

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

October 29, 2017
30th Sunday in Ordinary

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

www.stmarynewton.org

Parish Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm

Monday - Friday

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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



30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to him, “You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment.” - Mt 22:37-38

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

OPEN ADORATION HOURS:

Friday: 10am
Sunday: 1am
Wednesday: 2 am

Weekday Mass schedule:

Monday—No Mass
Tuesday, Oct. 17—NO MASS
Wednesday, Thursday &
Friday—8:00AM.

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

DAILY MASS— Tues. 5:30pm; Wed 7am & 7:30pm (Latin) Thurs-Fri. 8AM

Sunday: K of C breakfast 8-11am—OLG Parish Hall

Wednesday: Legion of Mary 6:30pm; PSR-6:30pm;

RCIA 7pm—PC, CYM—7pm PC

Thursday: Adult Choir-6pm, Altar Society 7pm

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

ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Parishioners are invited to attend our 5th grade Saints' Wax Museum on Friday, November 3rd. Our times are 10:15-10:45am, 12:30-1:00pm or 1:15-1:45pm. Presentations will be made in the school gym and those attending will be able to rotate from saint to saint to learn about their amazing lives. Enter the school by the flagpole off of 8th street.

RESPECT LIFE AND SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE COAT, HAT & MITTEN DRIVE

The Respect Life & Social Justice committee will be collecting coats, hats & mittens the weekends of Oct. 27-28 & Nov. 4-5 in the back of church. Please consider donating to help the less fortunate stay warm!! **THANK YOU!!**

WORKSHOP FOR LECTORS

Two workshops for Lectors will be offered in early December: December 2 at Church of the Resurrection Parish in Wichita and December 3 at St. Francis Parish in St. Paul, KS. There is no cost to attend. Deadline to register is Thursday, November 30. Call 316-440-1729 to register.

Stewardship Message— "WHO ARE YOU FOLLOWING?"

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 22:20-26, 1 Thes 1:5c-10, Mt 22:34-40

In this week's Gospel, Jesus is less ambiguous in His teaching. When asked which is the greatest commandment (another trick by the Pharisees), Jesus doesn't attempt to pick one of the ten. Instead, he gives them two commandments they've never even heard; two commandments that sum up the others perfectly. He also manages to make it VERY clear just who we should be following. When asked "Who are you following," we obviously know that the right answer is God. But does our life indicate that? Do we love with our entire being? Do we treat our neighbors with the same love we hope to receive? Or, are we more tied to this world, and therefore following something NOT of God? And are we judging and condemning others in the name of Christianity, rather than showing them the love they deserve? Are we offering lip service, as the Pharisees did? Or are we living as authentic disciples, striving to follow God constantly?

ALTAR SOCIETY

The Festive Fall Fair is fast approaching. We appreciate those parishioners who have been gracious with their donations for the raffle and those that have purchased tickets for it. Just a reminder that raffle tickets will be for sale up to the day of the Fair on November 12th before and after all the Masses. The tickets are \$1.00 each or 25 tickets for \$20.00. Tickets will also be for sale at the Festive Fall Fair. The lucky winners will be drawn at 2:00 on the day of the Fair and you do not need to be present to win.

We also have a number of vendors that have signed up to sell their products. The vendors will open at 9:00 a.m. so stop in before or after Mass to check them out for great gift ideas. Check the Altar Society Facebook page for a brief description of each vendor and the products they will be selling so you can get that Christmas list made.

We hope the ladies of the parish have started thinking about the baked good(s) they will be donating to the bake bar. We have some great bakers in this parish so you can plan on some GOOD TASTING BAKED ITEMS to take home.

Just a courtesy reminder: **Do not park** in the Church of the Nazarene parking lots the day of the Festival.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will serve an All-You-Can-Eat breakfast at OLG from 8—11am, Sunday, Oct. 29th, in the Parish Hall. Menu—pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, hash brown potatoes, coffee-milk-or juice. Cost is \$6.00 all you can eat. Proceeds will fund K of C Council Charities.

Harvest House

Harvest House will meet at 10am on Thursday, November 9th at OLG for a potluck, followed by a Patriotic Rosary for our veterans.

Our Deepest Sympathy...

To the family of **Dan Vierthaler**, who passed away Oct. 16th. May the love of God comfort you all.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2017-June 2018

Collections for: Oct. 22, 2017

Regular collection.....	\$ 13,480.57
Children's collection....	\$ 38.51
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	\$ 13,519.08
Other:	
Building Fund	\$ 574.00
Budget per week is.....	\$ 16,785.71
Collections year-to-date compared to budget	
Through Oct. 22nd, 2017	\$ (27,917.91)

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

—Father Voelker



ST. VINCENT dePAUL

In the Gospel this week we find that loving God isn't merely a matter of dedication in our hearts, but that **it must be expressed in doing good for the sake of others.** For our recently ended fiscal year your Society of St. Vincent DePaul conference helped 286

families by providing over \$80,000 of assistance for food, shelter, utilities, and other expenses. None of this would be possible without our generous supporters. Unfortunately the number of requests we receive for assistance is increasing while our funds are decreasing. Conference members are planning our annual holiday bake sale on Dec. 17th and our Dessert of the Month raffle will return with ticket sales occurring after weekend masses in early January. Prayerfully consider joining us and participating in these upcoming fundraisers. Direct donations to the St. Vincent de Paul Society can be made by placing your check in the collection basket. Thank you for your continued support of this vital mission!

LEGION OF MARY

All Soul's Day, November 2nd, there will be a short prayer service at St. Mary's Cemetery at 5:30pm. Inclement weather location, St. Mary's Church. Legion of Mary hosting.

Child of My Heart— Miscarriage & Stillbirth Support Group

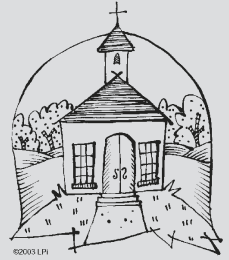
Has your family or anyone you know suffered the loss of an infant through miscarriage or stillbirth? Are you alone in your grief and not sure where to turn? Our church is here to help. Child of My Heart is a Catholic ministry with parents who have experienced their own infant losses and understand the uniqueness of the grieving process. We meet the 2nd Monday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at St. Francis of Assisi Church, 861 Socora in the Bonaventure Center. For more information call Christina Peek at 208-5578 or email christinadpeek@gmail.com. Sponsored by the Office of Marriage and Family Life.

Readings for the Week of October 29, 2017
Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40
Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-6/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
Thursday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-6/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40
Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6
Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18/Lk 14:1, 7-11
Next Sunday: Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10/Ps 131:1-3/1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13/Mt 23:1-12

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. 10/31 5:30pm †Alyssa Runyon & Zalyann Paz
Wed. 11/01 7:00am †J.T. Kelso
Wed. 11/01 7:30pm People of the Parish
Thur. 11/02 8:00am †Brett McAnulty
Fri. 11/03 8:00am †Barbara Grochowsky
Sat. 11/04 8:00am †Michael Martin
Sat. 11/04 5:30pm †Karen Chaffee
Sun. 11/05 8:30am People of the Parish
Sun. 11/05 10:30am †Dorothy Lytle

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS SUPPORT GROUP

To any parent or grandparent who has suffered the loss of a child, Compassionate Friends is here for you. Call Stacy Arellano at 316-842-3799 or Jim Arellano at 288-5549.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE TO BEGIN IN WICHITA

From September 27 through November 5, you're invited to join other Parishes and Churches for 40 Days for Life—40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40 day vigil in the public right-of-way outside South Wind Women's Center—5107 E Kellogg Dr, Wichita, KS 67218. We also need help to spread the word about his important community outreach. If you'd more information—and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Respect Life Social Justice Office 316-269-3935 or to sign up go to: <https://40daysforlife.com/Wichita>

Our advertiser of the week is
Heiland Roofing & Exteriors

Parishioner, Church of the Resurrection, Wichita

Please check their ad in
the back of the bulletin.

Support our
Advertiser
of the Month



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

Tues. 10/31 5:30pm S. & B. Steinmetz, Tyson Weber
Wed. 11/01 7:00am D. Englestad, O. & J. Tierney
Thur. 11/02 8am A. Vidacs, T. Weber, J. Witterick
Fri. 11/03 8am W. Eustace, Sergio Lara, F. Acevedo
Sat. 11/04 5:30pm G. Mathews, Abby & Allison Weber
Sun. 11/05 8:30am Rebecca Ring, Alex & Leah Littlejohn
Sun. 11/05 10:30am Dominic Englestad, Eddie Castillo
Jacob Antle, Eli Blaufuss

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Tues. 10/31 5:30p.m. Carrol & Janet Langenhorst
Wed. 11/01 7:00a.m. Marshall & Linda Kendrick
Sat. 11/04 5:30p.m. Jim & Phyllis Theis
Sun. 11/05 8:30a.m. Steve O'Halloran Family
Sun. 11/05 10:30a.m. Rudy Holopirek

Cantor/Accompanist

Tues. 10/31 5:30p.m. P. McNeil, Steve Koerner
Wed. 11/01 7:00a.m. R. Tierney
Sat. 11/04 5:30p.m. A. Bridgeman, S. Herdler
Sun. 11/05 8:30a.m. V. Smith, R. Littlejohn
Sun. 11/05 10:30a.m. Adult Choir

Lectors

Tues. 10/31 5:30p.m. Ellen Herdler & Karen Ferguson
Wed. 11/01 7:00a.m. Lynn Curiel, Barb Bunting
Sat. 11/04 5:30p.m. Karen McAnulty, Richard Mick
Sun. 11/05 8:30a.m. Pauline Casey, Lisa Littlejohn
Sun. 11/05 10:30a.m. Cathy Guyer, Leo Chouinard

Sacristans

Weekday—Oct. 31—Nov. 4 —Kassandra Adams
Wed. 11/01 7:00a.m. Teresa Snyder
Wed. 11/01 7:30p.m. Kathleen Morris
Sat. 11/04 5:30p.m. Shelly Oswald
Sun. 11/05 8:30a.m. Sharon McCall
Sun. 11/05 10:30a.m. Tami Carlgren

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses—Nov. 2-3 Deb Henning
Tues. 10/31 5:30p.m. R. Sadowski, D. Henning
Wed. 11/01 7:00a.m. P.O'Brien, M. O'Halloran, K. Wiens
Sat. 11/04 5:30p.m. Mike & Linda Smith, Mike Weber
Sun. 11/05 8:30a.m.*M. O'Halloran, L. Schmitt, M. Kaufman
Sun. 11/05 10:30a.m. Carolin Woerner, Ben Mabry
Mary Ann Bruggeman, Cathy Polley

Hospital Extraordinary Minister Schedule

Nov. 5—Kathleen Morris

Ushers

Tues. 10/31 5:30pm Paul O'Brien, Steven Rusche,
Ron Ferguson, Robert TenEyck
Wed. 11/01 7:00am Leroy Koehn, Gary Littlejohn,
Bob & Shari McCall
Wed. 11/01 7:30pm Amber & James Cox,
Don Hageman & Cole Jost
Sat. 11/04 5:30p.m. Jonathan & Mike Weber
Dennis Alexander, Ron Ferguson
Sun. 11/05 8:30am Robert McNeill, Trinity Muth
Robert Peters, Alan Pitts
Sun. 11/05 10:30am Benjamin & Adrian Holguin
Pat McCreary, David Vinduska

Church Cleaners —Emma, Ella, Lily Baier, B. Powell, S. Mead

Wash Server Albs—Nov 6 & 20—Claire Hanna HTeri
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Calendar of Events

November 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Oct. 31 All Saints Day 5:30pm Vigil Mass	1 Holy Day Masses: 7am & 7:30pm *LATIN 6:30 PM Legion of Mary CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	2 8:00 AM Mass 6pm Adult Choir 7pm Altar Society	3 8:00 AM Mass Family Home Rosary 7pm	4 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
5 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry A-F 7pm —CYM	6 No Mass 7pm SVdP—OLG	7 5:30 PM Mass 6pm Scheduling meeting—PC	8 8:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Legion of Mary 6:30—PSR 7:00—RCIA 7:00—CYM	9 8:00 AM Mass 6pm Adult Choir	10 8:00 AM Mass Family Home Rosary 7pm	11 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30PM Mass
12 FESTIVE FALL FAIR 9am-2pm 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry G-L	13 No Mass 7:30pm K of C —OLG	14 5:30 PM Mass	15 8:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Legion of Mary 6:30—PSR 7:00—RCIA 7:00—CYM	16 8:00 AM Mass 6pm Adult Choir 7pm SVdP—JPII	17 8:00 AM Mass Family Home Rosary 7pm	18 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
19 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry M-R	20 No Mass	21 5:30 PM Mass	22 8:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Legion of Mary	23 No Mass THANKSGIVING OFFICE CLOSED	24 8:00 AM Mass OFFICE CLOSED	25 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
26 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry S-Z	27 No Mass Fr. Voelker gone CLERGY CONFERENCE	28 No Mass Fr. Voelker gone CLERGY CONFERENCE	29 No Mass 6:30 PM Legion of Mary 6:30—PSR 7:00—RCIA 7:00—CYM Fr. Voelker gone CLERGY CONFERENCE	30 No Mass Fr. Voelker gone CLERGY CONFERENCE	8:00 AM Mass	