THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CYCLONE—MARAK

St. Joseph, Cyclone & Sts. Cyril & Methodius, Marak

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Masses: Cyclone: Sat. 5:30PM & Sun. 8:15AM; Weekdays: Tue, Thurs & Friday: 7AM

Marak: Sundays: 10:15AM and Wednesday 5:30PM(unless otherwise stated)

The Sacraments:

Baptism: On Sundays after Mass. Please contact the pastor for scheduling a meeting with him; a preparation program may be needed. Parents must be registered parishioners of St. Joseph, Cyclone or Sts. Cyril & Methodius, Marak.

Confessions: Before Mass on the weekend and anytime by appointment.

<u>Marriage:</u> Couples planning to be married should contact the pastor at least six months in advance before you set the date of the wedding. Completion of required paperwork and a preparation program needed.

JUNE 7, 2020—HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

We often begin Mass with the prayer from today's Epistle: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you." We praise the God who has revealed Himself as a Trinity, a communion of persons. Communion with the Trinity is the goal of our worship—and the purpose of the salvation history that begins in the Bible and continues in the Eucharist and sacraments of the Church.

We see the beginnings of God's self-revelation in today's First Reading, as He passes before Moses and cries out His holy name. Israel had sinned in worshipping the golden calf (see Exodus 32). But God does not condemn them to perish. Instead, He proclaims His mercy and faithfulness to His covenant.

God loved Israel as His firstborn son among the nations (see <u>Exodus 4:22</u>). Through Israel—heirs of His covenant with Abraham—God planned to reveal Himself as the Father of all nations (see <u>Genesis 22:18</u>).

The memory of God's covenant testing of Abraham—and Abraham's faithful obedience—lies behind today's Gospel. In commanding Abraham to offer his only beloved son (see <u>Genesis 22:2</u>, <u>12</u>, <u>16</u>), God was preparing us for the fullest possible revelation of His love for the world. As Abraham was willing to offer Isaac, God did not spare His own Son but handed Him over for us all (see <u>Romans 8:32</u>).

In this, He revealed what was only disclosed partially to Moses—that His kindness continues for a thousand generations, that He forgives our sin, and that He takes us back as His very own people (see <u>Deuteronomy 4:20; 9:29</u>).



<u>5/31: Stewardship: Regular Offering</u>: \$2,645.00 <u>5/31: Building Fund</u>:\$30.00 5/31: Ascension of the Lord: \$5.00 5/31: Seminarians & Priests: \$5.00

5/31: Children's Offering: \$1.00 Thank you for Your Generosity!

Bulletin Information: MARAK: Patsy Gaines (254-482-0570) - Email—pagaines2002@yahoo.com

CYCLONE: Nancy Posvar (254-913-2696)

Bulletin deadline: Please call or e-mail info for the bulletin by Wednesday before the weekend!

Ministries for June 14

Rosary: Raymond Tomek <u>Eucharistic Minister</u>: Debbie Vansa

Offertory: Shawn Higgins Family Lector: Misty Green

Ushers: Andy Littlejohn and Shawn Higgins

Altar Servers: Camryn Green, Colby Green, Garrison Prcin
Sanctuary Light: June 8th-14th: Martha Hertenberger by Pat Thompson

<u>Prayer Chain</u>...Please remember in your daily prayers the faithfully departed, those souls in purgatory, those of our community that are in special need of prayer, those who are homebound or in nursing homes, all those in the military and the following: JoLeen Cayhill. Prayers are powerful! To be added to the prayer chain, please contact:

Contact Merlene Slavik—254-697-1247 or email—Slavik@farm-market.net

MARAK MASSES—June 7-14, 2020			
Date	Time	Intentions	
Today- 6/7	10:15am	+ Julie Motyka Padgett by Tom & Julie Motyka + Albert Michalka by Michael & Tonia Fulton	
6/10 —Wednesday	5:30pm	+ John David Thompson by Leroy & Kathy Vansa	
6/14—Sunday	10:15am	+ Daniel Hromcik by Anna & Kevin Givens + Joe Vansa by Gladys Lee	

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Today – 6/7	8:15am	+ William Schneider by David & Janet Kasner	
6/9—Tuesday	7:00am	+ Beatrice Arnold by Charlie & Jackie Green	
6/11—Thursday	7:00am	+ Lucille Bruggman by Harold & Jane Kosel	
6/12—Friday	7:00am	In Honor of Mr/Mrs. G.L. Ranly wedding Ann. By Ranley Family	
6/13—Saturday Vigil	5:30pm	+ Royella Roessler by Shauna & Sean Skaggs	
6/14—Sunday	8:15am	+ Walter & Lucille Greener by Monica Mikeska	

UPCOMING EVENTS AND INFORMATION

- <u>CONGRATULATIONS</u>: Confirmation Candidates were confirmed on June 6th at Marak. Special congratulations to: Camryn Green, Brady Havens, Sam Richter and Macie Vaculin. Please keep the candidates in your prayers. Special thanks to Misty Green for her hard work and dedication for teaching and leading the confirmation candidates. May God bless you!
- <u>TODAY:</u> Annual June Fundraiser—Holy Trinity Church—Corn Hill—Fried Chicken, sausage, dressing, noodles and green beans. Served 11am—1pm at the PAC—\$10/plate—DRIVE-THRU ONLY!
- **TODAY:** Second Collection for Building and Maintenance Fund.
- <u>TODAY:</u> Picnic meeting after Mass.
- 2020 MARAK HOMECOMING PICNIC: If you can donate a prize, please contact: Julie or Tom Motyka 254-722-0394. We would like to get tickets printed by July 19th and distributed by August 9th. THANK YOU for all that you do to make our picnic a success!
- JUNE 16: KC meeting at St. Joseph's Parish Hall—7:30pm
- CONGRATULATIONS: Happy 65th Anniversary to Clem and Martha Tomek and Happy 55th Anniversary to Ed and Kay Moraw. May God Bless all of you!

