HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH of CORN HILL







Bishop Joe Vásquez Diocese of Austin

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 27, A.D. 2020

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday	Sept 26	7:30 AM	†Annie Mae Janish †Marsha May		
Saturday	Sept 26	5:00 PM	†Tommie Rose Martine Joe Villarreal		
		8:30 AM	Pro Populo		
Sunday	Sept 27	10:30 AM	Tracy Allen †Albert Spanel		
Tuesday	Sept 29	6:00 PM	†Evalyn Guzman †Jeff & Joan Rivers		
Wednesday	Sept 30	6:30 PM	In Reparation of the many sins against the IHM & SHJ		
Thursday	Oct 1	7:00 AM	Aki Weathers Darlene Lesley		
Friday	Oct 2	6:00 PM	†Rosemary Waltman †Teresa Medina		
Saturday	Oct 3	7:30 AM	†Virginia & William McMaster †Jimmy Bullock		
Saturday	Oct 3	5:00 PM	Vince & Cathy Vrazel (48th Wedding Anniversary) †Frieda & Albert Tschoerner		
		8:30 AM	Pro Populo		
Sunday	Oct 4	10:30 AM	†Rex Melvin †Edna Knapp		

Mass Ministry Schedule for September 29 - October 4

Tuesday, September 29, 6:00 pm:

Lector: Louis Brousseau Altar Servers: Brousseaus

Wednesday, September 30, 6:30 pm:

Lector: Jakob Voigt Altar Server: Jakob Voigt

Thursday, October 1, 7:00 am:

Lector: Monica Sherek **Altar Servers:** Pinto Nemec

First Friday, October 2, 6:00 pm:

Lector: Lupe Bernal Altar Servers: Pinto Nemec

First Saturday, October 3, 7:30 am:

Lector: Janine Nemec **Altar Servers:** James Nemec

Saturday, October 3, 5:00 PM:

Altar Servers: Nathan & Lucas K

Lector: Leo Bringman **EMHC:** Jim Heuertz

Head Usher: Tommy Sladecek

Sunday, October 4, 8:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Caleb & Amy Stefek

Lector: Louis Brousseau
EMHC: Ray Nemec
Head Usher: Frank Knapek

Sunday, October 4, 10:30 AM:

Altar Servers: Jakob V, William F, Abby H

Lector: Monica Sherek
EMHC: Daniel Perez
Head Usher: Bill Sherek

EMHC to Shut-ins: October 4: James Nemec

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Weekend Masses: Saturday @ 5:00 pm Sunday @ 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Reconciliation: Sat: 3:45–4:40 pm; Sun: 7:30–8:10 am;

& Wed: 5:30-6:10 pm (or by appt.)

Parish Contacts & Resources

Director of Faith Formation: Lucille D'Elia 737-215-1042
Financial Bookkeeper: Steffani Jacobs 512-863-3020
Parish Activity Center (PAC) Rentals: Parish Office
Cemetery Information: Parish Office
Cemetery Director: Johnny Martinka 512-966-4301

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Cemetery Maintenance: (Position Vacant)
Music Ministry / Choir: Ronnie Simek 512-630-5074
Finance Council: Tommy Sladecek 512-635-3496
Pastoral Council: Stephanie Wright 512-470-5204
Pro-Life Prayer Group: Chris Garlasco 860-689-3021
Men's Prayer Group: Pete Zenner 512-863-4038
Knights of Columbus: Josh Jacobs 612-212-9624
Conf. of Christian Mothers: Lucille Nemec 254-527-3615

K.J.T. Society #55: John Danek 512-819-4362 **K.J.Z.T. Society #15:** Dorothy Klepac 512-746-2902

Catholic Life Insurance #50: Tommy Sladecek 512-635-3496

CEF Enrollments: Janine Nemec 512-289-9242

Marriage Preparation: Contact the priest before setting a wedding date and at least 9-12 months before the desired date.

Baptisms: Classes are scheduled based on need. Contact Lucille D'Elia for questions and requirements (737-215-1042)

Last Week's Collection(s)

Weekly: \$3521.00 / Online: \$1047.95

Altar Flowers

To donate Altar Flowers in memory or honor of loved ones, complete and return an 'Altar Flower Envelope' (by bulletins or from website).

In Memoriam

We extend our sympathies and prayers to the family of **Stephanie Barker Wood** (daughter of Robert & Carolyn Barker of our parish family) who died this past week. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.

Amen.



WE ASK THAT ALL WHO ATTEND MASS WEAR A MASK / FACE COVERING FOR THE HEALTH & SAFETY OF ALL PRESENT! And we thank you, while our seating is limited, for moving, if possible, to make room for larger families that come in for Mass.

Catholic Social Teaching Corner – September 26/27 – 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time: In the Gospels, Jesus is always challenging the boxes we like to create, like the boxes for "good" and "bad". It is human to create such boxes, but Jesus wants us to realize that we are always called to see as God sees and not as human beings see. That is not easy, and it takes great humility and constant conversion to see every person, even those whose lives are a contradiction to our values as loved by God, and even as potential saints. Jesus was able to do this and calls us to do the same.

We will have our monthly **Faith Formation Collection** this weekend (September 26/27) which allows us to provide necessary resources for the education of children in our CCE program, participants in the RCIA program & the continued education of adults.

The **Confraternity of Christian Mothers will meet** this Sunday, September 27, in the RE Bldg following the 8:30 a.m. Mass. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend and all are asked to wear face masks.

RCIA: Next class will be held this Tuesday, September 29, at 7:00 p.m. in the RE building. Discussion: The Holy Trinity. For information, contact Lucille D'Elia at htcdre@yahoo.com or 737-215-1042.



Our program for **students in grades 3-7** will be online for the fall semester. Information regarding how to access the program will be available beginning the week of September 27 and will be emailed to all families participating in that online program. Also, at this time, the homework for September is due. The assignments may be returned to the CCE office or left in the CCE mailbox which can be found next to the door of the RE building. For questions please call Lucille D'Elia at 737-215-1042 or htcdre@yahoo.com.

Holy Hour of Reparation every Thursday at 7:30 a.m. (after the 7 a.m. Mass), in the presence of the Lord, inside the church. We follow a beautiful, timeless, relevant Catholic Church approved booklet that will be provided for you each week. This is a good opportunity to pray for the world and for our families. Give the Lord your time and spend an hour in His presence to pray to His Heart.

Pro-Life Eucharistic Adoration every Thursday from 3–9 p.m. in the church. Come and spend some time with the Lord, present in the Blessed Sacrament.

First Friday & Saturday of the month – October 2 - 3: Friday's Mass is at 6:00 p.m. with a time of Adoration, our devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and Benediction. Saturday's Mass is at 7:30 a.m. and will conclude with our devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Cedarbrake Retreat Center in Belton: Saying Yes Retreat - Oct. 3 from 9:30 am - 2:00 pm. Franciscan Father Albert Haase will explore practical ways to grow in a deeper relationship with God by learning how He speaks in our everyday lives. The retreat is based on his book, "Saying Yes: Discovering and Responding to God's Will in Your Life." Father Haase is a popular preacher, teacher, spiritual director and chaplain at Cedarbrake. Cost for the day is \$40. *****THIS RETREAT WILL BE RECORDED & CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU AT A DIFFERENT TIME***** Register online www.cedarbrake.org or call (254) 780-2436.

In October, we will have our annual **Pastoral Council Member nominations process.** Please complete and return your nomination form to parish office by October 6.

Banns of Marriage are announced for the second time for Margaret Sukup & Samuel Hinze, who will celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony here on October 10.

Annual Cemetery Dues: The contribution, per family, of at least \$20, can be turned in using a 'Cemetery Dues' envelope (located by the bulletins or in your contribution envelope box). As written in our Cemetery Policies & Procedures: "Annual contributions of at least \$20 per family are collected each October for cemetery upkeep and maintenance. Failure to pay the annual upkeep fee will result in a parishioner being charged to be buried at HTC (\$1500 casket / \$250 urn); once an individual turns 18 years of age, even if they are still living in their parents' home, they are considered to be their own parish family and should, therefore, fulfill the responsibilities as any other parish family and pay the annual contribution to the HTC Cemetery Fund."

All Soul's Memorial Envelopes are available by the bulletins and <u>must be turned in by Wednesday, October 28</u>. The names offered will be prayed for throughout the month of November.

Dear friends in Christ.

Peace be with you. Thank you to everyone who helped out with the preparing, cooking and boxing of the Bazaar To-Go Meal, the Raffle, the cakes and koláče bakers and sellers, parking and traffic flow, which was quite the challenge this year, and to those who counted the money, and those who helped clean up afterwards. We certainly have a talented cooking team here at Holy Trinity. Thank you for all your hard work. We hope to have the amount we made in the bulletin soon.

The month of October arrives this Thursday. October is Respect Life month so in a special way we celebrate the gift of life and we try to protect the sacredness of life through our prayers and our actions. We really need to pray for the conversion of hearts and minds so that all people will realize that all life, from the first moment of conception to natural death, is sacred and that we are all made in the image and likeness of God. Pray especially for those individuals who are standing in front of abortion clinics praying for those who are going to have their babies killed in their womb. Just their presence there in prayer oftentimes changes the minds of those who are going to these clinics. Many times those who work in these clinics undergo a change of heart and quit their jobs as they come realize the horror they are committing. May abortion come to an end one day in this country and throughout the world and may the evils of contraception also come to an end so that the life that God intends will be born into the world. During this month I encourage you to come on Thursday to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament in Adoration praying for a greater respect for life in all its stages. Our Lord is calling you. Will you respond?

Please be sure to turn in your nominations for the **Pastoral Council by October 6**. All nominations must be EIM certified, meaning, that they must have attended an Ethics and Integrity in Ministry workshop within the last three years.

This week, Monday, September 28, is the feast of St. Wenceslaus. St. Wenceslaus (903-35), also known in Czech as Vaclav, was born near Prague, and was the son of Duke Wratislaw. He was taught Christianity by his grandmother, St. Ludmila. The Magyars, along with Drahomira, an anti-Christian faction murdered the Duke and St. Ludmila, and took over the government. Wenceslaus was declared the new ruler after a coup in 922. He encouraged Christianity. Boleslav, his brother, no longer successor to the throne, after Wenceslaus' son was born, joined a group of noble Czech dissenters. In September of 935 a group of nobles allied with Wenceslaus' younger brother, Boleslav, in a plot to kill the prince. After Boleslav invited Wenceslaus to the feast of Saints Cosmas and Damian in Stará Boleslav, Boleslav and three of his companions – Tira, Čsta and Hněvsa – murdered Wenceslaus on his way to morning Mass. Boleslav thus succeeded him as the Duke (*kníže*) of Bohemia. He is the patron saint of the Czech Republic and Slovakia and his feast day is Sept. 28.

This Tuesday, September 29 if the feast of the Archangels - Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael. Wednesday is the feast of St. Jerome, the priest who first translated the Bible from Hebrew and Greek to Latin. Thursday is the feast of St. Therese to the Child Jesus and Friday is the feast of The Holy Guardian Angels. Try to attend Mass on as many of these feast days as possible.

In today's Gospel you could say that Jesus is telling us that "actions speak louder than words". The Gospel is about two sons whose father told them to go and work in the vineyard. One said he would not go, but then went and worked in the vineyard. The other son said yes, I will go, but he did not go to work in the vineyard. Jesus tells them that the first son who said he would not go is the one who did the will of his father. So, Jesus is comparing these sons to the Pharisees and Scribes who say yes to God, but do not follow through with their actions, and, the tax collectors and prostitutes who at first say no to God by the way they live their life but once they hear Jesus preach they change their lives, seek forgiveness, and do what God is asking of them. Are we saying "yes" to God and then doing something that is completely opposite? We make a commitment to live the Commandments and to live according to the teachings of Jesus and His Church, but are we doing what we should be doing to live out this commitment? Most people are not! May God give us the strength and courage to live what we say we believe.

K ZAMYŠLENÍ: Je zajímavé slyšet Ježíšovo podobenství v běžných okolnostech našeho všedního života a srovnávat, nakolik se stáváme také my lidmi, kteří něco jiného říkají a jinak jednají. Avšak jiný význam nabývá stejná pasáž v kontextu vyhrocené situace těsně před velikonočními svátky a zatčením Ježíše velekněžími. Zde už není čas na úvahy a výzvy. Jsou to poslední chvíle Kristova života a poslední možnosti pro velekněží, aby porozuměli. Ale i my se můžeme ptát, nakolik je naše křesťanství odpovědí na Ježíšova slova a nakolik jen formalizovaným rituálem. Ježíš nevyčítá nikomu, kdo hledá pravdu, víru, nasměrování života, i když při tom bloudí. Vždyť předchozí místa evangelia svědčí o jeho snaze otevřít oči těm, kteří touží vidět. Řeč je o neochotě něco měnit. Právě obsah slova "chci" je nejdůležitějším výrazem dnešního evangelia. Skutečné "chci" znamená jednat. (Vira.cz)

26to. Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario: En el Evangelio Jesús siempre está retando los paradigmas que nos gusta crear: tales como los paradigmas para lo que es "bueno" y lo que es "malo". Es humano el crear esos paradigmas, pero Jesús quiere que nos demos cuenta de que siempre estamos llamados a ver tal como Dios ve y no como los humanos ven. Eso no es fácil y requiere gran humildad y una constante conversión para ver a cada persona, incluso a aquellas cuyas vidas son una contradicción a nuestros valores como seres amados por Dios, e incluso como santos potenciales. Jesús pudo hacer esto y nos llama a hacer lo mismo.

This Tuesday the Holy Trinity painting will be taken to Brown Mountain Art Restoration in Dallas. It needs to be cleaned, repaired and sealed. The canvas is deteriorating and needs a little TLC. Pray the work to restore goes well.

May all of you have a most blessed week.

In Christ,

Pray the Scriptures with us during the month of October 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Every Sunday is a Solemnity. Weekdays with bold print are either a Solemnity or a Feast Day. All other weekdays are either Memorials or Optional Memorials or without a specific memorial. Optional Memorials are in italics.	Monthly Devotion The Holy Angels & The Holy Rosary	Tip for Spiritual Well-being: Pray the rosary daily. Go to confession sometime during the month.	Some other saints: 4 th - St. Francis of Assisi 5 th - Sv. Faustina Kowalska Sv. Palmác 11 th - St. John XXIII 12 th - Sv. Radim 18 ^t - St. Luke 30 th - Sv. Marcel 31 st - Sv. Wolfgang	1 Jb 19:21-27 Ps 27:7-9,13-14 Lk 10:1-12 St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, virgin, doctor of the Church	2 † First Friday Jb 38:1,12-21 & 40:3-5 Ps 139:1-3,7-10,13-14b Mt 18:1-5,10 The Holy Guardian Angels Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotion	3 First Saturday Jb 42:1-3,5-6,12-17 Ps 119:66,71,75,91,125,130 Lk 10:17-24 Immaculate Heart of Mary Devotion
4	5	6	7	8	9 †	10
Is 5:1-7 Ps 80:9,12-16,19-20 Phil 4:6-9 Mt 21:33-43 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Gal 1:6-12 Ps 111:1-2,7-10 Lk 10:25-37 Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos, priest	Gal 1:13-24 Ps 139:1-3,13-15 Lk 10:38-42 St. Bruno, priest Bl. Marie-Rose Durocher, virgin	Gal 2:1-2,7-14 Ps 117:1-2 Lk 11:1-4 Our Lady of the Rosary	Gal 3:1-5 (Ps) Lk 1:69-75 Lk 11:5-13	Gal 3:7-14 Ps 111:1-6 Lk 11:15-26 St. Denis, bishop, martyr, and companions, martyrs St. John Leonardi, priest	Gal 3:22-29 Ps 105:2-7 Lk 11:27-28
11	12	13	14	15	16 †	17
Is 25:6-10a Ps 23:1-6 Phil 4:12-14,19-20	Gal 4:22-24,26-27,31 - 5:1 Ps 113:1b-5a,6-7 Lk 11:29-32	Gal 5:1-6 Ps 119:41,43-45,47-48 Lk 11:37-41	Gal 5:18-25 Ps 1:1-4,6 Lk 11:42-46	Eph 1:1-10 Ps 98:1-6 Lk 11:47-54	Eph 1:1-14 Ps 33;1-2,4-5,12-13 Lk 12:1-7	Eph 1:15-23 Ps 8:2-7 Lk 12:8-12
Mt 22:1-14 28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Columbus Day		St. Callistus I, pope, martyr	St. Teresa of Jesus, virgin, doctor of the Church	St. Hedwig, religious St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin	St. Ignatius of Antioch, bishop, martyr
18	19	20	21	22	23 †	24
Is 45:1,4-6 Ps 96:1,3-5,7-10 1 Thes 1:1-5b Mt 22:15-21 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Eph 2:1-10 Ps 100:1b-5 Lk 12:13-21 St. John de Brébeuf, priest, martyr St. Isaac Jogues, priest, martyr, and companions, martyrs	Eph 2:12-22 Ps 85:9-14 Lk 12:35-38 St. Paul of the Cross, priest	Eph 3:2-12 (Ps) Is 12:2-6 Lk 12:39-48	Eph 3:14-21 Ps 33:1-2,4-5,11-12,18-19 Lk 12:49-53 St. John Paul II, pope	Eph 4:1-6 Ps 24:1-6 Lk 12:54-59 St. John of Capistrano, priest	Eph 4:7-16 Ps 122:1-5 Lk 13:1-9 St. Anthony Mary Claret, bishop
25	26	27	28	29	30 †	31
Ex 22:20-26 Ps 18:2-4,47,51 1 Thes 1:5c-10 Mt 22:34-40	Eph 4:32 - 5:8 Ps 1:1-4,6 Lk 13:10-17	Eph 5:21-33 Ps 128:1-5 Lk 13:18-21	Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16	Eph 6:10-20 Ps 144:1b,2,9-10 Lk 13:31-35	Phil 1:1-11 Ps 111:1-6 Lk 14:1-6	Phil 1:18b-26 Ps 42:2-3,5 Lk 14:1,7-11
30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time			Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles			

[†] The Bishops of the United States have asked that we observe Fasting and Abstinence on every Friday for the intentions of Life, Marriage, and Religious Freedom.