LITURGIES THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14 — St. Cyril, Monk and St. Methodius, Bishop

No 6:30 am Mass this morning

12:05 pm Ernest & Ann Haskovec ++ and

Frances Kudrna +

6:30 pm Agnes & Jerry Chudej ++ and

Billy W. Story +

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6:30 am Willie, Mary and Billy Kriska +++

12:05 pm Charles J. Elleven Jr. + and

Cecelia Kucera +

6:30 pm Juana Palacios + WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16 6:30 am Donnie Slovak +

6:30 am Donnie Slovak + **12:05 p.m.** Joe J. Laza + and

Anton & Effie Jurica ++

Adoration after 12:05 pm Mass until 5:00 pm

6:30 pm Maria Perla Cruz +

THURS., FEB. 17—7 Founders of Order of Servites

No Masses today

(Fr. John's day off & Fr. Antonio on vacation)

12:05 pm & 6:30 pm Communion Services

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18
6:30 am Elnora Bowers +

12:05 pm Frank & Bessie Kubin & Family ++

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19

5:00 pm Don Krysinsky + and

John J. & Julia Krajca ++

7th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME, FEBRUARY 20

7:30 am Alphonse & Agnes Novosad ++ and

Louis J. Valek +

10:30 am Mil Dlabaj +

Irene & Joe J. Laza ++

1:00 pm Manuel Mata Perez + and

Jose & Enedina Victorino 24th Wedding Anniversary

And For Our Parish Community

5:00 pm Life Teen Mass

Roy Fira + and Debbie Castillo +

MASS INTENTIONS EPIPHANY MISSION, ITALY

Sun.,Feb.13,9:30 am For All the Sick in Epiphany Parish Sunday, February 20, 9:30 am Julia Guerrero +

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: De la COSTA SEAFOOD



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Celebration of Saints Cyril and Methodius + 2011

Dear St. John and Epiphany Parishioners,

Svatý Cyrila a Metoděje, oroduj za nás! Translated to English: Saints Cyril and Methodius, pray for us!!!

We began our Novena of Masses to Saints Cyril and Methodius last Saturday, February 5th at the 5:00pm Mass. We conclude our Novena this Sunday at the 10:30am Mass, followed by a Procession, with our new Sts. Cyril and Methodius Banner, to the KJT Hall for lunch, music and fun!

This occasion celebrates a number of important themes. First of all, we are thankful for all of our parishioners of Czech heritage that make up our parish! We thank Saint Cyril and his brother Saint Methodius for loving their Catholic Faith enough to take it to the Slavs. We also praise the Slavic people for being open to the working of the Holy Spirit and accepting the gift of Faith that the Lord offered them.

Over a thousand years passed by between the arrival of Saints Cyril and Methodius in the Slavic lands and the arrival of our Czech parishioners to Ennis, Texas. We know that the new immigrants to America relied heavily on the strength of their Catholic Faith to enable them to make the journey and forge their way in their new country. Unlike those who landed on the Eastern shores of America, those who came to Texas did not find many fellow Catholics. Therefore, it fell on them to build churches and schools in order to practice their Faith and pass it on to their children.

We ask Saints Cyril and Methodius to intercede to the Lord for us that we might have a Catholic Faith strong enough to enable us to continue and build on the Faith they brought to the Slavic peoples.

Uvidíme se v Kostele!

Láska a Modlitby,

Veledny Pan Jan

THAT MAN IS YOU! SPRING SEMESTER

The *That Man is You!* Spring Semester on Lent continues on Thursdays at 7:00 pm and Saturdays at 7:00 am. Sessions include a meal, short video presentation and small group discussions. For more info, call Michael Kudrna, 469-245-8678, or Paul Robie, 469-658-9120 Email them at: stjtmiy@gmail.com or check out link on stjohncc.net for thatmanisyou.org

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sunday, February 13—Sts. Cyril & Methodius Celebration

8:45 am RCIA Session

9:00-10:15 amReligious Education Classes and EDGE9:00-12:00St. John Library Open/Rm 106 Compound10:30 amPolka Mass for Sts. Cyril & Methodius
followed by procession to and lunch at KJT

No Life Teen Mass or Life Night today

Monday, February 14

7:10 pm Bible Study on the *Exodus*/Cafeteria

Tuesday, February 15

6:00-8:00 pm Winter Walkers in SJ Gym (see notice) **7:00 pm** Women of Grace Study/Cafeteria

7:00 pm Pastoral Advisory Council/Conference Room 7:15 pm Home Bible Study Course Meeting in Church

Wednesday, February 16

6:30 am Mass- Teens "Food for the Soul" —free Breakfast

10:00 am Little Saints Playgroup/Gym No Claystone Nursing Home Mass today

6:00-8:00 pm Winter Walkers in SJ Gym (see notice) **7:00 pm** Religious Education Classes & Life Teen D-Nite **7-8:15 pm** Parenting Skills Class/Rm 301 High School

Thursday, February 17

7:00 pm That Man Is You Session/Cafeteria

Saturday, February 19

7:00 am That Man Is You Session/Cafeteria

7:00 am Women of Grace Study/Room 103 Compound 7pm-12:00 am Festival Dance @ Corpus Christi, Ferris, TX

Sunday, February 20

8:45 am RCIA Session

9:00 amReligious Education Classes and EDGE9-12 noonSt. John Library Open/Room 106 Compound1:30 pmKJZT Adult and Junior Meetings/KJT Dining Rm

ALTAR SERVERS FOR LITURGIES

February 19, Saturday

5:00 pm Josh Zapletal/Joseph Baird

February 20, Sunday

7:30 am Matthew Matous/Zachary Matous/Nate Allen
10:30am Cooper Gillespie/David Janousek/Kenny Janousek

5:00 pm Life Teen Mass

Hardy Walker/Alex Fry/Dylan Fisher

COLLECTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 5 & 6

St. John Church Support Collection	\$ 25,247.37
St. John Capital Improvements Collection	2,380.42
Epiphany Church Support Collection	840.25
Epiphany Building Fund	535.51

WOMEN OF GRACE STUDY GROUP

Women of Grace Study group meets Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30pm in the Cafeteria New Group now on Saturdays, 7am, Room 103

FESTIVAL DANCE IN FERRIS

Corpus Christi Church in Ferris will celebrate a Festival Dance on Saturday, February 19, 7pm—12 midnight. Cover charge \$5.00 (children under 12 free). Delicious food and music by Tierra Musical. Our parish is cordially invited to their fundraiser.

STS. CYRIL & METHODIUS NOVENA & CELEBRATION

Today, February 13, the 10:30 am Mass will be a **Polka Mass** followed by a procession to the KJT Hall for a potluck luncheon and music celebration. See the insert!

PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES

Pastoral Advisory Council members will be on hand today at the celebration at the KJT hall to give away Pictorial Directories that have not been claimed and picked up. Additional copies of the directories will be available for sale for \$10.00. Please check with them to claim your copy

ALTAR CARE FOR FEBRUARY 19 & 26

Sharon Kudrna Ann Gibson

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS IN SANCTUARY

The two lovely flower arrangements gracing our Tabernacle in the sanctuary this weekend (Feb. 12/13) are in memory of Elizabeth Schlebach, and donated by Joe & Carolyn Schlebach.

KJZT JUNIORS NEWS

If you want to become a new member of the KJZT Juniors, there will be a meeting on Sunday, Feb. 20, at 1:30 pm at the KJT dining room. Their new officers will be installed.

They need new ideas to help make it a fun year! Please join them and make new friends. For information, call Melissa at 972-938-8993.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

The annual Catholic Daughters Chocolate Sunday Bake Sale will be next weekend, Saturday & Sunday, February 19 & 20. Members are asked to bring a chocolate dessert to sale. Mark your calendars and plan to purchase CDA delicious chocolate desserts.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS THIS WEEK

Sanctuary light on the south side of sanctuary is in memory of Stanley & Cecilie Liska and Edward Slovacek donated by Anton F. & Jeanette Liska for the week of February 12-18. The sanctuary light, north side, is in memory of Frank & Mary T. Dick.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

These people need our prayers: Carl Pelzel, Tammy Cardinal, Deborah Kelly, Gloria Garcia, Lisa Marklund, Helen Zmolek, David Perdue, Mark Trojacek, Tommy Rickman, Al Sanchez, Mary Pat Clements, Beatrice Dlabaj, Tammy LaScala Koch, Patrick Skinner, Joy Dlabaj, Rose Trojacek, Victor Trojacek, Kenneth Vavra, Bessie E. Laznovsky, Deeann Bolin, Fred Hover, Billy Coplen, Paulita E. Alvarez, Kathy Toth, Lucy Mikula, Nolen Dockery, Earlene Slovak, Ella Patak, Deanna Richardson, Wanda Slovak, Bernard Betik, Leslie & Millie Trojacek, Johnny Mensik, Lillian Slovak, Ysidro, Josie, Elva, Henry and Ray Castillo, James Pustejovsky, Gary Kidder, Frankie Joe Patak, Sr. Edna Gonzalez, Raul Partida, Steve Betik, Betty Rogala, Tony Alvarez, Evelyn Dlabaj, Joe & Mary Patak, Ruphine Patak, Jerry Dolezal.

Saint Cyril and Saint Methodius

Celebration

Novena: Ends today, Sunday, Feb. 13, 10:30 am Mass

Mass (with traditional Czech costume and music)

Procession: Following Mass to the KJT Hall

Luncheon: At KJT Hall, Following Procession

A-M—desserts N-Z—\$5 per family

The rest of the dinner will be provided.

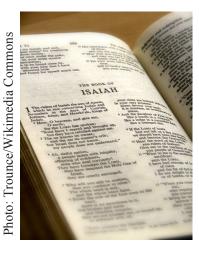


Sv. Cyril & Metoděj, modlete se za nás.

A Spirit-Filled Journey Home Study Prize Challenge

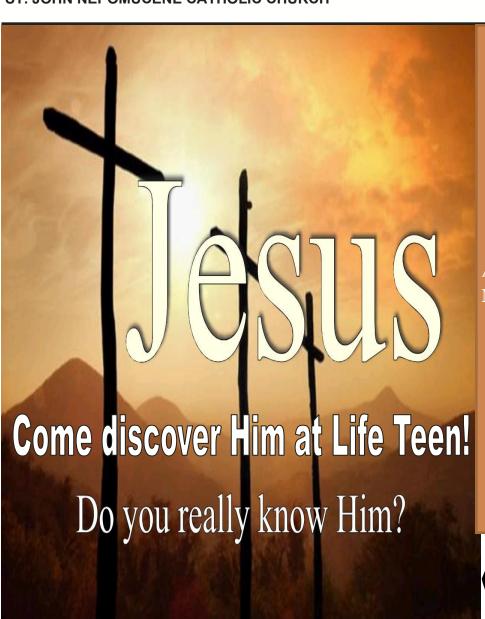
Spaces still available!

Come by the Parish
Business Office to pick up
your study guide! (\$10)



- Learn your Faith better.
- Know more about God and His saving power.
- Understand what is going on in the Bible.
- Maybe win some money.





ENNIS, TEXAS

Feb. 13—no Life Teen
Mass or Life Night

Feb. 20—Mass & Life Night

Food for the Soul-Feb. 16
All teens welcome! 6:30 am
Mass Wed. & free breakfast!

<u>D-Nite– Feb. 16</u> Wednesday nights 7pm-8:15pm in the Cafeteria

Questions? Contact Joey at 972-878-8336 or joeys@stjohncc.net





LEANT SOCIETY #16 MEETING

K.J.Z.T. <u>adult and junior</u> groups will hold their meetings next Sunday, February 20, at 1:30 pm in the KJT dining room. They will plan their parish and community projects and their annual Mass and Celebration in August.

Refreshments and a social will follow the meeting. All members are invited and encouraged to attend.

In the event of inclement weather, the meetings will be postponed.

COLLECTION FOR CHURCH IN EASTERN EUROPE

Next weekend we will have the collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Great needs remain. For example, one convent of Poor Clares, an order of contemplative (prayer) nuns, received a heating system through Collection funds. Without heat the sisters were suffering many illnesses due to extreme winters in Eastern Europe. Collection funds also support a number of scholarships for students who will go on to serve their local churches as lay leaders and catechists. The collection provides support for basic pastoral programs for much needed assistance in needy areas. Help spread our Catholic faith. Please give generously next weekend for this collection.

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HOME BIBLE STUDY CHALLENGE MEETING ON TUESDAY

The Home Bible Study Challenge is now in progress!

We still have several study material packets for adults and teenagers at the parish business office. The cost is \$10 for a chance to win from \$200 to \$1,500. Limit of 30 adults and 30 teens for this course.

Deacon Don Griffith will meet with all the people who have signed up for the course on **Tuesday**, **February 15**, **at 7:15 pm in the church**. Participants are asked to attend with any questions or concerns they have regarding the Bible Study. To take notes, please bring paper and a pen or pencil to the meeting on Tuesday. There will be a sign-in sheet requesting your email address if you have one, and/or a daytime phone number.

PRAY FOR PEACE!

DRESS DOLLS FOR 2011 BAZAAR

If you like to sew and would like to volunteer to dress dolls for the Doll Booth at the Bazaar, we need your help! It's a great "cold weather" project and will benefit your parish. Dolls and patterns are provided. This is a fun project that lets you be as creative as you like. Call the business office, 972-878-2834, for contact information.

K.J.T. SCHOLARSHIP

Graduating seniors who have been a member of the KJT for at least one year may be eligible for a KJT Scholarship. Call 1-800-245-8182 for application, which will be mailed to you and must be returned to the home office by March 1, 2011.

WINTER WALKERS

Come to the St. John gym each Tuesday and Wednesday night from 6-8 pm to walk. Stay healthy, keep warm. Any children **must** be accompanied by a parent and supervised. Call Joan Johnson, 214-728-6160.

TAX STATEMENT LETTERS

We are not mailing out letters this year to show donations for 2010. If you require a statement of church donations for 2010, please call the office to request it, 972-878-2834, or 972-875-2834.

FLOWER MEMORIALS FOR WEEKENDS

Sanctuary flower arrangements for weekends with no weddings are being taken in honor or memory of someone. Call Evelyn Zmolik,972-875-2791.

LITTLE SAINTS PLAYGROUP

Parents: bring your young children to play in the gym from 10-12 on Wednesday mornings. Parents will stay with their children; this is not a drop-off service. Stephanie Holland, 214-229-8293.