

SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Church of the Diocese of Victoria in Texas

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The Most Rev. Brendan J. Cahill, S.T.D., Bishop
The Rev. Bryan Heyer, Pastor

Bishop Emeritus David Fellhauer
Deacon: The Rev. Mr. Joe Machacek

January 27, 2019

Sacred Liturgies

January 27 – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Willie Marcak

9:30 a.m. People of Sts. Cyril & Methodius Parish

January 28 – Monday

6:30 a.m. Edward & Isabel Marek

10:00 a.m. Gladys Hubenak (Nursing Home)

January 29 – Tuesday

6:30 a.m. Joe Strauss & Deceased Family

January 30 – Wednesday

6:00 p.m. James Mozisek

January 31 – Thursday

8:10 a.m. Viola Darilek

February 1 – Friday

8:00 a.m. Eugene, Elizabeth & Cathy Simper

February 2 – Saturday

8:00 a.m. Purgatorial Society

5:00 p.m. Laura Watzlavick

February 3 – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Marvin Kram

9:30 a.m. People of Sts. Cyril & Methodius Parish



Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Gospel: Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21

Luke's Gospel recounts the beginning of Jesus' public ministry as He returns "in the power of the Holy Spirit" to Nazareth and stands up in the synagogue to read from the prophet Isaiah. There Isaiah declares that the Spirit of the Lord has commissioned him to announce good news to the poor, news of release from captivity, recovery of sight for the blind, liberty to the oppressed—all in all, a year "of the Lord's favor." The Old Testament called this celebration the Year of Jubilee. Jesus applied that passage to himself as a new beginning for Israel. He is the one who launches the Jubilee Year for all who will hear Him.

This tradition of Jubilee is the framework for God's promise of salvation. And yet in Jesus, something new begins. Jesus not only announces God's salvation, he brings this salvation about in his person. Jesus is Yahweh's Anointed One, filled with the Spirit of God. The Kingdom of God is now at hand. It is made present in Jesus, in his life, death, and Resurrection. Jesus will send the Holy Spirit so that the Kingdom of God can be fulfilled.

The Holy Spirit is Jesus' gift to the Church. The Holy Spirit enables the Church to continue the mission of Jesus. When we do what Jesus did—bring glad tidings to the poor, liberty to captives, healing to the sick, and freedom to the oppressed—we serve the Kingdom of God.

Eucharistic Adoration Chapel Notes



This week we have the following hours open in the chapel: Sundays, 12 Noon – 1:00 p.m.; Tuesdays, 1:00 a.m. – 2:00 a.m. (every other week). Wednesdays, 2:00 - 3:00 a.m.; and 11:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.; Please consider taking an hour and call the parish office at 594-3836 if you can help out.

The Adoration Chapel will move back to its original location in the church on Sunday, February 3, 2019.



The World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in the Universal Church on Saturday, February 2, 2019, and in parishes on the weekend of February 2 – 3, 2019. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.



Vocations Committee is sponsoring a **FREE night of babysitting** in the PAC on Sat., February 16 after the 5:00 p.m. Mass until 9:30 p.m. It will be a night to honor and support marriage vocations. If you would like to take advantage of this "night out," please call Sharon at 594-3836. In order for us to prepare and plan for the sitters, food and snacks, **please RSVP by February 8. NO DROP-INS will be allowed and limited space is available.**



Vocations Cross: Confirmation is scheduled in our parish on April 28, 2019. As part of their spiritual preparation for the sacrament, the class is keeping the Vocations Cross and offering prayers for vocations for the Priesthood, Diaconate and Religious Life.

Ministry Schedules for January and February can be found in church and on our parish website.

Weekly Bible Study, Mondays, 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. in the Meeting Room. All are welcome!

Men's ACTS Retreat – March 7-10, 2019
Applications are available in the back of the church.

CDA Reception of New Members, Meeting and Noodle Soup Supper, will be held **Monday, January 28, 2019**, at 6:30 p.m. in the PAC. Homemade noodle soup and trimmings will be served. Any lady of the parish interested in joining the CDA is invited to come to the meeting and join the organization. Current members are reminded that 2019 dues of \$25 are now payable. Pay at the meeting or mail to Financial Secretary, Beverly Svetlik, 1653 FM 1891, Shiner, TX 77984



Parish Choir Practice, Monday, January 28, at 6:00 p.m. Next date for choir to sing is February 23.

Laudate Dominum: Rehearsals on Mondays, Jan 28 and Feb 4 & 11, for the 9:30 a.m. Mass on Feb 17.

Totus Tuus Chorum: Rehearsal every Wednesday in January from 8:00 – 8:50 pm. for the 9:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, Feb 3. New Members Welcome! All students in grades 7 – 12 are eligible to join. Seeking replacement pianist for Fall, 2019 as our current pianist will head off to college. Contact Marty Egan at marthaegan110@gmail.com or text: 361-401-9807



Oops! We Stand Corrected! It has been pointed out to us that when the green *JourneySong* hymnals in the book holders in church are stored with the spine facing up, this will gradually damage the book and cause the pages to be disconnected from the spine. So now we are kindly asking that these books be placed in the holders with the spine down and the pages facing up. This will assure that the books will remain in tip-top shape as long as possible. Sorry for the confusion and thank you for your understanding!



Flowers on the Altar

In Memory of Deacon Paul Patek
By Family

Church & Children's Bulletin Sponsor

In Memory of Deacon Paul Patek
By Family

Sanctuary & Adoration Chapel Candles

In Memory of Deacon Paul Patek
By Family

Memorial Candle for the Unborn

By the Paul Patek Family



Our Gifts to God This Week

Envelopes	\$ 9,227.00
Loose Collection	\$ 893.00
Parish Repair Fund	\$ 696.57

2018 Contribution Statements for those who requested them last year are in the foyer of church. If you need a statement and don't find yours there, call the parish office at 594-3836.

Catholic Schools Week: January 27 – February 2

The Shiner Catholic School will observe this week by recognizing groups and members of our parish, school and community. Following is a summary of the various activities throughout the week.

Sun., Jan. 27: Celebrate our Parish.

7:30 a.m. – Mass to celebrate the start of Catholic Schools Week, with 1st – 5th graders singing at Mass.
7:30-10:00 a.m. – Pancake Breakfast at cafeteria (\$5/adult, \$3/children).

Mon., Jan. 28: Celebrate our Community.

8:55 a.m. – Prayer and flag raising ceremony

Tues., Jan. 29: Celebrate the Nation (National Appreciation Day for Catholic Schools)

10:15 a.m. – Balloon Launch
11:00 a.m. – Day of Giving – 24-Hour Fundraising Competition between Shiner Catholic School vs. Sacred Heart School.

Wed., Jan. 30: Celebrate Faculty & Staff

Teacher Appreciation Luncheon

Thurs., Jan. 31: Celebrate Students & Families

8:10 am. – School Mass
4:00 – 7:00 p.m. – Chicken Noodle Soup Supper with trimmings, in cafeteria. Soup, chicken salad sandwiches and desserts – to-go or to eat there.
6:15 p.m. – Student Talent Show in gym
Fri., Feb. 1: School Holiday



Super Bowl Sunday Chicken BBQ

The Shiner K.C.'s are sponsoring a Super Bowl Sunday BBQ Chicken Dinner on **Sunday, February 3**. Menu includes one half BBQ chicken, giblet rice and beans. Price: \$10. Serving will be in drive-thru lines at the K.C. Hall. Advance tickets are available at local merchants. The K.C.'s are donating all the proceeds to Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church.

Fried Chicken Dinner

Shiner Catholic Daughters and **JCDA** are sponsoring a four-piece fried chicken dinner on **Sunday, February 17**. Price: \$10. Menu includes fried chicken, giblet rice and green beans. Serving will be in drive-thru lines at the K.C. Hall. Advance tickets available at local merchants and from JCDA Members.



Reporting Procedures for Suspected or Known Sexual Abuse of a Minor (person under 18 years of age) or Vulnerable Adult by a Member of Clergy:

Contact:

*The Texas Department of Family and Protective Services, within **48 hours**, at [1-800-252-5400](tel:1-800-252-5400) or www.txabusehotline.org or local police department. .If the person is in immediate danger, call 911 and contact Vicki L. Pyatt, LMSW, Coordinator of Pastoral Care and Outreach, Diocese of Victoria, [\(361\) 827-7186](tel:361-827-7186) or

email pastoralcare@victoriadiocese.org;

Or Bishop or Chancellor of the Diocese of Victoria at [\(361\) 573-0828](tel:361-573-0828) *Written Allegations should be sent to:* Office of the Bishop P. O. Box 4070 Victoria, Texas 77903. Mark as "Personal and Confidential".

We will also help you bring your concerns to church officials outside the diocese if the abuse occurred elsewhere and you now reside in the Diocese of Victoria. If you are unsure about bringing a complaint or would like further information, please contact [Vicki L. Pyatt \(361\) 827-7186](tel:361-827-7186) or email pastoralcare@victoriadiocese.org;