



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

January 16, 2022

The Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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Knights of Columbus

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Catechism Class (Formerly PSR)

Mandy Casey-620-200-7278



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

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OPEN ADORATION HOURS:

Sunday: 5pm & 6pm

Tuesday: 5pm

Thursday: 2am & 3am

Please call OLG at 316-283-3499 if interested in taking an hour or being a substitute!

Office Hours:

Monday — Thursday 9am-4:30pm

Friday: 9-12:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS: Tuesday-5:30pm

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday:
8am



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	Jan. 18
5:30pm	✦ Sue Casey
Wednesday	Jan. 19
8:00am	Mia Barkman
Thursday	Jan. 20, S. Fabian & St. Sebastian
8:00am	✦ Dale & Glenna Blann
Friday	Jan. 21, St. Agnes
8:00am	✦ John Wise
Saturday	Jan. 22, Day of Prayer for Unborn
8:00am	✦ Janey & Harry Warren
5:30pm	✦ Arlie & Norma Harris
Sunday	Jan. 23, 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Frances Aumiller
10:30am	People of the Parish

Please Pray For our Sick, Home Bound & Care Home Parishioners: Deanna Beckner Nancy Budde
Alma Gordon Virginia Holub Lou Kuesterstepfen
Maggie Morgan Stacy Morris Brett Roufs
Bryan Sahlfeld Norman Salmans Jonah Wagner
Walt & Lois Silvernale

Stewardship Message – Best Fruit of the Vine

Is 62:1-5 / 1 Cor 12:4-11 / Jn 2:1-11

The story found in today's Gospel reading of the wedding feast at Cana is certainly a familiar one. At the request of his mother, Jesus is asked to perform his first public miracle. The wedding banquet host, for his part, is facing public humiliation for falling short of his guests' expectations because he has run out of wine. For Jesus's part, the stakes which he faces before the assembled wedding guests are even greater. By performing his first public miracle, Jesus's "hour" is about to begin. The generous and abundant gift of wine, perhaps as much as one-hundred and eighty gallons of the very best fruit of the vine, would indeed signal the beginning of Jesus's public ministry. Having "so revealed his glory," the miracle at Cana would send him along the path to Calvary, where an even greater gift of redemption would soon be given.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will serve a Pork Chili supper Saturday, January 22nd from 5 to 7pm in the OLG parish hall. The proceeds will benefit seminarian Joseph Mick. The menu: pork chili, rice, beans, tortillas, dessert and drink. The cost is \$8.00 per plate. Dine in or carry out.

The Annual Pro-Life Baby Shower will be conducted from January 22 through January 30th. A play pen will be set up in the foyer of the church to receive baby shower items. (Diapers, blankets, formula, bottles, clothes, etc.). The donated items will be collected then given to Heartland Pregnancy Care Center to be distributed to needy new mothers whose choice was **LIFE**. The Knights would like to thank everyone for their past generosity and for your continuing support.

THANK YOU ♦ THANK YOU ♦ THANK YOU
To those families who helped take down the Church Christmas decorations (in record time) on Sunday. You **ARE** appreciated!!

Year of the Eucharist Mass Appreciation

"It would be easier for the world to survive without the sun than to do so without the Holy Mass"

Saint Pio of Pietrelcina, affectionately known as Padre Pio, valued celebrating the Mass more than any other activity on earth. He once said "if we only knew how God regards it, we would risk our lives to be present at a single Mass." Due to his failing health, he offered his final Mass on September 22, 1968. It is a great reminder, not only to value the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, but also to show brotherly love by bringing our friends to Jesus, who is true food and true drink.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2021-June 2022

Collections for:	Jan. 9, 2022
*Regular Collection	\$ 15,897.27
Children's Collection	\$ <u>155.20</u>
	\$ 16,052.47
Other:	
*Building Fund.....	\$ 110.00
Budget per week is.....	\$ 14,584.60
Collections year-to-date compared to budget	
Through Jan. 9, 2022	\$ (14,584.60)**

Your contributions are greatly appreciated. If you are behind, please make every effort to catch up & do your part. Thank you! —Father Voelker

DOCTRINAL SECTION

The Church draws her life from the Eucharist. This truth does not simply express a daily experience of faith, but recapitulates *the heart of the mystery of the Church*. In a variety of ways she joyfully experiences the constant fulfillment of the promise: "Lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age" (Mt 28:20), but in the Holy Eucharist, through the changing of bread and wine into the body and blood of the Lord, she rejoices in this presence with unique intensity. Ever since Pentecost, when the Church, the People of the New Covenant, began her pilgrim journey towards her heavenly homeland, the Divine Sacrament has continued to mark the passing of her days, filling them with confident hope. The Second Vatican Council rightly proclaimed that the Eucharistic sacrifice is "the source and summit of the Christian life".¹ "For the most holy Eucharist contains the Church's entire spiritual wealth: Christ himself, our passover and living bread. Through his own flesh, now made living and life-giving by the Holy Spirit, he offers life to men".² Consequently the gaze of the Church is constantly turned to her Lord, present in the Sacrament of the Altar, in which she discovers the full manifestation of his boundless love.

~St. John Paul II

St. Vincent dePaul Reflection

Our Identity Statement tells us: As a reflection of the whole family of God, Members, who are known as Vincentians, are drawn from every ethnic and cultural background, age group, and economic level. Vincentians are united in an international society of charity by their spirit of poverty, humility and sharing, which is nourished by prayer and reflection, mutually supportive gatherings and adherence to a basic Rule.



THE OFFICE OF MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE

Cordially invites you to the

Night of Romance Saturday, Feb. 12, 2022

St. Catherine of Siena Parish—3642 Ridge Rd

Dinner & Dancing—\$50/couple

RSVP by February 1, 2022

NightOfRomance2022.eventbrite.com

The Parish Leadership Team

The Movement called "Amazing Parish" has been adapted by many parishes in the Catholic Diocese of Wichita. Its founder is Pat Lencioni, a New York Times best-selling author and who has worked with hundreds of corporations to help them achieve success through organizational health and leadership. This Leadership team meets regularly with the Pastors to assist with the needs of the Parish of St. Mary. Our leadership team members are: *Joshua Bargdill, Mary Ann Bruggeman, Amber Holguin, Mike Weber, Fr. Voelker and Fr. Max Biltz.*

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.

Catechism Class (Formerly PSR)

Grades 1st- 8th - 1st & 3rd Sunday at 9:30am in the Parish Center. Mandy Casey (620) 200-7278

Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Wednesday: 7pm; Grades 9-12 Bill & Carrie Weber & Jonathan & Kasey 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. 2

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.

Director, The Lord's Diner:

The Catholic Diocese of Wichita is seeking an outstanding individual to serve as Director for The Lord's Diner. This individual will be accountable for the financial, operational and administrative aspects of the Lord's Diner and will provide leadership consistent with the Gospel Values for the Diner. Deadline for accepting resumes is noon, February 8, 2022. For information regarding requirements, please check our job posting at <http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/Administration/HumanResources/Careers>.

REMINDER..... FINANCE COUNCIL

WILL BE MEETING ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 27th AT 7PM IN THE JP II ROOM OF THE PARISH CENTER

Readings for the week of January 16, 2022

Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30

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.

Name _____

Address _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Liturgical Role

Altar Servers

Sat. 01/22 5:30pm Owen Mick & Allison Weber
Sun. 01/23 8:30am Aedan O'Halloran & Payton Ryan
Sun. 01/23 10:30am Ella & Lily Baier * Eli G

Greeters

Sat. 01/22 5:30pm Mike Ruggiero family
Sun. 01/23 8:30am Bob & Shari McCall
Sun. 01/23 10:30am Tim Ryan family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 01/22 5:30pm M. Frazier, Evelyn Stabler
Sun. 01/23 8:30am B. Nguyen, L. Curiel
Sun. 01/23 10:30am B & C Weber, L. Curiel

Lector

Sat. 01/22 5:30pm Barbara Bunting
Sun. 01/23 8:30am Monica Davis
Sun. 01/23 10:30am Trent Shepherd

Sacristans

Weekday—Jan. 18—22—CJ Sutton
Sat. 01/22 5:30pm Shelly Oswald
Sun. 01/23 8:30am Kathleen Morris
Sun. 01/23 10:30am Tami Carlgren

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Jan. —19-21—school staff
Schowalter Villa—Sue Schmidt
Sat. 01/22 5:30pm Mike Weber
Sun. 01/23 8:30am *Sue Schmidt
Sun. 01/23 10:30am Steve Holub

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins/EMHC—

Jan. 8—Kathleen Morris

Hospital EMHC: Month of January covered by OLG

Ushers

Sat. 01/22 5:30pm Justin & Becky Patterson
Sun. 01/23 8:30am Erick & Koelton Erwin
Sun. 01/23 10:30am Steve & Terri Bockhaus

Church Cleaners— Jan. 21

Shirley, Megan & Allison Weber

Wash Server Albs Jan. 3

Mary Heinemann & Pam Sims

Our advertiser of the week is
Newton Presbyterian Manor
316-283-5400

Please check their ad in
the back of the bulletin.

