

# Sunday, July 12, 2009: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## FAITH CORNER

### SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

We are responsible for carrying God's good news to others.



As Christians, we are called to be evangelists. We are called to bring the good news of the gospel to the world. While not many of us are called to preach, or even to teach, each one of us is called to spread the gospel in some way. In actual practice, we often hesitate to talk about God with our peers. We seem embarrassed or fearful.

Jesus sent his disciples out to proclaim the good news. Some of their listeners received the good news with joy, but others rejected it. We can expect the same. Jesus also sends us out to bring good news to our friends and neighbors.

### National Catechetical Directory

*Evangelization "has as its purpose the arousing of the beginnings of faith." It seeks to bring the good news "into all the strata of humanity," in this way "transforming humanity from within and making it new."*

(#35, see also #48)

### Catechism of the Catholic Church

#### "The keys of the kingdom"

*From the beginning of his public life Jesus chose certain men, twelve in number, to be with him and to participate in his mission. He gives the Twelve a share in his authority and "sent them out to preach the kingdom of God and to heal." They remain associated for ever with Christ's kingdom, for through them he directs the Church:*

*As my Father appointed a kingdom for me, so do I appoint for you that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.*

(#551)

### FAITH SHARING QUESTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

**ADULTS:** Why do you think Jesus sent them out two by two, rather than alone?

**YOUTH:** When Jesus sent the disciples out, he was preparing them for the future when he would be gone. How are you growing in your own faith and preparing for a life as a Christian disciple?

**CHILDREN:** To whom would you announce the Good News about Jesus? Who do you think most needs to hear this message?

**STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL FORMS:** Has your form been returned? Presently we have received 236 of the 489 forms mailed.

### Masses, Intentions & Services

Sat.	July 11 5:00 p.m.+ Clem & Ida Dinkel
Sun.	July 12 9:30 a.m. Living & Deceased of Anthony & Katie Lang Family
	11:00 a.m. People of the Parish
Wed.	July 15 7:30 a.m.+ Bertha Binder
Fri.	July 17 7:30 a.m.+ Anna Mary Rohleder
Sat.	July 18 5:00 p.m.+ Patricia Selensky
Sun.	July 19 9:30 a.m.+ Daryl Haselhorst
	11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

**WE PRAY FOR** Dane Lonnon and Kayla Martin as they celebrated their Sacrament of Marriage on Saturday, July 11.



### WE WELCOME IN BAPTISM



Jayleigh Ann Weilert, infant daughter of Jeffery and Jennifer Weilert, who will be baptized on Saturday, July 11. Anabelle Kay and Jaygen Terry Leach, children of Scott and Jennifer Leach, who will be baptized on Sunday, June 12.

### Peter's Pence Collection

Thank you for your generosity in last week's Peter's Pence Collection. Because of you, Pope Benedict XVI will be able to help millions of people around the world quickly and effectively. In 2007, the United States was responsible for almost one-third of worldwide proceeds for this Collection. Your important contributions are truly helping the Holy Father to make a difference for those most in need.

### Backpack for Kids

In the gathering space you will find a list of items needed for the Backpack for Kids sponsored by First Call for Help. A box has also been placed in the gathering space for donations you may wish to make.



### Church Repairs

To Date \$53,567

### Tithing: Your Gift to God

#### Our 2009/2010 fiscal year started July 1, 2009

Week Collection of July 5	\$ 12,385
Budgeted Weekly Collection	\$ 12,706
Collection Year to Date	\$ 12,385
Budgeted Collection Year to Date	\$ 12,706
As of July 5 2009 we are over/(under) budget	(\$ 321)

### MONEY COUNTERS

July 12	Joel & Melinda Dreiling
July 19	Neil & Sondra Klaus
July 26	Curt & Donna Dinkel
Aug. 2	Ernie & Darlene Kroeger

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## Readings for Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

### Monday, July 13 (St. Henry)

Exodus 1:8-14, 22; Psalm 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8;  
Matthew 10:34-11:1

### Tuesday, July 14 (Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha)

Exodus 2:1-15a; Psalm 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34;  
Matthew 11:20-24

### Wednesday, July 15 (St. Bonaventure)

Exodus 3:1-6, 9-12; Psalm 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7;  
Matthew 11:25-27

### Thursday, July 16 (Our Lady of Mount Carmel)

Exodus 3:13-20; Psalm 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-24, 26-27;  
Matthew 11:28-30

### Friday, July 17

Exodus 11:10-12:14;  
Psalm 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18; Matthew 12:1-8

### Saturday, July 18 (St. Camillus de Lellis)

Exodus 12:37-42; Psalm 136:1 and 23-24, 10-12, 13-15;  
Matthew 12:14-21

### Sunday, July 19

Jeremiah 23:1-6; Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 (1);  
Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34

**The St. Nicholas Knights of Columbus** would like to invite all parishioners to help with the concession stand at the Ellis County Fair this year. The fair will begin on Saturday, July 11, and run through Saturday, July 18. If you would like to volunteer to work the concessions, please contact Glen and Marilyn Gabel at 628-2120 and let them know which evening or evenings you can help. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

**Catholic Charities of the Salina Diocese** is celebrating our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year. Please mark your calendars and join us for The Kansas Prairie Celebration at the Ramada Inn (formerly the Holiday Inn Holidome) in Salina, Sunday July 26, at 5:30pm. The event will include dinner, dancing, silent and live auction, and short video celebrating 50 years of charitable work in the Salina Diocese. Tickets are available now by calling 825-0208 and placing your order. In the past year we provided services to 4,148 people in need throughout the Diocese. Proceeds from the Kansas Prairie Celebration help to continue the work of Catholic Charities.

**On Vacation**, need to find out weekend Mass times for the area you are in? Call: **1-800-MASS-TIME** or visit on the web: [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org).

**THE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL** is open to all our Heartland Parishioners, visitors and guests. It's open 24 hours a day 7 days a week. Jesus waits for all to be present with Him. You are the Lord's wonderful creation, fashioned first with His heart and then with His hands.

## Faith Formation News

### Confirmation Candidates –

Bi-weekly summer packets will be mailed to you. Work on these throughout the summer to continue your personal preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation on Aug. 2. Please put all papers in your binder and write responses or reflections in your notebook. Continue to work on your service projects. Service **Form D** is due July 15. Have a Blessed Summer!



### CYO Sponsors needed for St. Nicholas CYO beginning July 2009

Looking for two or three individuals or couples as sponsors, adults 21 years or older, to consider being a part of this very important ministry to the high school youth of our parish. Please prayerfully reflect on this as an opportunity to share your faith with our youth. Call Kathy at the parish office for more details.

### Jr. CYO

Our tri-parish Jr. CYO summer get-together will be at the Sonic on Monday, July 13, from 7 to 9pm. Join us for sand volleyball and fun! Refreshments are on your own. 8th graders (soon to be freshmen) are included in this summer event. Hope to see many of you there!

### **SHARE YOUR TALENTS WITH OUR CHILDREN**

Do you enjoy sharing your faith, like to plan children's activities, like to sing with children (off key is OK), have a talent for crafts, tell great stories, like to be with young teens? Then your talents are needed in Faith Formation for the 2009-2010 year. Training will take place in August. **Catechists and assistants are needed for Pre-kindergarten through seventh grade and a Confirmation team is being assembled for Grade 8** Call the parish office for more information.

### **Faith Formation Enrollment for 2009-2010**

#### **All grades**

#### **Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 1 & 2**

After all Masses

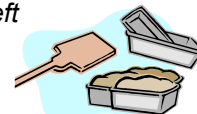
Bring completed packet to table in gathering space.

**Packets will be sent out this month.**



**Just a reminder** - If you or a member of the parish is in the hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Daryl, please contact the Parish Office at 628-1446.

**Notice:** If you have any dishes that are left behind from a funeral, please pick them up in the gathering space by the kitchen. Thank you!



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## Holy Family Elementary

-- **Summer Office Schedule** for June and July will be Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 9am to 4pm. Lunch Hour, 11am

to 12:30pm.

-- **There are openings** in the 4 year old PD Preschool Session, Tuesday/ Thursday class, 12:10 to 3pm. For further information, please call the school office, 625-3131.

**August 4** - 2009/2010 Enrollment/New & Used Uniform Sale; Activity Center 7:30am to 6pm.

Parish Stewardship Commitment mandatory before enrollment.

-- Nestle "Go Play" Campaign has ended. We will no longer collect Nestle Water Labels. We are asking that you continue to collect Box Tops for Education labels, Campbell Product Labels for Labels for Education, McDonald Receipts, Tyson Product Labels, and recycle your aluminum for Holy Family. Thank you so much.



## **Thomas More Prep-Marian** An **Excellent Opportunity**

[www.tmp-m.org](http://www.tmp-m.org)

Thomas More Prep - Marian High School, Hays, and KS is looking for Resident Advisors for both resident programs. Qualified men and women could earn room, board and salary. Opportunities for college credit also a possibility. Must possess good judgment skills, patience, discipline, a professional attitude and a willingness to work as a valued team member. Resident Advisors assist in the supervision, discipline, organizing activities and transportation of students from all over the world. For more information about these positions please contact: Michelle Fairbank @fairbankm@tmp-m.org or 785-432-1212.

### **TMP-Marian High School Soccer Camp**

Who: Boys and Girls ages 13-18

When: Monday, July 20 to Friday, July 24

Time: 6:30 to 8:30pm

Where: TMP-Marian Practice field

Cost: \$25.00 per child make checks payable to Darryl Wellbrock Send information to 1212 Donald Dr Hays, KS 67601 by Friday, July 10.

-- **Thomas More Prep Marian Uniform Sale** will be Monday, July 20, in the TMP-M dining room. Parker, Buckle, Sports Booster along with used uniforms sold by PTF. Time is 3 until 5pm. If you have used uniforms you would like to sale or donate, make sure you have them marked with an envelope with name and address on it and the amount you would like for your item. You can drop them off at the admissions office from 8AM until 4PM Monday-Friday now until the 17<sup>th</sup> of July.

### **Monarch Football Madness Kicks Off Again!**

Once again the school is selling tickets for Monarch Football Madness, an exciting fundraiser tied to the NFL 2009-2010 football season! Each ticket has three NFL football teams assigned and is valid for the 17 weeks of the regular football season and can win each week. The three team scores added together determine winners. Each week there are four ways to win! Total prizes for the length of the fundraiser are \$8,500 (\$500 per week for 17 weeks). This is a total of 68 cash prizes. Minimum odds of winning: 1 in 72. (4960 Combinations) For complete details go to: [www.tmp-m.org/footballmadness/](http://www.tmp-m.org/footballmadness/) A suggested donation of \$20 per ticket is accepted and can be sent in to: TMP-Marian, Attn: Sandy, 1701 Hall Street, Hays, KS 67601. Multiple tickets may be purchased and the ticket(s) will be mailed to you showing you your computerized selected teams for each week. This is a great fundraiser last year and we are hoping it will be even bigger and better this year! Don't miss out on this chance to win a cash prize and support TMP-Marian! If you have any questions, feel free to contact Sandy Losey at the school at 785-625-6577 or by email at [loseys@tmp-m.org](mailto:loseys@tmp-m.org).

**Dillons Coupons will be available this weekend after all Masses, July 11 & 12.**

### **MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JULY 18 & 19**

**Saturday, 5:00 P.M.**

<b>EM</b>	<b>Proclaimer</b>	<b>Hospitality</b>
Laurie Konz	Jo Good #1	Duane Klein
Darlene Arnhold	Sylvia Reinhardt #2	Gloria Mlinek
Andy Beck		<b>Sacristan</b>
Lisa Colwell		Henry Reinhardt
Sr. Vivian Kleinsorge	<b>Altar Servers</b>	
Mike Konz	Alayna Arnhold	<b>Gift Bearers</b>
Mary Selensky	Alysia Arnhold	Galen Gottschalk
	Albany Schaffer	

**Sunday, 9:30 A.M. Mass**

<b>EM</b>	<b>Proclaimer</b>	<b>Hospitality</b>
Neil Klaus	Joe Mindrup #1	Steve Urban
Teresa Heimann	Bill Heimann #2	
Kelly Schmidt		<b>Sacristan</b>
Brad Unrein	<b>Altar Servers</b>	Andrea Carmichael
Lisa Unrein	Amber Klaus	
Nancy Urban	Adam Klaus	<b>Gift Bearers</b>
Bob Wasinger +	Gracie Schmidt	Eugene Zimmer

**Sunday, 11:00 A.M. Mass**

<b>EM</b>	<b>Proclaimer</b>	<b>Hospitality</b>
Sara Humphrey	Patty Stull #1	Mike Leiker
Randall Braden	Jorge Vazquez#2	Wes Leiker
Mary Braden		<b>Sacristan</b>
Janet Kohl	<b>Altar Servers</b>	Darrell Keberlein
Mary Lou Mastin	Emma Humphrey	
Rose McFarland	Emily Leiker	<b>Gift Bearers</b>
Kathy Taylor	Brett Leiker	John Hertel

**Fr. Joseph Kieffer and Fr. Tony Neusch** are celebrating their 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Priesthood with a 9 day pilgrimage to Florence, Assisi and Rome, Italy. The pilgrimage is from November 11 – 19, 2009 and will depart from Dallas, TX. The cost of the pilgrimage is \$2,279 plus taxes and airfare from Kansas to Dallas. For more information contact Fr. Joseph at 785-738-2851 or [sjpastor@nckcn.com](mailto:sjpastor@nckcn.com).

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## Catholicism: Stewardship Driving Evangelization

Catholic stewardship inevitably leads to evangelization. We begin to want to share in the wisdom of God, as well as righteousness, sanctification, and redemption. "Human beings have a right to know the riches and mystery of Christ. It is in these that the whole human family can find in the most comprehensive form and beyond all their expectations everything for which they have been groping." (Evangelii Nuntiandi, 53)

## Understanding Scripture through the Eyes of the Church Talk

Our next talk on "Understanding Scripture Through the Eyes of the Church, Part III" will be Tuesday, July 14, at both 2:30 and 7pm, in the St. Joseph Parish Center. Deacon Mark Roberti explains how to read, study, interpret, and understand Scripture through the eyes of the Church. We are using a Vatican II document called *Dei Verbum* (The Word of God). After this course you will likely have an even greater appreciation of that masterpiece we call the Bible, and will be able to more effectively participate in Bible studies and defend your faith. For questions, contact Mark Roberti 625-7356 or [stjstewardship@eaglecom.net](mailto:stjstewardship@eaglecom.net).

## Listen to our Catholic Radio Programming, Saturday Afternoons

Through December, 2009, Saturday afternoons from 2 to 4pm, on Patriot 105.7, the Heartland Parishes of Ellis County are now hosting two hours of Catholic EWTN radio programming. In *The Web of Faith* two Catholic priests answer questions emailed to them. *The Great Adventure*, lays out and discusses the books of the Bible in the order they were written. Please support our sponsors: Bildschon Haus/Bildschon Baby, The Furniture Look, ServiceMaster Clean of Hays, Insurance Planning, Messenger Catholic Books, Gifts, Music, and Art.

## Next Seniors Bunko, Thursday, July 16

Our next Seniors Bunko will be Thursday, July 16, at 2:30pm, in the St. Nicholas of Myra Parish Hall. Join us for fun, fellowship, and refreshments. All are welcome including non-seniors and non-Catholics. Bunko is easy to learn!



## Next First Friday Respect Life Mass, August 7

Please join us in this wonderful opportunity to pray for life, our nation, and that all within our nation would respect life from conception to natural death. Mass begins at 5:30pm. It is preceded by the Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 4:55pm, then the Rosary at 5pm.

## Inviting Catholics Home Radio Spots

### Can we get Some Help?

So far, \$250 has been contributed. We will need \$500. We all have beloved family members and friends who have left the Church or are inactive. Let's reach out, together, and invite them home. Thirty second spots usually run about \$5 each at the non-profit rate. With certain package deals we can get them cheaper. Can you help? Please send donations in increments of \$100, \$50, or \$25 to help make this happen to Heartland Parish Ministries, P.O. Drawer 1000, Hays, 67601 or call Mark Roberti at 625-7356. Our first spot will read: *Are you a Catholic who is inactive or has left the Church? Is something pulling at your heart to come home? You are always welcome! Your Church – your family of faith – loves you. Sometimes, in families, issues have to be worked out. Let's get started. We're extending our hand to you and hoping you'll take it. Contact us at [www.heartlandparishes.org](http://www.heartlandparishes.org) or call-625-7356. The Catholic Church [jingle – We keep Christ's light shining to welcome you]*

## Can We Use Your Yard for a Bit Inviting Catholics Home Signs

If you live on a relatively busy street – or own land on one – can we use your property to put up a temporary 2' x 2' yard sign? We're "Inviting Catholics Home" again. It has been quite successful. In fact, we believe it has been 100% successful. Not everyone who participates always chooses to come home, but in each and every case there has been healing. We leave the rest to God's grand design. Would you allow us to use your property? Contact Mark Roberti 625-7356 [stjstewardship@eaglecom.net](mailto:stjstewardship@eaglecom.net). The earlier the better so our best estimate of a sign order can be placed.

## St. Joseph's Food Pantry

**Food Items:** Can be left in the wooden cabinets in the entryway at the St. Joseph Parish Service Center.

**Boxes:** can be left in the office down the hall from the Religious Ed. Office.

**Monetary Donations:** Can be sent through the weekend collections or left at the Parish Service Center.

**Prayers:** Can be left with Jesus, Mary and Joseph at any time you care to send them.

**Food Items Needed for July: BEANS! Canned, refried, dry.....**

**Boxes:** Medium-sized are needed.

**Volunteers needed:** July 18 & August 1, pantry days.

## Flying a Food

Bring non-perishable items to the Airport the month of July. Benefiting St. Joseph's Food Pantry. Register to win 1 round trip ticket to Denver or Kansas City. One entry per person, per week through the month of July, 2009.

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**Habitat for Humanity of Ellis County** will be choosing two families to partner with us on two homes being readied for occupancy at 17th and Allen Street in Hays. One is a two bedroom home, the other a three bedroom. Families in need of decent housing and whose yearly income falls within the guidelines may apply. The guidelines are between \$10,025 and \$24,100 for one person up to \$18,900 and \$45,400 for an eight person family. The Family Selection Committee will choose homeowners based on: 1) level of need, 2) willingness to become partners in the program, and 3) ability to repay the non-interest loan. A non-discriminatory policy is followed in selecting partner families. Neither race nor religion is a factor in choosing a family to receive a Habitat house. Interested persons are asked to please call (785) 623-4200 and leave a message with your name, address and phone number. A pre-application form will be sent to you. Also volunteers are needed for a work day on July 18. Habitat is also looking for someone who would consider supervising workers. If you are interested in helping, please contact Roberta Martine, Volunteer Coordinator at 623-4410, Wendy Beougher, Co-President at 625-5703, or Louise Reese, Co-President at 625-4188 Thank you so much for helping us get information distributed about Habitat homes.

**Messenger will host a book signing** featuring Fr. Julian Haas O.F.M. Cap., on Tuesday, July 14, from 10am to 1pm. Fr. Julian's book entitled *Mark's Gospel Catechumenal Way of the Lord of the Father* guides believers in a religious experience of the Gospel according to Mark. It leads present-day followers of Christ in a process of reevangelization in the real-life situation of any household whether a family unit, single person or priest. Come and join Messenger, Catholic Books & Gifts is located in the Centennial Mall, Hays, 621-2085.

**THE MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE** will be held in Wichita's Century II Convention Center from August 7-9. Please help promote this excellent program in your parish to support and strengthen family life, which is so crucial to the life of the Church and society. A vibrant family is so often the source of religious vocations and of lifelong stewards. There will be opportunities each day for Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession, an outdoor Eucharistic Procession and Benediction and outstanding speakers. Enclosed is a brochure to help promote this event. For more detailed information and/or to register, please contact (316-618-9787) or email [midwconf@cox.net](mailto:midwconf@cox.net). For online registration (credit card only) ([www.catholicfamilyconference.org](http://www.catholicfamilyconference.org))

**The Marymount Alumni Association** will sponsor an all-school reunion on July 24, 25, and 26. It is an open invitation to all former Marymount College graduates, students, faculty, administrators, staff and board members. For further information concerning the reunion, contact Sister Lucille Herman, 785-823-8803 or [lcherman@yahoo.com](mailto:lcherman@yahoo.com) or go to the Sisters of St. Joseph website: [www.csjkansas.com](http://www.csjkansas.com) and click the Marymount link.

### Young Adult Beginning Experience (YABE)

Do you know a young adult, 14 years or older, who is experiencing feelings of loss from a parental death, divorce or separation? The Young Adult Beginning Experience (YABE) is a peer ministry retreat where they will be in a safe environment to walk through the grief process and discover they are not alone. The next YABE weekend will be July 24 – 26. For more information and/or register, please call Marnie at 316-729-4437 or e-mail [bmarsha748@yahoo.com](mailto:bmarsha748@yahoo.com). A \$35 non-refundable deposit ensures your reservation.

**Join us at Manna House of Prayer**, Saturday, July 18, from 9:30am to 3:30pm, for a Mini-Vacation with God: Summer Spirituality. Perhaps a week's vacation is more than we can afford, but certainly we can gift our hearts by going on a short "road trip" with God! Come pray, journal, explore and play, as you journey with God. For more information contact Manna House at 785-243-4428 or [retreatcenter@mannahouse.org](mailto:retreatcenter@mannahouse.org).

### Single and Beyond

Single and Beyond is an ecumenical Christian social group for divorced, widowed, single people located in/hear Hays, Kansas. Its mission is to provide friendship, support, and understanding to one another. For information, contact Nancy 628-3347, Judy 625-7871 or [singleandbeyond@yahoo.com](mailto:singleandbeyond@yahoo.com)  
-- **July 18 - BBQ and Blues** - Downtown Hays 8am to 5pm.  
-- **July 25 - BBQ and Games Night at Kim's**, 2509 General Lawton. 6:30pm. Bring own meat to grill and one side dish.  
-- **July 29 - Food and Fellowship** - Meet at **Wendy's** 6pm.

### METAL BUILDING AUCTION:

I.H.M. will be auctioning the **tan/gold metal shop building on Saturday July 25, at 10am**. Larry Brenner with Farmland Auction and Reality (628-2851) will be conducting the auction for us. There will be a few other items for sale as well which will be advertised. A reasonable amount of time will be given for the clearing of the building site.

### THE DAYS AHEAD

- July 12** Food Bingo Fraternal Order of Eagle #3061, 1:30pm, Eagles Lodge, 121 E. 8<sup>th</sup> St. (Everyone welcomed!)
- July 15** Rosary for Family Life, Adoration Chapel, 9pm  
-- Finance Council Meeting; noon
- July 18** Men of Myra, 7:30am
- July 19** Rosary in the St. Nicholas Chapel, 9am