



# Holy Family Church

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**MISSION:** *Holy Family Faith Community is called to live out the mission of Jesus. Empowered by God through Baptism and centered in the Eucharist, we strive to proclaim the good news of salvation, build community, serve the needs of others, celebrate our faith, and welcome all in one spirit of Christ.*

## PARISH STAFF

Fr. Mike Quinn, Pastor

Sr. Mary Essner, SSND, Pastoral Minister

Rev. Mr. Troy Egbert, Deacon

Patty Miller, Parish Secretary

Renee Fisher, Parish Bookkeeper

Sr. Betty Uchytel, SSND Holy Family School  
Principal

Belinda Failor, Holy Family School Secretary

Linda St. Juliana, Music Ministry - 248-0892

Don Zeiger, Cemetery

Mark Hedges, Facilities & Maint. - 795-6958

H.S. Youth - Lucas & Tara Peters - 231-9671

M.S. Youth - Kevin & Terra Murphy-795-0571

## INFORMATION & SERVICES

**Church Address:** 1111 Broadway  
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**School Address:** 1113 Broadway  
Hannibal, MO 63401

**Phone:** (573) 221-0456

**Rectory Phone:** (573) 719-3227

**Convent Phone:** (573) 603-1337

## MASS SCHEDULES

**Saturday:** 5:30 p.m. **Sunday:** 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.

**Weekdays:** Check weekly bulletin for Mass times

## Office Hours

Church: Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. - 5p.m.

School: Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**Deadline for Bulletin: Monday 12 Noon -**  
**bulletin and schedules available on website@**  
**[www.myhollyfamily.com](http://www.myhollyfamily.com)**

**Parish Council Pres.,** John Hark, 573-795-1381

Email: [hparishpres@gmail.com](mailto:hparishpres@gmail.com)

**School Board Pres.,** Bob Catalpa, 795-3926

**Home & School Pres.,** Sheri Wiley, 217-316-3014

**Council of Catholic Women Pres.,** Kathy McConnell, 795-3511

**K of C Grand Knight,** Andy Thomeczek, 573-291-6622

**K of C Auxiliary Pres.,** Annie Massie, 573-406-9200

**55+ Club - Bob & Barbara Brummer,** 573-795-6609

**Good Neighbor Project,** Claire Robinson, 221-1825

Diane Rash, 795-2302

**Prayer Circle,** Pat Murphy, 221-9920

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**Birthright,** Adele Paschal, 221-6445

**Religious Articles -** Rita Stevenson - 221-3459

**New Parishioners -** Newcomers are always welcome! Please stop by the Church office to obtain a registration form.

## Sacrament Preparation/Celebration

• Baptism Prep - Call Deacon Troy Egbert at 573-221-4542.

Please register by calling the parish office prior to date of baptism.

+ Marriage - Contact the Church office at least 6 months prior to wedding date.

+ Anointing of the Sick- can be done privately at home, at Church, or in the hospital. Contact the church office for arrangements.

+ Confessions - Saturdays from 4:15-5:00 p.m. or by appointment.

**Ministry to the Sick** Please notify the Church office if you are aware of someone who is homebound. If someone is in the hospital and would like to see Fr. Mike, call the rectory or the office.

## Church/School Facilities

If the event is to be held in the gym, please call the school office.

**Religious Education - Religious Education Classes** are on

Wednesday from 6:30-7:45 p.m. **Call Sr. Mary Essner at**

**573-221-1078** for more information, or the parish office to register.

**RCIA Classes** are on Thursday from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

## February 7, 2016

God calls us in many ordinary and sometimes extraordinary ways. Today we hear of three people who were called: Isaiah, Simon Peter and Paul. Each situation was different, but what they had in common was feeling inadequate to the call. In this year focusing on mercy, we realize that we, too, are recipients of God's mercy. We may feel inadequate, but we are all worthy in God's merciful eyes.

They left everything  
and followed him.



### Eucharistic Celebrations

- Sun. 8:00 a.m. Howarth/Stolte Family  
10:00 a.m. Joyce Walker  
People of the Parish  
Tues 5:30 p.m. Margaret, Verlee & Loretta Morris  
**Ash Wed.** 8:15 a.m. Donna Mickels  
7:00 p.m. People of the Parish  
Thurs. 8:15 a.m. Albert Basteau  
Fri. 10:30 a.m. Cathy Bloodgood (Willow Care Mass)  
Sat. 5:30 p.m. Tom Folweiler, Jr.  
Sun. 8:00 a.m. Viorel/Genovese Family  
People of the Parish  
10:00 a.m. Jim & Gerry Lampton



### Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 10th and is a day of fast and abstinence.

Our Mass schedule for Ash Wednesday is:

- Tues, Feb. 9th - 5:30 p.m. and Ash Wed., Feb. 10th - 8:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Holy Family will have Stations of the Cross on all the Fridays of Lent.

**K of C LENTEN FISH FRIES** The Knights of Columbus Fish Fry is 4:30-7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12! Come dine with your friends. Walk on our new regraded parking lot!

**DESSERTS NEEDED** - Anyone wishing to donate a dessert for the fish fries is asked to bring it to the K of C Hall in the afternoon. Thank you!

**LECTOR TRAINING** There will be a Lector training session in church on Monday, February 22nd at 7 p.m. All current lectors and those wishing to Lector at Mass are asked to attend this training.



## FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with all my heart, for you have heard the words of my mouth.*

- Psalm 138:1



### **Ashes For the Homebound, Nursing Homes, etc.**

There are small containers in the sacristy with blessed ashes. Feel free to take one for anyone you know who was not able to attend Ash Wednesday services. You may pray over them... "Will you turn away from sin and be faithful to the Gospel?" or "Remember that you are dust, and unto dust you shall return."

### **LOOKING FOR ANOTHER RECTORY**

For years many of our parishioners have been concerned about the location of our rectory. Several parishioners have been assisting Fr. Mike in a search for another rectory. The rectory at 2100 Chestnut St. is now up for sale. It is listed online with Century 21 Broughton Team if you would like to view the photos.

Please keep this in your prayers as we continue to work on finding a new location for our rectory.

### **ALTAR MINISTERS - February, 2016**

#### **5:30 p.m. Ministers of Eucharist:**

Marty Clark, Laura Smith, Melissa Millan, George & Peggy Walley, Mark & Debbie Grieshaber John Rolsen- alt.

**Minister of the Word:** Jerry Distler

#### **8:00 a.m. Ministers of Eucharist:**

Judy Kaylor, Debbie Morawitz, Toni Turner, Ron & Cindy Craven, DeAnne Wickens, Katie Hammock - alt.

**Minister of the Word:** Hal Benedict

#### **10:00 a.m. Ministers of Eucharist:**

Tim & Deb Pierceall, Bev Pierceall, Sherri Wiley, Doug Riley, Dawn Likes, Sue Webster - alt.

**Minister of the Word:** Rick Baumann

### **Greeters - February**

**5:30 p.m.** Jim & Colleen Closser

**8:00 a.m.** Greg & Diane Addison

**10:00 a.m.** Spike & Theresa Ehrhardt

### **Feb. 6-7**

5:30 p.m. Evie Rodenbaugh, John Ryan, Caden Selle

8:00 a.m. Carter Brewer, Lily Brewer, Noah Lawson

10:00 a.m. Abby Baumann, Emma Deien,

Maddie Harvey

**THIS WEEK   
IN OUR PARISH**

**Sun., 2/7 8&10 am Masses - KC Breakfast for Youth** - all welcome!  
**Noon-3:30 p.m. TEC Meeting** - Parish Center & Conf. Room  
**4 p.m. Confirmation Class** - Parish Center  
**7-8 p.m. Addicts Victorious Meeting** -Parish Center

**Mon., 2/8**

**5:30 p.m. Bible Study** - Conf Rm  
**6:30 p.m. Rosary** - Parish Center  
**7 p.m. CCW Meeting** - Parish Center - All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend!

**Tues., 2/9 5:30 p.m. Anticipatory Mass for Ash Wednesday** - ashes distributed  
**6-8 p.m. MS Youth Group Meeting** - Murphy's  
**7 p.m. Catholicism Series** - Parish Center

**Wed., 2/10**

**8:15 a.m. Ash Wednesday Mass** - church  
**6:30 p.m. Religious Ed. Class** - meet in school and attend Ash Wednesday Mass with your class  
**7 p.m. Ash Wednesday Mass** - church

**Thurs., 2/11**

**8:15 a.m. Mass** in church - all welcome!  
**7 p.m. RCIA Classes** - Parish Center

**Fri., 2/12**

**10:30 a.m. Willow Care Mass** - all welcome!  
**4:30 - 7 p.m. K of C Lenten Fish Fry** - K of C Hall  
**7 p.m. Stations of the Cross** - Church - Rosanne Roy's prayer group leading Stations

**Sat., 2/13 5:30 p.m. Mass**


**Sun., 2/14**

**8 a.m. RCIA RITE OF SENDING at Mass & RITE OF ELECTION** in Jefferson City  
**8 & 10 a.m. Masses - Coffee & doughnuts** after 8 & 10 a.m. Masses  
**4 p.m. Confirmation Class** - Parish Ctr.  
**7-8 p.m. Addicts Victorious Meeting** - Parish Ctr.

**CCW MEETING** Holy Family Council of Catholic Women meet Mon., Feb 8th at 7 p.m. in the Parish Ctr. The Rosary will be held at 6:30 p.m.



**Your Gifts To God**

** And Parish...**

**Collection Summary - Jan. 30-31**

Offertory Budget	52 Weeks	1,117,664.02
Needed to Date	31 Weeks	666,299.74
Received to Date		729,247.47
Over (Under) for Year		62,947.73
Needed Each Week		21,493.54
<b><u>Received Jan. 30-31</u></b>		<b>19,625.11</b>

The Total for Jan. 30-31 is comprised of:

Regular Envelopes, Loose & Online	18,244.00
Youth Envelopes	161.11
School Support	590.00
Stole Fees	125.00
Votive	3.00
First Offering	130.00
Masses	45.00
<u>Parish Lay Retirement</u>	<u>347.00</u>
<b>Building Fund/Capital Campaign</b>	<b>1,573.33</b>

**REDISCOVER JESUS**

Did you pick up your copy of *Rediscover Jesus* this past weekend? In addition to the daily reading you will receive an inspirational email with a short video featuring Matthew Kelly. **You must sign up at:**

**[www.dynamiccatholic.com/Lent](http://www.dynamiccatholic.com/Lent)**

Give your name and email address then click on sign up. We encourage you to join a small faith group which will meet weekly during Lent to share on the reading/video. If you cannot join a small faith group please consider doing the faith sharing with your own family. Sign-up sheets for faith sharing groups are available at the church entrances for those not presently in a group. Instead of giving up something for Lent why don't we all resolve to get into (or continue) the habit of daily prayer as we read and reflect on *Rediscover Jesus*. - **Fr. Mike**

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING** All

experienced and new Eucharistic Ministers need to attend an updated Eucharistic Minister Training and be officially commissioned. If you were unable to attend the training on Feb. 1 please plan to attend the training on Sunday, Feb. 21 after the 10 a.m. Mass.

**If you are a new Eucharistic Minister and plan to attend**, please call the parish office to let us know that you will be in attendance.

**AN INVITATION FROM GOD** - United in Prayer

Day at Albert Schwartz Catholic Center, 2207 West Main St. on Saturday, February 20, 2016. For more info. contact: Jim or Kathy Penfold, 573-635-8374 or email: **[jkpenfold@embarqmail.com](mailto:jkpenfold@embarqmail.com)**

## ADORATION SCHEDULE - FEB. 12-13

9-10 a.m.	Rosanne Roy
10-11 a.m.	Joe & Joan Hays
11-12 Noon	Marilyn Kerkemeyer
12-1 p.m.	Dave & Lisa Scharnhorst
1-2 p.m.	Bev Pierceall
2-3 p.m.	Mary Ann Viorel
3-4 p.m.	Lucille Orscheln, Judy Kaylor
4-5 p.m.	Libby Manning
5-6 p.m.	Frank & Janet Janes
6-7 p.m.	Carrie Smashey
7-8 p.m.	Debbie Riney
8-9 p.m.	Ronnie Ferrel
9-10 p.m.	Jacquie & Jody Conley
10-11 p.m.	Tim & Deb Pierceall
11-Midnight	Dan Whelan
12- 1 a.m.	Bob Leake
1-2 a.m.	Andy Thomeczek
2-3 a.m.	John Novara
3-4 a.m.	George Keller
4-5 a.m.	Eric Greenwald
5-6 a.m.	Ted Fix
6-7 a.m.	John & Adele Paschal
7-8 a.m.	John & Lisa Stark

### ***STATIONS OF THE CROSS...***

The following is a list of groups within the church who will be leading our Stations of the Cross:

- 2/12 - Rosanne Roy's prayer group
- 2/19 - Albright Group - **LIVE STATIONS**
- 2/26 - Colleen Closser's CRHP group
- 3/4 - DeAnne Wickens Why Catholic prayer group
- 3/11 - Theresa Ehrhardt's Bible Study group
- 3/18 - Middle School Youth - **LIVE STATIONS**

### **COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS**

Next weekend on Valentine's Day we will have coffee, doughnuts, bagels, fruit in St. Michael's Hall after the 8 & 10 a.m. Masses. Hosts for coffee and doughnuts next weekend:

- 8 a.m. Jim & Kathy Rehmsmeyer**  
**Tim & Nancy Hays**  
**Patrick & Sue-ann Westhoff**
- 10 a.m. Mercedes Oquendo**  
**Lana Ferrel**  
**Dan & Shari Whelan**

***WE ASK ETERNAL REST  
O LORD FOR THE SOUL  
OF: Bernice Allen, of our parish***

***Rest in Peace*** 

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK - Feb. 7-14

Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8;  
1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11  
Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10;  
Mk 6:53-56  
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11;  
Mk 7:1-13  
Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17;  
2 Cor 5:20 -- 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25  
Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15  
Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32  
Sunday: Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2, 10-15;  
Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

### **WILLIAM H. (Bill) SIMON SCHOLARSHIP**

The William H. (Bill) Simon Scholarship Fund awards scholarships to Catholic students who are in financial need for the purpose of attending an accredited college or university of the student's choice. The scholarship is \$ 1,000 per semester to assist the student in meeting educational needs. Scholarship funds are paid directly to the institution or to the student upon presentation of receipts paid to the institution for tuition, fees, and/or room and board. It is the intent to award three new scholarships each year; however, the actual number of new awards will be contingent upon the current number of previous recipients that are eligible for renewal.

The deadline for submission of the application, SAR, and letters of recommendation is **March 31, 2016** (if sending via post, it must be postmarked by March 31, 2016). All applicants will be notified of the results by May 1, 2016. Pick up an application at the parish office!

### **5th Annual Women's Ecumenical Lenten Retreat HEARTS OF MERCY - Saturday, Feb. 13, 2016**

**9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at Catholic Newman Center,  
709 S. Davis, Kirksville** YES, we welcome "Early Birds". Continental community breakfast 8:00-8:45 a.m. Retreat Leader: Sr. Diane Fulgenzi OSU an Ursuline Sister from St. Louis \$\$ Donation at the door only. Please do not send money ahead of time. Suggested offering (\$20) helps cover food, supplies, mileage & a stipend for our facilitator. Any size contribution is appreciated. FYI: Every WOMAN is welcome without cost. We do NOT want anyone to refrain from attending if finances are tight. We women stick together and God is always generous with us. **YES, you & others may come at the last minute without pre-registration.**

## **CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP APPEAL**

So far, our parish has raised \$26,538 of the CSA goal of \$29,900, with a total of 168 parishioners participating. **Only \$3,362.00 to go to make our assessment.** The Catholic Stewardship Appeal counts on our parish contributions to support the programs and services provided by the Diocese. If you haven't sent your donation to the Diocese please respond to this annual appeal as soon as possible. **Thank you!**

## **SAVE THE DATES - Middle School Youth Group/Godsquad...**

**Sun Feb 7th YG BREAKFAST** with the Knights, helping from 8:30-11:30...**we'll go to mass as a Youth Group at 10:00 mass.**

**Tues Feb 9th Meeting @ Murphy's 6-8pm**...we'll be dividing up girls/guys for an amazing video series!

Guys: drinks Girls: snacks

**Sun Feb 21st (note, this is a date change) LIFETEEN MASS @5pm and meeting to follow from 6-8pm.** All bring a snack to share.

**Tues Feb 23rd Meeting @ Murphy's 6-8pm**...we'll be dividing up girls/guys again for an amazing video series! Guys: snacks Girls: drinks

At each meeting/activity we will continue collecting change for our "Change for Good Challenge"!

Any questions, please contact Terra or Kevin Murphy

Please continue to keep our GODSQUAD in your prayers! God bless!

## **Hooray for Hollywood and Hooray for Holy Family School!!**

***To our Holy Family School families,*** The 15th Annual Holy Family School Dinner and Auction is planned for Saturday, March 12, 2016. "Bid for Our Stars" is a Hollywood-style celebration with lots of glitz, glamour, and giving!! Mark your calendars and come bid high for our stars, our students!



For our new families and as a reminder to others, our annual dinner and auction is the largest fundraiser for Holy Family School. We are blessed with generous parish, school, and community support. In the past 14 years, our total profits near \$700,000! Auction proceeds augment the school's general operating budget plus allow for upgrades. Past purchases include: new playground equipment; cafeteria equipment; maintenance and replacement of computers and technology; new flooring; teaching supplies; professional development for teachers; elevator updates; a new roof and a boiler.

Our auction success comes from lots of hard work and the involvement of many. We need each family to participate.

### **Got tickets??**

Tickets for our 15th annual Holy Family School Dinner and Auction are available NOW and we want to see you there! "Bid for Our Stars" is a Hollywood-themed, red carpet evening of glamour, glitz, and giving! Get your friends and family together for a memorable evening. DO NOT miss out!! Help to make our 2016 event our best night ever!! "And the winner is"...our students! Registration form at [www.myhollyfamily.com](http://www.myhollyfamily.com) under Auction tab!

It is our sincerest goal is to have a record year of ticket sales and fundraising for our 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Thank you for helping to make that possible! Holy Family School and our students appreciate each of you!

**Your 2016 Auction Co-Chairs, Ashlee Falconer** 573-795-7695 (cell) or [afalconer@adams.net](mailto:afalconer@adams.net)

**Becky Miller** 573-795-5778 (cell) or [beckymiller04@gmail.com](mailto:beckymiller04@gmail.com)

## **Men's Cursillo Group Reunion**

Any men who have been on Cursillo interested in joining the Men's Cursillo Group Reunion are welcome to meet in the St. Elizabeth Room every other Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Please just come to the meeting, or if you need more information, please contact Shawn Clark at 822-0504 or Mark Novak at 795-3904.

**STEWARDSHIP meeting Minutes Jan 26, 2016** Fr Mike opened the meeting with a Prayer at 6:00pm, followed by the scripture reading. Our theme for this month is MERCY and our patron saint is St Francis of Assisi.

John Watkins head of our technology review committee presented the website we have been reviewing and explained the advantages. He answered questions and after some discussion it was concluded that we will move forward with John, representatives of the school and office, and verify current set up of systems, costs and compare. That committee will come to a final conclusion and confirm their recommendations to Stewardship at our Feb meeting.

Janice Rupp updated us on the status of the retreat progress. She requested volunteers to assist as table leaders. We have 154 registrations with a couple pending. We are pleased with the interest and excited for this retreat. Volunteers need to be at St Michael's Hall at 7:30am on Feb 6th. We will open the doors for registrations at 8:00 am with coffee and donuts in St Michael's hall.

DeAnne announced Lay Witness statements will continue one Sunday each month rotating through the Mass times. Chuck and Judy Spratt are preparing for an Evangelization program "Inviting Catholics Home" a 6 week program typically following Easter, Christmas, and one in the fall. A team will be interviewed to include 5-6 members of the Church to roll out this program.

DeAnne requested that we establish support groups within the parish for Divorce/Remarriage and Bereavement. Marilyn K. is looking into bringing back a Bereavement retreat later this year. Parishioners interested in these programs should contact the church office to sign up to lead or participate.

Following the Stewardship sign-up last November it has been determined that going forward we will revise our forms. We will separate the treasure commitment area and scale back the categories to better represent interests. This will require the committee to review again later this year as we prepare for the next commitment process.

Kim Ahrens is leading a committee to formulate guidelines for the Stewardship Council and will present her recommendations prior to the fiscal year end so that our group aligns with other groups in the parish and Diocese.

Sr. Betty invited everyone to come to the Catholic Schools kickoff Spaghetti dinner on Sat night, 4:00-7:00 pm.

DeAnne invited all interested to take pictures at the retreat, forward via email to her, as we are preparing an article for the Catholic Missourian following the retreat. Pictures will be shared with Facebook, Doug Riley, as well.

Sr Betty is looking for pictures of the School Anniversary Mass with the Bishop last year. If you or anyone you know took pictures please forward them to Sr Betty. The School is working to form an Alumni Association, they need names and contact information for former students. If you have this information please share with Sr Betty.

### **2016 Lenten Regulations & Admonitions for the Diocese of Jefferson City**

As another Lenten journey of conversion begins on Ash Wednesday, February 10, 2016, and ends with the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, March 24, 2016, Holy Mother Church calls all Catholics to a deeper spirit of penance, fasting, almsgiving and prayer, "which express conversion in relation to oneself, to God, and to others" (Catechism of the Catholic Church # 1434 & 1969). In order to foster a greater spirit of penance, of reparation for sin, to encourage self-denial, and so guide us more closely in the footsteps of Christ, Holy Mother Church reminds us of the following **obligations of fast and abstinence** during Lent and also **admonishes us all to deeper prayer and worship.**

1. **Abstinence**: all persons who have already celebrated their 14th birthday are bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.
2. **Fasting**: everyone, from the celebration of their 18th birthday to their 59th birthday, is bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting is generally understood to mean eating only one full meal each day. Two other partial meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken; but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed. Voluntary fasting on other weekdays of Lent is highly recommended. But please note: when health or ability to work would be seriously affected, neither the law of fasting nor the law of abstinence obliges. These are minimal penitential practices and should not be lightly excused. If in doubt, please consult your parish priest. Other recommended forms of fasting, as regards alcoholic drink, needless television, video games, internet use, and social entertainment, are of true spiritual value and strongly encouraged.
3. **Almsgiving**: The act of giving to the poor, in the most ancient tradition of the Church, is an expression of penance, a witness of fraternal charity, and an expression of Lenten conversion. Therefore, all Catholics are encouraged to support generously the charitable works of the whole Church: through regular stewardship to their parish, support of charities, and their generous response to the diocesan Catholic Stewardship Appeal.
4. **Prayer**: In order to deepen one's love for Christ, Catholics are urged all the more to participate in the Sacramental life of the Church during Lent by attending daily **Mass** and frequenting the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation.