

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2024

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep." - Jn 10:14-15

St. Joseph Parish Information

St. Joseph Mass Times

Saturday: 8:00am & 6:00pm (Vigil)
 Sunday: 7:30am & 10:30am
 Monday - Friday: 6:30am & 12:05pm
 Holy Days Masses: See bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confession: Sat. 4:30pm; Wed.
 5:00pm
 Sun. 6:45-7:15am / 9:30-10:15am

Devotions

Rosary before each Mass.
 Adoration - 3rd Thurs. 7:00am-7:00pm
 Sacred Heart Devotions: 1st Fri., Noon

Prayer Chain

stjoseph@stjochays.com

Bulletin Submissions

Items for the Sunday bulletin must be in the parish office by **Noon** Monday before the Sunday requested.

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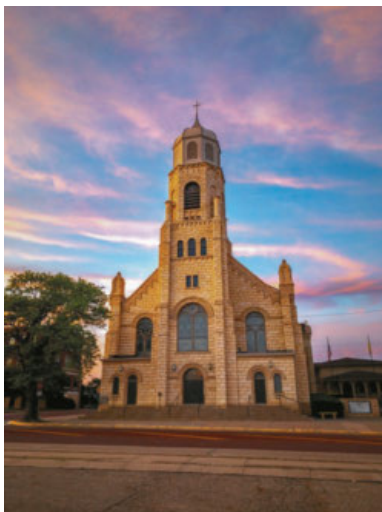
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Mon.- Thurs. 8:00am - 4:00pm
 Fri. 8:00 a.m. - noon
 Office Closed Saturday, Sunday,



4th Sunday of Easter

Recently I was with my little dog Libby at a retreat center in the Arizona desert. I sat in a chair near a ravine filled with shrubs. Unbeknownst to me, Libby wandered down there and disappeared. Suddenly an animal's wild shriek erupted from the area. Without thinking, I bolted down into the ravine fully expecting to see coyotes, javelinas, or rattlesnakes. I didn't care. I desperately wanted to get Libby out of there, without any self-regard. Before I could face whatever danger lay hidden, my dog blissfully trotted out from an entirely different area, utterly unaware that I had (quite heroically) just placed my life on the line.

When the adrenaline wore off, I thought to myself: how far would I have been willing to go to save her? I don't know. But I do know, if I had literally died, my friends and family would have certainly thought me insane for dying for a dog. No offense, Libby.

How passionately Jesus wants us to know him and his willingness to die for us! This week he says, **"I know my own and my own know me,"** and **"I lay down my life for the sheep."** Here we encounter an insanely excessive love for us. Christianity is a relationship and not simply a religion or ethical code. In Jesus, God rescues and saves us. He laid down his life for you and me — and he has taken it up again. So often we are like Libby — blissfully ignorant of the reality of both our spiritual danger and his saving love. This Easter season, the risen Jesus calls us to be more conscious than ever before about his love. He never ceases to lay down his life for us.

— *Father John Muir*

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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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, April 21, 2024 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 4:8-12/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

- 6:45am Confessions
- 7:30am For the Parish
- 9:45am Confessions
- 10:30am L/D Mem Duane & Norma Klaus Fam.
68th Wedding Anniversary

Monday, April 22, 2024

Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:1-0

- 6:30am Poor Souls
- 12:05pm +Cliff Werth

Tuesday, April 23, 2024

Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30

- 6:30am L/D Mem Ivan & Mary Wasko Family
- 12:05pm Poor Souls

Wednesday, April 24, 2024

Acts 12:94-13:5a/Jn 12:44-50

- 6:30am +Janet Leiker
- 12:05pm Vickie Herrman
- 5:00pm Confessions

Thursday, April 25, 2024

1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20

- 6:30am +Nick Gabel
- 12:05pm L/D Mem Hank & Roxie VonLintel

Friday, April 26, 2024

Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6

- 6:30am Poor Souls
- 12:05pm L/D Mem Joe Klaus Family

Saturday, April 27, 2024

Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14

- 8:00am Vocations
- 4:30pm Confessions
- 6:00pm L/D Mem Gene & Rita Gabel Family

Sunday, April 28, 2024 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:26-31/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

- 6:45am Confessions
- 7:30am For the Parish
- 9:45am Confessions
- 10:30am L/D Mem Eddie Zwenger Family



PARISH EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursdays, May 16th, 2024
Sign-up Today For Your
Adoration Hour

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

	April 27, 2024 Sat. - 6:00pm	April 28, 2024 Sun. - 7:30am	April 28, 2024 Sun. - 10:30am
Sacristan	Sara V.	Kevin A.	Peggy M.
Altar Servers	Nora P. Caden P. Mia L.	Sperry M. Jacob F. Hannah F.	Ella G. Layne W. Gianna O. Emma W.
Cantor	NEED SUB	Liz S.	Allison W.
EM	Mary S Craig A. Melissa G. Sara V. - L	Steve D. Doug M. Need Sub Kevin A. - L	Toni W. Dot S. Rachel W. Peggy M. - L
EM-HB		Sianna M. Karen M.	Rachel W. Norma P.
Reader	Jennifer S. Alexis C.	Cathy V. Laura S.	Bill D. Kim S.
Usher	Eric H. Rob W. Sub Needed Sub Needed	Mike B. Don D. Joe D. Steve D.	Jon S. Thomas F. Mark H. Kerry T.
Rosary	Jennifer S.	Terry L.	Shirley N.

St. Joseph Bulletin

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Stewardship of Treasure

Collection Team Schedule

- 4/21/24 - Jeff Pinkney, Monica Geist, Debbie Nunnelee
- 4/28/24 - Sharyl Brown, Brad/Karen Kesl, Vicky Walker
- 5/5/2024 - Bobbie Shippers, Jeanne Riedel, Brady Reed

Budgeted envelopes/offertory per week	\$20,750.00
Actual envelopes/offertory received 04/08/24-04/14/24	\$17,555.00
For this week, the collection is ahead (behind)	(\$3,195.00)
Budgeted envelopes/offertory thru 03/31/2024	\$809,250.03
Actual envelopes/offertory thru 03/31/2023	\$792,873.54
As of 03/31/2024 we are ahead (behind) budget for the fiscal year.	(\$16,37649)

PARISH NOTES

ST JOSEPH FOOD PANTRY and Diaper Closet

A CARD OF THANKS!

Thank you to all who attended the Estate Planning information meeting last Sunday. We had a packed conference room with 16 families represented. The Catholic Foundation for the Diocese of Salina gave some great information and handouts. If you can ever attend an Estate Planning presentation, you won't be disappointed. Please have the uncomfortable conversations about end of life decisions, plan and have your wishes in writing. For more information on estate planning or dates for future presentations contact:

Corrina Hudsonpillar
corrina.hudsonpillar@salinadiocese.org,
 Diocese of Salina at 785-827-8746
 or contact Ann Pfeifer at the parish office

PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS are set for the weekend of May 4th and 5th. Look for a sample ballot in today's bulletin.

BLEST ARTS, who have the beautiful carved wood pieces from the Holy Land, will be here the weekend of April 27th and 28th.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF NORTHERN KANSAS will be conducting their 13th Annual Baby Bottle Campaign from Mother's Day weekend, May 11-12, to Father's Day weekend, June-15-16. This campaign provides support to mothers in our communities facing economic struggles, giving them access to critical resources so they can provide for their babies.

SACRED HEART ROOM

Do you need a place to take that statue that was your grandmother's that you no longer want? Are you needing a rosary? How about a good book to read? Stop by the St. Joseph Sacred Heart Room and see what we have to offer! Do you have old palms, broken rosaries? Bring them in and we will take care of them in a respectful manner.

St. Joseph Food Pantry is open the first and third Saturdays of the month from 9:00am - Noon. We are located off of 14th street coming from the West in the old Kennedy School building (red brick building).

The Food Pantry is in need of - Ramen Noodles, Macaroni and Cheese, and Tomato Products—any & all.

Diaper Closet—no donations needed at this time. Thank You for helping to fill the closet! Encourage anyone needing diaper support to contact Renee or come to the pantry days.

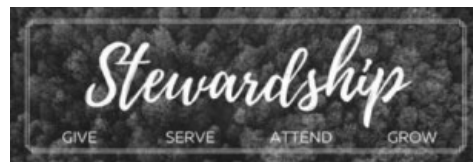


STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



St. Joseph Parish, keep sending in your Stewardship forms! From the 639 forms sent out, 374 or 60% have been returned!

We have sent a second mailing out to those who have not turned in their forms (three pages). Please make any changes to ministries or contact information on the three forms then return them to the ark, mail, or drop off at the parish office as soon as possible.



ST. JOSEPH'S WEEK IN A GLANCE: April 21-27, 2024

SUN	21	MON	22	TUES	23	WED	24	THURS	25	FRI	26	SAT	27
<u>6:45-7:15am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>6:30am</u>	<u>8:00am</u>	
Confessions	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	
<u>7:30am</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:00pm</u>	<u>12:00pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>12:05pm</u>	<u>8:30am</u>	
Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Book Study	Book Study	Mass	Mass	Mass	Women Scripture Study	
<u>9:45-10:15am</u>						<u>5:00pm</u>	<u>7:30pm</u>	<u>7:30pm</u>				<u>4:30pm</u>	
Confessions						Confessions	K-8 and Adult Faith Formation Class	Mass				Confessions	
<u>10:30am</u>						<u>7:30pm</u>	<u>7:30pm</u>					<u>6:00pm</u>	
Mass						Choir Practice	Choir Practice					Vigil Mass	

SAINTS

St. Paschal Baylón

St. Paschal Baylón (1540-1592) was born in Spain to impoverished Catholic parents. He worked alongside his father as a shepherd from his childhood until his 20's. He often prayed while working in the fields, listening daily for the church bells that would ring at the point of Elevation of the Eucharist during Mass to remind him to spend time with the Lord. He was known for his work ethic and honesty among his neighbors and desired a religious life from a young age.



Baylón taught himself to read so he could pray the Little Office of the Blessed Virgin, a prayer popular in his time. He would give parts of his dinner away to those in need when it was brought to him as he was shepherding in the field. He also had great compassion for the sick.

At age 24, Baylón joined the Friars Minor and although invited to study to be a priest, he chose to be a brother. In this vocation he served his brothers in many ways, including as a chef, door man, gardener, and official beggar. As a Franciscan lay brother, he took a vow of poverty but remained generous to those poor who came begging at the monastery — to the point that the other friars sometimes tried to limit his giving.

St. Paschal found particular solace while praying before the Blessed Sacrament. His devotion to Christ in the Eucharist was tangible as he was known to spend most of his free time in adoration and would occasionally experience visions after all-night prayer. Because of this devotion, he is the Patron Saint of Eucharistic Congresses and Societies. He was also known widely for his spiritual council. People all over the region would visit him to talk about faith and life. St. Paschal Baylón, pray for us!

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The Good Shepherd and the Wolf

I remember very clearly the first movie I watched during my pregnancy with my eldest child. In this film, there is a scene where a young boy is kidnapped and shoved into the back of a van guarded by vicious dogs. His mother persists in trying to free him, even as the dogs snap at her. Their bared teeth and full-throated snarls don't slow her efforts in the slightest.

It wasn't a great movie or even a particularly great scene, but I'll never forget this scene. I'll never forget those dogs.

I had just learned that I was a mother a few days ago. The life growing deep within seemed to me as frail as a whispered secret, but I loved it powerfully. I worried constantly if the baby was safe and healthy. I agonized over signs — real or imagined — that could tell me if the poppyseed-sized child was thriving or failing.

I understood, for the first time in my life, why a woman would charge a pack of attack dogs without hesitation — not because she should, but because she has to.

She could choose not to fight, certainly. She could walk away. But why would she? A future without her son is so much more painful than any physical wound. She may fear for her life, but she fears a life without her child so much more.

The Good Shepherd discourse reveals to us the motivation behind God's actions throughout all of salvation history. From Adam to Noah to Abraham, all the way down to the time of the Messiah and beyond, He keeps trying to get us back. He keeps braving the attack dogs, time after time. He never stops. He never grows weary. And it baffles us: what's in it for Him? we wonder, because we are quicker to give up on ourselves than He is. Why does He keep trying?

He could choose not to fight, sure. But why would He? He doesn't want a future without us.

“I will lay down my life for the sheep.” — John 10:11

Report allegations of the abuse of a minor to the Department of Children and Families
800.922.5330
KBI Crime Hotline
800.572.7463

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If you suspect abuse of a minor by church or school personnel, in addition to contacting civil authorities, the diocese provides a confidential Hotline: 866.752.8855 ext.1067
Website: reportandprotect.com
Email: reportabuse@salinadiocese.org
Reports will be responded to promptly by the Victim Assistance Coordinator

To report an incident of sexual abuse and related misconduct by a Bishop or Religious Superior currently or in the past, the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Services provides a confidential Hotline: 800.276.1562
Website: reportbishopabuse.org

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The Diocese of Salina complies with Kansas laws regarding reporting suspected abuse to civil authorities and cooperates with civil authorities investigating reports of suspected abuse by all persons, including but not limited to Church Personnel.



Questions regarding reporting should be directed the Safe Environment Office
Diocese of Salina -785.827.8746

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"God is light; and in him there is no darkness. If we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another."
1 John 1:5-7



STEWARDSHIP

Giving of our Time, Talent, and Trasure.

Confidence in Princes

Have you ever confided your problems to a friend, only to get the answer, "Have you prayed about it as much as you've talked about it?"

Like all good advice, it can really irritate the recipient at first. Here I am, vulnerable and wounded, unloading my problems, and this joker tries to load them right back up and ship them off to someone with a higher pay grade.

But again, like all good and irritating advice, it rings true if you sit and think about it.

Sure, venting is helpful. We all need that friend or family member who can listen to our problems. But if we ever start to think that person can solve them, it's a good sign that we're losing perspective.

Are you looking to the world for an answer? Are you looking in the mirror, expecting to find a solution to your problems? Are you expecting happiness, peace, contentment or justice to come from any place other than God?

"It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to put confidence in princes," the Psalms tell us. Well, I've never put much confidence in princes. But when it comes to problems, I often find myself telling God to take a step back — "I've got this."

It's tough to pray about any problem as much as you talk about it. We want so badly to tackle the issue ourselves. But I'll let you in on a secret: it doesn't matter what the question is, we don't have the answer. Take it to the One who does.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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USHERS NEEDED

For the 6:00pm Saturday night
Mass. Contact the parish office at
625-7356 to sign-up.

Suggestions for a Steward's Personal Growth in Faith

- Prayerfully prepare in advance for Mass every Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation.
- Commit to an hour each week in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.
- Spend 15 minutes a day in personal prayer.
- Refrain from gossip.
- Attend Mass on a weekday.
- Pray Grace at meal times (even in restaurants).
- Read one paragraph of the Catechism of the Catholic Church daily/weekly.
- Share a meal with family removed from distractions of TV, phones, etc.
- Read Rediscover Catholicism by Matthew Kelly.
- Go to confession at least once a month.
- Visit someone who lives alone or is homebound.
- Discuss the Catholic Faith with my children/parents.
- Read the Bible for 25 minutes a week.
- Pray for the monthly intentions of Pope Francis.
- Invite a friend or neighbor to Mass.
- Pray together with my family.
- Join a formation or prayer group in the parish.
- Refrain from complaining.
- Pray the rosary at least once a week.
- Practice hospitality by greeting others at Mass.
- Join a Parish Book Program study group.
- Unplug from all social media for a period each day.

**St. Joseph
2024 - 2025
Pastoral Council Elections**
SAMPLE BALLOT
May 3/4, 2024
Please vote for 3 or fewer.
Voting for more than three
candidates will disqualify the ballot.



X Mark Herl

A life-long member of St. Joseph parish, Mark has just completed his first 3-year-term on the Pastoral Council. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and assists with our K-8 Faith Formation and OCIA programs. He is also an usher at the 10:30am Mass. He is employed at HaysMed. His vision for the parish is growth. "I love hearing all the little ones at Mass!" Mark is married to Rachel and they have one daughter, Elena.



X Sam Allen

Sam has been a member of St. Joseph parish for 20 years. He is currently working as an office assistant for the FHSU Criminal Justice Department. His involvement at St. Joseph includes reader, Eucharistic Minister, and Lenten bread baker. His vision for the parish is, "...to encourage and expand the number of people who participate in the many incredible ministries that St. Joseph's offers."



X Brad Kesl

Brad, his wife Karen, and son Taylor have been members of St. Joseph Parish for 2 1/2 years after moving to Hays. At his previous parish in Salina he served on the pastoral council and as chairman of the building and grounds committee. "I find it refreshing to belong to a parish that embraces its history. I understand the importance of maintaining our historic church building. Growth seems to be occurring in parishes that adhere to time honored values and traditions and I see this as an opportunity for St. Joseph parish."



X Krysten Eilert

Krysten has been a member of the parish since 2018. She is married to Nicholas Eilert and they have one daughter, Rose. She is active in the parish choir, has helped make meatless soups for the Lenten soup suppers, and helps at the St. Joseph Food Pantry. "...my vision for the parish is to lead by example, much like in a family unit. Children learn from watching what you do and how you treat others. Parish life is similar in that if we want our children to grow up in the Church to be active members, then we ourselves need to do the same thing."



X Karen Marsell

Karen and her husband, Doug have been members of St. Joseph Church for 23 years. They are parents to three daughters and have been blessed with five grandchildren. During her time at the parish, she has been active as a reader, an Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister to the Homebound, member of the OCIA team, and a member of the Order of the Secular Franciscans. Karen enjoys the faithful, prayerful people of the parish with the church's rich traditional setting. She would like to see more parishioners, who are not involved, become involved in at least one ministry.



X Troy Haas

Troy Haas has been a member of the parish for 34 years and has just finished his first 3-year-term on the Pastoral Council. He has been married to Brenda (Lager) Haas 3 years. Troy is involved at the 10:30 Mass as an EM, Homebound EM, Knights of Columbus, Parish Activities, and Vocations Commission. He is also a member of the Order of Secular Franciscans. "I see the growth of younger people being involved in the parish and would to see it continue and hopefully blessed by more vocations to the religious life and priesthood."



X Jen Schmidtberger

After having been a member of St. Joseph Parish in her childhood, Jennifer returned to St. Joseph and registered as a parishioner two years ago. She currently serves as a reader, rosary leader, and 3rd grade Faith Formation catechist. Jennifer works as an assessment manager for Jana's Campaign. "My vision for the parish is to be a place where the love of the Lord is shared with all people through example and virtue, and for the parish to help adults and children build strong relationships with God and with each other."

GROWING WITH THE Gospel

CYCLE B



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



PUZZLE

Help this lamb find his way into the sheep pen with Jesus.



MISSION

Learn as much as you can about Jesus, so you can follow him. Read a Bible story with your family every night before bed.



BECAUSE VIBRANT CHURCHES MATTER

4th Sunday of Easter • John 10:11-18



YOUTH FAITH FORMATION IN & AROUND OUR PARISH



ST. JOSEPH FAITH FORMATION

Coordinator - Allison Ochoa / 785-625-7356

If you have questions about any element of the Faith Formation program at our parish, please contact Allison Ochoa at 625-7356 or stjdre@stjohays.com for more information.

HOLY FAMILY ELEMENTARY

1800 Milner - 785-625-3131 - www.hfehays.org

- April 22 Advisory Council Mtg. 5:15 p.m. in Lounge
- April 24 Administrative Professionals Day
- April 26 Race for Education Day
- May 2 Teacher Appreciation Mass & Recognition
- May 3 First Friday Prayer Circles
- May 6 No Bus Services
- May 7 2nd Gr. 1st Communion Recognition at school mass

THOMAS MORE PREP - MARIAN

1701 Hall ~ 785-625-6577 - www.tmp-m.org

- Mon. Apr. 22: 8am - (HS) Seniors help with ACE auction preparations
10:45am - (JH) Meals on Wheels Deliveries
- Tues. Apr. 23: 10:45am - (JH) Meals on Wheels Deliveries
1pm - (JH) "B" Track at Great Bend
1pm - (HS) JV Golf at Smith Center
4pm - (HS) Baseball vs Great Bend
4pm - (HS) Softball vs Hoisington
5pm - (HS) Soccer at Wichita-Word of Life
- Wed. Apr. 24: 10:45am - (JH) Meals on Wheels Deliveries
3:30pm - (JH/HS) Garden Club Work Time
- Thurs. Apr. 25: 10:45am - (JH) Meals on Wheels Deliveries
4pm - (HS) Softball vs Hays High
5pm - (HS) Soccer vs Liberal
- Fri. Apr. 26: 10am - (JH) Track at Hays Middle School
10am - (HS) V Track at Beloit
10:45am - (JH) Meals on Wheels Deliveries
3pm - (HS) Softball at Ellinwood
4pm - (HS) Baseball at Russell
7pm - 9pm ACE Preview Party
- Sat. Apr. 27: 8am - (HS) KSHSAA State Solo/Ensemble Contest
9am - 11am Auction Item Viewing in Al Billinger Fieldhouse
10am - 11am Garden Club Work Time
5pm - 11pm ACE Auction

Religious Education Schedule

Wed. April 24	Class
Wed. May 1	Closing Mass & Celebration

First Reconciliation & Communion Schedule

Sat., May 4	First Communion Practice St. Joseph Church 1:00 p.m.
Sun., May 5	First Communion Mass St. Joseph Church - 1:00 p.m.

Confirmation Schedule

Sun., May 5	Confirmation Practice
Wed., May 8	Confirmation Mass, 7:00 p.m.

WE ARE HIRING!

ST. JOSEPH PARISH



FULL-TIME MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR

The person in this position manages operations and repair for the rectory, church campus, buildings, and cemeteries. The Supervisor oversees two team members.

Normal hours for this position are 7:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, with occasional night and weekend hours required. Applicants will be subject to a background check.

To request a full job description or to learn more about its accompanying salary and benefits, contact Ann Pfeifer, Parish Business Administrator, at 785-625-7356. You can email a resume to Ann directly at stjoffice@stjohays.com or drop off a resume at 215 W. 13th Street, Hays. Priority deadline: Friday, March 15th. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.



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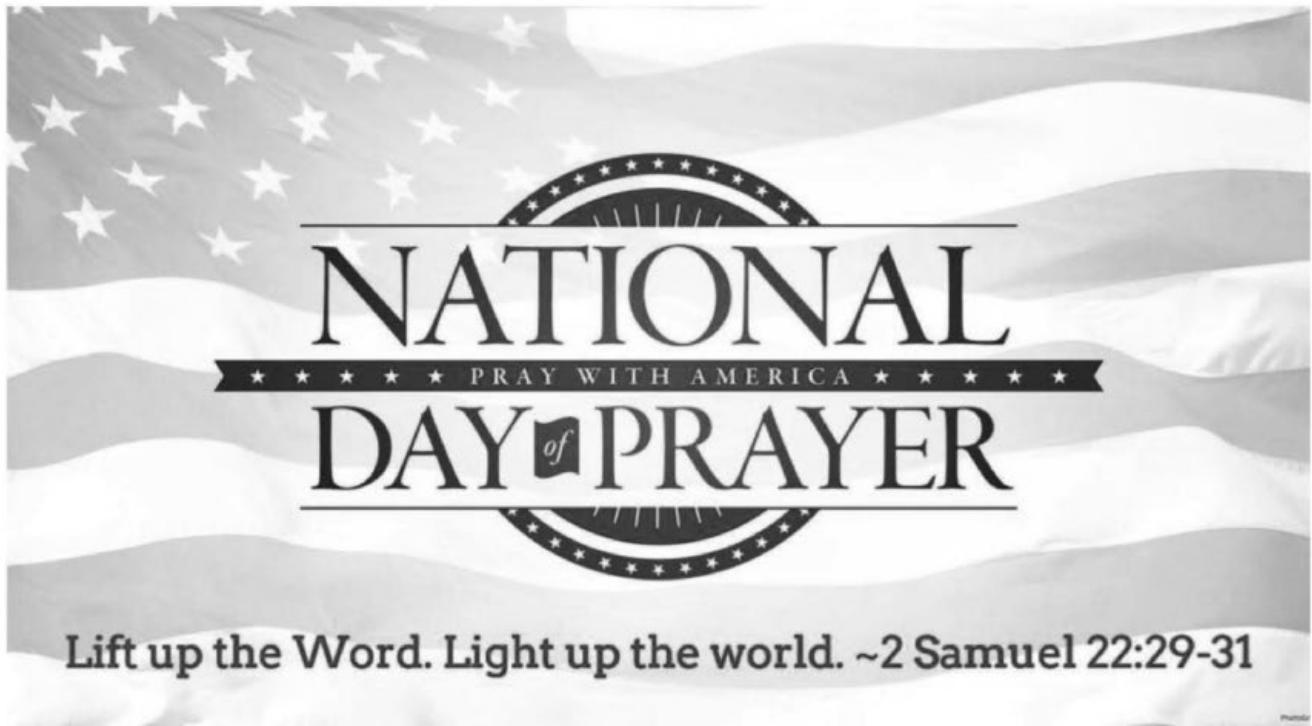
Marc Hertel

mhortel@ihm-church.com / 785-625-7339

Any donations of furniture, décor, appliances, food/drink, or games are greatly appreciated!

Apr 21st- 1:00 – 3:30 p.m. Jr CYO Bingo Fundraiser in HFE Activity Center

Apr 24th- 7:30 p.m. CYO Meeting in HFE Little Theatre



Date: Thursday May 2, 2024

Time: 12:00-1:00pm

Place: VFW Ballroom

2106 Vine St.

*Let's come together as a
nation to pray for our nation!*

HEARTLAND PARISH NEWS



Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel-IHM
 We are looking for Adoration substitutes. Please consider and pray to be a substitute for those who have an hour, or to commit to one hour of your own. To sign up or get more information, please feel free to contact Brian & Michelle DeWitt by text or calling 785-625-2481 or emailing
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HOUR(S) OPEN
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DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA The next monthly meeting of the D of I, Circle #254, will be held on Tuesday, May 14, in the IHM Activity Center, starting at 6:30 p.m.

The D of I will be celebrating its 101st Anniversary on April 21st at the 10:00 Mass at IHM. A rosary will be prayed at 9:30 a.m.

The D of I helps support our youth. The Jr. CYO will have a BINGO in the IHM Activity Center on Sunday, April 21, from 1:00-4:00 p.m. Members, please bring a dessert for prizes to the Activity Center by 12:45 p.m. Everyone is invited for an afternoon of fun.

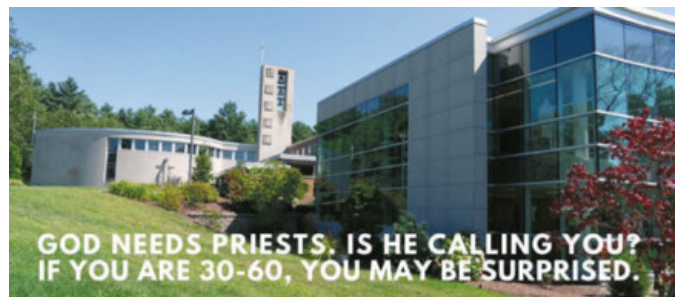
The D of I sponsors BINGO at the Heritage Bingo, 114 East 12th, Hays, KS., It is held the 1st 3rd and 5th Fridays of each month.

***Thank you to all who donated, helped, and participated at the Stars and Stripes breakfast. Raffle donors and winners were:**

- *50/50 raffle – \$208 - Lee and Bev Gross
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- *Ashley furniture – gift card – Valerie Hammerschmidt
- *All Stitched Up Custom Embroidery – table runner – Janet Koerner

PRAYER FOR LIFE KANSAS - Plans are underway for the Second Annual Prayer for Life Kansas. This will include a Rosary Procession around Capitol Square in Topeka on Friday, April 26th, 2024, at 2pm. On April 26th, 2019, the Kansas Supreme Court held in Hodes & Nauser MDs v. Schmidt that the Kansas Constitution protects the "natural" right to abortion. We are excited to join with other dioceses across Kansas in prayer for the end to the legalization of Abortion in our state.



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