



# ST. MARY

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

July 19, 2020

Sixteenth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

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

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## 16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The righteous will shine like the sun in the  
kingdom of their Father.” - Mt 13:43a

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☀ **SUMMER OFFICE HOURS** ☀  
**Monday: 9am-12pm**  
**Tuesday, Wednesday &**  
**Thursday: 9am—4:30pm**  
**Closed Friday**

**DAILY MASS SCHEDULE:**  
**NO DAILY MASS THIS WEEK**  
**(FATHER VOELKER OUT)**



# Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	July 21, St. Lawrence of Brindisi	
5:30pm	No Mass	
Wednesday	July 22, St. Mary Magdalene	
Noon	No Mass	
Thursday	July 23, St. Bridget	
Noon	No Mass	
Friday	July 24, St. Sharbel Makhluf	
Noon	No Mass	(Latin)
Saturday	July 25, St. James	
8:00am	No Mass	(Latin)
5:30pm	People of the Parish	
Sunday	July 26, 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:30am	Robert McNeill	
10:30am	✠ Jacob Welch	

Please Pray For our Sick, Home Bound & Care Home Parishioners:

Geraldine Adkins	Mary O'Brien	Lois Silvernale
Carmen Alvarado	Sara Quinones	Virginia Schierling
Nancy Budde	Bret Roufs	Ethel Wetschensky
Elesa Garcia	Bryan Sahlfeld	
Gertrude Mahoney	Norman Salmans	

## Stewardship Message—Empowered!

**“Fully Alive as Missionary Disciples”**

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Wis 12:13, 16-19 Rom 8:26-27 Mt 13:24-43*

Take hope in this phrase: “The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness.” (Rom 8:26) While we may not like it much, sometimes our discipleship causes us to reflect on our own weakness. We have to set aside our pridefulness and admit that without God we are nothing. This is why God sent the Holy Spirit to accompany us on the journey. Through the Holy Spirit, we each have very specific gifts, but we don't have ALL the gifts. The Holy Spirit, then, aids us in our areas of weakness. It is just as important, then, to be as aware of our weaknesses as we are of our gifts. Don't shy away from those things that cause you anxiety! Instead, ask the Holy Spirit to come to your aid, and to provide guidance and consolation as you step out of your “comfort zone” and grow in your discipleship! Come, Holy Spirit, Come.

## COVID-19 SCHEDULE & INFO

We are committed to taking every precaution for our parishioners and their safety.

- Social distancing is practiced in the church.
- Hand sanitizer and masks are available in the vestibule.
- Please take and keep a missal for your family & bring with you to Mass.
- The church is cleaned & sanitized twice a week.
- There is a safety screen between parishioner and priest/extraordinary minister for distribution of communion.

WEEKDAY MASSES ARE: TUESDAY 5:30PM; WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & \*FRIDAY AT NOON. \*FRIDAY MASS IS IN LATIN

CONFESSIONS ARE SATURDAY FROM 4-5PM IN THE CONFESSORIAL BEHIND THE SCREEN ONLY.

## NO CAFETERIA & GYM RENTAL DURING COVID-19

Until further notice, St. Mary School cafeteria and gym will be unavailable for rental/use. Due to the extra steps of sanitizing each area, as well as the tracking & recording of who has come into contact with the school facilities has led to this decision to ensure the safety of both our students & our staff. Sorry for the inconvenience. —Fr. Voelker

## Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Thursday Nights at St. Mary Newton, starting Aug. 6, 2020 Parish Center (Kateri Room) 7:00PM – 8:30PM

Fr. Voelker, Fr. Max and Dixie Pomeroy.

If you have any questions or to register, please call Dixie Pomeroy at 620-327-2437

## Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2020-June 2021

Collections for: **July 12, 2020**

*Regular collection.....	\$ 7,479.00
Children's Collection	\$ -
	\$ 7,479.00
Other:	
*Building Fund.....	\$ 1,169.00
Budget per week is.....	\$ 14,584.62

Collections year-to-date compared to budget

Through July 12, 2020..... \$ (3,335.74)

**Your donations are appreciated! If you are behind, please make every effort to catch up and do your part. Thank you!!**  
~Fr. Voelker

## DOCTRINAL SECTION

That the Church is a body is frequently asserted in the Sacred Scriptures. "Christ," says the Apostle, "is the Head of the Body of the Church." If the Church is a body, it must be an unbroken unity, according to those words of Paul: "Though many we are one body in Christ." But it is not enough that the Body of the Church should be an unbroken unity; it must also be something definite and perceptible to the senses as Our predecessor of happy memory, Leo XIII, in his Encyclical *Satis Cognitum* asserts: "the Church is visible because she is a body. Hence they err in a matter of divine truth, who imagine the Church to be invisible, intangible, a something merely "pneumatological" as they say, by which many Christian communities, though they differ from each other in their profession of faith, are united by an invisible bond. But a body calls also for a multiplicity of members, which are linked together in such a way as to help one another. And as in the body when one member suffers, all the other members share its pain, and the healthy members come to the assistance of the ailing, so in the Church the individual members do not live for themselves alone, but also help their fellows, and all work in mutual collaboration for the common comfort and for the more perfect building up of the whole Body. Again, as in nature a body is not formed by any haphazard grouping of members but must be constituted of organs, that is of members, that have not the same function and are arranged in due order; so for this reason above all the Church is called a body, that it is constituted by the coalescence of structurally united parts, and that it has a variety of members reciprocally dependent. It is thus the Apostle describes the Church when he writes: "As in one body we have many members, but all the members have not the same office: so we being many are one body in Christ, and everyone members one of another." One must not think, however, that this ordered or "organic" structure of the body of the Church contains only hierarchical elements and with them is complete; or, as an opposite opinion holds, that it is composed only of those who enjoy charismatic gifts - though members gifted with miraculous powers will never be lacking in the church. That those who exercise sacred power in this Body are its chief members must be maintained uncompromisingly.

~Pope Pius XII

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!!

A warm welcome to our newest members and their family: **Greg & Angela Scott** and children **Beau & Cordell**.

### National Natural Family Planning Awareness Week July 19 – 25, 2020

The theme for this year's celebration of NFP week is: Live the Truth and Beauty of God's Plan for Married Love! It's about love. It's about life. It's about freedom. It's about gift. All parishes and priests are invited to join in the celebration. Homily helps, petitions and more can be found at: [www.usccb.org/nfp/awareness-week/index.cfm](http://www.usccb.org/nfp/awareness-week/index.cfm).

## 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 10am on Tue.

### Religious Education Class Times (PSR)

Grades 1st- 8th - Wednesday 6:30 - 7:40pm Mandy Casey (620) 200-7278

### Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Wednesday: 7pm; Grades 9-12 Greg & Resa Davenport/Bill & Carrie Weber.

### Perpetual Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Chapel is located at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 415 S. Ash. If interested in a permanent hour call coordinator, call Laurie Kimere at (417)531-8904.

### Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Mickey Stump at 620-386-0421 or if she is not available call Barbara Fayette at 283-6467 to activate the line.

### 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, 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. For more information, call the parish office at 316-282-0459.

## Information About Sacraments

\*\*PLEASE CALL FR. VOELKER AT 316-282-0459 EXT. 1

### 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)

Saturday 4:00 -5:00 p.m. 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.

### Volunteers needed at Our Daily Bread Food Pantry

One of Catholic Charities busiest ministries of late, Our Daily Bread Food Pantry needs more volunteers. The pantry is open from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and on the fourth Saturday of the each month from 9 a.m. to noon. Volunteers must be 18 or older; youth ages 16 and 17 may volunteer with parental consent while those ages 12-15 must be accompanied by a parent. For more information or to volunteer, email Cole at [volunteer@CatholicCharitiesWichita.org](mailto:volunteer@CatholicCharitiesWichita.org).

#### Readings for the week of July 19, 2020

Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16 [5a]/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8 [8a]/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [2]/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11 [10a]/Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Jer 3:14-17/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13 [cf. 10d]/Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 [5]/Mt 20:20-28

Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 [97a]/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52

### DILLONS COMMUNITY REWARDS

Thank you for shopping at Dillons and linking your rewards card to St. Mary Catholic Church. From April 1 to June 30, 2020, we had 146 households shopping and we received a check in the amount of \$847.25. Please call the parish office if you do not see St. Mary Catholic Church at the bottom of your receipt.

### 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 (two servers, no cross bearer)

Sat. 07/25 5:30pm Anthony Salas & Allison Weber

Sun. 07/26 8:30am Wilson & Andrew Eustace

Sun. 07/26 10:30am Anthony Holguin & Calista Woerner  
\*J.Mick

**Greeters & Gift Bearers** Suspended until further notice.

#### Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 07/25 5:30pm TBD

Sun. 07/26 10:30am Steve Herdler

#### Lector

Sat. 07/25 5:30pm Karen McNulty

Sun. 07/26 8:30am Marshall Kendrick

Sun. 07/26 10:30am Roger Mick

#### Sacristans

Weekday July 21-25 —CJ Sutton

Sat. 07/25 5:30pm Charlotte Gehrer

Sun. 07/26 8:30am Paula Blann

Sun. 07/26 10:30am Mary Ann Bruggeman

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. 07/25 5:30pm Mike Weber

Sun. 07/26 8:30am Rodger Graham

Sun. 07/26 10:30am Ben Mabry

**Nursing Homes:** —suspended until further notice.

**EMHC-Hospital**—July 26—Rita Sadowski

#### Ushers

Sat. 07/25 5:30pm Steven Rusche, Ray Salas

Sun. 07/26 8:30am Warren Wiens, Phil Blann

Sun. 07/26 10:30am James & Amber Cox

**Church Cleaners July 24**— Sharon McCall, Chrissy Martens & Lisa Kempf

#### Wash Albs July 6—

Claire Hanna & Teri Wray

### Full-Time Receptionist Chancery Office

The Catholic Diocese of Wichita is seeking an exceptional individual to serve as FT Receptionist at the front desk of the Chancery. This individual will assist callers and visitors and provide secretarial and office support as directed. Deadline for accepting resumes is noon on July 17, 2020. For information regarding requirements, please check our job posting at <http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/careers>.

Our advertiser of the week is  
**Broadway Colonial  
Funeral Home**

Please check their ad in  
the back of the bulletin.

