

*St. Joseph Parish*  
*Welcomes Bishop-Elect*  
*Msgr. Edward J. Weisenburger*



*as the 11th bishop of the Salina Diocese*



# St. Joseph Catholic Church

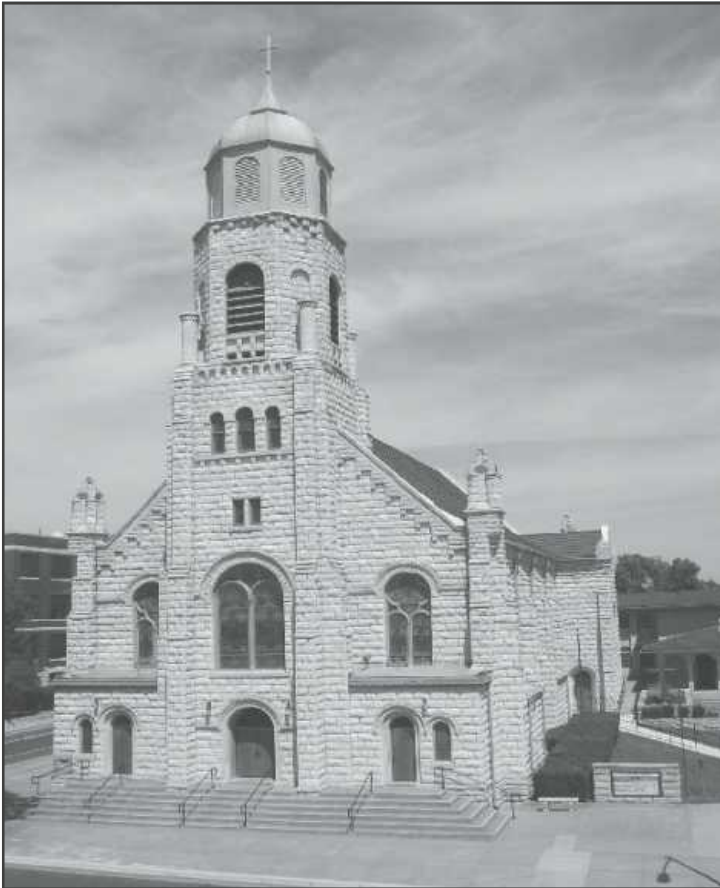
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## Parish Mission Statement

"Under the protection of St. Joseph, we strive to foster a deeper appreciation of our Catholic faith heritage through prayer, worship and the celebration of the Sacraments. We are dedicated to love and care for all God's people in their physical, educational and spiritual needs through the stewardship of time, talent, and treasure."

## Masses

- Saturday:** 6:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass)  
LifeTeen Mass - 1st & 3rd Saturday
- Sunday:** 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. (Choir Mass - except summer)
- Weekdays:** 6:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
- Holy Days:** 5:30 p.m.(Vigil), 6:30 a.m., 12:05 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

## Sacraments

- Reconciliation:** Saturdays at 3:45 - 4:30 p.m.  
Thursday before First Friday at 4:00 p.m.
- Marriage:** The first appointment must be made six (6) months before the proposed date of marriage. Non-parishioners will not be able to reserve the church more than six (6) months before the wedding date to allow St. Joseph parishioners first choice.
- Baptism:** First-time or inactive parents are required to take the baptism class which is held the first Monday evening of the month at 7 p.m. in the Parish Service Center. Call 625-7356 for scheduling.
- Anointing:** Please call the Parish Office to make an appointment to be anointed before you enter the hospital.

**Bulletin Information:** Deadline is Monday by 5:00 p.m., submitted in writing to the Parish Office.

## St. Joseph Catholic Church is a Stewardship Parish

"The promotion of the practice of stewardship is important for the mission of the Church and the spiritual well-being of each individual Christian. Everyone benefits from the sacrificial gift one makes of his time, talent, and treasure."  
~Pope Benedict XVI

## St. Joseph Parish Service Center

210 West 13th Street  
Hays, Ks. 67601



Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Friday 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon  
Closed Saturday, Sunday & Holy Days /Holidays  
Phone: 785-625-7356  
Fax: 785-625-7394  
E-mail: [stjoseph@ruraltel.net](mailto:stjoseph@ruraltel.net)

**St. Joseph Food Pantry**  
is open the 1st & 3rd Saturdays  
of the month, 9-noon.

**Cup a Joe**  
Coffee House  
Mon.-Wed. 7-9a.m.  
Use East Inside Stairs

**FEBRUARY 12, 2012 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## St. Joseph Parish Staff

### Administrator

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## From the Friar's Mind

Fr. Mike Scully, O.F.M.Cap.

### THE MOVIE "COURAGEOUS"

The movie "Courageous" is a movie that is openly religious. It was produced by a religious organization and is full of religious agenda. Perhaps for that reason alone, some may avoid it. For the believer in God, however, it is a tremendous statement about the presence of God in our lives, no matter what the circumstances.

Part of the movie is a presentation by some fathers of families called "Resolution." I thought I would give it to you as a good spiritual meditation. My comment on my website [www.frmikescully.com](http://www.frmikescully.com) is this: "The speech and the movie show that if more fathers would understand their unique role in the family and community, our lives would be infinitely better than they are right now."

### RESOLUTION

I do solemnly resolve before God to take full responsibility for myself, my wife, and my children.

I WILL love them, protect them, serve them, and teach them the Word of God as the spiritual leader of my home.

I WILL be faithful to my wife, to love and honor her, and be willing to lay down my life for her as Jesus Christ did for me.

I WILL bless my children and teach them to love God with all of their hearts, all of their minds, and all of their strength.

I WILL train them to honor authority and live responsibly.

I WILL confront evil, pursue justice, and love mercy.

I WILL pray for others and treat them with kindness, respect, and compassion.

I WILL work diligently to provide for the needs of my family.

I WILL forgive those who have wronged me and reconcile with those I have wronged.

I WILL learn from my mistakes, repent of my sins, and walk with integrity as a man answerable to God.

I WILL seek to honor God, be faithful to His church, obey His Word, and do His will.

I WILL courageously work with the strength God provides to fulfill this resolution for the rest of my life and for His glory.

As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord. – Joshua 24:15.

## LITURGICAL INFORMATION



### Sunday, February 12 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. L/D Mem Frank & Gloria Desch Family  
L/D Mem Linda Schoendaller Family  
10:00 a.m. For the Parish  
*Liturgy for Little Ones*

### Monday, February 13

6:30 a.m. L/D Mem Gus & Sally Stadelman Family  
L/D Mem Linda Schoendaller  
5:30 p.m. +Gary W. Erickson

### Tuesday, February 14 - St. Cyril, Monk, & Methodius

6:30 a.m. L/D Mem Wilfred & Eileen Leiker  
L/D Mem Lawrence & Martina Arnhold Family  
5:30 p.m. +Ida Brungardt  
L/D Mem Robert F. Frank Family  
L/D Mem Arlan F. Koerner Family

### Wednesday, February 15

6:30 a.m. Vernon & Vera Befort  
5:30 p.m. +Nick Klaus, Jr. & Virgil Klaus

### Thursday, February 16

6:30 a.m. Flo Beilman  
5:30 p.m. L/D Mem Brenda Lager Family

### Friday, February 17 - Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

6:30 a.m. +Adolph Glassman  
5:30 p.m. L/D Mem Bill & Mildred Dreiling  
L/D Mem Gib Schuvie Family

### Saturday, February 18

6:30 a.m. Treva Benoit Family  
3:45 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation  
5:00 p.m. Joseph Michael Borra  
+Frances Schmeidler  
+Harlan Murphy  
*Liturgy for Little Ones*  
*LifeTeen Mass*

### Sunday, February 19 - 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. L/D Mem Allen Dinkel Family  
+Sally Schmidt  
10:00 a.m. For the Parish  
Gene & Lillian Jacobs 60th Wed. Ann.  
*Liturgy for Little Ones*

### Rosary Rotation for Weekend Masses

Weekend	5:00 Mass	7:30 Mass	10:00 Mass - Feb.
1st	Joyce Dinges	K of C	Laura Sadeghi
2nd	Tom Bohm	Lucille Rupp	Marion Bollig
3rd	Debbie Bohm	Gerald Kaiser	Adrienne Cargile
4th	John Haas	Jean Ross	Florence Kuhn
5th	John Haas	Lucille Rupp	

### MINISTRY SCHEDULES FOR THE WEEK

**Liturgical Ministers** - Schedules were emailed out this past week. If you do not have e-mail, stop by the parish office and pick up a copy of the Spring schedule. Copies may also be found on our parish website, [www.stj-church.com](http://www.stj-church.com).

### WEEKDAY ALTAR SERVERS

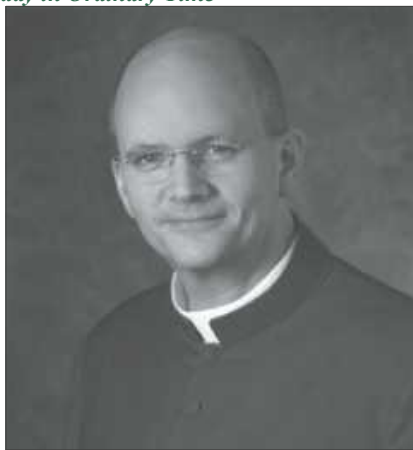
5:30 p.m. Mass  
Monday, February 13 - Friday, February 17  
Servers: Alexis & Allison Campbell

	Saturday, Feb 18, 5:00 PM Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday, Feb 19, 7:30 AM Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday, Feb 19, 10:00 AM Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Altar Servers	Michael Lager Haleigh Spray John P. Wasinger	Nate Walters Joey Walters Anthony Walters	Alexis Campbell Allison Campbell Sami Whitmer
Reader 1	Brenda Lager	Chuck Ross	Barbara Jean Ottley
Reader 2	John Haas	Barney Boos	Ken Beran
EM	Tim Flax Michelle Flax Sub Needed Jorge Vazquez Jim Werth Susan Werth	Lucy Baier Paul Baier Sheila Boos Ken Braun Terry Leiker Judy Schuler	Treva Benoit Barbara Beran Bill DeWitt Jill Mall Tucker Mall Nathan Staab Dorothy Stieben Mike or Chris Weber
HB EM		Lucy Baier Irvin Leiker	Treva Benoit Lila Staab
Cantor	Life Teen Band	Monica Ptacek	Hannah Dreiling
Greeter	John Garcia Tara Garcia Tate Garcia Hannah Garcia	Joey Desch Gloria Desch	Ann Weber Jerry Weber Joanne Yost Richard Yost
Usher	Jim Fieler Justin Haas John Knoll Lester Witthuhn	Vern Gross Jeff Sack W. Schoendaller Anselm Simoneau	Jim Dinkel Sub Needed Willy Pfeifer Leon Wolf
Gift Bearer	Usher Choice	James & Tina Heier	Usher Choice

### Readings for the Week of February 12, 2012

Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1 Cor 10:31--11:1/Mk 1:40-45  
Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Mk 8:11-13  
Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Mk 8:14-21  
Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27/Mk 8:22-26  
Thursday: Jas 2:1-9/Mk 8:27-33  
Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26/Mk 8:34--9:1  
Saturday: Jas 3:1-10 /Mk 9:2-13  
Next Sunday: Is 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25/2 Cor 1:18-22/Mk 2:1-12

**Bishop-elect** Weisenburger, 51, presently is the vicar general of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City and the rector of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cathedral in Oklahoma City. He succeeds Bishop Paul S. Coakley, who was named archbishop of Oklahoma City on Dec. 16, 2010.



Bishop-elect Weisenburger was ordained to the priesthood on Dec. 19, 1987, at the cathedral in Oklahoma City by Archbishop Charles A. Salatka. He was parochial vicar of St. Mary Church in Ponca City, Okla., from 1987 to 1990. He then began canon law studies at the University of St. Paul in Ottawa, Canada, where he earned the pontifical J.C.L. degree.

Upon his return to the archdiocese in 1992, he was appointed vice chancellor and adjutant judicial vicar. In addition to Chancery duties he also provided weekend parish and prison ministries from 1992 to 1995 and served as an on-site chaplain for rescue workers in the weeks following the April 19, 1995, bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City.

In the fall of 1995, Bishop-elect Weisenburger was elected to the Council of Priests and appointed to the Archdiocesan College of Consulters. He has served as a member of the Seminar Board for 15 years. In June of 1996, he was appointed vicar general of the Oklahoma City Archdiocese. He has been an officer with the Archdiocesan Tribunal for almost 20 years and has served in various capacities, including promoter of justice for the cause of canonization of Father Stanley Francis Rother, Servant of God. On Oct. 2, 2009, he was appointed a prelate of honor to His Holiness, Pope Benedict XVI, with the title reverend monsignor.

Bishop-elect Weisenburger has served as pastor of two parishes, from 1995 to 2002 at Holy Trinity Parish in Okarche, Okla., and from 2002 until now as rector of the cathedral in Oklahoma City.

Bishop-elect Weisenburger was born on Dec. 23, 1960, in Alton, Ill., to Edward John and Asella (Walters) Weisenburger, the third of their four surviving children. His father, now retired, was a military officer and his mother, who was born and raised in Ellis

County, Kan., was a homemaker. He spent two years of his childhood in Hays, Kan., but grew up primarily in Lawton, Okla., where he graduated from high school in 1979. He attended Conception Seminary College in Conception, Mo., graduating with honors in 1983. He then attended the American College Seminary at the Catholic University of Louvain in Leuven, Belgium. He graduated with honors, earning the pontifical S.T.B. in theology along with an M.A. in religious studies in 1986 and a master's in moral and religious sciences in 1987.

Bishop-elect Weisenburger is a member of the Canon Law Society of America, is a Fourth Degree Knight of Columbus and a Knight Commander in the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulcher of Jerusalem. When time permits, he enjoys reading and occasional travel.

His mother died on March 22, 1998. His father resides in Oklahoma City. His family includes two sisters, Mrs. Mary Jung of Yukon, Okla., her husband, Don Jung, and their children Adam, Ashley and Kaitlin, and Mrs. Adina Heller of Corinth, Texas, her husband, Karl Heller, and their children David and Jillian, and a brother, Mr. Timothy J. Weisenburger of Pittsburgh, Pa., his former wife, Mary Weisenburger of Houston and their son Stephen.

The date for the ordination and installation of Bishop-elect Weisenburger as bishop of Salina will be announced in the near future.

presented by

Fr. Jeff Ernst, O.F.M.Cap.  
Fr. Mike Scully, O.F.M.Cap.

Adult Faith Education

St. Francis of Assisi  
and His Times

7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

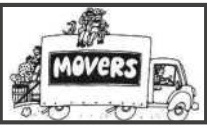
Sunday, January 8, 2012 - Victoria  
Sunday, January 15, 2012 - Hays  
Sunday, February 12, 2012 - Victoria  
Sunday, February 19, 2012 - Hays

A black and white portrait of St. Francis of Assisi, showing him from the chest up, wearing a simple robe and holding a small bird in his hands. He has a halo around his head.

# PARISH NEWS

St. Joseph Parishioners are reminded to place their Stewardship Renewal Form in the "Ark", which is located on the shrine of St. Joseph, by March 1. If you lost your Stewardship Renewal Form that was mailed to you, please stop by the parish office to pick up a new copy.

The Catholic Community Annual Appeal supports the many ministries of the Diocese including Youth and Adult Formation, Catholic Schools, Seminary Education, and Family Life. If you have not yet made a gift to the Appeal, please take some time this week to consider doing so. *Please send your contributions directly to the Diocese as indicated in the packet.*



If you have moved, or planning on moving please notify the parish office on your address change.

Collections for The Institute of the Incarnate Word (IVE Vocations) are being taken again. Small Catholic items are requested (rosaries, bibles, medals, booklets, books, small statues, small pictures, etc.). These items will be mailed and later distributed during their missionary work in the U.S. and other countries. You can leave the items in the box inside the Parish Service Center doors. For more information on IVE Vocations, go to [www.ivevocations.org](http://www.ivevocations.org). If you have any questions, call Ginny Hornick at 785-301-2250. Thank you!



**A GREAT GIFT FOR THE HISTORY BUFF!**

"Celebrating 125 Years 1887-2012: A History of the Diocese of Salina" ...is available at the Parish Service Center for \$35.00.



**Attention Eucharistic Ministers!**

More Eucharistic Ministers to the homebound are needed on Sundays following the 7:30 & 10:00 am Masses, approximately once every 4-6 weeks. Consider this valuable ministry that reaches out to our confined parishioners. Contact Sr. Janet at 785-625-7356 or at [stjcare@ruraltel.net](mailto:stjcare@ruraltel.net)

**Stations of the Cross for Older Adults:** Join us the Wednesdays during lent starting Wednesday, February 29 from 3:00 - 3:30pm in church. Booklets will be provided.

**Samaritan House** in Denver has a need for pre-paid phone cards. You can send them to:

Fr. Michael Suchnicki, OFM Cap.  
Samaritan House  
2301 Lawrence St  
Denver CO 80205

**Did you know St. Joseph Parish has a FACEBOOK page?** Just go to our website, [www.stj-church.com](http://www.stj-church.com) and click on the link that says **FACEBOOK** and receive all the latest news and events as it happens in our parish. "Join Us"!



**Parish Directories Have Arrived:** If you had your photo taken, please stop by the Parish Service Center and pick up your FREE copy of the Directory. If you submitted your own photo or did not have a photo taken, you can still purchase a Directory for \$5.00.

**VOCATION PRAYER**

Heavenly Father, bless our diocese with the grace of many vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Through the intercession of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, grant to those You have called the willingness and generosity of spirit to give themselves in devoting their lives and their talents to the service of Our Lord and to His Church. Increase the faith of all within our diocese, and particularly the faith of those You have called and will continue to call to serve Your people. Help each of us be good stewards of the gift of our vocation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

*A reminder to participants of "Awakening Faith" - an adult education opportunity offered by St. Joseph Church to deepen your life through St. Matthew's gospel, continues from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the Parish Service Center conference room on: Thursday, February 23, 2012*

**ST. JOSEPH'S WEEK IN A GLANCE: February 12 - February 18**

SUN	12	MON	13	TUES	14	WED	15	THURS	16	FRI	17	SAT	18
7:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30 am Mass	6:30 am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass	6:30am Mass
10:00am Mass Liturgy for Little Ones	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	7:00am Finance Council	7:00am Finance Council	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	3:45pm - 4:30pm Confessions	3:45pm - 4:30pm Confessions
	7:00pm Pastoral Council				5:30pm Mass	5:30pm Mass	7:30pm Choir Practice	7:00 pm Awakening Faith				5:00pm Mass Liturgy for Little Ones	5:00pm Mass Liturgy for Little Ones

## PARISH NEWS

**St. Joseph's Prayer Chain**, E-mail your prayer petitions to: [stjprayerchain@ruraltel.net](mailto:stjprayerchain@ruraltel.net), or call us at: 625-7356

**Dillons Gift Cards** are available in the back of church every **FIRST SUNDAY** of the month. A portion of these sales go to benefit TMP-Marian. These make GREAT GIFTS!

**St. Joseph's Monthly Card Party** The second Saturday evening of the month after the 5:00 p.m. Mass in the Parish Service Center. Join us for a round of cards.

**Mary Elizabeth Greeting Cards** are available at the Parish Service Center. Cost is .50 per card or 7 for \$3.00.

**JOURNEY THROUGH GRIEF** - New session begins February 15, 2012. For more information contact Sr. Janet, 625-7356.

## ORGANIZATION NOTES

**CHRISTIAN MOTHERS / ALTAR SOCIETY** - If you are interested in joining the Christian Mothers / Altar Society, please contact Bonnie Kuhn at [kuhny@ruraltel.net](mailto:kuhny@ruraltel.net) or at 625-6633. *"Ladies watch for the Yellow Envelope in your monthly church envelope packet. This is where you can pay your Dues, SCCW & make your No Bake Donation all at one time. Thank you all, please try and have them all in later NO than Palm Sunday. You don't have to be a member to donate to the No Bake Sale."*

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** - St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus, Council #1325 meets every **FIRST TUESDAY** of the month at **7:30 p.m.** in the Knights of Columbus room, second floor in the Parish Service Center. For more information, please contact Grand Knight Gary Feltis at 623-4505.

**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA** - Are you interested in becoming a D of I member? Please contact Sandy Herman, 656-0095. *Daughters of Isabella will meet Tuesday, February 14, at 7:00 p.m. at the IHM Activity Center for their monthly meeting. Dues of \$15.00 may be paid at the meeting.*

**PARISH CHOIR** - The St. Joseph Parish Choir practices each Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the choir loft. Anyone may join the choir. For more information contact Carol Brull, choir director, 625-9707 or Kevin Rupp, 625-7356. Men and Women are needed!

**SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER (SFO)** - We are called to conform ourselves ever more closely to Christ. Some of us do so by following the example of St. Francis. *Meetings are held at the Catholic Campus Center every third Sunday at 1:30 p.m.* For more information about the meetings or about the Secular Franciscans in general please contact John Borra at 625-6870 ([veritatis@eaglecom.net](mailto:veritatis@eaglecom.net)) or Jorge Vazquez at 785-432-3515.

## STEWARDSHIP of TREASURE

Budgeted Envelopes/Offertory per week	\$20,000.00
Env./Offertory rec'd Jan.30 2011 - Feb. 5, 2012	\$24,053.50
Children's Env. rec'd Jan.30, 2011 - Feb. 5, 2012	\$17.80
Budgeted Envelopes/Offertory year to date	\$628,570.00
Actual Envelopes/Offertory rec'd year to date	\$618,158.10
As of Feb. 5, 2012 we are over/(under) budget	(\$10,411.90)

Respect Life Collection: \$1,858.00

### Elevator Project for Parish Service Center

Amount needed: \$250,000.00

Amount raised to date: \$109,813.00

Amount still needed: \$140,187.00

### Collection Team Schedule:

February 12 - Greg & Christy Schwartz

February 19 - Joe & Agnes Werth

## FOOD PANTRY

(hours are 9:00 a.m. to noon)

**71 Boxes were distributed on the Feb. 4th Pantry Day.**

**Item of the month for February:** Cereal! Hot/Cold Varieties... all are appreciated!

**Med. Sized boxes** that can be closed are again needed. Please leave in the hallway of the second floor of the Parish Center.

**Monetary Donations:** can be sent through the weekend collections or left at the Parish Service Center. Thank You!

**Volunteers:** The KS Foodbank Shipment will be delivered on Monday, Feb. 20th at 8:30am. Anyone who is available for 30-45 minutes to unload is welcome to help and can come to the parish center East Doors! No need to sign up—just show up! Thanks!

## Cup a Joe Coffee Shop

The **Cup a Joe Coffee House** is located on the third floor of the Parish Service Center. Please use the east side door and the stairwell to the third floor.



7:00 - 9:00 a.m. Monday - Wednesday  
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. **2nd & 3rd Sunday of the Month**  
Open on 2nd & 3rd Tuesday evening from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

- On **Sunday, February 12** - Join us at **Cup a Joe** from 8:30 am - noon for free coffee cake and coffee.
- On **Tuesday, February 14** - Join us from 7:00 - 9:00 pm for a movie and hors d'oeuvres to celebrate Valentine's Day.
- On **Sunday, February 19** - Join us from 8:30 am - noon for free cinnamon rolls and coffee.
- On **Tuesday, February 21** - Join us from 7:00 - 9:00 pm to celebrate **Mardi Gras**.
- Closed on **Ash Wednesday, February 22nd**.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

- On Ash Wednesday, February 22, families should attend Mass as a family. We will not have class at 6:45 p.m.

## YOUTH NEWS

- Our Next **LifeNight** will be held this weekend on Feb. 18th from 6-8pm following the 5pm LifeTeen Mass! We're focusing this semester on Sacred Scripture and this LifeNight is called, "Big Mouth!" Friends are welcome! Come to Life!
- The **Diocesan CYO Convention** will be held in Salina on March 31—April 1st this year! Keynote Speaker will be Mike Patin, featured at this past NCYC, and Registration Packets are now ready! **DEADLINE for sign-up is March 1st!**
- This is the last year that Renee & Jerry will be leading the JrCYO portion of our parish youth ministry program! Any parishioner or couple who has an interest in the Middle School age and sharing our Catholic Faith can contact Renee & Jerry or Fr. Mike for additional information!

### ST JOSEPH PARISH OFFERS BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Natural and necessary.....

## Journey through Grief

February 15, 2012	April 11, 2012
February 29, 2012	April 25, 2012
March 14, 2012	May 9, 2012
March 28, 2012	May 16, 2012

The death of a loved one and other losses  
Change our lives forever.  
Grief is a journey that deserves attention, respect  
And the support of others to heal.

Journey Through Grief is a grief support group of **8 sessions** to help you understand and embrace the journey. Caring for your needs will help you discover a fullness to living and loving again.

4:00 to 5:15 p.m.  
St. Joseph Parish Service Center  
210 West 13<sup>th</sup> St.

Registration required by **February 10, 2012**  
Please call: **Sister Janet LeDuc, CSJ**  
at **625-7356** or e-mail: **stjcare@ruraltel.net**

### ◆DINNER INVITATION◆

Parishioners are invited to dine with our parish priests on Saturday, February 18th, at 6pm for fun, fellowship and good food in the Parish Service Center. Space is limited. Please RSVP by February 13th at the parish office at 785-625-7356.



### BECOME A FAN OF ST. JOSEPH

Check us out on Facebook:  
St. Joseph Catholic Church

### Want to Get More Out of the Mass?

The Mass isn't just a rite or a prayer, it is a privileged encounter with God and a foretaste of heaven. Yet, so often we just go through the motions. Get more out of the Mass by learning more about what is really happening!

*Immaculate Heart of Mary in Hays is hosting a four-week series on the Mass and join us as we learn how to truly enter into the sacred liturgy.*

**Mondays, February 13–March 5 at 7:00 pm, at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Office.**

Advance sign-up appreciated but not required. For more information, Amy Barragree, 625-7339, [abarragree@ihm-church.com](mailto:abarragree@ihm-church.com).

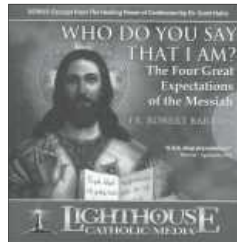
### Teaching Mass

The Eucharist is the source and summit of our Faith and the Mass is the central Christian prayer. Most of us have been attending Mass since we were children, but do we really know what's going on during the liturgy?

Immaculate Heart of Mary is offering a "Walk-thru", or Teaching Mass with Fr. Kevin Weber. Father will say the Mass, pausing throughout to explain what the prayers are saying and what the actions and rites mean. This will fulfill your Sunday obligation.

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Holy Family Elementary & TMP-Marian

# Catholic School Notes....what's going on

## Holy Family Elementary

Jana Simon, Principal  
625-3131



- Feb. 14 Father's Mass
- Feb. 16 February Birthday Dinner & Mass
- Feb. 20 No School – Diocesan Retreat
- Feb. 21 Parent/Teacher Conferences; Pre-School 3:30-9:00 p.m.  
K-6 4:00-7:00 p.m.  
Pancake Race – 2:30 p.m.
- Feb. 22 Ash Wednesday – 8:00 Mass
- Feb. 23 Parent/Teacher Conferences; Pre-School 3:30-9:00 p.m.  
K-6 4:00-7:00 p.m.
- Feb. 24 No School

## Thomas More Prep-Marian

Bill DeWitt, Principal  
625-6577



### February

- Incoming Freshman Parent information night Sunday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2012
- High School for a day February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2012
- Pre-enrollment for class 2016 from 3:30PM until 6:30 PM on Tuesday, February 28 and Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup>.



### St. Thomas More Society Update

“Commit thy works unto the LORD, and thy thoughts shall be established”-Proverbs 16:3.

Through your prayers, gifts, and countless hours of planning, we have galvanized our thoughts through our commitment to God.



Through your help, we have diligently researched and planned an approach that demonstrates stewardship of our resources with a watchful eye on our future growth. We have been blessed with 109 students who will attend TMP-Marian Junior High this fall. We learned of the appointment of Msgr. Edward Weisenburger to be our bishop who will preside over our growth as we provide a complete Catholic education. Lord, we ask your continued blessings in the words of your servant, St. Thomas More:

O Lord, give us a mind that is humble, quiet, peaceable, patient and charitable, and a taste of your Holy Spirit in all our thoughts, words, and deeds.

O Lord, give us a lively faith, a firm hope, a fervent charity, a love of you. Take from us all lukewarmness in meditation and all dullness in prayer. Give us fervor and delight in thinking of you, your grace, and your tender compassion toward us.

Give us, good Lord, the grace to work for the things we pray for.

We have received gifts and commitments totaling 63% of the funding we require to operate the new grades for the first five years. Add your name to the growing donor roll by contacting TMP-Marian at 625-6577 or e-mail [brullj@tmp-m.org](mailto:brullj@tmp-m.org).

## HEARTLAND PARISH NEWS



**ADORATION CHAPEL:** Following are the names, time responsible and phone numbers of the Archangels: Bob & Carol Feauto:(12am - 6am), 628-1429; Galen Schmidtberger: (6am - 12pm), 1-785-735-4820; Yvonne Demuth: (12pm - 6pm), 628-2172; Geri Rupp: (6pm - 12am), 628-1801. If you need a substitute, please try to find a one or call the Archangel within your time frame. If you can't reach them, call one of the other Archangels.

**FOOD BINGO,** Sunday, February 12 at 1:30 p.m. at the Eagles Lodge, 121 East 8th. Everyone is welcome!

**PRAYER HOUR FOR OUR COUNTRY:** Please join us for our monthly hour of prayer for our country, St. Joseph's Church, Liebenthal, Wednesday, February 15 at 1:00 p.m. All are welcome.

**Annual children's Miracle Network Fundraiser** with the Star & Stripes VFW All You Can Eat Breakfast on February 12, at 22nd and Vine from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. All money raised stays in our community.

**Next Seniors Sharing Bunko,** Thursday, March 8th at 1:30 p.m. in the St. Nicholas of Myra parish hall.

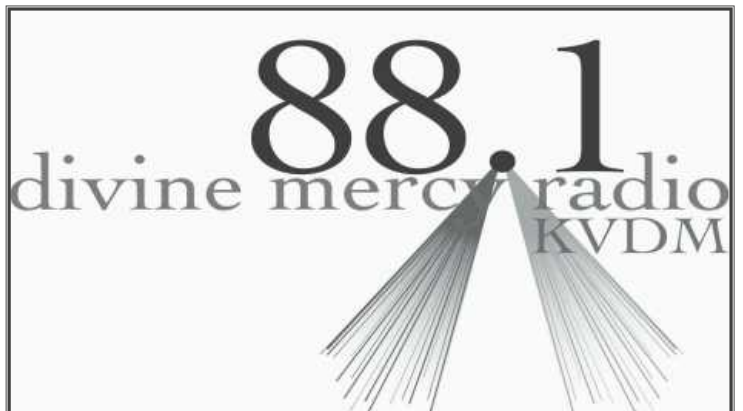
**SOUP LUNCHEON,** Sunday, February 12th, 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Senior Center, Gorham, Ks. Homemade soups, breads, pies, and desserts. Sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella.

**Community Assistance Center Garage Sale,** 12th & Oak, Tuesday, February 21st.

**Knights of Columbus Council #1867** in Victoria will be hosting a Lenten Fish fry on Friday February 24th, March 9th and 23rd from 5 until 7pm at the K of C Hall on Main in Victoria.

### Stewardship Prayer

God our Father, You are the source of life and every blessing. All that we have comes from You. Help us to walk in your ways as faithful disciples of Jesus. As good stewards of your many blessings teach us to receive your gifts gratefully, cultivate them responsibly, share them in justice and love with others, and return them with increase to You, our Father. We ask this through Christ our Lord, who came that we might have life, and have it abundantly. Amen



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