



St. Joseph Catholic Church

215 West 13th - Hays, Ks. 67601

Comeau Catholic Campus Center

506 W. 6th - Hays, Ks. 67601



First Sunday of Lent March 1, 2020

St. Joseph Mass Times

Saturday: 8:00am & 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am & 10:30am

Monday - Friday: 6:30am

Holy Days Masses:

5:30pm (Vigil) 6:30am, 12:05pm, 5:30pm

Rosary before each Mass.

Confession: Sat. 3:30pm

Comeau Campus Center Mass Times

Sunday: 9:00am & 6:00pm

Monday & Tuesday: 5:45pm

Wednesday: 9:15pm

Thursday: 5:45pm

Friday: 12:10pm

Holy Day Masses 4:45pm

Confession - Sun. - Thur.,
5:00pm - 5:40pm
(All Year)

Adoration - Begins, Tues, 9:30am
ends Wed. 5:45pm.
(When FHSU is in Session)

St. Joseph Parish Service Center

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Office Hours

Mon.- Thurs. 8:00am - 5:00pm

Fri. 8:00 a.m. - noon

Office Closed Saturday, Sunday,
Holy Days/Holidays

1st SUNDAY OF LENT

Then the devil took him up to a very high mountain, and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in their magnificence, and he said to him, "All these I shall give to you, if you will prostrate yourself and worship me." —Mt 4:8-9

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

St. Joseph Parish is a Stewardship Parish. A Catholic Steward actively participates and is involved with parish ministries, each according to their time and talents. Continue to regularly pray the stewardship prayer. Help us to place You, our loving Creator, first in our lives by becoming more prayerful and more focused on loving and caring for our families and our neighbors in need. Help us to hear Your call to be good stewards of all Your gifts by sharing them to accomplish Your will, that is the coming of Your kingdom here on earth.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT - "Under the protection of St. Joseph, and ever grateful to the Capuchin Franciscan Friars, we strive to foster a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ 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."

**Sunday, March 1, 2020 - First Sunday of Lent**

Gn 2:7-9, 3:1-7/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11

6:45 - 7:15a.m. Confessions

7:30 a.m. Bruce & Linda Goetz

9:00 a.m.C L/D Mem Frank & Annie Pechanec Family

9:30-10:15a.m. Confessions

10:30 a.m. L/D Mem Tom & Therese (Engel) Haas

Liturgy for Little Ones

6:00 p.m.C +Fr Evan Harkins

Monday, March 2, 2020

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Mt 25:31-46

6:30 a.m. L/D Mem Harold & JoAnn Crispin Family

5:45 p.m.C +George Deslongchamp

Tuesday, March 3, 2020 - St. Katherine Drexel

Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15

6:30 a.m. L/D Mem Arsenius & Lucy Wasinger Fam.

5:45 p.m.C +Amy & Paul Baier

Wednesday, March 4, 2020 - St. Casimir

Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32

6:30 a.m. +Glenn Dobry

5:00-6:00pm Confessions

9:15 p.m.C L/D Mem Frank & Annie Pechanec Family

Thursday, March 5, 2020

Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12

6:30 a.m. +Larry Polen

5:45 p.m.C +Kathy Strachan

Friday, March 6, 2020

Ez 18:21-28/Mt 20-26

6:30 a.m. +Jim Polen

12:10 p.m.C L/D Mem James H. Drees Family

6:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 7, 2020 - Sts. Perpetua & Felicity

Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:32-48

8:00 a.m. Vocations

3:30 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. For the Parish

Sunday, March 8, 2020 - Second Sunday of Lent

Gn 12:1-4a/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

6:45 - 7:15a.m. Confessions

7:30 a.m. L/D Mem Allen Dinkel Family

9:00 a.m.C +Lawrence & Elizabeth Weigel Family

9:30-10:15a.m. Confessions

10:30 a.m. For the Parish

Liturgy for Little Ones

6:00 p.m.C +Robert Kuhlman

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

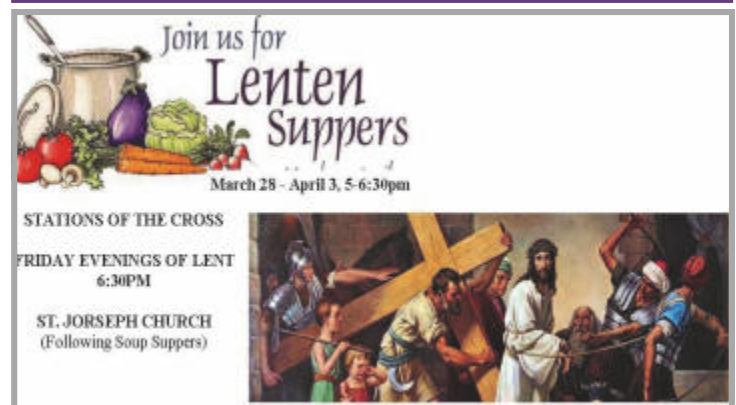
Friday, March 6th - 6:30 p.m.

Cantor: Jeanne Geist**Servers:** Sam & Gilda Allen, Elena Herl*We will be using new books this year, "Way of the Cross with text from the Scriptures."*

	5:00 pm Sat. Mar. 7	7:30am Sun. Mar. 8	10:30am Sun. Mar. 1 CONFIRMATION
Sacristan	Sam Allen	Doug Marsell	Sherry Feltis
Altar Servers	Heuer Brungardt Elsa Brungardt Ryan Stoecklein SUB NEEDED	Roger Rife	Joel Johnson Luke Rome Trent Rome John Wasinger Jacob Sack
Cantor	BAND	Liz Schmeidler	Hannah Michaud
EXHC	Michelle Beyer Joyce Dinges Sara Vonfeldt Barb Wagoner Jim Walters	SUB NEEDED SUB NEEDED Steve Dreiling Diane Gottschalk Allen Schmidt	Shaun Linenberger Becky Newell Jeanne Riedel Angie Sack Vicky Walker
EM HB		Ann Hugunin Karen Marsell	Adele Shaver Vicky Walker
Reader	Melissa Ginther Grant Ginther	Maddy Quimby Jim Mall	Confirmundi Parent Confirmundi Parent
Usher	Eric Haas Mark Herl Joseph Billinger Lawr. Kreutzer	Nick Flax Bruce Goetz Vern Gross Leon Richmeier	Troy Haas Jon Schmeidler Jeff Sack Rob Wasinger

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday, March 13th - 6:30 p.m.

Cantor: Renee Michaud**Servers:** Allison & Patrick Weber, Carson Pinkney*We will be using new books this year, "Way of the Cross with text from the Scriptures."*

Pastor's Notes

Fr. Brian Lager

Stewardship is the grateful response of a Christian disciple who recognizes and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts and love of God and neighbor. The pillars of stewardship are hospitality prayer formation and service. We have now covered hospitality prayer information and now this week, I will cover service.

Throughout Sacred Scripture, there are numerous references to service. There is the parable of the vigilant and faithful servants who await their master's return from a wedding, "ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks" (Lk 12: 35-40). There is the story of the good Samaritan who was moved with compassion to help the victim of a violent robbery (Lk 10: 25-37). And there are several examples of Christ serving those around Him: feeding the multitudes, healing the sick, and even turning water into wine at a wedding banquet.

Why is service a running theme throughout the gospels? Because service is at the root of living in imitation of Christ. Christ served others throughout His life on Earth, and His death on the cross was the ultimate act of service to mankind. And when we serve others, we are not only following in Christ's footsteps, we are also serving Christ Himself: "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" (Mt 25:40).

For St. Aquinas to love means to consistently will and choose the good of the other. To love neighbor as self means seeing their sharing in the good as constitutive of your own sharing in the good. To love God, whose good we cannot will strictly speaking — as He is purely actualized good itself — is to love what God loves, which, of course, is the neighbor's good.

The Second Vatican Council, under the influence of Karol Wojtyła, further enriched this definition of love by linking the willing of another's good to an additional and necessary gift that must accompany that willing: the gift of self." Then he quoted *Gaudium et Spes* #24 to illustrate his point:

For this reason, love for God and neighbor is the first and greatest commandment. Sacred Scripture, however, teaches us that the love of God cannot be separated from love of neighbor: "If there is any other commandment, it is summed up in this saying: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.... Love therefore is the fulfillment of the Law" (Rom. 13:9-10; cf. 1 John 4:20). To men growing daily more dependent on one another, and to a world becoming more unified every day, this truth proves to be of paramount importance.

Indeed, the Lord Jesus, when He prayed to the Father, "that all may be one. . . as we are one" (John 17:21-22) opened up vistas closed to human reason, for He implied a certain likeness between the union of the divine Persons, and the unity of God's sons in truth and charity. This likeness reveals that man, who is the only creature on earth which God willed for itself, cannot fully find himself except through a sincere gift of himself.

A couple weeks ago we heard in the Gospel that we are called to be 'salt and light' in the world. We can fulfill the stewardship pillar of service by living out the works of mercy.

Corporal works of mercy

Feed the hungry
Gve drink to the thirsty
Clothe the naked
Shelter the homeless
Visit the sick
Visit the imprisoned
Bury the dead


Spiritual works of mercy

Counsel the doubtful
Instruct the ignorant
Admonish the sinner
Comfort the sorrowful
Forgive offenses willingly
Bear wrongs patiently
Pray for the living and the dead

It might be good to cut these out and place them on our bathroom mirror or our refrigerator, this way we will be constantly reminded to fulfill them as Christ asks. Service is truly about growing in love of neighbor, may we have an open heart to our neighbor no matter their situation.

THE EUCHARIST

IN SCRIPTURE



Join Us for an Inspiring
Scripture Study

Kennedy School Cafeteria

215 W. 13th St.
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Thursdays during Lent

7 pm

Father Brian Lager

Call the parish office to Register
\$25 for the workbook
\$93 for all study materials


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DISCOVER GOD'S PLAN AS
IT IS EXPRESSED THROUGH
THE BIBLE AND THE MASS

Built around three of Dr. Scott Hahn's foundational talks: "The Lamb's Supper," "The Fourth Cup," and "Consuming the Word." The Eucharist in Scripture examines the biblical foundations of the Eucharist and explores the Church's liturgy as the original context for the books of the Bible.



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ST. JOSEPH PARISH NEWS

MEATLESS SOUP SUPPERS: Our Lenten Soup Suppers have begun! Join us on the Fridays of Lent (except Good Friday) at **5:00 p.m.** in the parish school cafeteria, followed by **Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm** in church.



Just in time for Lent!

BEST LENT EVER is a 2020 Journal for everyday during Lent. The book includes The day's focus, Spiritual reading a place to journal and recommended reading. Pick-up a copy on the table by the doors.

Stations of the Cross continues **this Friday**, March 6th at 6:30am. Come over to the church after the meatless soup supper for this Lenten devotion. More soups are always welcomed to share with the supper. Please bring them to the Kennedy Cafeteria before 5:00pm.

EXTRA CONFESSION TIMES begin today, Sunday, March 1st, these are 6:45 - 7:15am before the 7:30 a.m. Mass, 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. before the 10:30 Mass and all Wednesdays 5:00 - 6:00 p.m during Lent There will be **NO** communal penance Service at St. Joseph Parish this year.



LENTEN RICE BOWLS can be found in the baskets on the tables by the entrances or in the parish office. 75% supports programs around the world with 25% helps alleviate hunger and poverty in our local diocese.

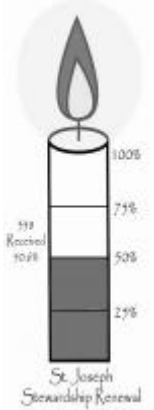
OLD PALMS - If you have any old palms that you are wanting to get rid of before palm Sunday, just drop them off in the basket that is located on the back counter of the church under the donation memorial board.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Fr. Ryan who on Tuesday, March 3rd, celebrates another year of life. May God grant you many happy years shepherding his flock. God Bless You!

STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL FORMS

St. Joseph registered parishioners should have received their Stewardship Renewal Forms (SRF) along with their tithing information in January. Please look over these forms for any additions, changes, or corrections. If you are continuing your ministry/ministries, you need to check the box next to your current ministries. If you no longer want to continue, leave the box empty.



As of February 25, out of the 668 stewardship renewal forms that were sent out in January, **338** have been returned, which is **50.6** of the parish.

The Secular Franciscans, or the third order of Brothers and Sisters of Penance, celebrate our 140th birthday this year, of being a Fraternity in Hays, Kansas. The Capuchin Franciscan Friars, who helped established St. Joseph Parish, brought with them a love for the "Third Order of Brothers and Sisters of Penance" and began a fraternity for the parishioners. Since then, 140 years ago, we are now recognized as the Order of Secular Franciscans with Fraternities existing nationally and world wide. Our order is recognized in Rome in the Vatican Records as the St. Joseph Fraternity of Hays, Ks.

As the Franciscans walk with St. Francis, "Gospel to life and Life to Gospel", **please join us in praying** the Morning Offering prayer throughout this year. In doing so we pray for sinners and hopefully assist in saving souls for the glory of God.

Pax et Bonum - Peace and all good be with you

St. Joseph Fraternity of The Secular Franciscan Order

The Morning Offering

Oh Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day, in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world. I offer them for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart - for the salvation of souls, reparation for sin, and the reunion of all Christians. For Bishops, all apostleship of prayer and in particular for the intentions of our Holy Father this month. Amen

ST. JOSEPH'S WEEK IN A GLANCE: March 1 - 7, 2020

C = Catholic Campus Center; KB=Kennedy Building; PO = Parish Office; SJ=St. Joe Church

SUN	1	MON	2	TUES	3	ASH WED	4	THURS	5	FRI	6	SAT	7
				Fr. Ryans's Birthday									
				<u>6:30am</u> Mass - SJ									
				<u>6:30am</u> Mass - SJ									
				<u>5:45pm</u> Mass - C									
				<u>5:45pm</u> Mass - C									
				<u>7:00pm</u> RCIA Class - SJ Office									

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**Support Our Troops**

Former St. Joseph Associate Fr. Charles Awotwi is a priest of the Salina Diocese who is currently serving in the United States Army as a Chaplain. He recently contacted me about the possibility of people in the Diocese of Salina sending "Care Packages" to the troops. He has 1,500 troops under his care. He told us that the following would be most welcome by our soldiers serving in Afghanistan:

Snacks

- ◆ Candy
- ◆ Pop Tarts
- ◆ Nuts
- ◆ Cookies
- ◆ Granola Bars
- ◆ Microwave Popcorn
- ◆ Jerky
- ◆ Etc.

Personal hygiene item

- ◆ Wipes of different sizes
- ◆ Hand lotion
- ◆ Body wash
- ◆ Toothbrushes
- ◆ Toothpaste, Etc.

Also, please include a personal letter or card telling soldier receiving your box that you are praying for him/her and express your gratitude for his/her service.

The easiest thing to do is go to the Post Office and get a large Priority Mail Flat Rate Box. The box is free, but shipping will cost a flat rate of \$19.60. Fill it up with goodies and address it to:

CH (CPT) Charles K. Awotwi
HHC 87TH CSSB
APO AE 09330

Since the boxes are being sent overseas, the Post Office will require you to fill out a Customs Declaration Form, it is a simple process.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Budgeted envelopes/offertory per week	\$21,250.00
Actual envelopes/offertory received 02/17/20-02/23/20	\$15,246.37
For this week, the collection is ahead (behind)	(\$6,003.63)
Budgeted envelopes/offertory thru 01/31/2020	\$644,583.35
Actual envelopes/offertory thru 01/31/2020	\$643,834.49
As of 01/31/2020 we are ahead (behind) budget for the fiscal year.	(\$748.86)

Collection Team Schedule:

March 1 - Vaughn & Nancy Nelson
 March 8 - Sharon Drees & Debbie Dinges
 March 15 - Jon & Greta Fry





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The story that follows was well liked in 2019 and is reprinted for 2020. The diocesan statistics have been updated.

Msgr. James Hake is one of 19 currently retired priests of the Diocese of Salina. We share his story during the Bishop's Annual Appeal - Call to Share to remind us of the impact gifts have on a very personal level for those benefiting from your generosity. His story of his years of active ministry, and how he continues to serve in retirement, no doubt reminds each of us just how much impact a single priest has throughout the diocese.



For some reason, unknown to me now, I always wanted to be a "Monsignor Dreiling" when I grew up. He was our pastor in Tipton way back when I was a youngster. There must have been something about him that impressed me greatly. I know that's the mysterious way God works in our lives. I'm sure that's the reason I wanted to be a parish priest, living in a community among the people of God.

And I must say, now looking back on those days in the various parishes I've been honored to serve, that life has been very fulfilling for me. Helping the dear parishioners and being such an intimate part of their lives was always a joy and continues to be in my memories. The celebration of the Eucharist and the Sacraments was central, as I'm sure it is for any parish priest. And as priests, it's a great comfort to us to know that the lives of God's people could not be blessed with such great gifts without the priesthood.

Although my life as a priest, for all but the first four years, was also spent in Diocesan work at the Chancery, even that work would not have been so fulfilling for me had I not been able to also serve as a parish priest. Being with and being able to serve God's people is what has "grounded" my life as a priest.

As a retired priest, I am now happy to live with those memories. Of course, living the life of the priesthood also continues, but in a much more limited way.

My privilege of "working" for the Diocese partially continues by way of serving on the Marriage Tribunal, for which I was sent to school and trained many years ago. It continues to be a joy and great satisfaction to be of some help to people who are in need of healing because of difficulties in past marriages. Also, I find, as a retired priest, that I can now more freely offer Masses for my family and friends and for special occasions.

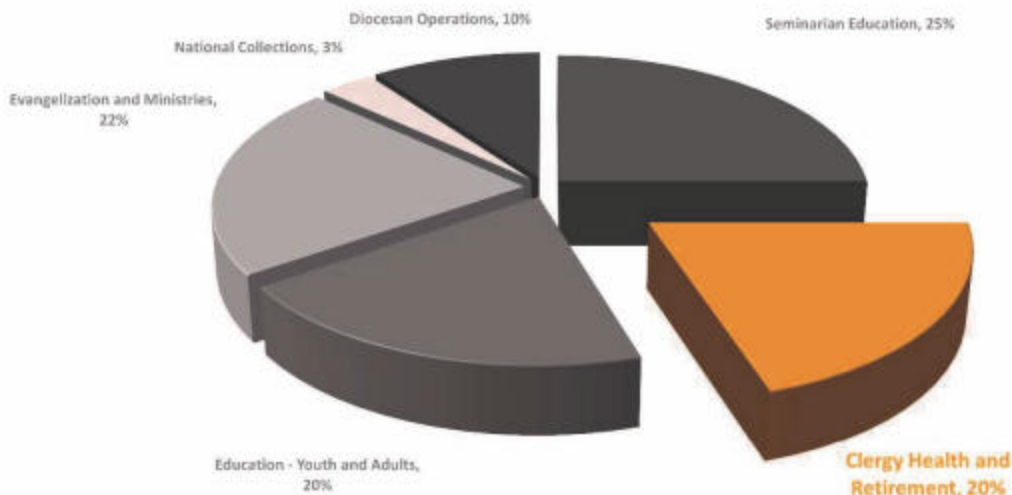


We priests, who are retired from the role of active pastors are growing in numbers because, thanks be to God, good health care and medicine is prolonging life. Because of the continued shortage of priests, we hope and pray that our limited "usefulness" will continue to be of help to our priests who are serving full-time, and many in an over-burdened way in our Diocese. Please know that your support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal is very gratefully appreciated by all of us.



Gifts to the 2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal will support \$325,000 of the retirement and healthcare needs of our retired clergy (or 20% of the \$1.6 million goal.) Retirement and healthcare needs total over \$2,600 per month per retired clergy. Your gifts to Call to Share make sure these needs and the other programs provided throughout the Diocese of Salina are funded.

2020 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL USE OF GIFTS



St. Joseph Faith Formation

St. Joseph Parish Faith Formation Calendar 2020

March 4	Class, 6:30 - 7:30pm
March 11	Class, 6:30 - 7:30pm
March 18	Class, 6:30 - 7:30pm
March 25	No Class: Spring Break
April 1	Class, 6:30 - 7:30p,

FIRST RECONCILIATION & COMMUNION SCHEDULE

Wed., Mar. 4	St. Joseph First Communion Retreat 6-7:30pm
Wed., Apr. 15	First Communion Practice St. Joseph 6:30pm
Sun., April 19	First Communion Mass St. Joseph 10:30am

CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

Sat. Mar. 7	Confirmation Practice 6:00pm, St. Joseph Church
Sun. Mar 8	St. Joseph Confirmation Mass, 10:30am

RCIA CLASS

RCIA - Rite for Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA classes have begun. Classes are held on Tuesday evening in the St. Joseph Parish Office.

Mar. 3 - Catholic Moral Vision

Mar. 7, Sat. - RETREAT with St. Nick's and IHM

If you are interested in either of these programs contact Fr. Ryan McCandless at the parish office, 785-625-7356 or e-mail him at stjassociate@stjoehays.com.

ST. JOSEPH FOOD PANTRY

LOCATION TO PLACE YOUR FOOD ITEMS - Nonperishable food items as well as medium sized boxes may be brought to the parish school building, formerly Kennedy, doors 25 & 26, near the gym, **from 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.** Monday through Friday.

- ◆ Food Pantry dates are March 7th & 21st.
- ◆ **Item of the month** - Canned vegetables, instant potatoes, peanut butter, jams, butter, canned meats, & puddings.
- ◆ Monetary donations can be sent through the weekend collection, left at the Parish Service Center or you may donate online by going to <https://stjchurch.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunitiesSt.JosephFoodPantry>
- ◆ To volunteer to help at the St. Joseph Food Pantry contact Renee Michaud at 785-628-8434 or michauds@ruraltel.net

St. Joseph CYO News

- ◆ Attention high school CYO: Please sign up for helping at the Lenten Friday Soup Suppers (March 27th for a bread baking hour this Friday afternoon with no school)! Invite your families to come enjoy these delicious meatless suppers with our wonderful and supportive parish family! If you are not on our email list or haven't signed up yet, please contact Jennifer Johnson at jmjohnson@ruraltel.net or 259-4458. Thank you!



THE 177 PROJECT
PRESENTS

THE JESUS, I TRUST TOUR

ADORATION | CONFESSION | CONCERT
GUEST MUSICIAN/SPEAKER: SHAUN GARRISON



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900 CATHEDRAL AVENUE, VICTORIA, KANSAS 67671
MONDAY, MARCH 9TH AT 7:00PM
FREE TICKETS AT THE177PROJECT.COM OR IN PARISH OFFICE

Come join us for an incredible night of worship and fellowship on March 9, 2020! The 177 Project will be visiting St. Fidelis Church for a mini-parish mission! The night begins with an acoustic concert and talk by Shaun Garrison before moving into a Holy Hour. Confession will be available. The evening begins at 7:00 P.M. and you can get your **FREE** ticket in the parish office at 601 10th St., Victoria, KS or by visiting the177project.com.
Parish office: 785-735-9244 E-mail: Fidelisyouth@ruraltel.net



Any allegation of the abuse of a minor, may be reported to the Kansas Protection Report Center (1-800-922-5330), the KBI Crime Hotline (1-800-KSCRIME) or ClergyAbuse@kbi.ks.gov. The Diocese of Salina fully participates in all criminal investigations related to abuse perpetrated by a member of the clergy or other church official.

For the safety of children and the healing of those who have suffered abuse, the Diocese of Salina provides an Abuse Response Hotline (1-785-825-0865); an Abuse Response Email (reportabuse@salinadiocese.org); and an Abuse Response Online Submission Form (www.salinadiocese.org/safety-security). Reports will be responded to promptly by the Diocesan Assistance Coordinator. All reports are confidential with the exception of those involving the abuse of minors, which will be immediately reported by the Diocese to the proper authorities, as required by Kansas State Law and Diocesan Policy.

This bulletin announcement provided by the Diocesan Office of Safety and Security

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Maintenance

Vacant

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

1st Tuesday of the Month at 7:30 pm in the lounge.
Bring your current membership card.

CATHOLIC DISCIPLES

Wednesdays at 8:00 pm in the lounge.

**Campus Center collection for
2/23/2020 - \$682.00**

A LOOK AT THE WEEK.....

- ♦ Sun. - Confessions at 5:00pm, Mass at 6:00pm
- ♦ Mon. - Confessions at 5:00pm., Mass at 5:45pm
- ♦ Tues. - Confessions at 5:00pm., Mass at 5:45pm
- ♦ Wed. - Confessions at 5:00pm
Catholic Disciples 8:00pm,
Speakers: Patrick & Cassandra Prediger
Mass 9:15pm
- ♦ Thurs. - Confessions at 5:00pm., Mass at 5:45pm
- ♦ Fri. - Mass at 12:10pm

THOMAS MORE-PREP MARIAN

Principal - Chad Meitner, meitnerc@tmpmarian.org

785-625-6577 ~ www.tmp-m.org

TMP-M calendar at www.tmp-m.org/calendar

Full Time Custodian Needed

Thomas More Prep-Marian Jr/Sr High School in Hays is looking for a full time custodian to clean and perform light repairs. This position is during weekday afternoons / evenings (2:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.) General cleaning and disinfecting skills needed in a school setting. Ability to run various cleaning machines that are used for the cleaning of restrooms and classrooms.

Benefits include: 1) Health Insurance with a diocesan-determined amount that the employer pays for, 2) Life Insurance Benefit, 3) Vacation and Holiday days, 4) Simple IRA plan with employer matching up to 3% of salary.

If you are a dependable person with an attention to detail, we would love to talk to you about our opportunity.

Submit resumes to Tom Kisner at kisnert@tmpmarian.org. Hard copies may be mailed to 1701 Hall Street, Hays KS 67601 att: Tom Kisner.

2020 Auction for Christian Education (ACE)

Tickets are going fast for ACE 2020 which will take place on Saturday, April 25, 2020. The theme is "ACE in the Wild " a safari theme! Contact the Alumni Office at (785) 625-9434 to reserve your ticket. Donations are being accepted and the details are available at tmp-m.org/ace/

Monarch 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

Please join us for the Monarch 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament and Hotshot Contest on Saturday, March 21, 2020. The tournament will be held at Thomas More Prep-Marian, Holy Family Elementary, and the former Kennedy Middle School. The tournament is limited to grades 3 through 8th. Register teams online at tmp-m.org

HOLY FAMILY ELEMENTARY

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- ♦ Mar. 3 School Mass & Visit with Bishop Vincke
- ♦ Mar. 4 All Staff Meeting, 3:45pm in Library
- ♦ Mar. 5 KP-1st Grade Music Program 7pm in Gym
- ♦ Mar. 6 Stations of the Cross 8:15am at IHM
- ♦ Mar. 9 Home & School Meeting, 7:00pm in the L.T.
- ♦ Mar 10 No Homework Night/Family Virture Night
- ♦ Mar. 11 No Bus Service
McDonald's Teachers Night, 5-8pm-North
- ♦ Mar. 12 March Birthday Mass and Lunch

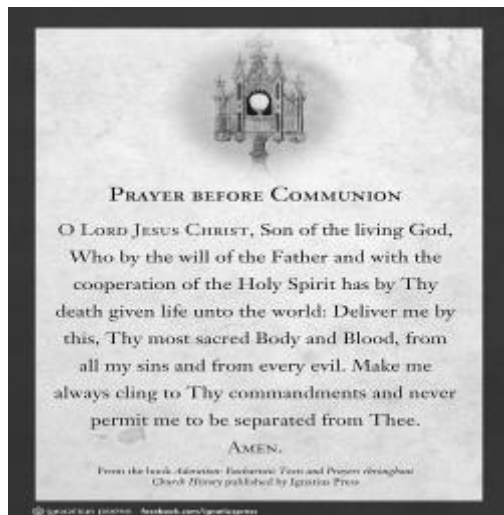
REVISED STATEMENT OF PENANCE, FASTING, ABSTINENCE

By Divine Law, penance is required of everyone. The Bishops of the United States remind us that, since we are not exempt from sinfulness, we should not consider ourselves exempt from penance. Pastors, teachers and parents of children should educate those under their care to a true sense of penitence.

Traditional forms of penance are: abstinence from meat, fasting from food, other practices of self-denial, acts of religion, (increased prayer life, participation in daily Mass and other devotions, spiritual and Scriptural reading), or other acts of charity and Christian witness.

THE CHURCH'S TEACHING AND DISCIPLE regarding penance:

- ◆ **ABSTINENCE** means not eating meat. The obligation of abstinence begins at the age of fourteen (14) years.
- ◆ **FASTING** means eating only one full meal a day with the other two meals being without meat and together not equaling a full meal. The obligation of fasting begins at the age of eighteen (18) years or with the eighteenth birthday, and ends at the age of sixty (60) or with the sixtieth birthday.
- ◆ **BOTH ASH WEDNESDAY and GOOD FRIDAY** are days of both abstinence from meat and fasting, days of self-denial and mortification.
- ◆ **OTHER FRIDAYS OF LENT** are days of abstinence from meat.
- ◆ **OTHER FRIDAYS OF THE YEAR** outside Lent are to be observed as days of penance, but each individual may substitute, for the traditional abstinence from meat, some other practice or self-denial.
- ◆ **ALL WEEKDAYS OF LENT** should be considered days of penance. A self-imposed observance of the traditional practice of fasting (allowing meat at only the full meal) is strongly recommended along with the other forms of penance mentioned above.



LENT - HOLY WEEK - EASTER SCHEDULE In the Heartland Parishes

Wednesday, March 4

Antonino - Stations & Mass 7:00pm
Catharine - Stations of the Cross 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Confessions 5:00 - 6:00pm

Friday, March 6

IHM - Stations 7:00pm; Spanish Stations 8:00pm
Munjor - Stations of the Cross & Benediction - 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Lenten Soup Supper 5:00pm/Stations of the Cross 6:30pm
St. Nicholas - Adoration 7:00am-7:00pm, Confessions 6-6:45pm
St. Nicholas - Stations of the Cross/Benediction 7:00pm

Sunday, March 8 - Thursday, March 12

IHM - CYO Liturgy of the Hours Night Prayers 9:00pm

Wednesday, March 11

Catharine - Stations of the Cross 7:00pm
Munjor - Communal Penance Service 7:00pm
Schoenchen - Stations & Mass 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Confessions 5:00 - 6:00pm

Friday, March 13

IHM - Stations 7:00pm; Spanish Stations 8:00pm
Munjor - Stations of the Cross 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Lenten Soup Supper 5:00pm/Stations of the Cross 6:30pm
St. Nicholas - Adoration 7:00am-7:00pm, Confessions 6-6:45pm
St. Nicholas - Stations of the Cross/Benediction 7:00pm

Saturday, March 14 - Sunday, March 15

IHM - Communal Anointing after all Masses

Teusday, March 17

St. Nicholas - Communal Penance Service 7:00pm

Wednesday, March 18

Catharine - Stations of the Cross & Mass 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Confessions 5:00 - 6:00pm

Friday, March 20

IHM - Stations 7:00pm; Spanish Stations 8:00pm
Munjor - Stations of the Cross & Benediction 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Lenten Soup Supper 5:00pm/Stations of the Cross 6:30pm
St. Nicholas - Adoration 7:00am-7:00pm, Confessions 6-6:45pm
St. Nicholas - Stations of the Cross/Benediction 7:00pm

Sunday, March 22

IHM - Communal Reconciliation Service 3:00pm

Wednesday, March 25

Antonino - Stations & Mass 7:00pm
Catharine - Stations of the Cross 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Confessions 5:00 - 6:00pm

Friday, March 27

IHM - Stations 7:00pm; Spanish Stations 8:00pm
Munjor - Stations of the Cross 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Lenten Soup Supper 5:00pm/Stations of the Cross 6:30pm
St. Nicholas - Adoration 7:00am-7:00pm, Confessions 6-6:45pm
St. Nicholas - Stations of the Cross/Benediction 7:00pm

Wednesday, April 1

Catharine - Stations of the Cross 7:00pm
Schoenchen - Stations & Mass 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Confessions 5:00 - 6:00pm

HEARTLAND NEWS

The PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

1805 Vine - IHM Church The Adoration Chapel is open 24

~ Time slots available ~
Thursday: 3:00am - 4:00am
Saturday: 4:00am - 5:00am

hours a day 7 days a week and Jesus is waiting for you. Following are the names, time responsible and phone numbers of the Archangels.



Bob & Carol Feauto
 628-1429, (12am-6am)
Lorraine Brungardt
 625-3021: (6am-12pm)
Yvonne Demuth
 628-2172, (12pm - 6pm)
Geri Rupp
 639-5588, (6pm - 12am)



THE MERCY OF GOD AND OUR CATHOLIC FAITH:
 Mercy is a consistent theme in our Catholic theology, tradition and devotions. On three Sundays evenings in the parish during Lent (March 1, 8, 15) we will explore why we can trust in God's mercy and how we experience it personally and as a community. Once we fully appreciate, understand and accept the mercy of God, then we can be empowered to be instruments of mercy among our family, friends, co-workers and even those who have offended us. Each Sunday evening session will begin at 6:30 p.m. at St. Mary Queen of Angels parish, Russell, Ks. The session will be one hour. Fr. Barry Brinkman will be the presenter and facilitator.

Lenten Scripture Study with Fr. Earl Meyer

The Gospel of Matthew, Cycle A, Spiritual Life Center, Victoria 7:00 p.m. Tuesdays during Lent

March 10 - The Promised Messiah
March 17 - The Sermon on the Mount
March 24 - The Passion of the Lord.

BINGO & RAFFLE: Please join us for a fun family event! The Ladies Guild will be holding our annual Bingo and Raffle on March 22. Please join us from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall at St. Nick's.



Munior K of C Fish Fry

The Munior Knights of Columbus Council will be hosting two Lenten Fish Fry on Friday, March 13th and Friday, April 3, 2020 from 5-7pm. Cost is \$10 (12 years of age and under no charge.) Everybody is welcome!

Daughters of Isabella will be sponsoring a Food and Craft Bingo, Sunday, March 15 at the IHM Activity Center at 1:30PM. Members are asked to bring their food or craft donations after 12:00 PM. We will be offering a hot dog, chips and soft drink for \$5.00. Come enjoy a snack and bingo.

Topics of the day include:

Ethics in Ag

Dr. Mykel Taylor,
 K-State, Department of Agriculture Economics

Conservation Stewardship

Dr. Lucas Haag
 K-State, Department of Agronomy

A Pathway to Farming for our Service Members

Gary LaGrange, Colonel US Army (Ret),
 Service Member Agricultural Vocation
 Education (S.A.V.E) Corp



CATHOLIC RURAL LIFE WINTER SEMINAR

Saturday, March 7, 2020 - Salina, KS

10:00 AM AT HALL OF BISHOPS AT SACRED
 HEART CATHEDRAL



Registration will
 begin at 9:30. The
 day will include
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 Bishop Vincke and
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