



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 23, 2022

The Third Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry)

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316-217-4367

Legion of Mary- President

Dixie Pomeroy-620-327-2437

Knights of Columbus

Chris Kitzke-316-217-4541

Catechism Class (Formerly PSR)

Mandy Casey-620-200-7278



3RD SUNDAY *in ordinary time*

*"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me
to bring glad tidings to the poor." - Lk 4:18a*

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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. 25, The Conversion of St. Paul
5:30pm	Monica Davis
Wednesday	Jan. 26, Saints Timothy & Titus
8:00am	Glenna & †Dale Blann
Thursday	Jan. 27, St. Angela Merici
8:00am	†Ruby Sutton
Friday	Jan. 28, St. Thomas Aquinas
8:00am	John Gene Claassen
Saturday	Jan. 29, Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00am	Lou & †Anna Voelker
5:30pm	†Jeanette Boston
Sunday	Jan. 30, 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	†Charles Lanzrath
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 Kuestersteffen ♦ Maggie Morgan ♦ Stacy Morris ♦ Brett Roufs ♦ Bryan Sahlfeld ♦ Norman Salmans ♦ Jonah Wagner ♦ Walt & Lois Silvernale

Stewardship Message –

Receive One Another As Gifts

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/ 1 Cor 12:12-30/ Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

In today's Gospel, we see Jesus in his element, so to speak. He is in His hometown, among His family and neighbors, and in His home church. These people KNOW Jesus. The people of Nazareth were some of the first to hear the good news — what a beautiful gift. How, do you suppose, did they receive that gift? Was there a sense of entitlement, because of their connection to Jesus? Did they take it for granted, because they had heard Jesus speak many times in the synagogue? And how does this relate to the way we receive the gifts of our fellow parishioners? Consider your reaction to your pastor...to the lector whose voice is too loud...to the musicians who sing everything too slowly. Is your pride and entitlement blocking the evangelizing they are attempting? Is your familiarity making it impossible for them to grow as disciples? Pray today that God will humble your heart and allow you to embrace all you have been given in the people of your parish!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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.

ALTAR SOCIETY

The St. Mary's Altar Society will be providing the meal for the Knights of Columbus "After Christmas Party" on January 30th in the St. Mary Gym. We are in need of HELP! If you can lend an hour or two (preparing meal, serving meal, or cleaning up) please call CJ Sutton at 620-446-2664.

BINGO!! SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6th 2pm

Sacred Hearth Colwich, 311 S. 5th, doors open at 1pm
21 Games, Cash Prizes!! Pull tab games
Proceeds benefit Seminarians & Retired Priests.
Snacks and desserts will be available.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

Hurt by abortion? Find emotional and spiritual healing at a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat in Wichita February 11-13. The weekend retreat combines group discussions, spiritual exercises, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and a beautiful memorial service. The retreat is confidential and available to women and men of all faiths. Cost to attend the weekend retreat is \$100 which includes 2 nights lodging, meals, and all materials. Scholarships are available. To register or for more information, contact Stephanie Nemechek (316)269-HOPE (4673)

or ProjectRachel@CatholicDioceseofWichita.org.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2021-June 2022

Collections for:	Jan. 16, 2022	
*Regular Collection		\$ 7,416.00
Children's Collection		\$ <u>61.05</u>
		\$ 7,477.05
Other:		
*Building Fund.....		\$ 905.00
Budget per week is.....		\$ 14,584.60
Collections year-to-date compared to budget		
Through Jan. 16, 2022		\$ (10,331.07)**

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

"*Mysterium fidei!* - The Mystery of Faith!". When the priest recites or chants these words, all present acclaim: "We announce your death, O Lord, and we proclaim your resurrection, until you come in glory". In these or similar words the Church, while pointing to Christ in the mystery of his passion, *also reveals her own mystery: Ecclesia de Eucharistia*. By the gift of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost the Church was born and set out upon the pathways of the world, yet a decisive moment in her taking shape was certainly the institution of the Eucharist in the Upper Room. Her foundation and wellspring is the whole *Triduum paschale*, but this is as it were gathered up, foreshadowed and "concentrated" forever in the gift of the Eucharist. In this gift Jesus Christ entrusted to his Church the perennial making present of the paschal mystery. With it he brought about a mysterious "oneness in time" between that *Triduum* and the passage of the centuries. The thought of this leads us to profound amazement and gratitude. In the paschal event and the Eucharist which makes it present throughout the centuries, there is a truly enormous "capacity" which embraces all of history as the recipient of the grace of the redemption. This amazement should always fill the Church assembled for the celebration of the Eucharist. But in a special way it should fill the minister of the Eucharist. For it is he who, by the authority given him in the sacrament of priestly ordination, effects the consecration. It is he who says with the power coming to him from Christ in the Upper Room: "This is my body which will be given up for you This is the cup of my blood, poured out for you...". The priest says these words, or rather *he puts his voice at the disposal of the One who spoke these words in the Upper Room* and who desires that they should be repeated in every generation by all those who in the Church ministerially share in his priesthood.

~St. John Paul II

St. Vincent dePaul Reflection

Our Mission Statement tells us: Organized locally Vincentians witness God's love by embracing all works of charity and justice. The Society collaborates with other people of good will in relieving need and addressing its causes, making no distinction in those served because, in them, Vincentians see the face of Christ.



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.

REMINDER.....

FINANCE COUNCIL

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

Backpacks 4 Kids

Backpacks 4 Kids would like to thank everyone who has donated to this ministry in 2021. Without your help, the ministry could not continue. If you need a tax donation receipt for 2021, please email rbevilacqua18@gmail.com or call 316-721-0277.

“Disorder in society is the result of disorder in the family.” — *St Angela Merici*

Readings for the week of January 23, 2022

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21
Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117: 1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18
Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/Mk 4:1-20
Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25
Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11/Mk 4:26-34
Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41
Next Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/ 1 Cor 12:31—13:13

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. 01/29 5:30pm Eliz. Shepherd, Leah Littlejohn & Caleb Oden
Sun. 01/30 8:30am Koelton & Maddyx Erwin
Sun. 01/30 10:30am JD Eustace & Gabriel Navarro *Ryan R

Greeters

Sat. 01/29 5:30pm Bill Weber Family
Sun. 01/30 8:30am Erik Erwin Family
Sun. 01/30 10:30am Adam Haag Family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 01/29 5:30pm T. Osner, S. Herdler
Sun. 01/30 8:30am M. Eustace, L. Curiel
Sun. 01/30 10:30am A. Shepherd, L. Curiel

Lector

Sat. 01/29 5:30pm Susan Morgan
Sun. 01/30 8:30am Sharon Erwin
Sun. 01/30 10:30am Leo Chouinard

Sacristans

Weekday—Jan. 25—29—Dixie Pomeroy
Sat. 01/29 5:30pm Mary Russell
Sun. 01/30 8:30am Shari McCall
Sun. 01/30 10:30am Terri Bockhaus

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Jan. —26-MAB; 27/28—Staff
Sat. 01/29 5:30pm Marcia Oden
Sun. 01/30 8:30am *Steve Mead (Schowalter)
Sun. 01/30 10:30am Ben Mabry

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins/EMHC—

Jan. 8—Kathleen Morris

Hospital EMHC: Month of January covered by OLG

Ushers

Sat. 01/29 5:30pm Greg Scott, Trent Shepherd
Sun. 01/30 8:30am Dale Kaiser, Chris Kitzke
Sun. 01/30 10:30am Randy & Tami Carlgren

Church Cleaners— Jan. 28

Janis McCreary, Lisa & Olivia Antonowich

Wash Server Albs Jan. 3

Mary Heinemann & Pam Sims

Our advertiser of the week is

Craig Baier, O.D.
parishioner
515 N. Main

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