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*Lord make me an
instrument of peace...*



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

GRAND KNIGHT

Donovan Richmeier 785-623-0417

CHRISTIAN MOTHERS PRESIDENT

Jane Younger 785-259-3374

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday - 8:00 am
Wednesday - 7:30 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sunday - 7:30 am

BAPTISMS - Preparation class
required for first time parents
and inactive Catholics.
Contact Lilly to schedule.

MARRIAGES - Couples anticipating
marriage must contact Lilly at least
6 months prior to wedding date.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Holy Family Elementary 785-625-3131

www/hfehays.org

Thomas More Prep-Marian 785-625-6577

www.tmp-m.org

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Feb 16 8:00 am L/D Gilbert & Gloria Leiker fam
 Wed. Feb 19 >>> NO MASS <<<
 Sun. Feb 23 8:00 am L/D Donald & Charlotte Werth family
 Wed. Feb 26 7:30 am +Dale Stecklein

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER DAMIAN

Weekly Schedule:
 Monday: 7:00am Mass
 Tuesday: 7:00 am Mass; 9:45 am TMP Administration Mtg
 Wednesday: 7:30 am Mass in Munjor; 1:30 pm Mass at Homestead; 6:15 pm CCD classes
 Thursday: 7:00 am Mass/8:00 am TMP Mass; 2:30 pm Visit HFE 2nd; 6:30 Presence Eucharist Series
 Friday: 7:00 am Mass/9:45 am TMP Mass; 8:30-noon: Confessions during Adoration
 Saturday: 4:00 Confessions; 5:00 Mass
 Sunday: 7:30 am Munjor Confessions; 8:00 am Munjor Mass; 9:00 am Confessions; 9:30 am Mass; 10:30 am Confessions; 11:00 am Mass

Confessions: 43
 Anointing of the Sick: 43
 Holy Hours: 29
 Days Fast/Abstain: 25
 Viaticum/Prayers for the Dead/Apostolic Pardon: 8
 Visits: 17
 Baptisms: 2
 Four-for-Seven on Sacraments--Mass, baptism, confessions, anointing

- 1/1 Hospital Visits
- 1/1 & 2 Vigil & Funeral for Eunice Berland in Plainville
- 1/2 Hays Area Young Catholics
- 1/5 Shoveled Snow
- 1/6 Shoveled Snow
- 1/6 Hospital Visits
- 1/7 Hospital Visits
- 1/8 Hospital Visits
- 1/9 Combined Parish/Finance/School Board meeting in Plainville
- 1/10 TMP Adoration & Benediction
- 1/11 Knights of Columbus Membership Dinner
- 1/12 Hospital Visits
- 1/12 Dinner for 8
- 1/13 Hospital Visits
- 1/13 Knights of Columbus Meeting
- 1/14 Hospital
- 1/14 Parish Council Potluck
- 1/15 Heartland Pastors Meeting
- 1/15 School Board Meeting
- 1/16 Finance Council
- 1/17 Hospital Visits
- 1/19 Baptized Cooper Klaus
- 1/19 Hospital Visit
- 1/20 Evangelization Committee
- 1/20 Ladies' Guild
- 1/21 Hospital Visits
- 1/21 Munjor Parish Council
- 1/22 Hospital Visits
- 1/24 & 25 Vernon Befort Vigil & Funeral
- 1/25 Hospital Visit
- 1/25 & 26 Blessed toddlers at Mass
- 1/26 Baptized Radley Pfeifer
- 1/26 HFE Soup Supper
- 1/27 Rosary at Hospital, Hospital Visits
- 1/28 Parish Council
- 1/29 Richard Yohan Burial in Stockton
- 1/29 Hospital Visit
- 1/29 TMP Parish Council
- 1/30 Hospital Visits
- 1/31 All-School Mass at IHM

SERVERS

Sun Feb 16 Rexton Leiker & Trenton Staley
 Sun Feb 23 Cali Richmeier & Rafe Richmeier

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sun Feb 16 Jenalyn L, Lauren M, Amy P, Peggy R.
 Sun Feb 23 Wendy R, Glenn S, Rhonda S, Michelle W.

LECTORS OFFERTORY GIFTS

Sun Feb 16 Tina Waddell Joe & Mindy Pfannenstiel
 Sun Feb 23 Julie Richmeier Brian Pfannenstiel

GREETERS

Sun Feb 16 Tony & Patty Rohr
 Sun Feb 23 Jeff & Wendy Richmeier

COLLECTION TEAM

Sunday, February 16

Aaron Dome, Wilbert Gross, Blake Leiker, Ken Richmeier

Sunday, February 23

Nathan Leiker, John Moder, Donovan Richmeier,
 Trenton Staley

Tithe ~ Stewardship of Treasure	
Envelopes	\$1,406.00
Loose	\$160.00
Total	\$1,566.00



Try to be a rainbow in someone else's cloud.

Read: "A Living Sacrifice: Liturgy & Eschatology"
Read: "The Sound and the Fury"
Watched: "Mad Max: Furiosa"
Watched: "Wallace & Gromit: Murder Most Fowl"
Read "As I Lay Dying"
Watched "Dune 2"
Watched "Measure For Measure"
Read "Frances Cabrini: A Biography"
Read "This Hideous Strength"
Saw [Title of Show]

K of C Meeting, Monday, February 17th at 7:00 p.m.

The Annual Clergy Renewal Days: The diocesan priests of the Salina Diocese will be gathering this week in Wichita. Pray that they will have a restful and spiritual filled week. Since Fr. Damian will be attending there will be no Wednesday Mass this week.

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2025 has officially begun!
We are grateful for the support shown by our parishioners in the past for the annual appeal and are excited to see how we can grow that even more in 2025! Give today at appeal.givecfds.org. – link to annual kickoff video on YouTube

Family Perspective ...Bud Ozar

Don't look very far when you hear today's gospel speak of poverty, hunger, sorrow or exclusion. These things happen in families. Children feel "insulted" when they are constantly criticized. Spouses "hunger" for affection. Grandparents feel "excluded" by divorce and custody decisions. Parents "weep" because they feel alienated from their children.

Stewardship Renewal Forms. Every family is asked to fill out the form and return as soon as possible. Forms can be dropped in the collection basket or mailed to the parish office.

What gifts of time, talent and treasure will you share?

"Blessed are you when people hate you...exclude and insult you, and denounce your name...on account of the Son of Man." - LUKE 6:22

All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time; the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

EVENTS IN THE HEARTLAND



Hays CYO Spaghetti Dinner, Sunday, Feb. 16, in the IHM Parish Hall. Lunch- 11am to 1:30pm Dinner- 4:30pm - 7pm Meal tickets are on presale now, and you can purchase them from a CYO member or in the IHM office. Adult tickets are \$10 and child tickets (5-12) are \$5. Ages 4 and under eat for

St. Nicholas K of C Fish Fry will be held on Friday March 7, from 4:30 to 6:30pm, in the Parish Hall. Menu: Fried Fish, Chips, Mac & Cheese, and Cole Slaw. Free will offering.

Joel Stepanek has served in ministry for 20 years and is passionate about empowering parishes, dioceses, schools, and apostolates to find their identity, execute strategy, and lead individuals into a relationship with Jesus Christ. He has served in a variety of leadership roles where he has built and guided teams to execute a strategic vision. He has also served as Vice President for Parish Services for Life Teen where he developed youth ministry resources including a groundbreaking confirmation program, Purpose, and provided training for thousands of youth ministers and parishes in 22 countries. He currently serves as the Vice President for Programming and Administration for the National Eucharistic Congress where he guided the teams that created the programming for the 10th National Eucharistic Congress, executed the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, and implemented a strategic vision for the National Eucharistic Revival.

KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS
Mike Suppes, Special Intentions, Becky Robben, Maya Gottschalk, Carla Meier, Terry Hauschel, Theo Leiker, Chris Brull, Carol Carter, Parishioners in Health Care Facilities.
Drop requests in the collection basket or let Lilly know. Please let Lilly know when the intention can be removed.

HAYS CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS

BINGO NIGHT

Join us at The Heritage Eatery & Bingo (114 E 12th) for February's social night with the potential to win big! Children of YA's are welcome to attend with their parents. Bingo card and/or food costs are on your own tab.

FRIDAY FEB 21 6:30 PM

CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS



HOLY FAMILY ELEMENTARY

Mandy Meagher Principal
(785) 625-3131

- Feb 17 NO SCHOOL - Inservice Day
- Feb 21 NO School

HOLY FAMILY ELEMENTARY

New Parent Open House

Tuesday, February 25
5:00-6:00 p.m. come & go

- Get a tour of the school
- Meet the Preschool & Kindergarten teachers
- See the classrooms
- Pick up new student paperwork
- Learn more about what we have to offer!

Please enter through our North school doors!
1800 Milner Street
785-625-3131

MEET THE MAN WHO MAKES TRUST

His plan!

FATHER JIM SICHKO

"60 Minutes for Jesus"

General Themes are Kindness, Trust, and Leadership. Fr. Jim is a priest of the Diocese of Lexington, storyteller, Papal Missionary of Mercy.

Each night of the mission is a stand-alone talk. You'll laugh, you'll cry, you'll sing, you'll be inspired!

2025 MISSION

Join us for an enthusiastic renewal of faith! St. Mary Queen of Angels Catholic Church Russell, KS

Saturday Mass, Feb 22, 5:30 pm
Sunday Mass, Feb 23, 10:00 am
Sunday evening, Feb 23, 7:00 pm
Monday evening, Feb 24, 7:00 pm
Tuesday evening, Feb 25, 7:00 pm

(No outside food or drink allowed)



THOMAS MORE PREP- MARIAN

Chad Meitner, Principal

Melissa Schoepf, Jr. High Assistant Principal
(785) 625-6577

- Feb 17 No School - Teacher In-Service Day
- Feb 21 NO SCHOOL

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Mission Statement:

St. Francis of Assisi Parish is built on a foundation of faith. We continue that spirit by welcoming all people to participate in our spiritual growth. As we are called to love God and and be examples of his teachings, we strive for unity through fellowship and participation in all areas of the Catholic faith.