



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Donald Ruppert, Pastor

335-7551 – Rectory

**335-4071 – Cemetery & Religious
Education Offices**

JUNE 17, 2018 – ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Holy Cross Catholic Church, Holy Cross Faith Formation, and Holy Cross Cemetery.
Diocese of Victoria Web site: www.victoriadiocese.org

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: By Appointment

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday from 4:00 PM to 4:30 PM

ADORATION: From 7:30 AM Thursday continually until 7:00 PM Thursday

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: By Appointment After Pre-Baptismal Instructions

Rectory Office Hours: Monday through Friday – 8 AM to 12 Noon – 1 PM to 4 PM



Mass Schedule

Monday 18	6:30 PM	CDA Installation of Officers
Tuesday 19	7:00 AM	Parishioners
Wednesday 20	6:00 PM	+Leo Pribyl
Thursday 21	7:00 AM	+Joyce Dusek
Friday 22	7:00 AM	+James Mica
Saturday 23	5:00 PM	+Debbie Dusek
Sunday 24	8:00 AM	Leo & Doris Kolafa 60 th Wedding Anniversary
Sunday 24	10:00 AM	+Estelle Pfuhl
Sunday 24	11:30 AM	Janie Luna Family, Living & Deceased (Spanish Mass)

WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS CHURCH!

Happy Father's Day!

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Tuesday – 7:00 a.m. – Camden Fucik, Cole Janecek

Wednesday – 6:00 p.m. – Volunteers

Thursday – 7:00 a.m. – Cadence Hammock, Abby Hudgins

Friday – 7:00 a.m. – Keegan & London Cavness

Saturday, June 23 – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Servers: Cooper, Emma, Sam Potts

Lector: Monica Kubena

Ushers: Daniel & Dennis Viktorin

Eucharist: Host-Gerald Mica

Cup-Natalie Mica, Robert & Patricia Michulka, Jo Ann Preisler

Sunday, June 24 – 8:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Cody & Nathan Kramr, Eric Bradicich

Lector: Renee Hlavinka

Ushers: Patrick & Karen Kubena

Eucharist: Host-Todd Swoboda

Cup-Karen Moszkowicz, Helen Mica, Alphonse Smaistrila, 1 Vol.

Sunday, June 24 – 10:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Kyle, Hunter, Christopher Kopecky

Lector: Tammy Triplett

Ushers: Eric & Pam Youngblood

Eucharist: Host-Denise Tovar

Cup-Yvonne Naiser, Mary Ann Tichacek, Henriette Jalowy, 1 Vol.

Sunday, June 24 – 11:30 A.M. Spanish Mass

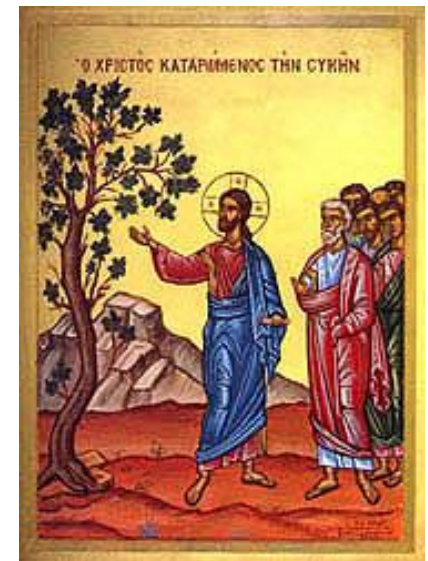
Assigned

Mass Attendance Last Weekend: 682

Your Gift to God Last Weekend: \$5,103.00

Parish Development: \$318.00

**Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:
Janie Luna in memory of Rufino Rivera, Sr.**





Sr. Carola, MDA, WDM, MJM, Virginia Acuna, Christian M. Adamek, Elmer Gene Adamek, Joseph Andrews, Imogene Beard, Frank & Gloria Buxkemper, Dorothy Carpenter, Jason K. Carson, Florence Chernohorsky, Bennie & Anna Chumchal, J.C. & DeAnne Cooper, D. Demny, Brenda Dillon, James Dusek, Syl Dusek, Anton Dybala, Emily, Betty F., Ervin Fishbeck, Jr., Adie Fojtik, Joey Graves, Boyce Gertson, Angelina Grigar, Hayden, Edward Halcom, Charlene Hennecke, Johnnie & Rita Janak, Jenny, X, Douglas Johse, Janie Joyner, Kaelei, Annie Kalinowski, Gene & Joan Karasek, Larry Karasek, Chris King, Bernice & David Kopecky, Sophie Korenek, Tommy Krenek, John Kubes, Braeden Landgrebe, Jeremy LeJeune, Tom Lester, Danilo Lopez, Jose L. Lopez, Vincente Lopez, Louise Mareke, Patrick Macha, Lillian Marek, Louise Marek, Bennie Matcek, Carolyn Matcheski, Lauren McPherson, Barbara Merta, Judith Michulka, Jerry Montalvo, Annette Novak, Isidra Olvera, Vincente Olvera, Vicente A. Olvera, Maria Guadalupe Orozco, Frankie Orsak, Cecilia A. Pelech, Linda Parish, Melanie Persyn, Delores Pietsch, Brenda Polansky, James Polansky, Bernice Pribyl, Julius Pyka, Jr., Larry Ross, Isiah Sandoval, Phyllis Sanchez, Jerry Sebesta, Jaxon Siegel, Georgie Sliva, Steve Soto, Donald Smaistrila, Louis & Judy Srubar, Beatrice Stelzel, Philip Stelzel, Tony, Dorothy Twardowski, Connie Urban, Dennis Viktorin, Baby Wyatt Ward, Daniel Wittig, Riley York, Johnnie Zak, Frank Zbranek
 Please send us a note or call us if you want to add someone.

We pray for the soul of Lillie Kolafa (mother of Joan Wetz) who passed away. Please keep her family in your prayers.

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins every Thursday after the 7:00 A.M. Mass and closes at 7:00 P.M.

Communion to the Homes:

June 17: Helen Mica, Donna Cavness

June 24: Tim & Lora Faltysek, Janice Polak

Please call Evelyn Kramr at 335-7324 if you need to receive home communion.

Altar Society: Patsy Krenek, Arnalynn Kellner, Susie Hillmann, Jeannie Kemp

Second Collection: Peter's Pence Collection (Collection for the Holy Father) July 01, 2018

Our CDA Officers Installation Mass & Appreciation Banquet will be held on Monday, June 18th with mass beginning at 6:30 pm and the banquet to follow. All member's meals will be paid for by the Court, however, if you would like to bring your husband or guest, their meals will be \$8 per person. The meal will be beef tips with rice, vegetable melody and cole slaw. Dessert will be provided by the hostesses for this month.

A Birthday Donation to Holy Cross Vocation Fund has been made by Ruth & Buck Boettcher in honor of John Kramr's 90th Birthday.

Pope Francis said:

"Never tire of encountering Jesus in prayer, in listening to the Word of God, and in receiving the Eucharist."

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle in a marriage, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope.

Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps a husband and a wife rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. **Retrouvaille** is a peer ministry made up of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. For more information about the Victoria August 3-5, 2018 Retrouvaille Weekend, contact John or Jennifer Vincent (361) 580-2770 or email: jbvjov@sbcglobal.net or visit the web site at HelpOurMarriage.org

Our Mother of Perpetual Help, June 27

Wednesday June 27 is the feast of Our Mother of Perpetual Help expressed in a popular icon of Mary and the Christ child. The 6 pm mass on that Wednesday will be a Marian mass. Since we will use the Mother of Perpetual Help icon you are strongly encouraged to meet in room 1 in the school of religion at 5:30 pm for a brief introduction to icons, how to read the icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help and how to engage the "prayer of gazing."

Adult Education Class in July

When we hear the word "church" many images come to mind: people at mass, bishops, altars and pews, statues of saints, the rosary, youth groups, religious education classes, people protesting abortion or nuclear weapons, missionaries in foreign lands, and so forth. Is there a priority among all the spiritual and social needs the Church addresses? How can we organize ourselves as Catholics and so live our faith while making the best use of our resources? If these, or similar questions, interest you, please plan to attend a one-evening Adult Education class on Monday, July 2 on "Models of the Church, Is There A Right One?"

Fr. Kessler will take the class through the models of the Church outlined by Rev. (later Cardinal) Avery Dulles, SJ in his book, *Models of the Church*. The class will begin at 6:30 pm and end at 8 pm. No need to call the rectory if you want to attend, just mark your calendar and show up on July 2.

KJT Society #40 Renovation Fund:

Johnnie & Martha Viktorin in memory of Joyce Dusek.

Edwin C. Marik in memory of Ray Pokorney.

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Cuando Jesús nos habla sobre semillas y plantas también nos habla del final, cuando menciona el momento de la cosecha. Y ¡ojo! nos habla de dos opciones: premio o castigo, según lo que hayamos hecho en esta vida.

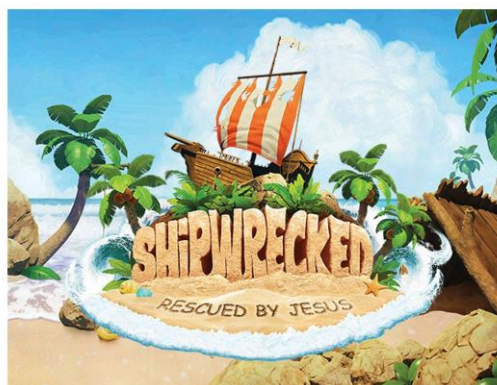
A muchos hoy les gusta pensar que al final sólo hay premio. Es que además “Dios es infinitamente Misericordioso”, se oye decir.

Y eso es cierto. Pero Dios no es infinitamente alcahueta, para permitir que nos portemos de manera contraria a lo que El desea de nosotros. Dios es Justo y es Misericordioso.

The Chairman and members of the Kolache Klobase Festival Committee would like to extend a special thanks and an expression of appreciation to those who donated financial support, retail items, gifts, pastries and services to this year’s festival. The Committee would also like to thank all the member workers and volunteer workers who donated their time and effort to the festival and to all those who contributed their time throughout the planning stages to help make the event a success. Everyone did an outstanding job and their hard work is appreciated.

Kolache Klobase Festival evaluation meeting: Tuesday, June 26 at 6:30 p.m. at Riverside Hall. See you there!

Holy Cross Vacation Bible School



June 25 - 28

Register NOW

**Registration Forms in
Church Foyer**



Wednesday
PreK-1st Grade: 4:15p to 5:15p
2nd -6th Grade: 5:30p to 6:30p
7th Grade-HS: 7:00p to 8:15p

Our Faith Formation Program is open to students 4 yrs. old to 12th grade. Registration forms were mailed. If you didn't receive yours please contact faith formation office. Additional copies are available on website (hcfaith.org), in church and faith formation office. Now is the time to turn in your registration forms....mail, collection basket, or drop off at office. Families new to our program need to call office: 979-335-4071.

VBS : 6th-12th grade if you would like to help with VBS, June 25-28th you must attend the meeting on June 20th at 10am, (if you have not attended the May meeting) it will be brief but it is mandatory. If you have questions please call Bonnie Kocurek 979-533-2205 or Jaclyn Boettcher 832-477-5519

Safe Environment Training: June 19, 10AM -NOON If you would like to help with the youth in anyway and have not taken the Safe Environment training it is a **must**. Please do your required online background check at the Diocese website.

<https://victoriadiocese.org/required-online-applicationbackground-check>
If you have any questions please call the office 979-335-4071

Parish Fund Donations:

Cemetery Fund: Fred & Shirley Macha in memory of Joyce Dusek.

Parish Development Fund:

Scholarship Fund: Cletus Elbert in memory of Joyce Dusek.

Jimmie & Georgie Losack in memory of Joyce Dusek & Edwin Janik.

Vocation Fund: Lonnie & Cynthia Beseda, Angeline Grigar, Joan Hutchison, Dorothy Wieghat, all in memory of Joyce Dusek.

**Annual 4th of July Picnic at St. John Parish – Wednesday, July 4th
7026 FM 957 – 6 miles SW of Schulenburg**