

ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary Mission Statement:
To be companions with Christ our Savior

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil -5:30pm
Lord's Day -8:30am & 10:30am

Sacrament of Forgiveness
(Confession)

Sat. 4-5pm or by appointment
Sun. 8:00-8:25 am

July 30, 2017

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

www.stmarynewton.org

Parish Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm

Monday - Friday

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Amy Antle— (316) 283-5083

RCIA
Mark Frazier— (316) 727-6287

Altar Society
Kathy Chouinard— 316-283-5762

CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry)
Bill & Carrie Weber— 316-212-0137

Legion of Mary- President
Steve Holub— 316-836-7822

Knights of Columbus
Mike Ruggiero— 316-804-4289



17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field,
which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and
sells all that he has and buys that field.” - Mt 13:44

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

OPEN ADORATION HOURS:

Friday: 3pm

Sunday: 8am

New Adoration Coordinator:

John Rangel 316-727-1495

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

DAILY MASS—Tues-Fri 5:30pm

Sunday: Final Registration St. Mary School- 9am-1pm-gym

Wednesday: Legion of Mary

Thursday: Altar Society 6:30pm

Friday: Family Home Rosary—call 316-570-2608 for info.

Lord's Pantry next Sunday: A-F

ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Final registration for the 2017-18 school year will take place in the gym from 9am - 1pm on Sunday, July 30. This is your one stop for enrollment. Please bring your enrollment forms completed with you. Food service, uniforms, volunteer opportunities, activities, sports, forms, fees, and yearbooks can all be taken care of at this time. Summer office hours are Mon-Thurs. from 7:30am—4:00pm.

The School office will be closed on Monday, July 31st so office staff can attend a training in Wichita.

ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO TEACH PSR THIS YEAR?

Our PSR (Parish School of Religion) classes meet on Wednesday nights during the school year and provide religious education for students in grades 1-8 who do not attend St. Mary Catholic School. We will have a couple of openings for this next year and are looking for some faith filled excited adults to lead a small class in learning about the Catholic Faith. Any materials needed will be provided, you will become part of a wonderful team of teachers who all care deeply for these children. If feeling the push of the Holy Spirit, or just want to know more, please call director Rob Tierney at 620-960-5602.

Stewardship Message—

Stewarding Our Gifts: Go in Peace Glorifying the Lord By Your Life

July 30th - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kgs 3: 5, 7-12 / Rom 8: 28-30 / Mt 13: 44-52

In his first letter to the Corinthians, Paul says, "God does not call the qualified, He qualifies the called." In his letter to the Romans, he makes a similar comment about being justified and glorified. Just look at what God did for King David, and then for King Solomon! Neither man was prepared for the task at hand, but both men turned themselves over to God and allowed Him to prepare them to do His work. King Solomon was a selfless steward who wanted only to do what was just, which pleased God. God is pleased when we want to use our lives for the betterment of others; He is pleased when we see the great value in love and choose to use all of our resources in spreading His love.

ALTAR SOCIETY

I want to get to know more people in my parish. I want to feel more like I am a part of St. Mary. I want to become more involved in parish activities. IS THIS YOU? If so, this is a gathering for you. LADIES (young and old, new to the parish or have been here forever) join us on Thursday, August 3rd as we gather together in the school gym for **FUN AND FELLOWSHIP**. The evening will begin at 6:30 tasting a number of foods that came from the recipes in our cookbook. Then we will follow the TASTING PARTY with a game called "GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHER IN HIGH SPEED." It is guaranteed to bring on some smiles and laughter. You don't want to miss this unforgettable evening. We will see you on **Thursday, August 3rd at 6:30 in the school gym.**

ST. MARY & OUR LADY HIGH SCHOOL SOCIAL

Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7pm in the school chapel for fellowship and ice cream! All high school students are welcome, including OLG members and incoming freshmen! Call Becky Patterson for info: 620-213-2444

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will serve a Pork Chili Supper, Saturday, August 12th at OLG from 4pm to 7:30pm in the parish hall. Menu—Pork chili, rice, beans, tortillas, drink and dessert. Cost—\$7.00 large plate, \$4.50 small plate. Proceeds will benefit St. Mary school. Dine in or carry out.

NOTICE

Boxtops for education labels will no longer be collected in the back of church. PLEASE continue saving them and drop them off in the school or parish office. THANK YOU

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2017 - June 2018

Collections for: July 23, 2017

Regular collection	\$ 16,508.66
Children's collection	\$ 36.96
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	\$ 16,545.62
Other:	
Building Fund	\$ 1,059.00
Budget per week is	\$ 16,785.71

Collections year-to-date compared to budget
through July 23, 2017 \$ (2,102.84)

****If you are behind, please make every effort to catch up and do your part. Thank you!**

- Father Voelker

Catechetical Summit

The 2017 Summer Catechetical Summit for all DREs, PCLs, catechists and youth ministry leaders will feature Dr. Sean Innerst and Jose Gonzalez and take place on August 19th at Bishop Carroll (8:30 am—3:00 pm), or Sunday, August 20th at St. Patrick, Parsons (11 am—3:30 pm). Cost is \$20. Registration deadline is **August 4**. For more information visit our website: <http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/faith>.

THEOLOGY ON TAP

2nd Monday of each Month at Loft 150 in Old Town. Theology on Tap is a venue for young adults who enjoy lively discussions related to our Catholic faith. Dinner at 7:00pm, presentation at 8pm.

WHO WANTS ICE CREAM?

The Welcoming committee would like to invite all parishioners to an ice cream social after 5:30pm Mass on Saturday, August 19th.



Spiritual Life Center Programs; Advance registration

requested. For more information and to register please visit www.slwchita.org or call (316) 744-0167

APOLOGIA: DEFENDING THE FAITH IN THE 21ST CENTURY
Tuesday, Aug. 22; 7-8:30 p.m. Join Stephanie Mann for this edition of apologetic dialogue. Each session will address a different topic, pertinent to 21st century Catholics, which we have the need and obligation to be able to defend and explain: firstly for ourselves, secondly to our families and religious brethren, and thirdly to the greater public who may inquire of us. In August, Stephanie will discuss the Merit of Tradition in Catholicism. \$10.

The Fruit of Silence is Prayer Retreat

Aug. 18-20. Fr. John Lanzrath leads retreatants in this silent weekend retreat focused on the life and teachings of Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta. The retreat is inspired by Mother Teresa herself, who spoke often of the need for silence and discernment in one's life. Fr. Lanzrath will give a series of short conferences, each less than 30 minutes in length. Retreatants will then be free to pray and reflect in silence upon the themes offered.

Readings for the Week of July 30, 2017

Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130/
Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-23/Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-13/Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5-7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

Parish Information

Communion to the Sick

If you are unable to attend Mass due to age, illness, or are recovering from surgery, call the parish office so that Communion may be brought to you.



Bulletin Deadline

Must be submitted in writing no later than noon on Tue.

Religious Education Class Times (PSR)

Grades Kdgn thru 8 - Wednesday 6:30 - 7:45pm

Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Grades 9-12

Perpetual Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Chapel is located at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 415 S. Ash. If interested in a permanent hour call one of the coordinators, Lettie Kruse 283-0026, Terry Schmitz 283-5428 or Kathy Pitts 680-9386.

Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Elesa Garcia 283-5658 or if she is not available call both Barbara Fayette 283-6467 & Lou Kuestersteffen 283-6414 to activate both prayer lines.

Welcome/Registering

Welcome to St. Mary's Catholic Parish. Please register by calling or dropping by the parish office. Please keep us informed of changes of names, addresses, phone numbers, etc.

Interested in the Catholic Faith

A warm invitation is extended to non-Catholics to attend any of our religious services. They are particularly invited to learn more about the beliefs and practices of the Catholic Church. Call the parish office for more information.

Information About Sacraments

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents are required to be registered in the parish. Call the parish office to make arrangements.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

In an emergency of serious illness, if sick and confined to a home, entering a hospital or local nursing home - please notify the rectory.

Sacrament of Forgiveness (Confession)

Sat. 4:00 -5:00 p.m. Tuesday 5:00-5:20 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00-8:25 a.m. Any time by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples intending to enter into Christian Marriage are asked to call the parish office for an appointment. The first appointment must be scheduled at least nine months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

Mass Intentions

Tue. 08/01 5:30pm †Amber Schroeder
Wed. 08/02 5:30pm †Butch Meng
Thur. 08/03 5:30pm †Paul Erb Oswald
Fri. 08/04 5:30pm †Doris Regier
Sat. 08/05 8:00am †Donal J. O'Hare
Sat. 08/05 5:30pm †Marv Kratky
Sun. 08/06 8:30am People of the Parish
Sun. 08/06 10:30am †Susan Rangel

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS SUPPORT GROUP

To any parent or grandparent who has suffered the loss of a child or grandchild, Harvey County offers a support group called Compassionate Friends. Please call Stacy Arellano at 316-842-3799 or Jim Arellano at 316-288-5549. **WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!**

RCIA

There will be an informational meeting for RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) on Wednesday, August 9th at 7:00pm in the Parish Center. If you know someone who would like to know more about the Catholic Faith, please invite them to attend this meeting. Call Mark Frazier at (316) 727-6287 for more information

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Diocese of Wichita has several job openings at this time. If you are interested in any of these, please check the job postings at <http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org>, Ministries & Offices, Human Resources.

Database Assistant, Office of Development and Planned Giving; **Registered Nurse**, Guadalupe Clinic; & **Housekeeper**, Guadalupe Clinic, Inc.

New to the Parish?

Welcome to St. Mary's Parish, we are pleased to have you join us in worship. If you would like to join the parish please complete the information below and return it to us in the collection basket, or by mail. We will send you registration information or you may come by the parish office and register. Welcome and God Bless!

Name _____

Address _____

Zip _____ Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Liturgical Role

Altar Servers

Fri. 08/04 5:30p.m. Owen Tierney & Gavin Stucky

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. Wilson & Andrew Eustace, Owen Mick

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. Gavin Stucky, Jason Hecht & Owen Tierney

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. Sarah Musser, Andrea Cox
Adrian Holguin & Jacob Antle

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. Larry Cornwell

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. Scott Oden Family

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. Marlene Beeson

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. M. Eustace, L. Curiel

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. P. McNeill, S. Koerner

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. V. Smith, E. Stabler

Lectors

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. Robert Oswald

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. Pauline Casey, Leigh Ann O'Halloran

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. Jennifer Milton, Sharon Erwin

Sacristans

Weekday Aug. 1-5—Kassandra Adams

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. Shelly Oswald

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. Sharon & Robert McCall

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. Mary Ann Bruggeman

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. Barb Bunting, Mike & Linda Smith

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. *Sue Schmidt, Fred Becker, Lisa Schmitt

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. Carl Antle, Steve Holub, Cathy Polley

Hospital Extraordinary Minister Schedule

Aug —Covered by OLG

Ushers

Sat. 08/05 5:30p.m. Robert TenEyck, Dennis Alexander
Mike & Jonathon Weber

Sun. 08/06 8:30a.m. John Sommers, Phil Blann
Charles Casey & Mike Davis

Sun. 08/06 10:30a.m. Amber Cox, James Cox

Church Cleaners

Aug. 4— Sue Schmidt, Kathleen Morris & Kassandra Adams

Wash Server Albs—August 7

Barbara Bunting & Elizabeth O'Halloran

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Mark & Jeanette

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Calendar of Events

August 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 5:30 PM Mass	2 5:30 PM Mass	3 5:30 PM Mass 6:30 Altar Society	4 5:30 PM Mass	5 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
6 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry A-F	7 No Mass SVdP 7pm OLG	8 5:30 PM Mass	9 5:30 PM Mass 5:45 PM Legion of Mary—Fr. Kapaun Fatima Prayer 7pm RCIA meeting Parish Center	10 5:30 PM Mass	11 5:30 PM Mass 6am Kapaun's Men Family Home Rosary 7pm	12 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
13 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry G-L	14 5:30 Vigil Mass 7:30pm K of C	15 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass—8:00 AM 7:30PM	16 8:00 AM Mass St. Mary 1st Day of School—noon dismiss 6:30 PM Legion of Mary	17 8:00 AM Mass 6pm Stewardship Council 7pm SVdP—JP11	18 8:00 AM Mass Family Home Rosary 7pm	19 8 AM Latin Mass New Parishioner Ice Cream Social after 5:30pm Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
20 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry M-R	21 No Mass	22 5:30 PM Mass 7pm Stewardship Council	23 8:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Legion of Mary	24 8:00 AM Mass	25 8:00 AM Mass Family Home Rosary 7pm	26 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
27 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry S-Z	28	29 5:30 PM Mass 7:30pm Fr. Voelker lecture series— Parish Center	30 8:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Legion of Mary	31 8:00 AM Mass 7pm Finance Council		