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



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785-623-0417

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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

Sunday, June 15, 2025 ~ Most Holy Trinity Sunday

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. June 15	8:00 am	L/D Francis & Mary Ann Legleiter family
Wed. June 18	7:30 am	+Farron Leiker
Sun. June 22	8:00 am	+Kenny Pfannenstiel
Wed. June 25	7:30 am	+Larry Koirth

SERVERS

Sun June 15	Makailyn Leiker & Rafe Richmeier
Sun June 22	Hayley Gerstner & Reylyn Leiker

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sun June 15	Jenalyn L, Peggy R, Wendy R, Dec. Steve
Sun June 22	Lilly B, Amy P, Josh W, Tina W.

LECTORS

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Sun June 15	Gene Gottschalk	Darold & Evelyn Younker
Sun June 22	Nathan Leiker	Brandon & Brandi Z.

GREETERS

Sun June 15	Linda Gross
Sun June 22	Wilbert Gross

COLLECTION TEAM

Sunday, June 15

Jerry Gross, John Moeder, Trenton Staley, Sid Steinert

Sunday, June 22

Jason Carter, Blake Leiker, Mark Leiker, Tony Staley

Tithe ~ Stewardship of Treasure

Envelopes	\$1,986.00
Loose	\$50.00
Total	\$2,036.00



FROM THE DESK OF FATHER DAMIAN

Weekly Schedule:

Monday: 7:00am Mass
 Tuesday: 7:00 am Mass
 Wednesday: 7:30 am Mass in Munjor; 1:30 pm Mass at Homestead; 6:15 pm CCD classes
 Thursday: 7:00 am Mass; 2:30 pm Visit HFE 2nd Grade
 Friday: 7:00 am Mass
 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: 54 (Went 6 times)

Anointing of the Sick: 32

Holy Hours: 27

Days Fast/Abstain: 10

Viaticum/Prayers for the Dead/Apostolic Pardon: 4

Visits: 24

Confirmations: 32

Ordination

Five-for-Seven on Sacraments Mass, Confession, Anointing, Confirmation, Ordination

5/1 National Day of Prayer

5/2 Adoration Under the Stars

5/3 First Communion Practice

5/4 First Communion

5/4 Confirmation Practice

5/5 Plainville Parish Council

5/6 Began St. Isidore Novena

5/7 Confirmation

5/8 Plainville Finance Council

5/2 Dinner with Funeral Dinner Committee

5/11 Conferred 15 scapulars

5/11 Graduation Reception

5/11 Dinner for Eight

5/12 Stockton Parish Council

5/14 Senior Clergy Lunch in Victoria

5/14 ECMA Baccalaureate Service

5/15 OCIA Potluck

5/17 Graduation Reception

5/18 Graduation Mass

5/18 TMP Graduation

5/19 Darlene Kroeger's Funeral

5/20 School Finance Council

5/21 Deanery Meeting

5/21 Consultor's Meeting

5/21 School Board Meeting

5/21 Server Party

5/21 Hays Area Young Catholics

5/26 Plainville School Board

5/27 & 28 Bea Leiker Vigil & Funeral

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5/30 Hospital Ethics Board Meeting
5/31 Priestly Ordination of Adam Urban, Kade Megaffin & Jesse Ochs

Read:

5/3 Read "I Am the Law"
5/10 Read "Capitan Trueno"
5/20 Read "Calamity"
5/23 Read "Frankenstein"
5/30 Finished watching "Dark Shadows"
5/30 Started studying Hebrew for the summer



Father's Day Breakfast following Mass this morning in the Parish Hall. Hosted by the Christian Mothers. Everyone is welcome and invited to attend.

Parish Council Election Results: Kolleen Dome & John Moeder were elected to serve another three year term. Brian Pfannenstiel was elected for a three year term and is eligible to serve an additional three year term if elected. A special thank you to Tony Staley for serving on the Council for one term. We appreciate everyone's dedication and offering your gifts of time and talent to St. Francis of Assisi Parish which enables our parish to continue as a viable parish.

There were also a number of write in's that were included on the ballots. Thank you for submitting names this will be beneficial in next years election process.

Grinnell Tornado Disaster Relief:

Thank you for your donations to this special collection. You can still turn in donations next Sunday if you have not already done so.

Bible Reflection ~ Stewardship Goal

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth..." (JOHN 16:13)

It has been said that the best gift we can give someone is to teach them how to pray. If you don't talk and more importantly, listen, to God every day, how else will you know what He is calling you to do? Just as you talk to family and friends every day, get in the habit of talking with God every day. Develop a daily prayer routine. Keep your prayers simple and sincere. This is best done in silence, when you can hear God's response.

EVENTS IN THE HEARTLAND

Immaculate Heart of Mary Monthly Breakfast Bring your Fathers to Breakfast! When: Father's Day, Sunday, June 15. Time : 8:30 AM till 12:00 PM Where: IHM Parish Hall Free Will Offering Items For Your Tastebuds: Scrambled Eggs - Sausage - Bacon Hash Browns - Biscuits & Gravy. All Invited for food and fellowship! Breakfast assisted by volunteers from the Hays CYO and Jr. CYO. Proceeds go to Hays CYO & Jr. CYO and IHM Parish.

CEMETERY - The cemeteries of St. Joseph and St. Michael will both be mowed starting on Monday, June 16, depending on the weather. If you have any floral arrangements or any other decorative items that are NOT attached to the heads stone, we ask that you please remove these by June 16th.

Perpetual Adoration Chapel openings:

Wednesday @ 3pm OPEN

Thursday, @ 3am OPEN

Saturday @ 1pm (Needs second adorer)

Contact Geri Rupp 785-639-5588



Corpus Christi Procession

The annual Heartland Parishes Corpus Christi procession is quickly approaching! This year, we would like to try something new.

When: Sunday, June 22, at 3pm

Where: The procession will begin and end at the TMP-Marian grotto.

What to expect: We will begin with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. From there, we will process to Hall Street, from Hall Street to 27th Street, and then back to TMP. Altars will be set up along the way for prayer and adoration. Devotions will be prayed during the procession, and periods of silent procession will be observed for private prayer and devotion as well!

Other information: It may possibly be hot that day, so please be sure to dress appropriately, bringing sunscreen, fans, or other items as needed. Water bottles are encouraged, although bottles of water will also be offered to people along the way.

EVERYONE IS INVITED.

Family Perspective ...Bud Ozar

The words of Jesus in today's gospel, "I have many things to say to you, but you cannot hear them now." could have been said by any parent. It can be frustrating because our desire to guide is often misinterpreted or poorly received. We cannot program our children. We can only teach, lead and trust the Spirit of truth will guide them.



Janell, Herrmann, Amy Moeder, Amber Lacewell, 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.*

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER DAMIAN

The Wedding Ritual:

We ask God for strength and the saints for support in the wedding Mass. Left to our own devices, we fail. We need the grace of the Sacrament before we can begin this great endeavor. We need prayers to shore up the foundation of married life. Liturgy helps us do that.

Greeting the Couple at the Door

The priest, accompanied by the ministers, goes to the doors of the church where the wedding party is assembled. He greets the party joyously, then the entrance procession begins. The ministers go first. Then the parents & grandparents of the groom and bride. Then the attendants, and finally the couple. After that, the wedding Mass continues as normal.

This emphasizes the unity of the couple. We encourage all couples to use this entrance. It is the only option for co-habiting couples.

The Power of Music

We use Sacred Music for the Mass and for the Sacrament of Marriage. Secular music is designed to distract and to entertain. It is not designed to pull us out of ourselves or to focus us on Christ. Sacred music is designed to ask God for blessings and the saints for prayers.

Proper Staging helps us pray.

People want to be able to see the couple. People want to hear the vows. While we want cameras to record the event, we don't want people noticing the cameras. We want children in the ceremony, but they need to be old enough to understand their duties. The sanctuary space is not a platform. It is where heaven & earth meet. Only certain people are allowed in the sanctuary space at certain times for certain sacred duties.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS



HOLY FAMILY ELEMENTARY

Mandy Meagher Principal
(785) 625-3131

May 16 - Aug 18 Summer Break! *Enjoy your Summer!*

June - July Summer Office Hours
Tues - Thurs 8:00 - 1:00



THOMAS MORE PREP- MARIAN

Chad Meitner, Principal

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



Hays Catholic Moms Ministry

SACRAMENTS • COMMUNITY • PRAYER

Traitor Tag at the Park:

- Wednesday, June 18th, 4:30 PM at Massey Park
- Train in virtue and get some exercise by playing the game from the Catholic book series, *The 7 Deadly Dragons*. All ages welcome. Snacks will be provided!

Mass & Social: Every 2nd Thursday, 8 AM at IHM

- Mass followed by social in Children's Room in basement

Confession: Every 3rd Saturday, 3 PM at IHM

- Families meet in Children's Room to take turns for Confession

Meal Trains provided for families welcoming a new baby

Contact: Julie Berg | 785-443-4170 | julieberg57@gmail.com



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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.



Heartland Parishes

Corpus Christi

Eucharistic Procession

Sunday, June 22, 2025

3:00 p.m.

TMP-Marian Grotto



Join us in celebrating the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, traditionally known as Corpus Christi.

Exposition begins at 3:00pm at the TMP-Marian Grotto followed by a Procession along Hall Street stopping at two outside altars for prayers and hymns, then back to the TMP-Marian Grotto for Benediction.

