

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 2, 2017
13th 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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Knights of Columbus
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13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple—amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.” - Mt 10:42

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REMINDER....Summer Daily Mass will be celebrated in The New School Chapel beginning June 6th. All daily Masses are at 5:30pm, Tuesday through Friday until further notice.

OPEN ADORATION HOURS:
Sunday: 8am
New Adoration Coordinator:
John Rangel 316-727-1495

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

Mass: Tuesday—Friday 5:30pm School Chapel

Monday: St. Vincent de Paul 7pm—OLG

Wednesday: Legion of Mary

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

Lord's Pantry next Sunday: G-L

ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

St. Mary Catholic School would like to thank everyone who supported our yearly school auction. We raised \$70,500 for school projects including a security system, a new science series and funding for our athletic and academic teams so that our school does not have to have a pay to play fee. We appreciate all of the work that goes into this and the blessings that come from the auction.

St. Mary Catholic School office will be closed the week of July 3. We will open again on Monday, July 10. Our summer hours are Monday - Thursday 7:30am - 4:00pm and closed on Friday.

SUMMER SCHOOL begins on Monday, July 17th and runs through July 30th. Grades 1-4 from 8:00am-9:55am and grades 5-8 from 10:00am-11:55am. Monday—Thursday. Cost is \$50. This is mandatory for those that received a notification with their report card. There are still open spaces available for those that want to attend even if they aren't required to do so.

HIGH SCHOOL SOCIAL

Summer has started but you miss your friends already! 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! Contact Becky Patterson at 620-213-2444 with questions.

Stewardship Message—

Sunday, July 2, 2017

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Stewarding our Gifts: Go in peace glorifying the Lord by your life.”

Jesus challenges His apostles in telling them that they must leave everything behind if they truly want to follow Him. He means possessions, obviously. But he also means everything they love - work, friends, family. It was not an easy request, but it was a clear one. "Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me." These are difficult words to hear still today. The Christian steward understands that we are not made for this world, and that our possessions, our work, and our loved ones are all temporary. Our lives are designed for the glorification of God, and Jesus beckons us into that life at every moment.

ALTAR SOCIETY

Ladies and Gentlemen of St. Mary—We are starting to think about the upcoming FESTIVE FALL FAIR. With a number of long, HOT summer days ahead, we are hoping you will want to stay cool inside and begin working on some of those craft projects that can be donated to our PARISH CRAFT BOOTH. We had some GREAT items donated last year and hope for even more this year. All crafts will be accepted from quilts, to wood projects, to paintings, to crocheted and knitted items, to cross stitch pictures, to sewn items, and any other crafty specialties you enjoy making. If you have questions please contact Wendy Hoffman at 620-381-4259 as she is in charge of this booth this year. We will be adding a new booth of slightly used or vintage jewelry this year to our Fair. We are asking you to start looking through your jewelry boxes, drawers, closets and any other places for old jewelry to donate to this booth. If you have questions or are interested in having this jewelry picked up please contact Betty Lanzrath at 316-772-3177. We will again have items for you to purchase at our Twice Sold Christmas Treasures booth. We are always looking for ALMOST NEW Christmas items for this. If you are planning to downsize your Christmas items please keep us in mind.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

There will be an initiation of new members on Sunday, July 2nd at the Knights of Columbus hall behind OLG at 10:15 am.

HARVEY COUNTY HOMELESS SHELTER

The St. Mary's, Our Lady of Guadalupe and Sacred Heart joint team for the Harvey County Homeless Shelter is scheduled to volunteer for the week of July 12, 2017 to July 19, 2017. Consider volunteering for this week. If you are interested, contact Harold Schorn, at 316-283-4055 or harold@schorn-law.com

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2016 - June 2017
Collections for June 25, 2017

Regular collection	\$ 17,919.31
Children's collection.....	\$ 24.91
Total	\$ 17,944.22

Other: Building Fund \$ 1,753.00

Budget per week is..... \$16,103.81

Collections year to date compared to budget through June 25, 2017..... \$ (6,823.54)

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

CHURCH RENOVATION PLANS

We are excited to see the conclusion of our "Led by the Spirit" maintenance campaign. Koehn Painting as well as Roofing Services have begun their work on the Church. Everything is going according to plan at this time. The church office will remain open during the renovation, and we apologize for any inconvenience during this time of construction. Painting will take approximately 6 weeks, during this time all weekend Masses will be in the school gym and daily masses will be held in the new chapel in the school. Daily Masses during the summer will all be at **5:30pm Tues—Fri**. The first weekend to be back in the church will be July 15/16, although the renovations for the Station Statues will take longer and most likely not be completed until late August. *Reminder to not park in the Church of the Nazarene's parking lot during our renovation time. We understand this will be an inconvenience and appreciate your patience and understanding while we renovate. Please never hesitate to call the church office at 282-0459 if you have any questions. Thank you!

Totus Tuus - July 23 - 28

Totus Tuus is a Catechetical Summer Camp (VBS - Vacation Bible School) for students entering the 1st-12th grades. Totus Tuus will again return to St. Mary for the last full week of July. The Grade School Program (Grades 1-6) will run from 9:00am - 3:00pm Monday - Friday. The Junior and Senior High School program will be 7:30pm - 9:45pm Sunday - Thursday. Registration forms are in the back of church or to download on our church website at www.stmarynewton.org due to the St. Mary Church Office by July 10th. Any questions, please contact St. Mary Pastoral Assistant, Rob Tierney at 620-960-5602.

Family Home Rosary

Please join us on Friday evenings for the devotion and fellowship. Contact the Herdlers' for more information - 316-570-2608.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS—Do you like to knit or crochet? Or would you like to learn? If so, call the parish office at 282-0459. If we get enough interest, we will start a new group this fall!

Readings for the Week of July 2, 2017

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-19/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc-2/Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-12/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-13/Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-6, 8-9/Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-5/Mt 9:9-13

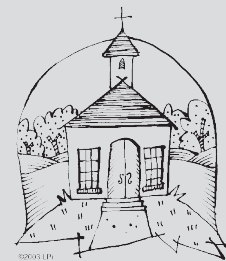
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-6/Mt 9:14-17

Next Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

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. 07/04 5:30pm NO MASS
Wed. 07/05 5:30pm †Doris Regier
Thur. 07/06 5:30pm †Rick Cooper
Fri. 07/07 5:30pm †Meredith Head
Sat. 07/08 8:00am †Paul Spacil
Sat. 07/08 5:30pm Ron & Karen Srajer
Sun. 07/09 8:30am People of the Parish
Sun. 07/09 10:30am †Susan Rangel

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.

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.

Our Deepest Sympathy...

.....To the family of **Helen Ladeen Ryan** who passed away on March 23rd in San Antonio. May the love of God comfort you all.

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. 07/07 5:30 p.m. Ryan & Alex Littlejohn
Sat. 07/08 5:30 p.m. Owen Mick, Gage Mathews
Ryan Ruggiero
Sun. 07/09 8:30 a.m. Alex & Leah Littlejohn
David Graham
Sun. 07/09 10:30a.m. Amber Cox, Sarah Musser
Wilson & Andrew Eustace

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 07/08 5:30 p.m. Mary Kauffman
Sun. 07/09 8:30 a.m. Donald Ring Family
Sun. 07/09 10:30 a.m. Trent Guyer Family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 07/08 5:30 p.m. A. Torres, L. Curiel
Sun. 07/09 8:30 a.m. P. McNeill, S. Herdler
Sun. 07/09 10:30 a.m. M. Eustace, R. Littlejohn

Lectors

Sat. 07/08 5:30 p.m. Richard Mick, Sylvia Yoder
Sun. 07/09 8:30 a.m. Monica Davis, Marshall Kendrick
Sun. 07/09 10:30 a.m. Sharon Erwin, Terri Bockhaus

Sacristans

Weekday July 4—July 8—Kari Sauerwein
Sat. 07/08 5:30 p.m. Gary Chaffee
Sun. 07/09 8:30 a.m. Teresa & Rodney Snyder
Sun. 07/09 10:30 a.m. Tami Carlgren

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat. 07/08 5:30 p.m. Philip Stutey

Sun. 07/09 8:30 a.m. *Sue Schmidt

Sun. 07/09 10:30 a.m. Cathy Polley

Hospital Extraordinary Minister Schedule

July 2—Sue Schmidt

Ushers

Sat. 07/08 5:30p.m. Robert TenEyck, Dennis Alexander
Mike & Jonathon Weber
Sun. 07/09 8:30a.m. Charles Casey, Mike Davis
Rodger & Marietta Graham
Sun. 07/09 10:30a.m. Jim & Janet Daily
Benjamin & Adrian Holguin

Church Cleaners

July 7—Paulina & Rafael Navarro, Alexis Segura

Wash Server Albs—No July laundering

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