



St. Joseph Catholic Church

215 West 13th - Hays, Ks. 67601



Comeau Catholic Campus Center

506 W. 6th - Hays, Ks. 67601

CHRIST THE KING November 22, 2020

St. Joseph Mass Times

Saturday: 8:00am & 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am & 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; Wed. 5:00pm

Sun. 6:45-7:15am / 9:30-10:15am

First Friday Deviations: Noon

Comeau Campus Center Mass Times

Sunday: 9:00am & 6:00pm

Monday - Thursday: 5:45pm

Friday: 12:10pm

Holy Day Masses 4:45pm

Confession - Mon. - Thurs., 5:00-5:40pm

Sunday, 5:00-5:30pm

(All Year)

Adoration - After Mass, Tues, 9:30am

ends Wed. 5:45pm.

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Mon.- Thurs. 8:00am - 4:00pm

Fri. 8:00 a.m. - noon

Office Closed Saturday, Sunday,

Holy Days/Holidays



OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST,
KING OF THE
UNIVERSE

"Then the king will say
to those on his right,
'Come, you who are
blessed by my Father.
Inherit the kingdom
prepared for you from
the foundation of the
world.'" - Mt 25:34

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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."

MASS INTENTIONS

Our parish will be adding a 9:00am Mass starting next Sunday, November 29th in order to promote social distancing at our Masses. This will be a simple Mass with no singing or the use of servers. This Mass will be a temporary addition during the pandemic. We hope that you will take advantage of this third Mass to lower the numbers at our other Masses.

Sunday, Nov. 22, 2020 - Our Lord, Christ the King

Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46
 6:45 - 7:15 a.m. Confessions
 7:30 a.m. +Charlotte Brantley
 9:00 a.m.C L/D Mem Dell & Mary Ann Keil
 9:30 - 10:15am Confessions
 10:30 a.m. L/D Mem Ed & Donna Stehno
 6:00 p.m.C For the Parish

Monday, Nov. 23, 2020 - St. Clement

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Lk 21:1-4
 6:30 a.m. +Donald L. Dreiling
No Campus Masses or Confessions this week.

Tuesday, Nov. 24, 2020 - St. Andrew Dung-Lac

Rv 14:14-19/Lk 21:5-11
 6:30 a.m. +Mary A. Schmeidler
NO BIBLE STUDY TONIGHT

Wednesday, Nov. 25, 2020 - St. Catherine of Alexandria

Rv 15:1-4/Lk 21:12-19
 6:30 a.m. +LaVerne Stieben (Ann.)
 5:00 p.m. SJ Confessions

Thursday, Nov. 26, 2020 - Thanksgiving Day

Rv 18:1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3, 9a/Lk 21:20-28
8:00 a.m. For the Parish

Friday, Nov. 27, 2020 -

Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2/Lk 21:29-33
NO MASS TODAY

Saturday, Nov 28, 2020

Rv 22:1-7/Lk 21:34-36
 8:00 a.m. Vocations
 2:00 a.m. Wedding - Plante & Welcher
 3:30 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation
 5:00 p.m. L/D Mem Harold & JoAnn Crispin

Sunday, Nov. 29, 2020 - First Sunday of Advent

Is 63:16b-17, 19b, 64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37
 6:45 - 7:15 a.m. Confessions
 7:30 a.m. For the Parish
 9:00 a.m.C +Darrell McGinnis
9:00 a.m. Poor Souls (St. Joseph Additional Mass)
 10:30 a.m. +Jim Biermann
 6:00 p.m.C For the Parish
 7:00 p.m. Advent Vespers/Confessions

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Advent 1	5:00 pm Sat. Nov. 28	7:30am Sun. Nov. 29	10:30am Sun. Nov. 29
Sacristan	Sarah Vonfeldt	Kevin Augustine	Vickie Walker
Altar Servers	Janet Hugunin Abby Hugunin Karlee Crispin Avery Brown	Blaise Staab Evan Staab	Gordon Schroeder Jack Schroeder Faith Schmeidler Grace Schmeidler
Cantor	Jeanne Geist	Liz Schmeidler	Lisa Eisimiger
EM HB		Judy Dischner Irvin Leiker	Adele Shaver Troy Haas
Reader	Anthony Walters Randy Walker	Maddy Mall Allen Schmidt	Carolyn Herman Kim Schmeidler
Usher	Cletus Knipp Joe Billinger	Bruce Goetz Steve Dreiling	Jon Schmeidler Eric Augustine

ADVENT VESPERS

Sunday Evening, November 29th, 7:00pm

Cantor: Abby Staab
Server: Jesse Staab
Reader: Joyce Dinges



ADVENT VESPERS

Adoration - Confessions -
Benediction



Join us at 7:00 pm on Sunday
Evenings During Advent.

The service will consist of Hymns, Prayers, Adoration, Time for Confession, and Benediction.

*In the midst of all the world's chaos
We offer HIS presence, Peace and Love.*

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Budgeted envelopes/offertory per week	\$20,900.00
Actual envelopes/offertory received 11/09/20-11/15/20	\$17,114.91
For this week, the collection is ahead (behind)	(\$3,785.09)
Budgeted envelopes/offertory thru 10/31/2020	\$362,266.72
Actual envelopes/offertory thru 10/31/2020	\$289,336.12
As of 10/31/2020 we are ahead (behind) budget for the fiscal year.	(\$72,930.60)

Pastor's Notes

Sacrosanctum Concilium, The Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy, Vatican II, Series Part 20

54. In Masses which are celebrated with the people, a suitable place may be allotted to their mother tongue. This is to apply in the first place to the readings and "the common prayer," but also, as local conditions may warrant, to those parts which pertain to the people, according to the norm laid down in Art. 36 of this Constitution.

Nevertheless steps should be taken so that the faithful may also be able to say or to sing together in Latin those parts of the Ordinary of the Mass which pertain to them.

And wherever a more extended use of the mother tongue within the Mass appears desirable, the regulation laid down in Art. 40 of this Constitution is to be observed.

55. That more perfect form of participation in the Mass whereby the faithful, after the priest's communion, receive the Lord's body from the same sacrifice, is strongly commended.

The dogmatic principles which were laid down by the Council of Trent remaining intact [40], communion under both kinds may be granted when the bishops think fit, not only to clerics and religious, but also to the laity, in cases to be determined by the Apostolic See, as, for instance, to the newly ordained in the Mass of their sacred ordination, to the newly professed in the Mass of their religious profession, and to the newly baptized in the Mass which follows their baptism.

56. The two parts which, in a certain sense, go to make up the Mass, namely, the liturgy of the word and the eucharistic liturgy, are so closely connected with each other that they form but one single act of worship. Accordingly this sacred Synod strongly urges pastors of souls that, when instructing the faithful, they insistently teach them to take their part in the entire Mass, especially on Sundays and feasts of obligation.

[40] Session XXI, July 16, 1562. *Doctrine on Communion under Both Species*, chap. 1-3: *Concilium Tridentinum. Diariorum, Actorum, Epistolarum, Tractatum nova collectio* ed. Soc. Goerresiana, tome VIII (Freiburg in Br., 1919), 698-699.

Paragraph 54 above states the importance of knowing certain parts of the Mass in Latin. This allows the Latin Church, of which we are a member, to come together when many different languages are present to celebrate together, and also for us to hold to our mother language, the language that formed the Mass in which we participate. Allowing us to be tied to our ancestors in the faith. This paragraph leads us back to paragraph 40 in which it outlines the parts that every Latin Rite Catholic ought to know in Latin. This includes, the Gloria, the Creed, Sanctus, Memorial Acclamation, Agnus Dei, and the Lord's Prayer. Each of us ought to know these by heart to pray them in the Liturgy as one united in faith.

Paragraph 56 above also reminds us to take part in the whole Mass. Leaving early, coming late, darting in and out ought to be avoided. I know that sometimes it is out of our control to get here on time. We can help the leaving early aspect, we ought to be willing worship our God for the whole of the Mass and not just when it is convenient for us. God has given us so much. May we be willing to receive His gift and also give our lives as a gift in return.

Announcement from Fr. Brian

Soon it will be time to celebrate the joy of Christmas. Knowing that this celebration has typically filled our masses with our parishioners, their families and friends, we are letting you know that we are taking measures to provide for the safety of all as we continue through this pandemic.

Extra mass times will be added to encourage parishioners to social distance. Hand Sanitizer and masks will be available at the entrances. There will not be a Children's Pageant at the 5pm Mass this year. All Christmas masses will be held at St. Joseph Church, (No Campus Masses).

Mass times will be:

Christmas Eve: 5pm, 7pm, 9pm and Midnight

Christmas Day: 7:30am and 10:30am

New Years' Eve: 5 pm & 7 pm

New Year's Day: 9 am

We look forward to this beautiful season of Advent and to joyfully welcome you home for the Christmas season.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH NEWS

THANKSGIVING WEEK INFORMATION

- ◆ There are **NO** Masses at the Comeau Campus Center Thanksgiving week, Monday, November 23 - Friday, November 27th. These intentions have been moved to January 2021.
- ◆ The parish office will be closed from Wednesday, November 25 - Friday, November 27.
- ◆ Thanksgiving Day Mass at St. Joseph will be 8:00am. There will be **NO** Thanksgiving Day Mass at the Campus.
- ◆ There will be **NO** Mass on Friday morning, November 27th at St. Joseph.
- ◆ No confessions, Wednesday at 5:00pm at St. Joseph or at the campus.

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FOOD BLESSING

Please bring your bread, wine, food items that you want blessed to share with your family at your Thanksgiving meal. Please place these items by the Blessed Mother altar. These will be blessed after the 8:00am Mass on Thanksgiving.

SACRED HEART ROOM is open during regular office hours. We have many religious articles for **FREE**, stop by and see what we have. We also take those religious items you no longer want or need.

Sacristans Needed

We are in need of sacristans to help with the weekend Masses, 5:00pm Saturday and 7:30am & 10:30am on Sundays. If you are interested in this parish ministry, please contact Kevin at the parish office. Thank you!

Wednesdays at 7:30pm
New members always welcome!


CHOIR

Rehearsal

Wednesday Nights

MEMORIAL CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

This year we would like to offer families the opportunity to donate \$30.00 for a poinsettia in memory of a loved one. Please place your \$30 donation in an envelope with a note in whose intention you would like to have listed on the flower pot. Donations and intentions will also be listed in the December 27th bulletin. This bulletin will have to go to the printers early, a week before Christmas, so please get your envelopes in early.



Your generosity is very much appreciated!

ST. JOSEPH'S WEEK IN A GLANCE: Nov. 22 - 28, 2020 C = Catholic Campus Center; KB=Kennedy Building; PO = Parish Office; SJ=St. Joe Church

SUN	22	MON	23	TUES	24	WED	25	THURS	26	FRI	27	SAT	28
6:45-7:15am Confessions - SJ 7:30am Mass - SJ 9:00am Mass - CCC 9:30-10:15am Confessions- SJ 10:30am Mass - SJ 6:00pm Mass - CCC		6:30am Mass - SJ		6:30am Mass - SJ		6:30am Mass - SJ NO Confessions		NO 6:30am Mass 8:00am Mass - SJ		NO 6:30am Mass		8:00am Mass - SJ 3:30pm Confessions - SJ 5:00pm Mass - SJ	
No Campus Masses or Confessions this week													
				No Bible Study Today		7:30pm Choir Practice							

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Solemnity of Christ the King

Many Americans are fascinated with England's monarchy. For many different reasons, we are drawn to the regal pageantry and all of the protocols associated with royal lifestyles. What's most amazing is that for all of the media attention focused on the comings and goings of English royalty, they really have very little effect on the day to day dealings of their country. Thoughts and images of kings and queens are often centered on this story book understanding of who and what they are. We associate protocols, etiquette, and proper words and actions to how we approach members of a royal family. These tools serve the necessary purpose of keeping them isolated, enthroned, and at a distance. There is something attractive about being an observer of ritual, pomp, and circumstance. It's almost theatrical.

Is this how we see Jesus Christ, too? We often behave as if Christ is an isolated, enthroned, royal, and even ineffective king. Jesus wants nothing to do with having the status of an earthly king. Jesus also does not want to be watched, observed, or set apart. He wants to get down and dirty with the very stuff of life especially the poor, marginalized, confused, hurting, lost, broken, imprisoned, and forgotten ones. Jesus is the king who turns the tables on us and wants not only our attention but our engagement and conversion. He wants us to get dirty too.

How we treat other people is at the heart of Christ's kingdom. "Whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me." At different times in our lives we are all counted among the "least" ones. We may not be physically poor, but we can easily become emotionally and spiritually poor. We may not be marginalized as many physically are, cast aside because they have too many needs or don't quite fit in. But who hasn't experienced isolation, loneliness, inner turmoil, angst, heartache, or loss? Almost every human being has experienced brokenness at one point or another, or will most definitely at some future point, facing discouragement, fear, insecurity. People are thirsty for more than water. We are imprisoned by our prejudices, misconceived notions and ideas, self-focused obsessions and ideologies. There is a lot of pain and many least ones around us. Stop, look and listen. This is what Christ the King is asking us to do. Look deeply into the eyes and soul of your sisters and brothers, all

of them, and see Christ himself.

Being a spectator and observing all of the pageantry isn't enough. Jesus wants us to inherit the kingdom and live the kingdom. It is built on the blocks of love, mercy, compassion, hope, faith, and blessing. It engages those who want it, changes and informs minds, inspires and transforms hearts, converts and renews souls, and sets things right. There is such a great need around us. Are you ready and willing to do whatever you can to serve in God's kingdom?

QUESTION & ANSWER

Question: What is Eucharistic Adoration?

Answer: The practice of Eucharistic Adoration is a centuries old ritual and falls within a broader category of devotions and rituals that are associated with the Sacrament of the Eucharist. In a particular way, Eucharistic Adoration is an extension of the worship and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament that occurs in every Mass.

In a long-standing practice, a period of Eucharistic Adoration often ends with "benediction," the blessing of the faith with the Blessed Sacrament.

Several parishes throughout the United States have introduced the practice of perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, while other communities have the custom of shorter periods of Eucharistic Adoration. Care should always be taken that these periods of adoration respect the instructions outlined in Holy Communion and Worship of the Eucharist Outside of Mass, the liturgical book that gives the instructions for the proper celebration of Eucharistic Adoration.

Although adoration of the Blessed Sacrament can never take the place of Eucharistic Communion, many Catholics find great comfort and consolation in their prayers before the Eucharist enshrined in the tabernacle or when it is exposed in the monstrance (both are equally valid, as the Christ is not more present in one than in the other). But when we consider our eucharistic devotions, it is always important to remember the fundamental connection these acts of devotion have the celebration of the Eucharist in the Mass and reception of Christ in Communion.

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2020 - Advent/Christmas Schedule - 2021

Our Lady Help of Christians - Antonino
St. Anthony - Schoenchen
St. Catherine - Catharine

St. Joseph - Hays
Immaculate Heart of Mary - Hays
St. Nicholas of Myra - Hays

St. Francis of Assisi - Munjor
Comeau Catholic Campus Center



November 26, 2020 - Thanksgiving

Munjor- 9:30am
St. Joseph - 8:00am
St. Nicholas of Myra - 8:00am

November 29, 2020 - First Sunday of Advent

St. Joseph Advent Vespers/Adoration/Confessions - 7:00pm

December 6, 2020 - Second Sunday of Advent

IHM - Evening of Prayer - 7:30pm
IHM - CYO Advent Night Prayer - 8:00pm
St. Joseph Advent Vespers/Adoration/Confessions - 7:00pm

December 7, 2020 - Monday, Vigil-Immaculate Conception

Catholic Campus Center - 5:45pm
Immaculate Heart of Mary - 5:30pm
St. Nicholas of Myra - 5:30pm

December 8, 2020 - Tuesday, Immaculate Conception

Catholic Campus Center - 5:45pm
IHM - 8:00am, 5:30pm, 7:00pm (Spanish)
St. Francis of Assisi (Munjor) - 5:30pm
St. Joseph - 6:30am, 12:10pm, 7:00pm
St. Nicholas of Myra - 12:10pm

December 9, 2020 - Wednesday

St. Joseph - Confessions, 5:00pm

December 10, 2020- Thursday

IHM/HFE Advent Liturgy - 8:00am

December 12, 2020- Saturday, Our Lady of Guadalupe

IHM - Danza (HFE Gymnasium) - 5:30am; 6-7am Mananitas
IHM - Danza (HFE Gymnasium) - 11:30am, Mass - 12:00pm

December 13, 2020 - Third Sunday of Advent

IHM - Communal Penance Service - 3:00pm
St. Joseph Advent Vespers/Adoration/Confessions - 7:00pm

December 15, 2020 - Tuesday

Nicholas of Myra, Communal Penance Service, 7:00pm

December 16, 2020 - Wednesday

Munjor, Communal Penance Service, 7:00pm
IHM - Posadas - 7:00pm
St. Joseph - Confessions, 5:00pm

December 20, 2020 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

St. Joseph Advent Vespers/Adoration/Confessions - 7:00pm

December 23, 2020 - Wednesday

St. Joseph - Confessions, 5:00pm

December 24, 2020 - Thursday, Christmas Eve

Antonino - 4:00pm
IHM - 3:00pm, 5:00pm, 7:00pm (Spanish), 10:00pm
IHM - No Morning Mass or Confessions
Munjor - 7:00pm
Schoenchen - 5:00pm
St. Joseph - 5:00pm, 7:00pm, 9:00pm
St. Joseph - 11:30pm Choir Christmas Music, Mass at Midnight
St. Nicholas of Myra - 5:00pm, 9:00pm

December 25, 2020 - Friday, - Christmas Day

IHM - 8:00am, 10:00am
IHM - NO 12pm or 6pm Masses or Confessions today.
Catharine - 9:00am
St. Joseph - 7:30am, 10:30am
St. Nicholas of Myra -9:30am

December 26, 2020 - Saturday

IHM - NO 8:00am Daily Mass
St. Joseph - 5:00pm

December 27, 2020 - Sunday, 2020

St. Joseph - 7:30am & 10:30am

December 31, 2020 - Thursday - Solemnity of Mary (Vigil)

Antonino -
IHM - 5:30pm & 7:30pm (Spanish)
Schoenchen -
St. Joseph - 5:00pm & 7:00pm
St. Nicholas of Myra - 5:00pm

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Spiritual Warfare!

Listen to Divine Mercy Radio
 Fall Care-a-Thon
 December 1-4
 Radio @ 105.7 – Phone app – Echo --
 @dvmercy.com – Live on Facebook & YouTube
 of special interest to **St. Joseph:**

Tuesday, December 1

7 am – George Toman & Donetta Robben
 Expansion and beginning the care-a-thon

9:30 am – Rachel Wentling
 Principal of Holy Family Elementary

10 am – Fr. Ryan McCandless
 Advent & Art

12 pm – Christian Lutz & Cory Munsch
 Spiritual reaty & confirmation

1 pm – Fr. Fred Gatschet
 The spiritual attack on the family

2 pm – Lucas Roths – Surprised by Joy
 Lessons from C.S. Lewis

Wednesday, December 2

7 am – Fr. Brian Lager
 Discipleship as a daily spiritual warfare

8 am – George Toman
 Ralph Martin's book, *Crisis in the Church*

9:30 am – Chad Meitner
 Principal of TMP-Marian

5 pm – Dave DiNuzzo
 A parent's role in fighting spiritual warfare for and with their children

Thursday, December 3

7 am – Cody Marintzer
 The spiritual attack on children and teens

10 am – Fr. Matthew Cowan
 How to live in a world that makes us afraid to live

1 pm – Darin Reed
 Blessed Michael J. McGivney

2 pm – Mary Schroeder
 Lessons learned from an at-home Ignatius Retreat

4 pm – Geoff Andrews
 Superintendent of Schools, Diocese of Salina

Friday, December 4

7 am – Bill Meagher

8 am – Joe Dellesega
 Father Kapaun's Second Miracle

9 am – Fr. Michael Kerschen
 How Satan tempts us

4 pm – Bishop Gerald Vincke
 Purgatory & the Poor Souls



FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

Dec. 4

Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration in Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus



SIC + DEVS + DILEXIT + MVNDVM

First Fridays of the Month

12:00pm Noon

St. Joseph Church
215 West 13th
Hays, Ks.

- Hymns
- Adoration begins at Noon
- Rosary
- Litany of the Sacred Heart
- Act of Reparation to the Sacred Heart
- Benediction at 1:00pm



Please join us to pray on these First Fridays of the month for vocations to the priesthood and in reparation for sins against the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Every Saturday we offer Mass for the intention of vocations to the priesthood in our diocese. You may fulfill the requirements for the First Saturday devotions when we offer Mass on Saturday mornings at 8 am.

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: November 21st & December 5


ITEMS NEEDED FOR NOVEMBER: Soups, fruits, proteins, and cereals.

We will follow social distancing and mask guidelines as directed by our city. Patrons are asked to park their cars and enter through the usual doors near the gym, however PLEASE do NOT get out of your vehicle before the doors open at 9am in order to follow guidelines. Patrons will be directed into the cafeteria where you will remain in a group with the people you came with in your vehicle. When all spaces are filled, you may be asked to wait outside until someone else leaves.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience!

ST. JOSEPH DIAPER CLOSET

Donations Needed: Disposable Diapers: Sizes 1-6, esp. the larger sizes, Baby Wipes: fragrance free, monetary donations. Donated items can be left in the Food Pantry barrels located in the Kennedy Building, doors 25 & 26, from **8:00am - 3:00pm**. Monetary gifts may be directed to St. Joseph - DIAPER CLOSET and mailed to the parish office or placed in the weekend collections. Your generosity is very much appreciated.



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

St. Joseph Faith Formation

St. Joseph Parish Faith Formation Calendar 20-21	
Wed. Nov. 25	No Class Thanksgiving Break
Wed. Dec. 2	Class, 6:30 - 7:30pm
Wed. Dec. 9	Class, 6:30 - 7:30pm
Wed. Dec. 16	Class, 6:30 - 7:30pm

FIRST RECONCILIATION & COMMUNION SCHEDULE	
Sun. Dec. 13	First Reconciliation 1:00pm St. Joseph Church
Wed. Apr. 7	First Communion Retreat 6:30pm - 7:30 p.m. St. Joseph Church
Wed. Apr. 28	First Communion Practice 6:30 p.m. St. Joseph Church
Sun. May 2	First Communion Mass 10:30 a.m. St. Joseph Church

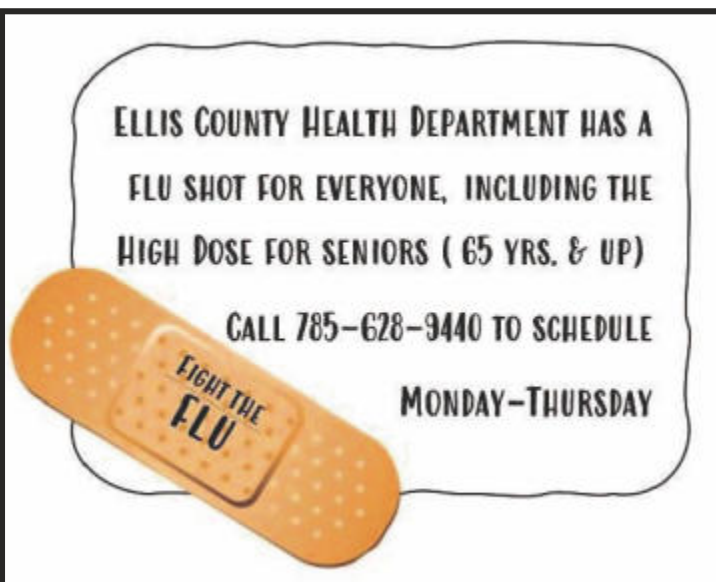
CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE	
TBA	Confirmation Retreat
TBA	Letter to Bishop and Confirmation Paperwork
Sat. Mar. 13	Confirmation Practice,
Sun. Mar. 14	Confirmation Mass, 10:30a.m.





- Nov 23 Advisory Council Mtg.
5:15 p.m. Library
- Nov 25-27 NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
- Dec 1 June Birthday Mass for “B” Classes
- Dec 2 All Staff Mtg. 3:40 p.m. (virtual)
- Dec 3 June Birthday Lunch & Mass for “A” Classes
- Dec 4 Remote Learning Day
(students learn from home)
- Dec 8 NO SCHOOL – Holy Day
- Dec 9 Mary’s Baby Shower
- Dec 10 3rd – 6th Gr. Reconciliation 2:00 p.m.

You can support HFE by recycling your aluminum cans in our trailer across the street North of the school/church in the small gravel parking lot on 19th! Simply bring by a trash bag of them to drop off anytime! Try the new BoxTops for Education app on your phone or devices! You have 2 weeks to scan your store receipts to earn our school points \$\$ automatically, just from your phone! We can give your pulltabs to HHS for the Ronald McDonald Houses of America! Thanks for your continued support!!!



Lighting the Darkness

A long standing tradition is returning to our Heartland Parishes Catholic Schools. On Monday December 7th, we will light the winter darkness and celebrate the Advent season in the Grotto at TMP-Marian. Trees and candles will be lit, songs will be sung and played, cider and hot chocolate will be served. Many details are still in the works but if you or your business would like to be a part of this joyful event, please email Kim Stoeklein at stoekleink@tmpmarian.org.

Sports Booster Club Raffle

The raffle drawing for the Sports Booster Club will be held live online at tmp-m.org on Saturday, November 21st at 7pm. Even though we cannot join together as we usually do, all tickets purchased will be honored and drawn for the great prizes! Good luck!!!

St. Thomas More Society

We ask for your prayers and continued support for the St. Thomas More Society (STMS), the largest operational fund for TMP-Marian and Holy Family Elementary. Soon the annual campaign will arrive in homes and we pray that it will be met with generosity for the future of Catholic education. This year, the STMS is called upon to raise \$520,000. For questions or to contribute to the STMS, please contact Troy Ruda at rudat@tmpmarian.org.

In-Person Learning at Our Catholic Schools - Subs Needed!

Students at TMP-Marian and Holy Family Elementary have been learning in-person since the beginning of the school year in August. We are so thankful to be able to keep our students in the school. Navigating the path of this pandemic to make this possible is not an easy task and we are always in need of substitute teachers. If you are interested please contact either Chad Meitner at meitnerc@tmpmarian.org or Rachel Wentling at rwentling@hfehays.org. A per diem is available for this service.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

Are you interested in becoming a D of I member? Please contact Peggy Feltis at 785-628-1336 for more information. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Joseph Knights of Columbus, Council #1325 meets every **FIRST** Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Parish school building, room 110 (the old art room). Enter through south door, on the west side, marked #2.

KNOTS OF LOVE

This ministry meets the last Sunday of the month at 3:00 p.m. Place to be determined.

ORDER OF SECULAR FRANCISCANS

This group follows in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi and meets every third Sunday at the Comeau Campus Center at 1:30 p.m. For more information about the meetings or about the Order please contact Brenda Lager at 785-628-3107. Regional Franciscan Website: www.sfojuandepadilla.org.

PARISH CHOIR

The St. Joseph Parish Choir practices each Wednesday evening from 7:00pm - ~8:30pm

WOMEN OF ST JOSEPH SCRIPTURE SHARING GROUP

This group meets after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Saturday mornings in the large conference room. You may enter after Mass through the east sacristy door or if you are not attending Mass through the east side door to the parish offices.

Sacraments and Parish Information

ST. JOSEPH PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

To become a registered member of St. Joseph Parish, stop by the office to pick up a registration form or go to our website, www.stj-church.com and click on the **DOWNLOAD** button under the "Parish Registration Forms"

MARRIAGE-The first appointment must be made six (6) months before the proposed date of marriage. Couples expecting a traditional Catholic wedding are expected to be living a traditional Catholic lifestyle. Please contact the St. Joseph Parish Office.

BAPTISM - Please contact the St. Joseph Parish Office at 785-625-7356 to schedule a baptism. All first time parents need to take a baptism class.

FUNERAL
Please contact the parish office.

HOSPITAL VISITS - If you have a loved one in the hospital please be sure to contact the St. Joseph Parish Office.

HOMEBOUND VISITS - If you are homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, or if you are on the weekend schedule and will not need it for some reason, please call the parish office at 785-625-7356.

STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL FORMS (SRF) - Stewardship Renewal Forms are sent out at the end of January each year with tithing information. Parishioners are asked to look over these forms for any additions or corrections and send back to the parish office. These forms are used to help keep our records up to date.

SACRAMENTAL RECORDS
If you are needing Sacramental records for St. Joseph Church please contact the parish office.

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS - Please call the parish office at 785-625-7356 or send an email to: stjoseph@stjoehays.com.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

CATHOLIC DISCIPLES

Wednesdays at 8:00 pm in the lounge when school is in session.

CAMPUS GOINGS ON.....

A LOOK AT THE WEEK....

- ◆ Sun. Nov. 22 - 9am Mass, 5pm Confession, 6pm Mass
- ◆ Mon. Nov. 23 - No Mass or Confessions
- ◆ Tues. Nov. 24 - No Mass or Confessions
- ◆ Wed. Nov. 25 - No Mass or Confessions
Speakers - Dec. 2nd - Christmas Party
- ◆ Thurs. Nov. 26 - No Mass or Confessions
- ◆ Fri. Nov. 27 - No Mass or Confessions

First Sunday of each month....

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HEARTLAND NEWS

The PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

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The Adoration Chapel is open 24 hours a day 7 days a week and Jesus is waiting for you. Following are the times available and names, time responsible and phone numbers of the Archangels.

Time slots available:

Friday 1:00 am, 6:00am, 10:00 pm
Saturday 5:00 pm, Saturday 11:00 pm.

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)

NEW Holy Family Elementary Fundraiser Opportunity Cajetan Cash is a fundraising raffle that benefits Holy Family Elementary. Cajetan comes from Saint Cajetan, which is the patron saint of good fortune. Tickets are available for purchase thru November 20th. One winner will receive 50% of the proceeds (up to \$10,000). The suggested donation is \$10 per ticket. Contact any HFE student or visit hfehays.org to purchase your tickets. Drawing will be held LIVE on the HFE Facebook page at 3:00 PM on November 24th. Thank you for your support!

In need of a birthday card or a sympathy card? Purchase homemade cards by benefiting our local Catholic Charities agency. Purchase anytime in the entrance area at the Adoration Chapel at IHM, as well as at Epworth Towers, Plaza Apartments and Wyndom Place. Suggested donation of .50 each.

St. Nicholas of Myra Blood Drive will be held on Monday, December 7th, from noon to 6pm, at St. Nicholas Parish Hall. Please contact the St. Nicks Parish Office at 628-1446, to make an appointment.

Ellis County Ministerial Alliance Thanksgiving Day FEAST 11:00 am – 1:00 pm Gella’s Diner 117 East 11th St. Thursday, November 26th *Please note* Transportation will not be provided. ALL meals must be reserved in advance by calling 785-623-2800 or online at <https://signup.com/go/NXaeNyy>

Christmas Under the Stars A long standing tradition is returning to our Heartland Parishes Catholic Schools. On Monday December 7th, we will light the winter darkness and celebrate the Advent season in the Grotto at TMP-Marian. Trees and candles will be lit, songs will be sung and played, and hot chocolate will be served.

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