass)	
Saturday	Feb 15	5:00 PM	†Joseph Capuano
Sunday	Feb 16	8:00 AM	†Willie & Albina Beyer

Sts. Cyril & Methodius-Granger

Saturday	Feb 8	7:00 PM
Sunday	Feb 9	10:00 AM
Tuesday	Feb 11	7:00 AM
Wednesday	Feb 12	6:30 PM
Thursday	Feb 13	6:00 PM
Friday	Feb 14	7:00 AM
Saturday (a.m.)	Feb 15	7:30 AM
Saturday	Feb 15	7:00 PM
Sunday	Feb 16	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
February 8 5:00 PM	Leo Bringman	Erin, John & Maria Bruce	Alex & Virginia Hernandez	Leo Bringman, Frank Feist, Fred Mullenbach
February 9 8:00 AM	Michael Vrabel	Travis Clawson Thomas Clawson	Ray & Teresa Nemec	Kathy Windhauser, Ray Nemec, James Nemec
February 15 5:00 PM	Lynnette Hinton	Matthew Klepac Abby Hodgson	Bill & Linda Montreuil	Jim & Mary Margaret Heuertz, Lynnette Hinton
February 16 8:00 AM	Kathy Windhauser	Ciara Hernandez Logan Eckert	Jerry David	Barney & Dorothy Walther, Jerry David
Ministers of Holy Communion to Shut-Ins:		February 9: James Nemec	February 16: Jerry David	

Last Week's Collection: \$3,164.25

Thank you for your generosity!

We would like to announce and welcome Carrie Vieira as our new PAC Rental Coordinator. Her contact information is at the top of the bulletin and on our website. All PAC rental inquiries should now be directed to her.

We will have a **special collection this weekend to support Campus Ministries in the Diocese of Austin**. These include communities at the University of Texas, Texas A&M, Baylor University and many others. The goal of Catholic campus ministry is to build a faith community to bring the message of Christ to the academic world. Please be generous.

K.J.T. #55 will meet after the 8:00 a.m. Mass today (Sunday, February 9) in the RE Bldg. All members are invited to attend.

CCE: No Confirmation class today (Sunday, February 9). **K – 9th grade** will meet on Wednesday, February 12, with class from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. (meal served 5:30 – 6:15 p.m.).

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 with Mark & Debbie Klaus. Next week, it will be in the home of Louise Havelka.

Fr. Stephen will celebrate **Mass at the Villa Nursing Home in Granger** on Thursday, February 13, at 10:00 a.m.

Czech Mass – Vítame Vás na Corn Hill: Don't forget to invite your family and friends to join us for our annual Czech Mass, honoring Sts. Cyril and Methodius, patron saints of the Czech Republic, on their Feast day, Friday, February 14, at 6:30 p.m. All prayers, readings and hymns will be in the Czech language. After Mass, a meal will be served in the PAC. Everyone is welcome to celebrate this special feast day with us. It is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the parish's and community's Czech heritage.

K.J.T. Society #28, Granger, will sponsor a **Fried Pork Steak Dinner** on Sunday, February 16, at the SSCM Parish Hall. Serving will begin at 11 a.m. Adult plates are \$8.50 / Children's plates are \$5.00. All proceeds benefit Missionaries of Hope and the Granger Food Pantry.

K.J.T. District IV will host their Annual Meeting and Family Fun Day 2014 on Saturday, February 22, at Old Settler's Reunion Hall in Round Rock. Join them for an afternoon of fun from 3:00 – 7:00 p.m. Then a **public dance** will begin at 7:00 p.m. with the music and antics of the high energy accordion cowboy, **Chris Rybak**. For more information, see flyer in church.

Special thanks to Kwik Kopy in Temple for donating the printing of the new Czech Hymn books for the pews!

Dear friends in Christ,

Friday, February 14, is the feast of Sts. Cyril and Methodius, patron saints of the Czech Republic and of all Slavic peoples. We will be having our annual Czech Mass in their honor on Friday at 6:30 pm. All music, readings and Mass will be in Czech. After Mass a meal will be served in the PAC building. Everyone is invited. It is not necessary to speak Czech to attend!

This week we will welcome two priest friends of mine from the Czech Republic. Fr. Daniel Vícha and Fr. Petr Kříbek will arrive on Monday night, February 10, and stay with us until Wednesday, February 19.

Jesus tells us in today's Gospel that we are to be the salt of the earth. He also says that we are to be the light of the world. Salt adds flavor and preserves foods. Light makes it possible for us to see where we are going, helps us to be productive and do good works, and helps us to avoid danger. What kind of salt and light are we to the world? Does our faith add something to the lives of others? Does it help to preserve the faith of our families and friends? Is our light helping others to find the way to Jesus? Is our faith producing good works? Is our faith helping us to avoid sin and the dangers of evil? In today's second reading we heard how St. Paul was truly the salt of the earth and the light for the gentiles, but not only the gentiles because St. Paul had to defend his faith in front of the Sanhedrin and the religious leaders everywhere he went. Notice in his letter to the Corinthians that St. Paul says he went to them "in weakness and fear and much trembling". I think that often times we are the same way. We are afraid to live our faith and we are afraid to be a witness of Jesus and His Church in the world. We, like St. Paul, have to depend on the wisdom and the power of God. The next time you are afraid to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world, just say a little prayer asking God to give you His wisdom and power. You will be amazed at what you will be able to do!

So, go forth today and be the salt of the earth and the light of Jesus to the world. Do not fear, our Lord is with you. May the blessings of our Lord be with you all.

Fr. Stephen Nestrta, farář