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



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David Leiker

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CHRISTIAN MOTHERS PRESIDENT

Michelle Werth

623-3003

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday - 8:00 am
Tuesday - 8:00 am
Thursday - 8:00 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 625-3131
www/hfefhays.org

Thomas More Prep-Marian 625-6577
www.tmp-m.org



MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. July 12 8:00 am +Steve & Aaron Pfannenstiel
Wed. July 15 7:30 am +Nick & Almeda Stecklein
Sun. July 19 8:00 am +Farron Leiker
Wed. July 22 7:30 am +Kenneth & Ronald Smith

Mass Intention Transferred to St. Nicholas:

Mass Int: L/D Michael & Celeste Stecklein family will be at St. Nicholas on Thursday, July 16th.

SERVERS

Sunday, July 12 Valerie Dome & Rexton Leiker
Sunday, July 19 Alec Gerstner & Daunte Younker

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday, July 12 Mark Leiker & Jill Moeder
Sunday, July 19 Glenn Stramel & Jenalyn Leiker

LECTORS

Sunday, July 12 John Moeder
Sunday, July 19 Lauren Moeder

COLLECTION TEAM

Sunday, July 12

Jason Carter, Aaron Dome, David Leiker, Brain Pfannenstiel

Sunday, July 19

Ernie Binder, Jerry Gross, John Oborny, Kenny Pfannenstiel

Tithe ~ Stewardship of Treasure

Envelopes	\$3,310.00	Peter's Pence	\$140.00
Loose	\$45.00	Building Use	\$120.00
Candles	\$4.00		
Total		\$3,619.00	

Contributions can also be mailed to the Parish Office:
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883 Moscow St.
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The Parable of the Sower

Gospel Summary

Today's Gospel marks the beginning of the third long discourse given by Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew. Over the next few weeks, the Gospel readings will consist of the entire 13th Chapter of Matthew's Gospel, a lengthy teaching discourse.

Throughout this discourse, Jesus will offer several parables to illustrate for his listeners what he means by the kingdom of heaven. He begins with the parable of the sower, which appears rather straightforward—of course seeds grow best in good soil. Seeds that miss the soil, are sown on rocky ground, or are sown among other plants will not grow. The surprise in the parable is the enormous yield of the seed that is sown on good soil.

Reflection for Families

Today's Gospel reminds us that in order for God's Word to take root in us and produce abundant fruit, we must endeavor to be like good soil. Families, in particular, hold the responsibility for "preparing the soil" so that the seeds of God's Word can grow strong. There are many ways in which families do this—family traditions in which faith is celebrated, prayer and reading of Scripture, and instruction on the faith. In these ways, parents fulfill the promises they made at their child's Baptism.



Join us in welcoming Father Damian as our new pastor. We will have a get acquainted potluck on Sunday, July 19th beginning at 5:00 p.m. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish. Parish will provide meat, drinks & table settings.

Notice: Peter's Pence Collection rescheduled to October. Please change your Peter's Pence Collection envelope date to Oct. 4. The Peter's Pence Collection was originally dated for July 5, but because of the COVID-19, the Diocese has rescheduled the Collection to Oct. 4. The Holy Land (Good Friday) Collection has also been rescheduled to Sept. 13. Any donations given on its original collection date of April 10, will still be forwarded to the Diocese for the Holy Land Collection. There will be a notice in the bulletin as the times for these Collections draw near.



Cemetery mowing & trimming will be Monday, July 13th beginning at 9:30.

Church Council Meeting, Tuesday, July 21st at 6:30 p.m.

“UNPROTECTED” MOVIE NIGHT JULY 19 – Showing and discussion of the movie UNPROTECTED A Pope, the Pill, and the Perils of Sexual Chaos. The movie will kick off NFP Awareness Week at 7:30 P.M. on July 19 at the Kennedy Building east of St. Joseph Church. Admission is FREE and you can bring your own movie snacks and drink. There will be a discussion following the movie. Parental discretion is advised and no children under 13 years of age should attend due to the serious nature of the content.

2020 NATIONAL NFP AWARENESS WEEK JULY 19-25 - The 2020 theme is Live the truth and beauty of God’s plan for married love! Natural Family Planning – It’s about love. It’s about life. It’s about freedom. It’s about gift. For more info, visit <http://www.usccb.org/issues-andaction/marriage-and-family/natural-familyplanning/awarenessweek/index.cfm>

Salina Diocese Men’s Conference, Register Today

You may consider yourself a man of God the Father, but do you consider yourself a man of Mary our Mother? Catholic Men of the Salina Diocese join us on the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary for our Ninth Annual Salina Diocese Men’s Conference, August 15th at IHM Church in Hays. Bring your sons who are in Junior High, High School or College. Special guests will be Bishop Vincke, Patrick Coffin and Fr. Andy Hammeke. Along with talks there will also be Adoration, the sacrament of reconciliation, and Mass. To register online or for more information go to salinadiocese.org; email familylife@salinadiocese.org; or call the Office of Family Life and NFP at 785-827-8746.



Ramona Weigel, Amy Moeder, Curt Brungardt, Charlie Munsch, Carole Carter, Stan Herrmann, Jack Harwood, Jerry Barnes, Parishioners in Health Care Facilities.

Drop requests in the collection basket or let Lilly know.

Let Lilly know when the intention can be removed.

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Backpack for Kids First Call for Help is sponsoring Backpack for Kids. The box has been placed in the vestibule for donations you may wish to make. For a supply list or registration, go to firstcallellisco.com. Money is greatly needed to help purchase items for the kids supply list. You can send a check to First Call for Help, 607 E. 13th St., Hays. Please note on check for Backpack for Kids. If you have any questions, please call 785-623-2800.



JULY – World day against trafficking in persons is July 30. Let us commit ourselves to stop criminals from exploiting people for profit and help trafficking victims rebuild their lives. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking. (www.sistersagainsttrafficking.org).

EWTN Eucharistic Pilgrimage Tour presented by the Catholic Diocese of Wichita from Oct. 5 – 9, 2020. Join this wonderful Catholic pilgrimage featuring the Eternal Word Television Network and The Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Wichita departure from Village Travel. \$809 Double; \$729 Triple; \$699 Quad; & \$1,019 Single. Deposit requirements: \$75. For questions or to reserve your spot and pay your deposit contact: Village Travel at 316-721-4455.




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A Family Perspective ...by Bud Ozar

The stress and anxieties of family life are like “thorns which choke off” any opportunity to reflect on God’s presence in our lives. Notice in today’s gospel Jesus “left the house” so He could connect with His Father. Grasp five minutes each day to appreciate God walking with you.

 **Eucharistic Adoration** Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel at 1805 Vine St, IHM Church is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and Jesus is waiting for you. If you wish to sign up for an hour please call: Lorraine Brungardt 625-3021 Yvonne Demuth 628-2172 Geri Rupp 639-5588 Bob/Carol Feauto 628-1429
Open: Friday 10:00PM Saturday 4:00 AM Saturday 5:00 PM Saturday 11:00 PM



**Verses About Fear, Anxiety and
Trusting God Through Uncertainty**

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your request to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:6-7)

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go. (Joshua 1:9)

For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love and self-discipline. (2 Timothy 1:6-7)

CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS



HOLY FAMILY ELEMENTARY

Rachel Wentling, Principal
625-3131

July Office Open 9am-Noon & 1-4pm, Tues-Thurs
July 30 HFE Enrollment Day, 7:30am – 2pm in L.T.

We are pleased to announce our new preschool director for the 2020-2021 school year, Ms. Cheryl Berens. She comes to us with a Bachelor's of Elementary Education and eleven years of preschool teaching experience. Miss Cheryl has boundless energy and passion for our youngest students and looks forward to starting at Holy Family Elementary this fall! Holy Family currently has openings for our preschool program in both the morning and afternoon classes! Contact the office at 625-3131 to learn more or sign your child up for the 20-21 school year. Child must turn 4-years-old by September 1st, or you can place your child on the waiting list for a following year.



THOMAS MORE PREP- MARIAN

Chad Meitner, Principal
Bob Leikam, Jr. High Assistant Principal
625-6577

School Hours and Fall Continuation

In coordination with Ellis County Health Department guidelines, the TMP-Marian building is open from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm during the summer months. You can reach the school by calling 625-6577. The administration is working with the Kansas State Department of Education to determine what the start of school will look like in August.

Baccalaureate Mass and Graduation

July 12, 2020. The Baccalaureate Mass will be held at 12:00 Noon at St. Joseph's Parish. Graduation will be held at 2:00 pm in Al Billinger Fieldhouse.

2020 Auction for Christian Education (ACE)

ACE 2020 has been rescheduled for Saturday, July 18 in Al Billinger Fieldhouse. Contact the Alumni Office at 625-9434 for ticket information. Additional details are available at m.org/ace/

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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.