



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

January 18th-24th, 2016

Monday:	January 18th, (Weekday, 1 Sm 15:16-21/Mk 2:18-22) SSPP-James Hamman, by his family SHW-Harley Lowman, by Gene Mudd family
8:00 a.m.	
5:30 p.m.	
Tuesday:	January 19th, (Weekday; 1 Sm 16:1-13, Mk 2:23-28) IC-Holy Hour
7:00 a.m.	
8:00 a.m.	IC-Vera Jones, by John & Sherry Huston
5:30 p.m.	SMH-Fr. Lukoskie, by Deacon Bill & Elaine Gray
Wednesday:	January 20th, (Weekday, St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr; 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51, Mk 3:1-6) SSPP-Those parishioners remembered by SSPP CWC
8:00 a.m.	
4:00 p.m.	Augusta Care Shelter-Mildred Roberts Brough, by Barb Drozd
5:30 p.m.	SHDC-Had Gracey, by Shirley Gracey
Thursday:	January 21st, (St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr; 1 Sm 18:6-9, 19:1-7, Mk 3:7-12) IC-Brittany Wear, by Richard & Barb Bolton
8:00 a.m.	
5:30 p.m.	SHW-Leonora Gehrich, by M/M Monte Longenecker
Friday:	January 22nd (Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children; 1 Sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19) SSPP-Holy Hour
7:30 a.m.	
8:30 a.m.	SSPP-Kathy Rose, by Alan & Julie Metternich
5:30 p.m.	IC-Martha Smith, by Jennifer Edholm
Saturday:	January 23rd, (Weekday, St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr, St. Marianne Cope, Virgin; BVM, 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27, Mk 3:20-21) SHDC-Jay Johnson, by Teresa Adair
4:00 p.m.	
4:00 p.m.	IC-Kathy Sallee (L), by Denise Land
5:30 p.m.	SSPP-All Souls, by John & Debbie Allen
5:30 p.m.	SMH-Fr. Szydlak for his birthday, by St. Mary's Choir members
Sunday:	January 24th, (Third Sunday in Ordinary Time; Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10, 1 Cor 12:12-30, Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21) SSPP-Barb Breheny, by her family
8:00 a.m.	
8:00 a.m.	SHW-For the People
10:00 a.m.	IC-Jim Drozd, by Barb Drozd
10:00 a.m.	SHDC-Fritz Hoemmen, by Ed & Kathy Symmonds

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

January 10th, 2016

Sts. Peter & Paul (Sunday)	\$2,310.00
Sacred Heart DC (Sunday)	\$687.00
Immaculate Conception (Sunday)	\$1,762.75
Sacred Heart W (Sunday)	\$1,048.00
St. Mary (Sunday)	\$1,194.00

ROSARY INTENTION FOR JANUARY: The sick, dying, and those in nursing homes.

ALTAR SERVERS

Weekend of January 23-24, 2016

- 4:00 p.m. (SHDC) Cicely Stevenson
- 4:00 p.m. (IC) Jackson & McKenna Merritt
- 5:30 p.m. (SSPP) Lydia & Riley Long, Gracie Boyles
- 8:00 a.m. (SSPP) Ethan Reinhardt, Caleb & Matthew Sinele
- 10:00 a.m. (IC) Michael Carroll & Holly Boyles
- 10:00 a.m. (SHDC) Hill family

FOR EVERYONE

THANK YOU to everyone for supporting the CIA Trivia Time last Sunday!!! The HS students appreciate everyone's generosity. All money raised will help the students attend Catholic Heart Work Camp in June 2016. Once again the Knipes were the winning table!!!

IWHS STUDENTS - NO LUNCH THIS WEEK!!!!

CIA Youth will not meet on Sunday, January 17th. Enjoy your long weekend! CIA will meet again on January 24 at 4 p.m. at St. Mary's in Hamilton. Team 2 (Markey, Carroll, Junk & Edholm) has snacks with Denise Junk in charge of organizing.

Mass and Holy Hour of Reparation and Healing on the Anniversary of Roe vs. Wade: *Come and join us during this Jubilee of Mercy to a Mass and Holy hour of Reparation and Healing on the Anniversary of Roe vs. Wade. The main celebrant will be the Most Reverend Daniel R. Jenky, CSC. It will be held on Friday, January 22, 2016 at 7:15 pm at Saint Joseph Catholic Church: 103 Richard Pryor Place, Peoria, IL.*

ADA TOTALS

	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Pledged</u>	<u>Paid</u>
SSPP	\$25,407	\$23,855	\$22,400
ICC	\$26,934	\$27,725	\$25,435
SHDC	\$9,652	\$12,681	\$11,736
SHW	\$11,606	\$8,505	\$6,765
SMH	\$11,761	\$7,820	\$7,425

SCHOOL NEWS

Please be sure to come over to SPPS for a yummy breakfast each Sunday in January. Enjoy fellowship and delicious food while supporting the God's Portion Day Committee's efforts to help the school.

Catholic Schools Week is January 31 – February 6; this is a time when we celebrate the high standards that Catholic education instills in our students and the value it adds to our community. We would love to have you visit the school – during Catholic Schools Week or anytime!

God Bless,
Lisa Gray, Principal

We appreciate the thoughtfulness of parishioners who have left bequests in their wills to the parish. These gifts help us to build a solid foundation for future generations.

Prayerful Reading Book Club: WoW! Did we learn a lot? "There are two ways to live your life. One is as though nothing is a miracle. The other is as though everything is a miracle."-- Albert Einstein. "Now and then it's good to pause in our pursuit of happiness and just be happy". --Gullaume Apollinaire. **The Power of Pause** by Terry Hershey--Great book!! Most of the authors of the books our group has read thus far have repeatedly said, "**Go to the Gospels!**" And so, we are going to the Gospels! **Our next read will be the Gospel according to Matthew - found in your bible.** Let me know if you need a copy. We will be meeting again on Thursday, February 4 at 7p.m. and/or on Saturday, February 6 at 9:30 a.m. Pick a time and come. I.C. Church Rectory. Questions?? Call Pam Gambrell: (217)357-3458

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 and are back by Friday or placed in the scrip bags at church.

Career Opportunity: Due to the demand for our products and growth in our membership, the Knights of Columbus is seeking additional Field Agents for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact General Agent Larry W. Biever, FICF @ Office: (309)807-2035, Cell: (309)830-6208

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.

VISIT THE BEST OF IRELAND IN THE FALL OF 2016 Eleven days! Oct 31-Nov 10. This tour is priced to sell. \$2,599 from Chicago (air price \$2,259, \$340 taxes and govt. surcharges.) Visit Waterford, Killarney, Galway, Knock, Dublin and more. For a free brochure and details, contact Msgr. James Ramer of Our Lady of the Lake parish in Mahomet, Illinois. 217-586-5569/email; the montagator@yahoo.com

PASSAGE THROUGH CARTHAGE

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

LECTOR SCHEDULE: Saturday, January 23rd at 4:00 p.m., Connie Kreps. Sunday, January 24th at 10:00 a.m. Chris Talley.

EXTRAORINARY MINISTER SCHEDULE: Sunday, January 24th at 10:00 a.m., Cami Davis & Pam Gambrell. Ciborium- Chris Talley.

ROSARY SCHEDULE

4 p.m. Saturday, January 23rd, John & Sherri Huston
10 a.m. Sunday, January 24th, Chris Talley

GREETERS/GIFT BEARERS:

January 24

Don & Terri Owings

CHURCH CLEANING

Jan 11-24

Tony & Susette Goetz

Terry & Denise Junk

Jan 25-Feb 7

Rick & Pam Gambrell

Jenifer Edholm

BASEMENT CLEANING

Jan 11-24

Carol Gronewold & Maggie Bolen

Jan 25-Feb 7

Linda Gann & Edie Filz

Mid-Year Financial Report Things have been pretty steady as she goes for us (as usual, we're very much "in the black")...with two big exceptions:

1. We re-did the sidewalk in front of the church. That cost \$8,500, with the intent being to make them more safe and less of a trip-hazard.

2. We're almost finished with the engineered drawings for our parish hall. Those will need to be sent to the diocese for approval, and then we can look at getting bids. When the drawings come back, we will be asking your opinion about the roof - a small but not insignificant issue

Going away party for Seth Pilkington at the Lake Hill Winery on Sunday, January 17th at 6 p.m. Food and refreshments will be served. Please come and wish him well before he leaves on another military mission.

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

January 18-23

Rachel & Robert McIlmoil

If you are unable to clean during your week please find someone to switch with you.

SCRIP CARD SCHEDULE FOR STS. PETER & PAUL CHURCH:

	<u>5:30 P.M. MASS</u>	<u>8:00 A.M. MASS</u>
Jan 23-24	Rhonda Boyles	Angee Sinele
Jan. 30-31	Sheila Poppe	Vicky Cuthbert

Mid-Year Financial Review Whether or not you've noticed, this has been a very active half-year for us. We've purchased a new bus for the school (\$25,000), put a new roof on our school (\$40,000, with half of the cost being covered by an insurance payment), and performed significant renovations on our school (transforming the cafeteria into a pre-k room, finishing our storage room so that it could be used for other purposes, making our bathrooms handicapped accessible). We are expecting that we are going to be putting a new roof on the church this year. We had thought it was going to be able to be put off a few years, but recent examinations have said otherwise. The cost for this will be in the range of \$85,000, but we have money for that in our capital campaign account.

St. Joseph House to Be Rented Temporarily to a Family

As most of you know, our former rectory (St. Joseph House) has been little used over the last 10 years. Meetings are held there, as are small group discussions, but typically it is used no more than twice a week. We had an opportunity arise to rent the building to a family that has recently moved into the area and needs temporary residence. So, we're taking advantage of that. It's a win-win situation for both our parish and this family.

We do not expect that St. Joseph House will be regularly rented in this fashion. The house belongs to the parish, and we want to have it available in the long term for parish activities. For now, though, this arrangement seemed appropriate and, like I said, will be temporary.

If this rental inconveniences you, thank you for your forbearance. This act of hospitality on our part will greatly help a family as they look for a permanent home to build or purchase.

SSPP CWC will be serving the FS Supper on February 15th.

We will be needing salads, desserts and helpers. Please sign up in the back of church or call Julie Metternich (217-453-6368) if you can help in any way.

GPD BREAKFASTS Breakfast after the 8:00 a.m. Mass will

be put on by Kindergarten this week with biscuits and sausage gravy and all the fixings. Next week will be put on by the 1st and 2nd and they will have pancakes and sausage. All of this for a free will offering. Hope to see you there!

LITTLE BUSY IN DALLAS CITY

SH LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE: JAN 23-24

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

We will be making Valentine plates for the special people who sometimes can't get out this time of year. We will be doing this on Saturday, February 13th at 1:00 p.m. Please have your treats at the Father Schramm Hall by 12:30! We will have the door open by 8:00 a.m. If you have any questions or would like to add someone to the list contact Esther Newberry at 217-852-3575.

Mid-Year Financial Report Things are moving along here at Sacred Heart, and we expect that we'll be hitting our budget projection (actually, probably better than that) when the end of the year comes. Here are two big projects of note:

1. The Landscaping around the church (including the new statue of the Sacred Heart) cost us \$6,057 total. Some of that went into last year's budget.
2. We re-carpeted the steps at a cost of \$935.

It's that time again to save the date for our annual Bingo Feather Party on Sunday, January 31st at Father Schramm Hall! We will be starting with food at 4:30 p.m. and bingo to follow at 5:30 p.m. We will have sign-up sheets in the back of church for prize donations or monetary donations. We appreciate anything you would like to help with. This is open to the public, so bring your friends! If you have any questions contact Laurey Wibbell at 217-852-3118 or Becky Gibb at 217-449-3726.

ALTAR AND ROSARY'S QUILT RAFFLE Tickets are now on sale for this year's quilt raffle. Special thanks to Alene Markey and Beth Greenig for once again piecing, quilting, and donating the beautiful 106 x 106 "Pineapple Quilt". The drawing will be on Feb. 14, 2016. This is Altar and Rosary's main fundraiser of the year; please help us make it a success. Tickets are in the back of the church. Thanks!

WHAT TO SEE IN WARSAW

Prayer Tree Requests: Melanie Longenecker: 217-256-3367

Mid-Year Financial Review Our parish is doing very well at the mid-point of our fiscal year. We're \$5,000 in the black at the end of December. We haven't had any major projects this half year, but there has been quite a little bit of little clean-up work being done - on trees and bushes and in the parish hall.

WARSAW CHURCH HOLDS ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT BREAKFAST The Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Warsaw, IL is planning its ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT BREAKFAST for Sunday, February 7th at the parish hall located at 835 Webster Street from 7:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. The meal includes pancakes, homemade sausage patties and links, homemade biscuits and gravy, special scrambled eggs, orange juice, milk and coffee. Tickets are \$7.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children (ages 5 thru 11 years) in advance from parish members, Heidi Jones at Cuts 2 Dye 4 in Warsaw 217-256-4359 or call 217-256-3408. Tickets are \$1.00 more at the door. Carry-outs are available. Fresh meat sales are also available and include bulk sausage, sausage links, chops, ribs, tenderloins and ground pork from the above sources or call 309-337-9075 by Sunday, January 31st, 2016. Meat will also be available at the breakfast while supplies last. For more information please call: Diane Heisler at 217-256-3408 or 217-430-4777.

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

Prayer Tree Requests: Daniela Harris: 217-847-2522

New Bells - Thank you, Fr. Luke! You've probably noticed that we have a new set of bells hanging on the wall in the back of our church. These come to us courtesy of memorial donations made to St. Mary's in honor of Fr. Lukoskie. If you've been in some of our other local churches, you'll notice that they have them as well, and we typically use them to announce the beginning of Mass. We still need to figure out how we're going to coordinate things at St. Mary's, but at least we can say that they are a nice and classy addition!

Mid-Year Financial Review At the mid-year, our parish is doing very well - we're \$6,300 in the black for the year at our half way point. The most noticeable work that has been done in our parish has been the renovation of our parish hall - with a new paint job and new curtains. Many thanks to our CIA youth group and our women's club for making this possible!

If you aren't already aware of it, Jim Layfield's job is relocating him to Mexico, and will be leaving us in February. We already have a carry-in dinner scheduled for Jan. 23rd, so we thought this would be a good opportunity to wish him "farewell" (for a while) and best wishes. Fried chicken and roast beef will be provided (will explain at the carry-in), so bring a side dish or dessert to share. We will miss you very much Jim!!!

St. Mary's is responsible for providing food for the Bloodmobile on Tuesday, Feb. 2nd. We serve from 11:30-5:00. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church for times to help out with serving and for donations of cookies. Thanks for the help!

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