

# Holy Family

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY



## St. Mary's

1158 North Second Street  
Eldorado, IL 62930  
Mass: Saturday, 5 PM



## St. Joseph of the Woods

R.R.1, Box 140  
Elizabethtown, IL 62931  
Mass: Sunday, 8 AM



## St. Mary

2000 West Poplar Street  
Harrisburg, IL 62946  
Mass: Sunday, 10:30 AM

Confessions: 30 minutes before all Masses or by appointment.  
The Rosary is recited at each Mass 20 minutes before the Mass time scheduled.

## PASTOR: FR. ABRAHAM ADEJOH

### PARISH OFFICE

2000 West Poplar Street  
Harrisburg, IL 62946  
618 -253-7408  
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### OFFICES OF EDUCATION

**St. Joseph Elizabethtown**  
**St. Mary Harrisburg & St. Mary's Eldorado**  
Megan Burris 618-926-8232  
Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)  
Delia Podoriscki 618-926-1385

### MAINTENANCE

**St. Mary Harrisburg & St. Mary's Eldorado**  
Greg Price 618-841-0899  
**St. Joseph Elizabethtown**  
Stephen Hopkins 618-499-5966

### ORGANISTS

**St. Mary Harrisburg & St. Mary's Eldorado**  
Melinda Tolley 618-252-8425  
**St. Joseph Elizabethtown**  
Reima Shetler

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

**Pres.** Stephen Hopkins 618-499-5966  
**V.Pres.** Nancy Lambert 618-518-8483  
**Sec.** Janet Bayless 618-841-2283



### FUNERAL POLICY

You must meet with our parish priest, Fr. Abraham before any arrangements are made with the funeral home involving the priest and the church.

### BAPTISMS

Baptisms will be available during or after mass the last Saturday and Sunday of each month. Please call the parish office to schedule a meeting with Fr. Abraham prior to that weekend.

### GIFT SHOP

St. Mary's gift shop is open before and after Mass at the main entrance of St. Mary's Eldorado Church. Contact Mona Edwards at 618-926-0390.

### OUR HOLY FAMILY CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

**Rosary Guild** meet 1st Sunday of each month at 3:00 PM St. Mary's Eldorado Parish Center.

**Holy Name Men's Society of St. Joseph Elizabethtown & St. Ann's Council Catholic Women** of St. Joseph Elizabethtown meet the 2nd Monday of each month in parish hall 6:00 PM for social hour with meetings starting at 6:30 PM.

**Holy Name Men's Society of St. Mary's Eldorado**, meet 2nd Monday of each month in the St. Mary's Parish Center in Eldorado at 7:00 PM from March thru October 6:00 PM from November thru February.

**St. Mary's Altar Society of St. Mary's Eldorado**, Meet the 4th Monday of the months March, April, May, September, October & December at 6:00 PM in the St. Mary's Parish Center in Eldorado.

**Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary** meet 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM in the St. Mary Parish Center in Harrisburg.

**Holy Name Men's Society of St. Mary Harrisburg**, 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:00PM.

MARCH 30<sup>TH</sup> & 31<sup>TH</sup> 2019

## U.S. BISHOPS' CHAIRMAN OFFERS PRAYERS FOR RECOVERY, AFTER FLOODING IN THE MIDWEST

March 19, 2019

WASHINGTON—After historic flooding brought devastation to parts of the Midwest, Bishop Frank J. Dewane of Venice, Florida and Chairman of the U.S. Bishops' Committee on Domestic Justice and Human Development, expressed grief over the lives lost and threatened by the floods and offered prayers for recovery.

The full statement follows:

"We are deeply saddened by the loss of life and the damage caused by the flooding throughout the Midwest these past few days. As of this writing, at least nine million people in fourteen states have been affected by rising water levels along rivers and creeks in the central United States. Four people have been killed by swift currents and rising floodwaters. Heavy rainfall and melting snow from this winter's powerful storms continue to threaten the lives and livelihoods of many as the floodwaters are not expected to recede until later this week.

It is our prayer that those affected by the floods will find the strength to rebuild. We trust that the Lord will console them in their suffering. Let us answer the Lord's call to love one another and generously support our neighbors in this time of need."

Donations can be made to Catholic Charities USA at <https://catholiccharitiesusa.org>.



### Sick Call

I place great importance on visiting the sick. In most instances the only way I will know if a parishioner is ill or hospitalized is if I am contacted. If you or a family member is in the hospital please contact the parish office 618-253-7408 or call me directly 618-944-8888.

Thank you,

Father Abraham

### PROJECT EASTER BASKETS

St. Joseph St. Ann's will be collecting items for their 3rd annual Project Nursing Home Easter Baskets. Items needed: Small Shampoo, Tooth Paste, Combs, Tooth Brushes, Candy, Cheese / Peanut Butter Crackers, small can cokes, pencils, pens, note pads, puzzle books. You can drop off your items at the back of the church.

### Lenten Food Collection

During Lent we are called to give to others who are in need. St. Joseph will be collecting food throughout Lent. You may bring your non perishable food items to Mass and place it in the basket in the back of the church. Food that is collected will be given to the local food pantry.

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MARCH 23<sup>RD</sup> 2019

#### St. Mary's Eldorado Collection

Envelopes \$1884.00 Loose \$103.00  
Building Fund \$38.00

MARCH 24<sup>TH</sup> 2019

#### St. Joseph Elizabethtown Collection

Envelopes \$900.00 Loose \$174.00

#### St. Mary Harrisburg Collection

Envelopes \$ 1528.00 Loose \$113.00  
Children's Offering \$8.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
GENEROSITY

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### Weekday Mass WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tues. 6:00 PM St. Mary Harrisburg  
Wed. 8:00 AM St. Mary's Eldorado  
Thurs. 7:00 AM St. Mary Harrisburg  
Fri. 8:00 AM St. Mary's Eldorado  
Adoration on Fridays at 7:30 AM  
St. Mary's Eldorado

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### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday March 30th

**St. Mary's Eldorado**  
Nita Schmitt, Janet Zilch

#### Sunday March 31th

**St. Joseph Elizabethtown**  
Parish Family

**St. Mary Harrisburg**  
Parish Family



## 2019 HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE

### Holy Thursday:

April 18th - St. Mary Harrisburg - 7 pm

### Good Friday:

April 19th - St. Mary Harrisburg - 7 pm

### Easter Vigil:

April 20th - St. Mary's Eldorado - 9 pm

### Easter Sunday:

April 21st - St. Joseph Elizabethtown - 8 am

### Easter Sunday:

April 21st - St. Mary Harrisburg - 10:30 am



## Lenten Penance Service

A Lenten Penance Service will be held for our Holy Family Catholic Community churches of St. Mary's Eldorado, St. Joseph Elizabethtown and St. Mary Harrisburg on Thursday, April 4, 2019 at 6:00 PM at St. Mary Harrisburg.



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will be held every Wednesday evening at 6:00 pm in Harrisburg. PSR youth will lead the Stations on Mar. 27 and April 10.

Stations of the Cross will be held each Friday evening at 6:00 pm in Eldorado.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

**TAKE UP YOUR CROSS THIS LENT AND WALK WITH JESUS**

## Lenten Bible Study

Fr. Abraham will be holding Bible Studies during Lent!

The Bible Studies will rotate to all Parish locations.

Parishioners from each church are asked to bring finger foods.

Upcoming Bible Study dates are:

March 31st - Elizabethtown

April 7th - Eldorado

April 14th - Harrisburg

Bible Studies will run from 4:00 - 5:00 pm.

If you have any questions you may contact

Megan Burris at 618-926-8232

## MOVIE NIGHT

The RCIA will be hosting another movie night on April 2nd. The movie will begin at 6:30 pm in the Harrisburg parish hall. The movie that will be shown is Risen. Risen has been called The BEST film about the life of Jesus since the Passion of The Christ.

(Run time is 107 min.)

**Popcorn and Sodas will be available for everyone who attends.**

## Parish Secretary Needed

Holy Family Catholic Community is seeking applicants for a part-time secretary position.

Anyone interested should please call Fr. Abraham at 618-944-8888.



Our Holy Family Catholic Community will be attending the **Chrism Mass for the Diocese of Belleville on Tuesday, April 16, 2019, at 11:30 am at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Belleville, IL. We will meet at St. Mary, Harrisburg at 7:30 am and travel to Belleville as a group.** Would you like to be part of this special day? Please call the parish office no later than April 8th to reserve your place.

## HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY PRAYER LIST



DANETTE MOLITER, REISHEL TOELKE, CAROL & JOE WOLFE, CATHERINE CLAYTON, DOROTHY MITTL, LINDA JONES, CAROLYN ODELL, JO SWANSON, CLARENCE & PAT FRAZEE, KATHY HAMP, JIMMY JOE HUMM, DAVID HELMERS, JUDY TALANDIS, RUTH ASBROCK, TERESA REEDER, MARGARET LANGFORD, LODEMA BROWN, SUE & JERRY WENZEL, KATHY HOBBS, KENDALL REINER, DEBORAH RUSSELL, DODE DRONE, TIM ARNOLD, ELIZABETH CARPENER, KRIS TWARDOWSKI, CAROLYN ELLIS, SHERYL YELVERTON, JEANETTE STENGEL, DAVID ETIENNE, GAYLON HOKE, JIM ZIENTEK, TERESA PANKEY, KEVIN VINYARD, GINNIE KERLEY, ALTER TALANDIS, GARY BAKER, KEVIN BAKER, CHERYL HUMM THORNTON, NORMAN CUBLEY, KRISTY BOULDS, TERRI SANDERSON, KENNETH "BUD" SCHIMP, BOB TOWNS, RUSTIN ROBINSON, LARRY LESINSKI, ROWENA KOHL, L.E. KOHL, MARCUS QUESTELLE, JOYCE McCUE, LISA FOLEY, DUANE & IRENE RATHBUN, JUDY ATTINS, VALERA OGLESBY, KOLTON OGLESBY, JOEY ETIENNE, NOLAN MILLIGAN, HUNTER SIZEMORE, BILLY HUNZIKER, CAROLYN ALDRIDGE, CREW DRONE, BRIAN KELLY, SUSIE GLENN, JANET BAYLESS, BARBARA PEARCE

## Anointing

## of the Sick

Fr. Abraham will be administering the Rite of Anointing of the Sick at all Masses on April 6th and 7th, as we pray for healing and strength.

**New Server, Lector, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, and Usher schedules for April through June are available now at the main entrances of each church. Please pick yours up today!**



Knights of Columbus  
LADIES AUXILIARY

All ladies of the parishes  
age 18 or older are invited  
Meetings 2nd Tuesday  
6:30 p.m. in Parish Hall

## Hardin County General Hospital



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(Parishioner)

### Marcos Sunga, MD FACP

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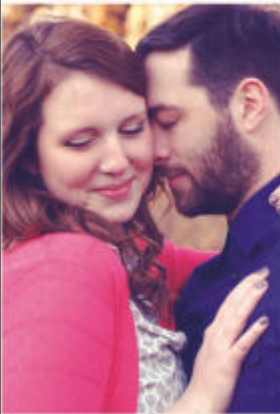


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