



HANCOCK COUNTY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

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Leading All to Christ

"We, the Hancock County Catholic Churches, Work Together to Form Disciples of JESUS, to Lead All to HIM in the Eucharist, and to be HIS Presence in the World."

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MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

September 21st-27th-2015

Monday:

8:00 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Tuesday:

7:00 a.m.
8:00 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Wednesday:

8:00 a.m.
4:00 p.m.
5:30 p.m.

Thursday:

8:00 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Friday:

7:30 a.m.
8:30 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Saturday:

4:00 p.m.
4:00 p.m.
5:30 p.m.
5:30 p.m.

Sunday:

8:00 a.m.
8:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.

September 21st, (St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist; Eph 4:1-7, 11-13, Mt 9:9-13)

SSPP-All Souls, by John & Debbie Allen
SHW-Alan Wayson (L), by Mom & Dad

September 22nd, (Weekday; Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20, Lk 8:19-21)

IC-Holy Hour
IC-Brittany Wear, by Dan & Connie Kreps
SMH-Mary Sowles, by Carson Hibbert

September 23rd, (St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest; Ezr 9:5-9, Lk 9:1-6)

SSPP-Joy Gasaway, by Dan Kraus family
Hickory Grove-All Souls, by Mrs. John Brooks
SHDC-Ernie Painter, by Janice Pohlman

September 24th, (Weekday, Hg 1:1-8, Lk 9:7-9)

IC-Tod Olson, by Barb Drozd
SHW-Josephine Trosley & deceased family members, by family, friends & parishioners

September 25th, (Weekday; Hg 2:1-9, Lk 9:18-22)

SSPP-Holy Hour
SSPP-Ralph Fay, by Rose Mary Fay
IC-Arnold family, by Irene Murphy

September 26th, (Weekday, Sts. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs, BVM; Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Lk 9:43b-45)

SHDC-John Markey, by Carol & Rip Hogan
IC-Lawrence Paben, by his family
SSPP-Bill Lange, by his family
SMH-Fr. Lukoskie, by Marlene Short

September 27th (Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Nm 11:25-29, Jas 5:1-6, Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48)

SSPP-Ludwig & Margaret Pollpeter, by John & Rita Allen
SHW-For the People
IC-Mary Evelyn Evans (L), by Rick & Pam Gambrell
SHDC-Mario Antonio Gualtieri, by Randy & Melinda Johnson

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 9:30 a.m., SSPP
3:30 p.m., IC
3:30 p.m., SHDC
After Mass, SMH

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., SSPP
After Mass, IC
After Mass, SHDC
7:30 a.m., SHW

Gifts for God

September 13, 2015

Sts. Peter & Paul (Sunday)	\$2,057.75
Sacred Heart DC (Sunday)	\$745.00
Immaculate Conception (Sunday)	\$2,207.00
Sacred Heart W (Sunday)	\$760.00
St. Mary (Sunday)	\$1,431.33

ROSARY INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER: Our enemies and those seeking to harm us.

ALTAR SERVERS

Weekend of September 26-27, 2015

4:00 p.m. (SHDC) Cicely Stevenson
4:00 p.m. (IC) Kari Davis, Mason & Kamryn Burling
5:30 p.m. (SSPP) Claire & Milo Koechle, Brooklyn Walker
8:00 a.m. (SSPP) Isaac Siegfried, Caleb & Matthew Sinele
10:00 a.m. (IC) Michael Carroll & Holly Boyles
10:00 a.m. (SHDC) Hill family

FOR EVERYONE

This Weekend - Fr. Hepner Speaking on Vocations This weekend, Fr. Timothy Hepner, the new diocesan director of vocation recruitment will be visiting our parishes and speaking on...vocations. Obviously, with our Mass schedule, he can't speak at all Masses, but if you have him at your Mass, be sure to give him a warm welcome.

Year-Long Focus on the Mass – SLIGHTLY Delayed forgot that this weekend and next weekend we will have guest priests visiting and covering a few Masses. (Unbound Ministries will be presenting on the 26-27.) So, my presentations on the Mass will begin on the first weekend of October.

Next Weekend – A Presentation by Unbound Ministries This year a priest from Unbound Ministries will be offering our Mission Appeal. This organization used to be known as CFCA, so some of you are familiar with them. This appeal will occur next weekend in four of our parishes (we try to get the representative to the Masses with the highest Mass attendance). Thank you – in advance – for the hospitality that you offer.

A Great Meeting This past Thursday, I was privileged to be a part of a meeting of all of the councils in all of our parishes – that's 7 councils all together. It was a really neat event, as the council members from Nauvoo, Carthage, Dallas City, Warsaw, and Hamilton came together to listen and to speak together. There's a lot of people involved in our finances, in pastoral concerns, and in the life of our school! We recognize a number of struggles that we have as a local church, but we're happy with where we're going...and we hope to have some new group efforts in the near future. Thank you to all the council members involved, and thank you to the St. Mary's Women's Club for providing hospitality.

Sacred Heart Church, Dallas City will have a roast beef dinner on Sunday, October 18 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. The meal will be layered lettuce salad, roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, corn, rolls and birthday cake. The cost of the meal will be \$10, children; 4-10- \$5; and children 3 and under free. The public is invited to attend.

SPPS SCHOOL NEWS

THANK YOU to everyone who helped with the yard sale and bake sale - YOU ARE AMAZING!! Special thanks to Kate Evans and Alicia Titus for all your hard work organizing this monumental event!

ALUMINUM CAN CONTEST: September 26-October 12
Mark your calendars: **Pint Size Heroes Blood Drive-** Thursday October 15, 1-6 p.m.

God Bless,
Lisa Gray, Principal

As you make out your will please consider a gift to your parish or Sts. Peter and Paul school. After you provide for your heirs just designate a percentage to go to your parish or Sts. Peter and Paul School. Keep our Faith alive.

So...Did Pope Francis Really Make Major Changes to Church Marriage Law? In short, the answer is "no." He did make some changes that will hopefully make the process faster. This has been one of the biggest critiques of the process, even though time is often necessary to perform a thorough investigation. So - no, the changes weren't "radical," and, no, the Pope has not permitted "Catholic divorce." It was a fine-tuning of the process that will hopefully make the process quicker.

AN UPDATE ON PASTORAL CARE VISITS We have completed the workshops for the commissioning of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for Mass and for those who are not able to come to Mass. (By the way, our next workshop will be for the renewal of commissioning of our lectors (readers) at Mass; that's still coming.) We are currently setting up a schedule to insure that Holy Communion can be brought to peoples' homes on a more predictable, reliable basis. In the meantime, here comes our annual reminder about your priests, your deacons, and pastoral care needs:

First, it's inevitable that we miss people. We have just as much going on in our lives as you do in yours, with the added dimension that emergencies, parish goals, and projects tend to run together and stall when pastoral care needs themselves run together and collide. When we make a commitment to be with people in their need, everything stops. Period. Things look messier, remain unfinished, and slow the pace around here. **BUT WE HAVE ALWAYS FIGURED THAT BEING WITH PEOPLE IN HEALTH AND OTHER EMERGENCIES IS WHERE YOU WANT US TO BE.** Therefore....

Second, help us out by letting us know about yourself or people that you know. Ask others you're wondering about whether they would want to see one of the priests or deacons, or have Holy Communion brought to them. If you think an approach would be worthwhile, but you don't think you're the one to make it, let us know and we'll make the approach.

Third, make it a point to tell your family to contact us. Many still don't realize that we cannot ask hospitals, and hospitals can no longer inform us, of your stay in a hospital unless you give specific permission to hospital staff - or you and your family contact us yourselves.

Finally...since usually some fallout we're trying to prevent actually occurs right after publishing a bulletin announcement like this...if anyone is upset over some perceived failure on our part when it comes to pastoral care needs....

Ask whether they've read the bulletin lately!! Fr. Tony.

Youth Group - A New Name, A New Vision Our area high school youth group met for the first time this year...and for the first time with a new name: Christians In Action (aka CIA). There were a number of reasons why we decided to change the name: 1) We wanted to put a greater emphasis on the Person of Jesus - hence the name "CHRISTians In Action" as opposed to "Catholics In Action." The connection to Christ in "Heart Ministry" was sometimes lost. 2) We wanted to put a greater emphasis on service - hence "Christians In ACTION." People need to see Christians at work in the world, and we want our youth group to be a training ground for that. Our desire is that CIA will be a training ground for young Christian disciples, so you'll find us doing more service, more prayer, and (hopefully) less fundraising. So much time was spent on selling things...and not enough time was spent on learning how to be Christ. (Don't worry - we do have a plan in place to cover costs for our trip to Catholic Heart Workcamp.) So, that's where we're at - just wanted to keep you up to date!

IWHS STUDENTS - LET'S TRY THIS AGAIN - LUNCH ON TUESDAY, September 22 at the Carthage rectory. PLEASE let Ann know whether or not you will be coming!!!

The High School Youth Group - CIA will be meeting on September 20 at 4 p.m. at St. Mary's in Hamilton. Team 1 has snacks with Judy Stevenson in charge of organizing. Any High School youth are welcome to join CIA (Christians in Action). We will meet again on September 27.

WHAT A GREAT DAY WE HAD for the Robin Huston Memorial Golf Outing!!! Thank you to all those who golfed last Sunday - perfect day for golf and fun was had by all!!! Thank you to the IC Women's Club and all those that donated food for lunch and the dinner. Thank you to everyone who sponsored a hole and donated prizes: Don & Terry Owings, First Bankers Trust; K9 Cutz Boarding and Grooming, Bank of Advance--Bowen, Dave & Linda Stoverink, Randy & Rose Scheetz, Marine Bank & Trust, Hotel Nauvoo, Joe & Callie Connor, Lawrence & Esther Cokel--Cokel Welding, Barb Drozdz - In Memory of Jim Drozdz, Catholic Women's Club, Kris Pilkington, Carrie Carroll, Casey's, Homestead Lumber, Long Creek Seeds - Mark & Luke Burling, Dick & Jodi Burling, Lake Hill Winery, State Farm Insurance, The Wood, Carson Motors, Los Charros, Kimberly Drive, and Ann Cokel-PartyLite Candles. A HUGE thank you to those that helped on Sunday - Maggie Bolen, Barb Drozdz, Karen Wear, Brady Huston, and Chris Talley -- we couldn't have done it without you!! --Ann & Jeff Cokel

All ladies of Hancock County Catholic Churches - Save the Date - Monday, October 26 at 6:00 p.m. for a Halloween Murder Mystery Dinner hosted by Sacred Heart Altar & Rosary being held at The 1850's House 2 miles west of Dallas City on Highway 96.

The Transitus of Saint Francis On October 3rd of each year, members of the world-wide Franciscan Family and those with whom they live and minister gather to celebrate the "passing over" from this life to eternal life (in Latin, *transitus*) of Saint Francis of Assisi. The Secular Franciscans of St. Elizabeth of Hungary Fraternity invite everyone to join them for the Transitus on Saturday, October 3rd, 2015 beginning at 7:00 P.M. in the Quincy University Chapel. This traditional service of prayer, song, and readings typically lasts about forty-five minutes. All are welcome!

Scrip cards are available during the week at SPPS and Outlaw Tee's and at weekend Masses at Sts. Peter & Paul, Sacred Heart Dallas City and Immaculate Conception. Scrip orders are placed each Monday morning. **KFC scrip is unavailable effective immediately, any gift cards you already have can still be used.**

Sts. Peter & Paul School Wish List

We have compiled a wish list of items that would greatly benefit our students and staff, but they are above and beyond what our current budget will allow. If you would like to consider donating one of the items listed below or donate money towards the purchase of an item, please contact Lisa Gray, Principal, for details (453-2511). Thank you for your consideration and generosity!!

- ~~— \$ for Janitorial cart (\$150) (Thank you anonymous!)~~
- Bean bag chairs
- ~~— Large floor pillows (Thank you Shirley Gracey!)~~
- \$\$ for classroom technology (Thank you Knights of Columbus and Teresa Adair for you monetary donations towards technology!)
 - Student computers (K – 6th grade) Chromebooks @\$330 each
 - Student computers (preschool) iPads @\$300-\$600 each
 - Mobile computer charging station – 4 @\$150 each
 - ~~— Student headphones (need 50 @\$5 each) (Thank you Randy & Cathy Bergmeier!)~~
- Paper rack for bulletin board paper rolls - 2 @\$200
- Any of the books from Conspiracy 365 series by Gabrielle Lord

ADA Update Thanks again for your generosity.

	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Pledged</u>	<u>Paid</u>
SSPP	\$25,407	\$23,440	\$19,145
ICC	\$26,934	\$27,335	\$22,345
SHDC	\$9,652	\$11,406	\$10,016
SHW	\$11,606	\$8,410	\$5,390
SMH	\$11,761	\$7,470	\$5,055

DON'T FORGET TO KEEP SAVING Box Tops, Campbell labels, Prairie Farms milk caps, and empty inkjet cartridges, laser toners, laptops, i-pod, and cell phones. All of these things help out our school and don't cost a thing. There are drop boxes in the back of all our churches or at school.

FOOD PANTRIES ALWAYS NEED DONATIONS Please don't forget our Food Pantries are always in need of donations that can be left in the back of our churches. Thank you for caring for the needy.

LITTLE BUSY IN DALLAS CITY

SH LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE: SEPT. 26-27

	<u>4:00 P.M.</u>	<u>10:00 A.M.</u>
EMC, CUP		Maggie Kindig Richard Ketchum
LECTOR	April Hamma	Stephanie Durham
USHERS	Tom Schaefer Cory Hamma	Dorn Luder Jared Ferrill

Dallas City Altar & Rosary will be hosting our annual Bingo Feather Party Sunday Sept. 27th at Father Schramm Hall in Dallas City. We will have food to be served at 4:30 with bingo following at 5:30. We will have sign-up sheets in the back of church for monetary donations and also pie donations. This is open to the public, so spread the word for an evening of fun! If you have any questions call Laurey Wibbell at 217-852-3118 or Becky Gibb at 217-449-3726.

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

Prayer Tree Requests: Daniela Harris: 217-847-2522 & Melanie Longenecker: 217-256-3367.

New sign-up sheets are in the back of church for leading the Rosary, Cleaning the Church, and taking communion to the Nursing Home. If you would like to be called to be included on the Prayer Tree calling list, please put your name and phone number on the sign-up sheet in the back of the church.

WHAT TO SEE IN WARSAW

Prayer Tree Requests: Melanie Longenecker: 217-256-3367 & Daniela Harris: 217-847-2522.

PASSAGE THROUGH CARTHAGE

"Prayer Requests: Connie Kreps 309-333-9483 or email cj-kreps@wiu.edu"

LECTOR SCHEDULE: Saturday, September 26th at 4:00 p.m., John Huston. Sunday, September 27th at 10:00 a.m. Pam Gambrell.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER SCHEDULE: Sunday, September 27th at 10:00 a.m., Chris Talley & Genny Huls. Ciborium-Craig Huls.

ROSARY SCHEDULE

4 p.m. Saturday, September 26th, John & Sherry Huston
10 a.m. Sunday, September 27th, Pam Gambrell

GREETERS/GIFT BEARERS:

September 27 Rick & Pam Gambrell family

CHURCH CLEANING

Sept 21-Oct 4 Lyle & Bev Paben
Ron & Mary Smith

BASEMENT CLEANING

Sept 21-Oct 4 Stephanie Watson & Jennie Hanks

Big Change!!! Beginning Sunday, Sept. 20, CCD will be 8:45 to 9:50 a.m. The kids will be dismissed so they can attend 10 a.m. Mass. If your child has not registered please contact Carrie Carroll, 217-357-1076, carrollusa@hotmail.com.

WELCOME HOME SHARON!!! Sharon Barr has been released from Wesley Village rehab and is back in Carthage! She is staying at her art studio at 729 Buchanan Street. CWC is coordinating meal delivery during this transition period. There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule. Volunteers are asked to sign up for the date they would like to deliver a meal and the type of meal they will likely be making. (The type doesn't have to be exact - just to have some variety.) Sharon is diabetic so she has some dietary restrictions. Her daughter suggests protein, vegetables, salads, etc. Please limit carbohydrates, pasta, sugar, desserts, and artificial sweeteners. If you wish to drop off a meal when it's hot and ready to eat, it works best with Sharon's medication to eat supper between 5 & 6 pm. Pre-cooked meals that need to be reheated or uncooked meals could be dropped off anytime with cooking instructions. Sharon's cell number is 217-357-1483 if you need to contact her prior to delivery or with questions about specific foods. Gift cards to

local restaurants would also be acceptable. Thank you so much!!!

WHAT'S NEW IN NAUVOO

Prayer Requests Phone tree: Beth and Mickey Knipe 453-2562 or Peggy and John Siegfried 453-6545 or 309-221-3488

SSPP CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

September 21-26 Carol McGhghy family
September 28-Oct 3 Julie & Alan Metternich
If you are unable to clean during your week please find someone to switch with you.

SCRIP CARD SCHEDULE FOR STS. PETER & PAUL CHURCH:
Sept. 26-27 5:30 P.M. MASS Neva Koechle 8:00 A.M. MASS Vicky Cuthbert

In Need of Some Assistance in Painting There's a couple of places around the parish that are in need of some touch up painting (the railings in front of the church and the doorway at the church entrance). If you're willing/able to assist, please contact Fr. Szydlik at the Villa.

WELCOME

Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or new arrivals to the parish. If you have not registered, please fill out this form and put it into the collection basket or bring it to the Parish Office.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

CHURCH OF REGISTRATION: _____

____ New Parishioner

____ New Address or Phone

____ Moving, Remove from List

Would you like to receive weekly offering envelopes?

____ Yes

____ No