



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH

Parroquia San Francisco de Asis

St. Mary Church + St. Henry Church + Immaculate Conception Oratory

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OFFICE • OFICINA

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Marshalltown, IA 50158

Monday-Thursday • lunes-jueves

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Friday • viernes:

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

MASSES • MISAS

Saturday • Sábado

4:30 PM - SH - English

6:30 PM - SH - Español

Sunday • Domingo

8:30 AM - SH - English

10:00 AM - SH - English

11:30 AM - SH - Español

5:00 PM - SM - Bilingual

DAILY MASS • OTRAS MISAS

Weekdays • entre semana

7:30 AM - SM

Thursday • jueves

8:45 AM - SH (School Mass)

CONFESSION • CONFESIONES

Tuesday • martes

6 PM - FINISH - SM

Saturday • sábado

3:30 PM - 4:15 PM - SH

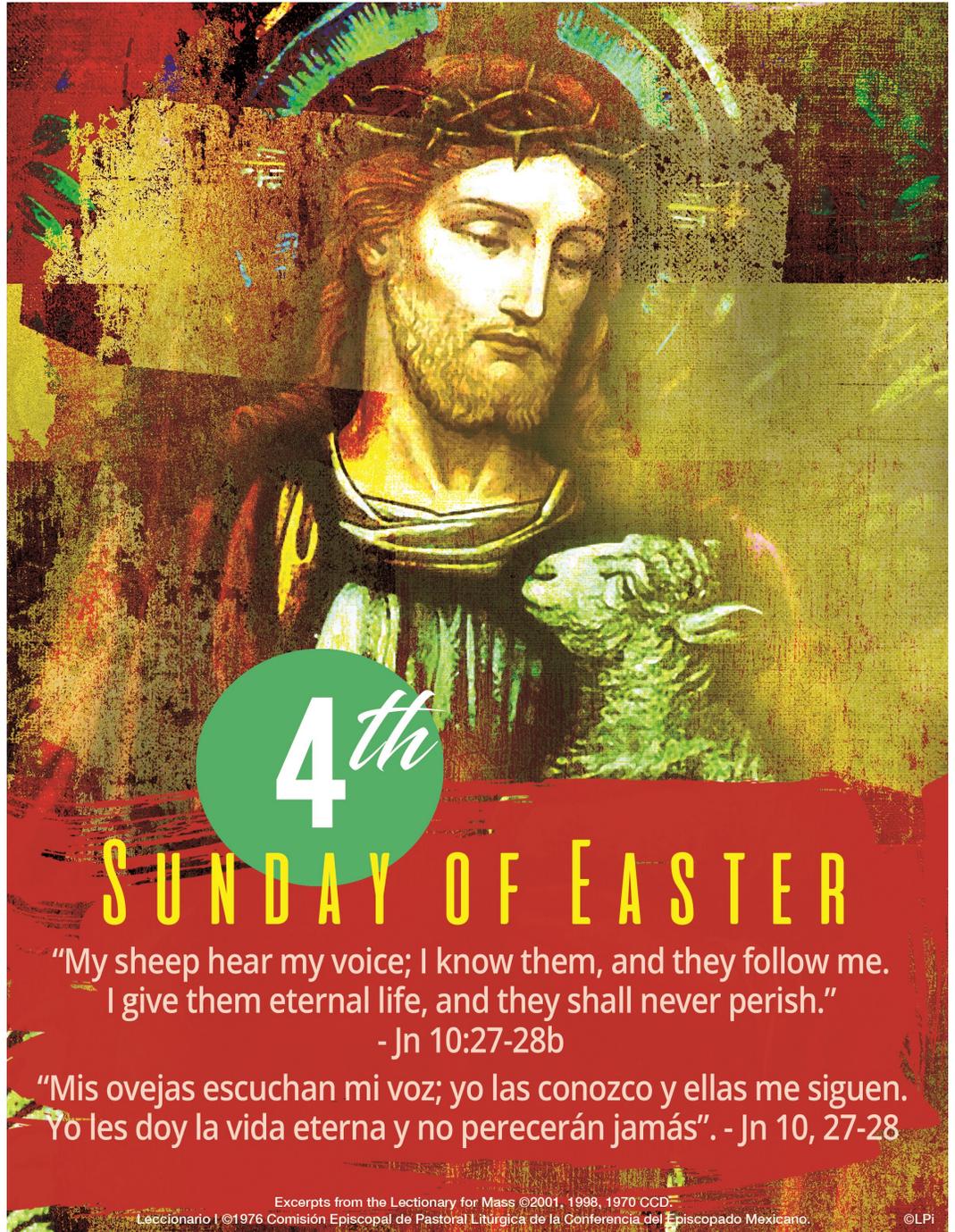
OTHER SACRAMENTS

Call the parish office

OTROS SACRAMENTOS

Llama a la oficina parroquial

Bulletin submissions are due
by Monday at 12:00 noon.



4th SUNDAY OF EASTER

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me.
I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish."

- Jn 10:27-28b

"Mis ovejas escuchan mi voz; yo las conozco y ellas me siguen.
Yo les doy la vida eterna y no perecerán jamás" . - Jn 10, 27-28

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER | 4° DOMINGO DE PASCUA
MAY 8, 2022



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GOSPEL REFLECTION

The Fourth Sunday of Easter is traditionally called "Good Shepherd Sunday". We Christians, although brought to Christ through Baptism, continue throughout our lives to stray from God. We need the Good Shepherd each day.

In today's second reading from the *Book of Revelation*, John describes a vision he had. Three times in today's second reading - and forty times in the entire *Book of Revelation* - John uses the word "lamb". But this "lamb" is also a "shepherd": "*the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water*".

This "lamb", of course, is the Risen Jesus. This lamb is our Good Shepherd, the God who chose not only to become man, but also to offer His Body and Blood along with His soul and divinity on the Cross for each one of us. This crucified and risen God-man is a sheep like us, but is also our divine shepherd.

REFLEXIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

El Cuarto Domingo de Pascua se llama tradicionalmente "Domingo del Buen Pastor". Nosotros, los cristianos, aunque bautizados en Cristo a través del Bautismo, continuamos a lo largo de nuestras vidas alejándonos de Dios. Necesitamos al Buen Pastor cada día.

En la segunda lectura de hoy del libro de Apocalipsis, Juan describe una visión que tuvo. Tres veces en la segunda lectura de hoy, y cuarenta veces en todo el libro de Apocalipsis, Juan usa la palabra "cordero". Pero este "cordero" es también un "pastor": "el Cordero que está en el centro del trono los pastoreará y los conducirá a las fuentes de agua de la vida".

Este "cordero", por supuesto, es Jesús resucitado. Este cordero es nuestro Buen Pastor, el Dios que eligió no solo hacerse hombre, sino también ofrecer su Cuerpo y Sangre junto con su alma y divinidad en la cruz por cada uno de nosotros. Este Dios-hombre crucificado y resucitado es una oveja como nosotros, pero también es nuestro pastor divino.

¡FELIZ DÍA DE LA MADRE!

A TODAS LAS MADRES: BIOLÓGICAS, ADOPTIVAS, Y ESPIRITUALES

HAPPY Mother's DAY!

TO ALL MOTHERS

BIOLOGICAL, SPIRITUAL, ADOPTIVE, AND FOSTER MOMS

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of goodwill. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Please follow along with the readings which begin on page 160 in the United in Christ books.

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Holy, Holy, Holy | Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus Dóminus Deus Sábaoth.

Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.
Hosana in excelsis.

Acclamation | Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias.

Lamb of God | Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis. Angus Dei, qui tolis pecata mundi: miserere nobis. Angus Dei, qui tolis pecata mundi: dona nobis pacem.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 7

4:30 PM + Richard Ropiecki
6:30 PM + Ventura Cisneros Aldaco

SUNDAY, MAY 8

8:30 AM + Mary Aguilera
10:00 AM + Bea Czarske
11:30 AM + Jose & Enrique Maravilla
5:00 PM All Parishioners

MONDAY, MAY 9

7:30 AM + Dorothy Cahill

TUESDAY, MAY 10

7:30 AM + John & Joan McGeehee
+ Pete Menzel

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

7:30 AM + Ventura Cisneros Aldaco
+ Miguel Andrade

THURSDAY, MAY 12

7:30 AM + Robert & Dorothy
Groteluschen
8:45 AM + John & Lori Pieper

FRIDAY, MAY 13

7:30 AM + Rosario Macias

SATURDAY, MAY 14

4:30 PM + Gary Underwood
6:30 PM + Miguel Andrade

SUNDAY, MAY 15

8:30 AM + Andrew & Evelyn Kopel
10:00 AM + Devin & Dorothy Schrad
11:30 AM + Augustin & Irma Perez
(Acción de gracias/in thanksgiving)
5:00 PM All Parishioners

Gloria

Gloria a Dios en el cielo, y en la tierra paz a los hombres que ama el Señor. Por tu inmensa gloria te alabamos, te bendecimos, te adoramos, te glorificamos, te damos gracias, Señor Dios, Rey celestial, Dios Padre todopoderoso. Señor, Hijo único, Jesucristo; Señor Dios, Cordero de Dios, Hijo del Padre; tú que quitas el pecado del mundo, ten piedad de nosotros; tú que quitas el pecado del mundo, atiende nuestra súplica; tú que estás sentado a la derecha del Padre, ten piedad de nosotros; porque sólo tú eres Santo, sólo tú Señor, sólo tú Altísimo, Jesucristo, con el Espíritu Santo en la gloria de Dios Padre. Amén.

Siga las lecturas que comienzan en la página 161 de los libros Unidos en Cristo.

Credo

Creo en Dios, Padre todopoderoso, creador del Cielo y de la Tierra. Creo en Jesucristo su único Hijo, Nuestro Señor, que fue concebido por obra y gracia del Espíritu Santo; nació de Santa María Virgen; padeció bajo el poder de Poncio Pilato; fue crucificado, muerto y sepultado; descendió a los infiernos; al tercer día resucitó de entre los muertos; ubió a los cielos y está a la diestra de Dios Padre; desde allí ha de venir a juzgar a los vivos y a los muertos. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, en la

Santa Iglesia Católica, la comunión de los Santos en el perdón de los pecados la resurrección de los muertos y la vida eterna. Amén.

Santo | Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus Dóminus Deus Sábaoth.

Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis.
Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosana in excelsis.

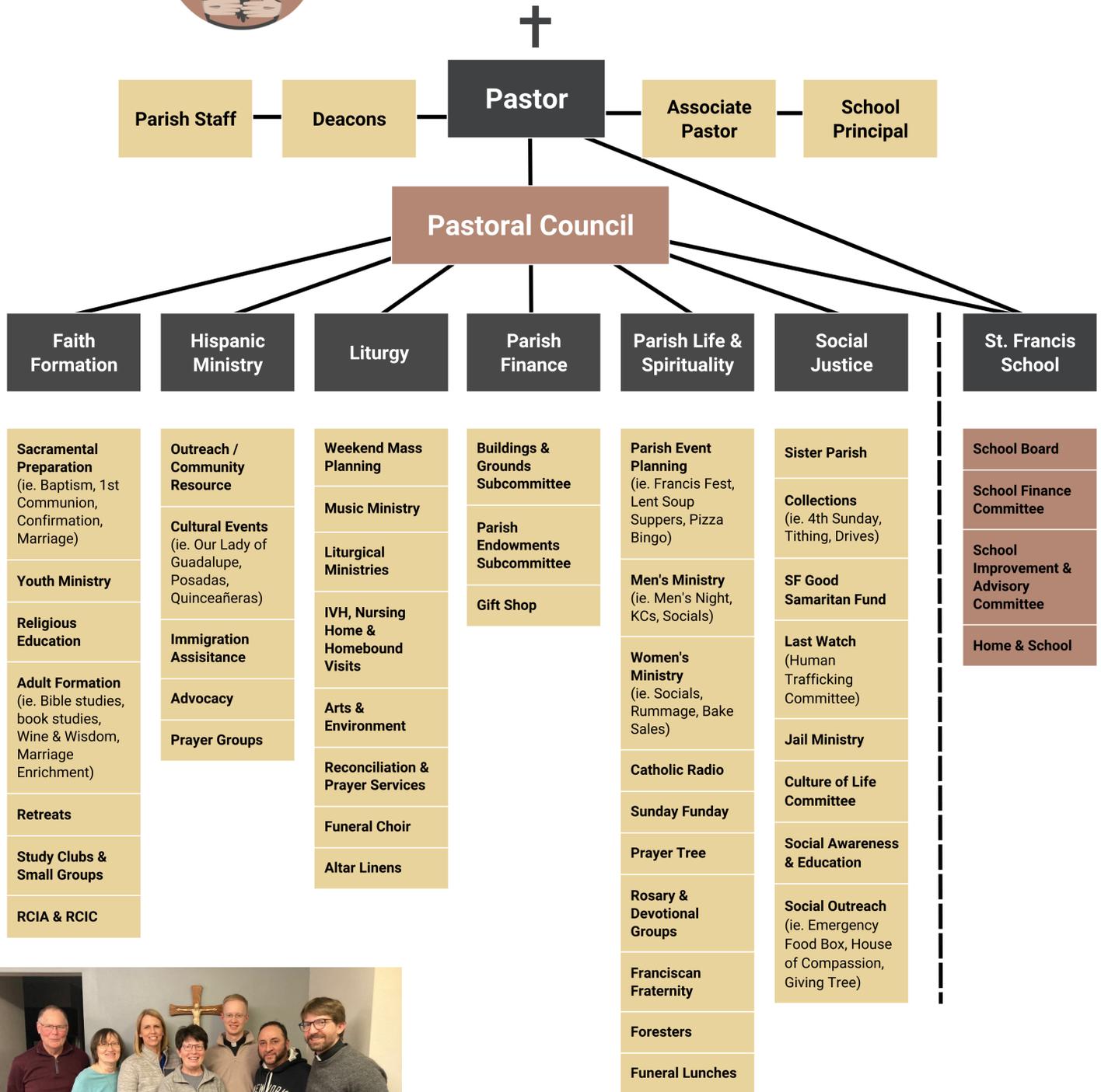
Acclamación | Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias.

Cordero de Dios | Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis. Angus Dei, qui tolis pecata mundi: miserere nobis. Angus Dei, qui tolis pecata mundi: dona nobis pacem.



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ORGANIZATIONAL CHART (2022)



Not Pictured/No fotografiado :
Bibiana Perez Larson, Brenda Villa and Dex Walker

Our Pastoral Council and staff have been working the past two months on an organizational chart which captures the many ministries and activities that happen at our parish and how they fit within the various aspects of our parish committees in order to improve communication and effectiveness. Check it out!

Nuestro Consejo Pastoral y nuestro personal han estado trabajando en los últimos dos meses en un gráfico que captura a los muchos ministerios y actividades que suceden en nuestra parroquia y cómo encajan en los diversos aspectos de nuestros comités parroquiales para mejorar la comunicación y la eficacia.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINEES (ELECTIONS NEXT WEEKEND)

Tendremos elecciones en Misas para nuestro Consejo Pastoral y Junta Escolar como lo hacemos el proximo fin de semana (pero no pudimos debido a COVID). Lea los nombres y considere en oración quién le gustaría que lo represente.



Laicy Marotti

My name is Laicy Marotti. I am originally from Urbandale and a graduate of Drake University, where I graduated with her Doctorate of Pharmacy (PharmD) degree. My family and I moved from Kansas to Marshalltown and I currently work as a pharmacist at the Meskwaki Tribal Health Center in Tama. My husband, Stephen, and I have a daughter, Abigail, who is a 2nd grader at St. Francis Catholic School. It is very important to us that our daughter grow up with a faith-based education. While living in Kansas several years ago, I worked at the McConnell Air Force Base and Fort Riley (Army). I am a leader and earned a Monthly Safety Award for my attention to detail in the pharmacy at the US Air Force Base. I have enjoyed making new friends and like to serve the parish. I am a Eucharistic Minister at Mass, I served on the St. Francis Harvest Ball Committee (SFC's annual fundraiser.) If chosen for the pastoral council, I will work diligently and give my best effort at all times.



Karol Smigowski

My name is Karol Smigowski and I am married to Marta. Together we have 6 children: Anna (14), Sara (10), Jan (8), Albert (5), Klara (4) and Edward (2). We have been parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi since 2017, when we moved to Marshalltown from Chicago. I was born and raised in Poland and immigrated to the United States in 2006. I work for Deimco Finishing as a Senior Engineer. I am grateful to my parents for raising me and my siblings in Catholic faith (2 of my sisters are Poor Clares and one brother is a priest in Australia). In the midst of the difficult times for the church I feel urged not only to share my faith with my family and friends but also stand for and promote the true Catholic values in our parish. Thank you for considering me.



Matt Stalzer

My name is Matt Stalzer. I have been a member of St. Henry/St. Francis of Assisi parish for the last 15 years. Prior to that I was a member of Immaculate Conception parish in Haverhill, where I reside and farm. My Catholic faith has always been an important part of my life which has guided me towards volunteering. For the past five years I have been an assistant director for the Immaculate Conception cemetery and I am also a member of the Knights of Columbus. I also feel it is important to be involved with your community beyond just your parish, so I have volunteered in Marshall county. I was a member of the Community Foundation of Marshall county for 6 years as well as being on the Haverhill city council for 10 years. I feel this is a good time in my life to be a part of the St. Francis of Assisi Pastoral Council to help keep the parish and Catholic faith growing in our community. Thank you for your consideration. God bless.



Jaime Williams

My name is Jaime Williams. I have been a member of our church since 2005, although we did live in the Minneapolis area for 5 years beginning in 2014 due to my employment. My wife Jessica and I have 3 children, all of whom have attended St. Francis School. My oldest son is Jacob and is finishing up his sophomore year of high school. My middle child is Julia, and is finishing her 8th grade year, and my youngest child is Jenna, who will be completing her 3rd grade year at St. Francis school this month. Jessica and I are both originally from Ottumwa, Iowa, and we are both alumni of the University of Northern Iowa. I work in supply chain management at Vermeer Corporation in Pella, Iowa. I was raised protestant and came into full communion in the Catholic Church in 2001 while living in Cedar Falls. I am also a Benedictine Oblate associate with Christ the King Priory in Schuyler, Nebraska. I would be honored to serve our great parish on the Pastoral Council!

ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD NOMINEES (ELECTIONS NEXT WEEKEND)



Penny Bermudez

My name is Penny Bermudez. It is my desire to fulfill my responsibility to serve Christ and his church through seeking nomination for the St. Francis School Board. I am currently the Administrator of the Iowa Veterans Home, in Marshalltown. I also am appointed by the governor to serve on the Dependent Adult Advisory Council. I have held a leadership position in State Government for 28 years. I serve on the Ethics Committee, the Executive Budget Committee, the Executive Leadership Strategic Planning Committee and Quality Assurance/Performance Improvement Committee. I believe that my experience in leadership could provide strength to the school board. I am a new convert to the Catholic Church. My grandchildren are privileged to attend St. Francis School and my family is blessed to attend St. Francis Church. I have been led to faithfully pray for Mr. Eisenbarth, our priests, our teachers, and our students during the last three years. It would be an honor to serve with other board members to provide support and guidance to our school as we strive for academic excellence, spiritual strength and depth, and diversity. Please pray for God's guidance.



Steve Marotti

My name is Stephen (Steve) Marotti and I am originally from Des Moines, IA. I started my college career at Northwest Missouri State University majoring in Business Education. Life took some unexpected turns but, I finished up my degree in Psychology at the University of Northern Iowa. I currently work at Iowa Workforce Development as a Career Planner with the emphasis on re-employment strategies. I have had many different roles in management, human resources, sales management as well as sales consultation in the business world. I have made some great connections at St. Henry/St. Francis of Assisi. I have assisted with Soles for Souls and am currently on the Donation Committee for Guardians on the Greens at St. Francis. I am an Associate Member of the Knights of Columbus (past committee member of the Outreach committee in Kansas) and have been an RCIA sponsor. I moved from Kansas (Iowa to Kansas back to Iowa) and joined the parish with my wife, Laicy and daughter, Abigail (Abby). I feel that a faith-based education is of the utmost importance and cannot wait to see what more can be accomplished at St. Francis. If chosen for the School Board I will work tirelessly to accomplish what the board sets forth as goals and ambitions.



Traci Wright

My name is Traci Wright and I am running for St. Francis School Board. St. Francis Catholic School has been a huge part of my life as I was a student there from Kindergarten through 6th grade. My 3 children have also attended or are currently attending school there. I served as a substitute teacher at SFC for 5 years, and have spent many, many hours volunteering in all aspects of the school. St. Francis is very important to me and I would love the chance to be on the school board. I want to be on the school board because I am passionate about serving my St. Francis community. I want to see the school thrive and grow in the years to come. My children are 5th generation students, and I would love to see their children's children have the opportunity to attend this school. I believe that being a parent and educator, I have a unique perspective that would be valuable to the school board. Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECONCILIATION

There is no reconciliation on Tuesday nights on May 10 or May 17. Reconciliation will be available on Saturdays from 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM.



RECONCILIACIÓN

No hay reconciliación los martes por la noche el 10 o el 17 de mayo. La reconciliación estará disponible los sábados de 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM.

GRADUATION RECOGNITION

Sunday, May 22

10:00 AM & 11:30 AM Masses

Bring your cap & gown and allow your parish to wish you well and to celebrate your achievements! Congratulations to you all!



RECONOCIMIENTO DE GRADUACIÓN

domingo, 22 de mayo

Misas de 10:00 AM y 11:30 AM

¡Trae tu traje de graduación y permite que tu parroquia le desee lo mejor y celebre tus logros!
¡Felicidades a todos!

ANNOUNCEMENTS



HONORING OUR LADY WITH THE ROSARY

We will be praying the Rosary 20 minutes before the 4:30 PM Saturday and 8:30 AM Sunday Masses. Come join in this meditative prayer on Mary and Jesus! If you would like to lead a Rosary and have never done it before, please contact Carol at 641-351-5402.

CATHOLIC HEART PARENTS & YOUTH REUNION

Saturday, May 7

5:30 PM

St. Henry Dining Room

We will reminisce about how much fun we had going on CHWC trips and then talk about what you can do to be involved when CHWC comes to Marshalltown this summer (July 17-23)! There are many ways to get involved behind the scenes for both parents and youth. Please contact Bethany or CJ chwc.marshalltown@gmail.com if you have any questions or if you can't make it to the reunion, but still want to help.



CARE FACILITIES

In recent months we have had inquiries from parishioners about when or if Masses would be starting up in care facilities. Shortly before COVID started the priests of

Marshalltown were assigned to serve the Catholic community at the Iowa Veterans Home (previously an assignment done by Fr. Rick Daggitt of State Center). Then COVID hit and we were not allowed in the care facilities. As they have almost all opened up, the number of residents that were in the care facilities has notably decreased and many parish volunteers bring communion to them on a regular basis. They and our homebound parishioners receive regular visits and this is working quite well. If you or someone you care is not able to leave home and would like to receive a visit from a priest you are always welcome to call the parish office.

ARISE Prayer Group

Tuesday, May 10 & 24

6:30 PM

Madonna Room

Recall the experience of your own confirmation, when the gifts of the Holy Spirit you received at baptism were strengthened and enriched with a fresh anointing of the Holy Spirit. How have you experienced those gifts in your life since that time? For sure, you want those gifts to be renewed in your life! Come attend the ARISE meeting. Together we can learn ways to promote effective prayer, to edify (build up), exhort (encourage) and comfort the church. ARISE is open to all! Please call or text (641)-750-0028 for more information.



GIVE US HOPE : SFC 4TH-6TH GRADE PROGRAMS

Thursday, May 12

2 PM & 6 PM at St. Henry Church

ANUNCIOS

El mes de mayo es dedicado a María. Cada día durante el mes se rezará el rosario a las 6 PM en diferentes casas. Todos están invitados a participar.

8 mayo: Rosa y Raul Moreno
(641) 844-3194

707 State St.

9 mayo: Angélica Sánchez

10 mayo: Adela y Juan Ibarra
(641) 750-8406

1713 Wallace Ave.

11 mayo: Liz y Artemio Hernandez (641) 691-0238
506 Jerome St.

12 mayo: Rosa y Adolfo Ibarra (641) 750-6566
506 E. Church St.

13 mayo: Lupe y Antonio Ibarra (641) 485-0056
409 Church St.

14 mayo: Carmen y Gualo Saldaña (641) 354-3906
1120 May St.

15 mayo: Maricela y Genaro Avalos
310 Newcastle Rd.



ROSARIO ANTES DE LA MISA

Cada domingo a las 11:00 AM se reza el santo rosario antes de la misa. Las personas que lo dirigen son las siguientes:

8 mayo: Monica Huerta

15 mayo: Antonio Rodriguez

ESTUDIO DEL EVANGELIO

Los jueves

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Salón parroquial de Santa María

¿Quieres aprender más sobre la Biblia? ¿Quieres reflexionar un poco más sobre las escrituras que escucharás en la misa? ¿Por qué no reunirte con el grupo que analiza el evangelio de cada semana?



MISAS DE PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

los domingos 15, 22 y 29 de mayo

2:00 PM

San Henry

PADRES Y MADRES ORANTES

Los lunes

6:30 PM

Sta. María

Acompáñanos para rezar juntos para nuestros hijos y su salvación.

