



Holy Family

CATHOLIC CHURCH

1111 BROADWAY
HANNIBAL, MISSOURI
573-221-1078

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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.

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MASS SCHEDULES/CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
 Confession: 3-3:45 pm Sat. or by appointment
 Weekdays: 8:15 am - Tues., Thurs., Fri.
 10 am Wed. - Nursing Home Mass (see bulletin)
 2nd Wed. of the month - 55+ Club Mass - 11 am Par. Ctr
 Office Hours Church: Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. - 5p.m.
 School: Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.



October 12, 2025 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

INFORMATION & SERVICES

Church Address: 1111 Broadway, Hannibal, MO
Church Office: 218 S. Maple Ave.
 Hannibal, MO 63401
Phone: (573) 221-1078 **Fax:** (573) 248-1662
School Address: 1113 Broadway
 Hannibal, MO 63401
Phone: (573) 221-0456
Rectory Address: 108 West Ridge
 Hannibal, MO 63401
Rectory Phone: (573) 719-3227
Website: <https://hollyfamily.diojeffcity.org>

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Parish School of Religion Classes - 6:30-7:45 pm on Wednesdays in Holy Family School. Sign up in church or call the parish office, 573-221-1078 if you need a registration form. Contact Terra Murphy at 573-795-0571 for more information.
OCIA CLASSES - 9:00-10:45 am on Sundays - Parish Center, 218 S. Maple St (upstairs) Contact the parish office - 573-221-1078 for more information
Sacrament Preparation/Celebration
 +Baptism Prep - Please register by calling the parish office - 573-221-1078 to set-up a meeting with the pastor prior to the Baptism.
 +Marriage - Contact the parish 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
MINISTRY TO THE SICK - Notify the Church office of homebound. If someone is in the hospital and would like to see Fr. Greg, call the rectory or office.
Prayer Circle - Send prayer requests to: Shelly Lowe at: praywithhollyfamily@att.net
 Need a ride to church? If you are 55+ please call:
55+ VAN - David Murry — 573-501-2765



Altar Ministers - October 2025

4 pm Min. of Eucharist for 10/4, 10/11

Colleen Closser, Carolyn Ellis, Katie Hammock,
Anne Hayes, Lori Catalpa

4 pm Min. of Eucharist for 10/18, 10/25

Natalie Astorino, Denise Fogle, Lisa & Doug Baughman,
Shelly Lowe

October Sacristan: Libby Cody

October Min. of the Word: Deb Pierceall

Servers 10/18 - Mia Dorian, Reagan Carroll,
Alexa Nacke

8:00 am Min. of Eucharist for 10/5, 10/12

Geri Graves, Steve Orscheln, Carol Orscheln,
Marty Clark, Joni Clark

8:00 am Min. of Eucharist for 10/19, 10/26

Lisa Allen, Dick Rupp, Debbie Morawitz,
Spike Ehrhardt, Theresa Ehrhardt

October Sacristan: Alexia Gonzalez

October Min. of the Word: George Kerkemeyer

Servers 10/19 - Masen Ericson, Kayt McAdams,
Luke McAdams

10 am Min of Eucharist for 10/5, 10/12

Terry Mayes, Becky Thomas, Scott Boehmer,
Nancy McWilliams, Marilyn Kerkemeyer

10am Min of Eucharist for 10/19, 10/26

Terry Mayes, Scott Boehmer, Tammy Vedenhaupt,
Mark Novak, Ken Zielinski

October Sacristan: Amy Lewis

October Minister of the Word: Mary Lynne Richards

Servers 10/19 - Lauren Allgood, Maddox Haycraft,
Hadley Ledbetter

Ministers of Hospitality - October. 2025

4:00 p.m. Jack & Marla Ryan

8:00 a.m. Jamie & Gina Hoover

10:00 a.m. Sheila Boehmer & Karen Zerbonia

Sun., 10/12

8 am & 10 am Masses - church

5-615 pm MS Youth Group Meeting - Youth Rm

6:30-8 pm HS Youth Group Meeting - Youth Rm

Mon., 10/13

5:30 pm Women's Bible Study- Conf Rm

6:00 pm CCW Meeting - Parish Ctr

Tues., 10/14

8:15 am Mass - church

9 am Men's Bible Study (Ellis) - Conf Rm

10 am Women's Book Study -Parish Ctr

6-7 pm Novena Rosary Group - Gathering space

6 pm Picnic Committee Meeting wrap-up - Parish Ctr

6:30 pm Cursillo Bible Study Group - Conf Rm

Wed., 10/15

8:30am Women's Bible Study - Conf Rm

9 am-3 pm Friendship Quilters - Parish Ctr

10 am Luther Manor Mass

5:30 pm Finance Council Meeting - Conf Rm

6-7 pm Rosary - church

6:30-7:45 pm PSR Classes - school

6:30-7:45 pm Confirmation Classes for PSR - school

8:15 pm Fight Club Men's Ministry - Youth Rm

8:15 pm Girl Talk - Murphy's home

Thurs., 10/16

8:15 am Mass - church

5:30 pm Women's Cursillo Group Meeting -
St. Anthony Rm

6:30 pm 11th Step Open AA Meeting - Conf Rm

Fri., 10/17 8:15 am Mass - church

9 am Men's Bible Study (Cody) - Conf Rm

5 pm Wedding Rehearsal - church

Sat., 10/18 Autumn Historic

Folklife Festival - Main St.

K of C Fish Sandwiches being
served - pick-up a few for lunch,
dinner or both!

2:30 pm Wedding - church

4 pm Mass - church



Sun., 10/19

Autumn Historic Folklife Festival - Main St.

K of C selling fish sandwiches

8 & 10 am Masses

5-615 pm MS Youth Group Meeting - Youth Rm

6:30-8 pm HS Youth Group Meeting - Youth Rm

MASS INTENTIONS - Oct 12-19

Sun. 8:00 am People of the Parish
 10:00 am Luca St.Juliana
 Tues. 8:15 am Dortha O'Donnell
 Wed. 10:00 am Irma Torrey (Luther Manor Mass)
 Thurs. 8:15 am Otto Bailey
 Fri. 8:15 am John Bolletta
 Sat. 4:00 pm Joan Hays
 Sun. 8:00 am People of the Parish
 10:00 am Jack Walker

PACK THE PLAYPEN



Once again we are asking for donations to help Options for Women, our local pregnancy resource center. Please donate baby items, and Pack the Playpen in the Gathering space at the back of church. They always need diapers (sizes 3,4,5 needed most) and baby wipes along with, infant formula, newborn clothes, receiving blankets, etc. The moms and dads served by Options usually have nothing and without Options some of these moms would be looking at abortion. They do not charge the moms but they must complete parenting courses to be able to shop for items in the baby boutique. Please be generous, your gifts are appreciated. Playpen will be in church until 10/20/2025.

Readings for the week of Oct. 12-19

Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17 Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b) 2 Tm 2:8-13 Lk 17:11-19
 Monday: Rom 1:1-7 Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 Lk 11:29-32
 Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 Lk 11:37-41
 Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11 Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9 Lk 11:42-46
 Thursday: Rom 3:21-30 Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab Lk 11:47-54
 Friday: Rom 4:1-8 Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11 Lk 12:1-7
 Saturday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 Lk 10:1-9
 Next Sunday: Ex 17:8-13 Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (see 2) 2 Tm 3:14-4:2 Lk 18:1-8

PARISH COLLECTION - Oct. 4-5

Needed each week	30,856.25
Received Oct. 4-5	29,163.25
Total for Oct. 4-5 is comprised of:	
Regular Envelopes, Loose & Online	26,973.50
School Support Envelopes	1,923.75
Youth Envelopes	15.00
Masses	25.00
Votive/Rel. Articles	21.00
Bldg/Gym Rental	105.00
All Saints	40.00
<u>PSR Registration</u>	<u>60.00</u>
Building Fund	487.00

CALL TO ALL WOMEN

Living Your Womanly Identity Through the Saints

Special guest speaker: Sister Clementia Toalson, FSGM



Join us for a Women's Ministry Event: *Living Your Womanly Identity Through the Saints*

1 NOVEMBER 2025 | ALL SAINTS DAY

1111 Broadway, Hannibal Holy Family Church

\$15 WI LUNCH PROVIDED

SCHEDULE OF THE EVENT:

- 8:30 - 9:30: Registration - in Gathering Space with Eucharistic Adoration - in church
- 9:30 - 10:45: Session 1 Talk | Small Groups
- 11:00 - 12:00: Mass
- 12:00 - Lunch
- 1:00 - 2:00: Session 2 Talk | Small Groups



SHARE TABLE
 Bring religious items & books you no longer use or would like to pass on.

Collection for Blessing Bags:
 toiletries, socks, hygiene, snacks, etc.

OCT. 20
 REGISTRATION DUE



VETERANS DAY PRAYER SERVICE

Our Holy Family School Veterans Day Prayer Service will be on Wednesday, November 12 at 9:00 a.m. in the church. We will again include a

slideshow of veterans pictures - those that are currently serving and have previously served in our armed forces that hold special places in our hearts. If you would like to add yours to those that were shared last year, please send photos of those patriotic men and women to Melissa Millan at millan@myhollyfamily.com by October 24. You may also bring photos to the school office. If you want to check with Mrs. Millan if she has your family's photos, please email her. We appreciate your help and hope to see you there to support our American heroes.

MOTHER

BRIDE

SISTER

DAUGHTER

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Dorothy Day, the great Catholic activist, doubted God’s existence. At least in her early adult years. But something changed when after giving birth to her daughter, she experienced an overwhelming gratitude. She later described how, as she held her daughter, the only appropriate response was a kind of unlimited gratitude. She had done nothing to deserve such a gift — this tiny, miraculous life — but there she was, flooded with gratitude, completely undone by the love of such a Giver.

Something similar occurs in Luke 17:19 when Jesus tells a healed leper, “Stand up and go; your faith has saved you.” This man had already received physical healing through his faith. But the moment of an even deeper transformation came when he turned back, fell at Jesus’ feet, and gave thanks. Like Dorothy, this man’s gratitude led him to encounter the Giver.

Isn’t that what we want, too? Gratitude to God has the power to break our chains of sadness, bitterness, and disenchantment. It empowers us to step out of the prison of self-pity and into the reality of God’s abundant love. It shifts our focus from what we lack to what we have received, from what wounds us to what heals us.

Where do we learn this? The Mass. The priest prays: “It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks.” Always. Everywhere. Not just when life is easy. Not just when prayers are answered as we expect. Gratitude is not a passive feeling; it is an act of faith. In the eucharist, we remember that Christ himself has given everything for us. And in this act of gratitude, we are healed.

- Father John Muir ©LPi

OCIA-Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Explore OCIA Order of Christian Initiation of Adults



The OCIA program is for:
 - Those who are unbaptized Christians, baptized in other denominations, Catholics who haven’t received the sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist.
 - Anyone curious about what the Catholic Church believes & teaches.
 OCIA is a journey of conversion, guiding participants toward a deeper relationship with Jesus and His Church.

If you are interested please contact Terra Murphy at 573-795-0571 or email her at: DRE-youth@myhollyfamily.com



Knights of Columbus Council 907

Meeting Times

1st "Dinner" Meeting:
 2nd Monday of every month at 6:30PM

2nd Regular Meeting:
 4th Monday monthly - Sept. thru May at 6:30PM

Brother Knights, please come out and attend!



Knights of Columbus Council 907

Email Update Request

If you are a member knight and have **not** been receiving council email, please send your latest email address to:

hannibalkofc907@gmail.com

Adoration Open Hours

Sunday noon, 1am
 Thursday 8pm, 9pm, 10pm
 Saturday 11am, noon, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm (1st, 3rd, 5th)



OCTOBER 25
 Sodalis Nature Preserve
Boo Dash 5k
 Starts 8:30 am
Boo Bash Trick-Or-Treat Trail
 Starts 10:00 am
 573-221-0586
 sponsored by
James O'Donnell
 Funeral Home, Inc.



CCW SOUP DAY... Mark your calendars for Friday, October 24, 2025 for our annual CCW Soup Day/Holiday Bake Sale & Raffle. We begin serving at 11 am and finish at 6 pm. On the menu for Soup Day we have homemade chili and vegetable soup, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches, crackers, dessert & drink, additional sandwiches of pimento cheese or hot dogs can be purchased as well. Cost for the meal is \$10 for adults \$5 for children 4-10, children 3 and under are free. Raffle tickets will be in the

bulletin next weekend! You can mail or place your raffle tickets in the Sun. collection.

Quilt tickets will be sold after Masses in the gathering space on Oct. 11-12, 18-19. The quilt is a Full/Queen size in Fall colors pieced by Kathy Kroeger and quilted by Michele House
Quilt Tickets: \$1.00 each; 6/\$5.00



If you are canning now, save a few of your jams/jellies back to donate to our Country Store. Maybe you are a bread maker? We would love to have a few loaves to sell at the Country Store as well. Everyone is welcome to donate a dessert for our meal. Pies, cakes, cupcakes, cookies and also sugar free desserts are needed. You can deliver your desserts on Thursday, Oct. 23 from 2-6 pm and Friday, Oct. 24th from 7-11am by just pulling up to the 2nd church door on the left in the driveway and honking. Someone will come out and get your dessert from you. Be sure to mark your calendars and join us for a great day of food and fellowship. All are welcome!



HOLY FAMILY GOOD NEIGHBOR AUTUMN AUCTION

Holy Family Good Neighbor Autumn Auction will take place at the K of C Hall on Saturday, November 8th. Doors will open at 5 pm and the auction will begin at 6 pm. We challenge all groups and individuals in the parish to donate gift cards, cash, special baskets created by you or your group or organization to support our fundraising efforts! Please bring your donations to the parish office by Monday, November 3rd. This is our 12th year working to help those in need in Ralls and Marion County. **Thank you for your continued generosity to Good Neighbor! See you Sat., November 8th!**



**PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND & NORTHERN IRELAND
11 DAYS: APRIL 20 - 30, 2026**

**VISITING: BELFAST • DERRY • KNOCK • GALWAY • CONNEMARA
KILLARNEY • RING OF KERRY • BLARNEY • DUBLIN**



HOSTED BY
FR. MIKE QUINN

\$4979 FROM ST. LOUIS*

*Air/land tour price is \$4479
plus \$500 government taxes/airline surcharges

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

Fr. Mike Quinn
Tel: (573) 629-5490
Email: frquinn4419@gmail.com

DON'T MISS OUT! SIGN UP TODAY!



You've been told all your life that the first and greatest commandment is to "LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, SOUL, MIND, AND STRENGTH" (MARK 12:30) but no one ever told you how.

LOVE STUNS. LOVE RESURRECTS. LOVE TRANSFORMS.

You're invited to
Love Heals

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH - JEFFERSON CITY

Featuring Author and Speaker Sonja Corbit along with a special musical guest.

Ladies Night Out

10.17.25 6:30 PM - 9 PM
\$25 Dinner Fee DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM

Fall Retreat

10.18.25 10 AM - 3 PM
\$15 Lunch Fee DOORS OPEN AT 9:30 AM



RSVP HERE

[HTTPS://DIOJEFFCITY.ORG/WM-LOVE-HEALS-EVENT-2025/](https://diojeffcity.org/wm-love-heals-event-2025/)



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Jefferson City

WOMEN'S MINISTRY
FALL EVENTS



**SHARE
The Harvest**

**CALLING ALL HUNTERS!
DONATE VENISON TO MISSOURI FAMILIES**

Why share?

Many Missouri families and individuals lack healthy, protein-based meals. Deer meat, a low-fat red meat, provides a uniquely nutritious source of protein that contributes to a balanced diet.

How to donate?

Take your deer to **Tim Scheulen Processing LLC** at 1968 County Rd 602, Loose Creek, MO. He is the designated processor for CCCNMO's Food Pantry.

Donations can vary from a few pounds to the whole deer. While there aren't price reductions for part of a deer, a whole-deer donation may come with reimbursement.



Catholic Charities
of Central and Northern Missouri

**Holy Family Cancer and
Cancer Caregivers Support
Group**



Why is this month called Pink October? People all over the world wear pink and display pink ribbons to raise awareness about prevention and routine screening for early diagnosis of breast cancer. 1 in 8 women in the United States and 2.3 million women worldwide are affected every year. While breast cancer is rare in men, approximately 2,800 men were diagnosed with it in 2023.

When breast cancer is detected, and is localized, the 5 year survival rate is 99%. Signs and symptoms include lump in the breast, tenderness, change in the skin texture or appearance, nipple discharge and more. There are many types of breast lumps and not all are cancer. Self-exams, annual physical exams with a health provider and imaging tests include mammograms, ultrasounds and MRIs are used to diagnose breast cancer. If something is detected a biopsy procedure removes a sample of tissue for testing in a lab.

Breast cancer stages range from 0 to 4. A lower number means the cancer is less advanced. Stage 0 is contained within a breast duct and has not invaded the breast tissue yet. As the cancer grows the stages get higher. Stage 4 means the cancer has spread to other parts of the body.

Treatment plans depend on the particular type of breast cancer. Healthcare teams consider the stage, how quickly it is growing, and whether the cancer cells are sensitive to hormones before making recommendations for treatment. Lumpectomy, mastectomy, and sentinel node biopsy are 3 main surgical procedures. A lumpectomy removes the breast cancer and some of the healthy tissue around it. A mastectomy biopsy removes all the breast tissue from the breast. A sentinel node biopsy is used to test for the spread of the cancer. Hormone therapy, Radiation therapy, and Chemotherapy are options that may be used in addition to surgery. Remember each case is different.

Other breast cancer survivors and support groups like the Holy Family Cancer & Caregiver Support Group can help those battling cancer feel that they are not alone. For more information or to talk to someone call the Holy Family Cancer and Caregivers Support Group:

- Lisa Baughman (660-785-0505)
- Deanne Wickens (573-795-1391)
- Karen Wetton (573-822-3765)
- Claudia Lennon (573-406-7394)
- Beth Anderson (573-795-5828)

Mayo Clinic: [Breast Cancer - Symptoms & Causes - Mayo Clinic](#)

National Cancer Foundation: [Breast Cancer Early Detection - National Breast Cancer Foundation](#)