



# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

## NOVEMBER 5, 2017 – THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**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 6

No Service

Tuesday 7

**6:30 PM** KC/CDA Memorial Mass

Wednesday 8

**6:45 PM** All Souls

Thursday 9

**6:30 PM** KJT/KJZT Memorial Mass

Friday 10

**7:00 AM** All Souls

Saturday 11

**5:00 PM** Don & Gloria Demny  
55 Wedding Anniversary

Sunday 12

**8:00 AM** Parishioners

Sunday 12

**10:00 AM** +Francis "Jr." Vacek

## WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS CHURCH!

### LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Tuesday – Assigned

Wednesday – 6:45 p.m. – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

Thursday – Assigned

Friday – 7:00 a.m. - Volunteers

### Saturday, November 11 – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Servers: Cooper, Emma, Sam Potts

Lector: Susan Walters

Ushers: Larry & Joan Wetz

Eucharist: Host-Melinda Alvarado

Cup-Monica Kubena, Robert & Patricia Michulka, Mary Ann Morse

### Sunday, November 12 – 8:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Jacob & Luke Minks, Carson Kubicek

Lector: Henriette Jalowy

Ushers: Jimmie & Greg Losack

Eucharist: Host-Helen Mica

Cup-Daniel & Cindy Garza, Janie Mendez, Joey Pitman

### Sunday, November 12 – 10:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Jacob, Rachel, Ryan Kulcak

Lector: Tammy Triplett

Ushers: Jarrod & Ryan Cavness

Eucharist: Host-Marvin Adamek

Cup-Yvonne Naiser, Denise Tovar, Eric Youngblood, Donna Cavness

**Mass Attendance Last Weekend: 502**

**Your Gift to God Last Weekend: \$4,054.00**

**Parish Development: \$678.00**

**Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:**

**Larry & Veronica Pace in memory of Mary Magdalene Johec.**



MDA, Christian M. Adamek, Elmer Gene Adamek, Kameron Alonso, Joseph Andrews, Nonnie M. Arriola, Frances Arzu, John Balusek, David Bartosh, Marty Bezdek, Clifton Bram, Terry Brown, Frank & Gloria Buxkemper, Jason K. Carson, Sebastian Carrillo, Bennie & Anna Chumchal, Carla & Margaret, Hunter Clough, Sarrette Cooper, Michael Demny, Ashley Dusek, Helen Dusek, Joyce Dusek, James Dusek, Joseph Fishbeck, Margaret Flagg, Betty Franzetti, Bernice Futschik, Cheryl Garbs, Billy Gouldie, Edward Halcom, Nancy Hall, Kurt Hacker, Haley, Lou Ellen Hatchett, Charlene Hennecke, Penny Herrera, Scott Herrera, Jerry Horelica, Jr., Gloria Hudgins, Jo Ishee, Brandon Janak, Johnny & Rita Janik, Albina Jasek, Richard Johec, Douglas Johse, Marion Kalinowski, Gene & Joan Karasek, Bernice Kopecky, David Kopecky, Linda Kopecky, Ann Kramr, Jerry W. Kubena, John Kubes, Celestine Kucera, Braeden Landgrebe, Jeremy LeJeune, Agnes Litvik, Darlene Lockard, Vincente Lopez, MJM, SJM, WDM, Patrick Macha, Lillian Marek, Sandy McCarty, Lauren McPherson, Robert Sr. & Frances Montano, Paul Nawara, Annette Novak, Emiliano Olbera, Carol Oliver, Frankie Orsak, Melanie Persyn, Lisa Phillips, Willie & Hazel Prazak, Glen Pribyl, Jane Primrose, Julius Pyka, Jr., Gary Reese, Emiliano Rivera, Reba Rosipal, Phyllis Sanchez, Sandra Schmidt, Jerry Sebesta, Hannah Slaughter, Georgie Sliva, Susan Sliva, Mila Sosa, Donald Smaistrla, Margaret Smaistrla, Louis Srubar, Beatrice Stelzel, Philip Stelzel, Gary Sutton, Emma Svoboda, Ronnie Tate, Victor James Tichacek, Dorothy Twardowski, Katie Vacek, Sandy Vacek, Marco Valenzuela, Lillian Wilson, Louis Zbranek  
**Please call us if you want to add someone.**

**We pray for the soul of Alfred Janicek, Sr. (father of Cindy Pribyl) who passed away last week. Please keep his family in your prayers.**

**Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins every Thursday after the 7:00 AM Mass and closes at 7:00 PM**

**We welcome into our faith Angelo Constancio Gutierrez who was baptized last weekend.**

**Communion to the Homes:**

**November 5: Bill & Bernice Cavness, Dennis & Dianne Viktorin**

**November 12: Joey Pitman, Evelyn Kramr**

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

**Altar Society: Berna Pilcik, Sandy Logan, Suzanne Dujka, Carolyn Pilcik**

**Second Collections: Nov. 18-19 - Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)**

**Dec. 2-3 – Christmas Flower Offering      Dec. 9-10 - Retirement Fund for Religious**

**Junior Catholic Daughters** is a girls youth program for ages 6 through 18. JCDA helps girls to enrich their lives through service to others in their church, community, and world. Currently JCDA in our parish is in need of sponsors. Sponsors would be asked help lead a monthly meeting and service projects. For more information please contact Pam Youngblood [pam.youngblood@hotmail.com](mailto:pam.youngblood@hotmail.com) [979-533-3754](tel:979-533-3754)

*Pope Francis said:*

*“Dear Friends, the world needs saints and we are all called to holiness without exception.*

*Don't be afraid!”*



**No one on the list for this weekend.**

**Olive Wood Items from the Holy Land here today!**

**Keeping Kids Safe Annual Student Training:** All faith formation program students will participate in the annual Keeping Kids Safe training. As a part of this training, all children will be given additional information on how to protect themselves and become aware of their surroundings, on Wednesday, November 8, 2017 during class. Kdg. thru 5<sup>th</sup> grade will learn about safety in numbers. Grades 6 thru 12 will receive training in “Diocesan The Youth Code of Conduct”. Parents are invited to attend. Contact Faith Formation Office 979-335-4071 for additional details.



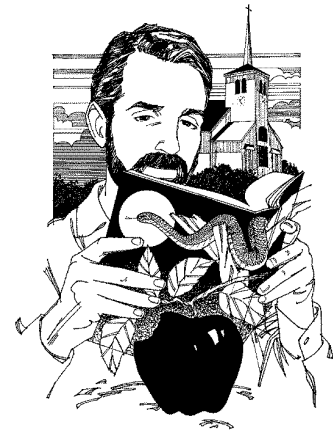
**Thank You**

**Tim & Phyllis Krenek of KRENEK SEED**

Holy Cross Parish received a generous gift of \$250 from the “Golden Giving Program” sponsored by Golden Genetics, Ltd. Golden Acres brand corn and sorghum seed is marketed and sold by Tim and Phyllis Krenek of Krenek Seed in Egypt, Texas, who made this contribution possible. We are grateful for their generosity and support.

**2018 Bazaar Worksheet Changes** – If anyone would like to request a change for their 2018 Bazaar work assignment, please email all requests to [holycross.pcl@hotmail.com](mailto:holycross.pcl@hotmail.com) or call Patsy at the Faith Formation office [979-335-4071](tel:979-335-4071).

**Saturday, November 11: 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Homemade Apple Strudel Sale**  
 Saints Cyril & Methodius Catholic Church, Shiner. Price: \$15 for an unbaked strudel, complete with baking instructions. **For orders and delivery location in East Bernard, call Reggie (361)293-6574. Place orders by Wednesday, November 8.**



## **R. C. I. A. Classes Begin Soon**

These classes are for all non-Catholics (or adults who were baptized Catholic but never received their First Holy Communion or were Confirmed) who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith. The classes prepare adults for Baptism or reception into full-communication with the Catholic Church.

If you are interested, please complete the form below and drop it in the offering basket or return it to the office so that sufficient

materials can be ordered.

### R. C. I. A. Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Area Bazaars:**

Sunday, November 12 – St. Joseph in Boling – Roast Beef Dinner

**Diocese of Victoria  
30th Annual Catholic Conference  
Saturday, January 27, 2018  
Holy Family Church, Wharton**

This year the conference will focus on the seven principles of Catholic Social Teaching, with 22 presenters offering 32 workshops.

More information can be found at [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org) or call anyone in the Catechetical Office at (361) 573-0828

#### **KJT Society #40 Memorial Scholarship Fund:**

In Memory of Syl Kramr – Mark & Susan Matussek, Isabel Robertson, Ray & Annette Novak, Leon & Gwen Staff, Dwayne & Melissa Janecek & Sons, C.J. & Delores Fucik, Lonnie & Cynthia Beseda, Joe & Mary Ann Morse, Victor & Mary Ann Tichacek, Alfred & Marilyn Chovanetz, KJT Society #40.

In Memory of Gene Marik – KJT Society #40.

In Memory of John P. Marek.

#### **KJT Society #40 Riverside Hall Renovation Memorial Fund:**

Raymond & Mary Hennecke in memory of Bennie Janik, Mollie Matula Wallace, Tyler Menard, David Stelzel, Joe L. Valigura, Syl Kramr.

John & Martha Viktorin in memory of Bennie Janik & Syl Kramr.

Edwin C. Marik in memory of Syl Kramr, Gene Marik, & John P. Marek.

#### **Parish Fund Donations:**

Building Fund: Bubba & Doris Brandes in memory of Syl Kramr.

Scholarship Fund: Mark & Rita Johec in memory of Alfred Janecek, Sr.

### **KJT & KJZT Memorial Service – Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Rosary at 6:00 p.m. – Mass at 6:30 p.m.**

**Candle will be lit for deceased members from the past 5 years.**

**If you would like to light a candle in memory of your loved one, KJZT, please call Gladys Dusek at 335-7908 to leave a message. No one will be called.**

**If you intend to attend meal bring a doorprize and pastry.**

**Knights of Columbus #2500 &  
Catholic Daughters of the Americas #1108  
Annual Memorial Mass - Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.  
Rosary at 6:00 p.m.**

**Deceased Members from the past 5 years will be remembered.**

**For more information, please call  
Jeff Popp (832)372-5197 or Berna Pilcik at (979)531-9028.**