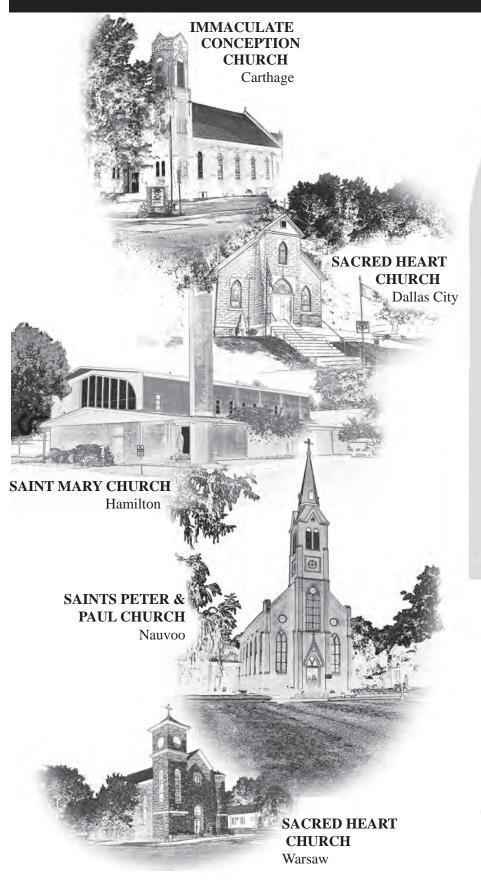
Hancock County Catholic Churches



We the Hancock County Catholic Churches, work together to form disciples of Jesus, to lead all to Him in the Eucharist, and to be His presence in the world.

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Dallas City

Saturday	4:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	Carthage Hamilton
Sunday	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Warsaw Nauvoo

Noon

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THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 12, 2024

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Location of Our Parishes

Immaculate Conception 125 N. Fayette St. Carthage, IL 62321

Sacred Heart 90 W. Fifth St. Dallas City, IL 62330

St. Mary 560 Lakeview Ave. Hamilton, IL 62341

Sts. Peter and Paul 190 N. Wells St. Nauvoo, IL 62354

Sacred Heart 8th & Webster St. Warsaw, IL 62379

Confession schedule: 15 minutes before daily Mass, 30 minutes <u>before</u> weekend Masses at Carthage Warsaw Nauvoo Dallas City <u>After Mass</u> at Hamilton

> Or any other time by appointment

"Heading Toward the Finish Line; Conclusion of	the Sermon Series
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May 11/12: Mother's Day.

May 18-19: Sermon(s) about Graduation in the light of Easter.

May 25/26: Memorial Day Weekend: Deacons preach.

June 1/2 Beyond Natural Birth: Innocent Personal Decision; Future World Problems. Fr. Tony

Week's Mass Intentions

Monday:	May 13, (Our Lady of Fatima; Acts 19:1-8, Jn 16:29-33)
8:00 a.m.	Nauvoo-Mary Logan, by James Horton
5:30 p.m.	Warsaw-Lucille Sartory, by Nan Sartory
Tuesday:	May 14, (St. Matthias, Apostle; Acts 1:15-17, 20-26, Jn 15:9-17)
8:00 a.m.	Carthage-Marilyn Rees, by IC Catholic Women's Club
5:30 p.m.	Hamilton-Mary Dadant, by Sandy Printy
Wednesday:	May 15, (St. Isidore; Acts 20:28-38, Jn 17:11b-19)
5:30 p.m.	Dallas City-Dorothy Johnson, by Jim and Patty Cuffe
Thursday:	May 16, (Easter Weekday; Acts 22:30; 23:6-11, Jn 17:20-26)
	No Masses
Friday:	May 17, (Easter Weekday; Acts 25:13b-21, Jn 21:15-19)
8:30 a.m.	Nauvoo-Florence Parrish, by Parrish grandchildren
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Saturday	May 18, (Pentecost Vigil; Gen 11:1-9, Rom 8:22-27, Jn 7:37-39)
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Rosary Intention for May: Respect for all life, especially children in the womb.

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Happy Mother's Day! We hope this is a wonderful family time for our mothers as we celebrate Mother's Day. And we take the time to uphold our honor and veneration in love for the mother of Jesus, and our Mother, the Blessed Virgin Mary, during this month of May.

First Communions and Confirmation Completed! The honor of being able to officiate at this year's Confirmation and First Communions was humbling and a bit overwhelming. For the moments taking place in the celebration of the Eucharist, our First Communion and Confirmation recipients reflected the promise and the encouragement that comes with the gift of Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, proceeding from our Heavenly Father. You can tell when people of any age understand, if only for a time: that sincerity and willingness to be at their best when receiving something that they know is special, sacred. One more thing: the applause at the end of these Masses in thanksgiving for our Confirmands and First Communicants does have an intentional meaning, going far beyond them. With the celebration of these sacraments, and the young people who receive them, we have the assurance that something dear to us will live on. Please, let us all renew our own Baptism Promises and our Confirmation. Let us realize that there's a part we play in making sure that our churches, our events, and all the things that are a part of our faith and tradition in our Church live on, to the extent that each of us personally cherishes and upholds them. Nothing's automatic, anymore; the things we unthinkingly thought would always be there don't have the guarantees they used to have. Reach out to people around you and challenge yourselves. All of us: renew your closeness to the Church. Fr. T.

Thank you to all of our catechists and parents on a successful year of CCD! Enjoy your summer!

Healing Service. Our monthly Healing Service at St. Mary Church in Hamilton takes place Saturday, May 18, after the 5:30 p.m. Mass. The ministry of Roger Shaner, the sacraments of the Anointing of the Sick and Penance, intercessory prayer to Bishop Fulton Sheen, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be open to all. And through the evening, any and all are welcome to come and spend even a few minutes in prayer.

Spanish Mass, May 12, 5 p.m., ICC. What a celebration of the Mass we are going to have at THIS Spanish Mass! Five young children receiving their First Communion; May Crowning; Mother's Day Blessing: all, on the Solemnity of Our Lord's Ascension into heaven! It promises to be a beautiful evening. Don't let the language challenge intimidate you! Consider being a part of the beautiful day, like all of our First Communion days, year after year!

Families of High School and College Graduates. We would like to present a gift from our churches to students graduating from High School and College. Families who are interested and would want their children to receive this recognition from their church should contact Fr. Tony directly using the email or phone information as listed in the bulletin. We'll be waiting to hear from you!

SPPS is hiring two positions for the 2024/2025 school year. Come join the BEST staff in Hancock County! We are looking for a full-time Teacher's Aide and a full-time Intervention LD/ED Teacher. Please visit our website for complete job descriptions and application process at www.stspeterpaul.org/page/employment-opportunities.

25th Annual God's Portion Day Auction, Sunday, June 2--Note: Mass starts in Nauvoo at 8:30 a.m.

A light breakfast for a free will donation will begin at 9:00 a.m. The Live Auction begins at 10:30 a.m. in the school gym. New this year, a Silent Auction portion, to complement the Live Auction Parents can also take advantage of the kid zone from 12-3

Please join us in marching in the Pro-Life Walk on Saturday, June 22, 2024, at 10:30 a.m. We will begin at McAleer Hall, 415 11th Street, in Fort Madison, IA. All you need to bring is your family, friends, and your walking shoes. Refreshments will be served after the walk at McAleer Hall. *Please come and walk with us to continue to help save more babies' lives!*

MEALS ON WHEELS VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Volunteers meet the delivery van at 11:15 a.m. at Marion Corners Apartments (across from County Market). The time commitment is approximately 1 hour to deliver 22 meals within the Carthage city limits. Please contact Gay Dickerson at 217-357-6000 for more information or to volunteer!

A Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You have already come, I embrace You and unite myself entirely to You; never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



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