

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

May 5, 2019

Third Sunday of Easter

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114
www.stmarynewton.org

Parish Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs:
9am-4:30pm; Fri.: 9-12:30 pm
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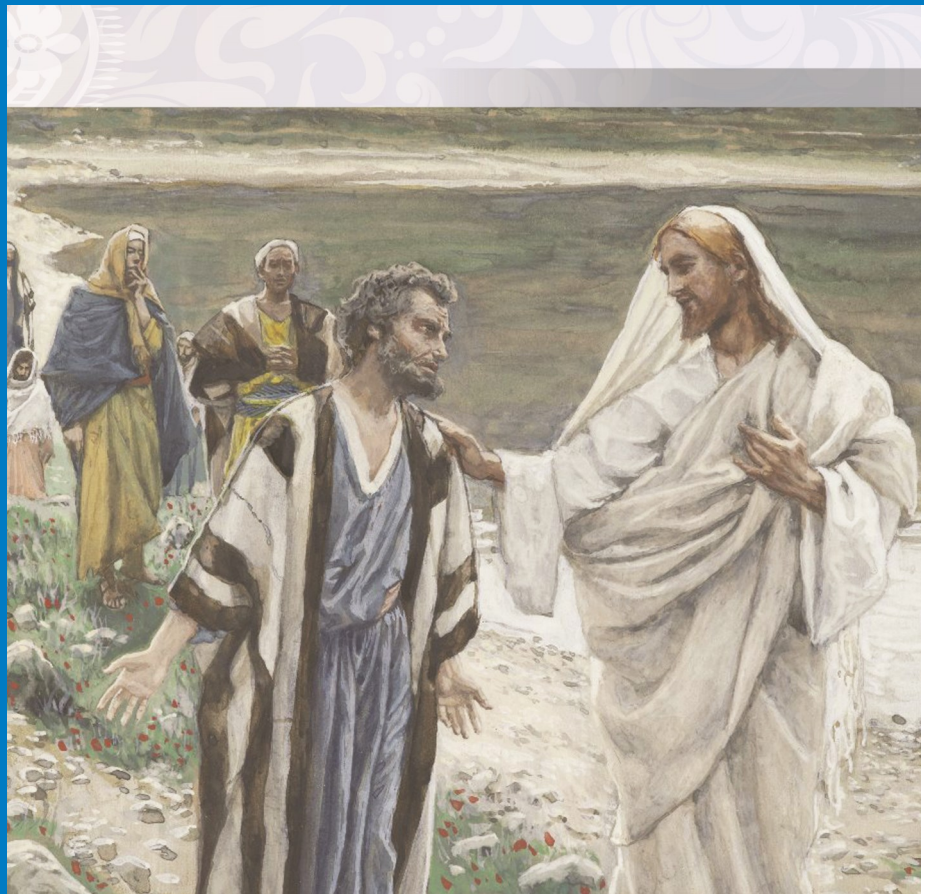
RCIA/Stewardship Council
Mark Frazier – (316) 727-6287

Altar Society
Kathy Chouinard – 316-283-5762

CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry)
Bill & Carrie Weber – 212-0137

Legion of Mary- President
Steve Holub – 316-836-7822

Knights of Columbus
Dave Englestad-316-804-8632



3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

[Jesus] said to him, "Follow me." - Jn 21:19b

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Adoration Chapel
Open Hours: Sat. 2am

Office Hours: Mon-Thur:
9:00am-4:30pm; Friday
9am-12:30pm

Weekday Mass Schedule:
No Mass Tuesday; Wednes-
day, Thursday & Friday:
8:00a.m.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	May 7
5:30p.m.	No Mass
Wednesday	May 8
8:00a.m.	Robert Bunting, Jr
Thursday	May 9
8:00a.m.	✠ Thomas Becker
Friday	May 10, St. Damien de Veuster
8:00a.m.	✠ Jo Maynard
Saturday	May 11
8:00a.m.	✠ Bishop Eugene Gerber
5:30p.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday	May 12, Fourth Sunday of Easter
8:30a.m.	✠ Betty Brooks
10:30a.m.	✠ Diane Dolechek

Stewardship Message—

“Fully Alive as Missionary Disciples”

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27-32, 40B-41 Rev 5:11-14 Jn 21: 1-19

Since the beginning of Christianity, Jesus’ disciples have been persecuted for sharing their beliefs. Over the course of two thousand years, those persecutions have taken on different forms. In today’s reading from Acts, we see direct orders from the governing officials and Jewish leaders that attempt to shut down the chaos in the wake of Jesus’ death. The apostles, however, were undeterred. In fact, Acts 5:41 says that these earliest missionary disciples “left the presence of the Sanhedrin, rejoicing that they had been found worthy to suffer dishonor for the sake of the name.” While there are many places in the world that still punish Christians with violence, we are fortunate that our country allows us the freedom to worship as we please, but this does not mean that we are not also persecuted for those beliefs. Sadly, it is the culture itself that often tries to stifle the Christian message. In the face of the media, social apps, and “fake news,” it can be intimidating to stand up and proclaim the Gospel. Christians are often shamed into silence. It is time for us to look again at the example set by the apostles! We have been baptized into the same Christian community that they were, and we have been given the same mission that they were: go and make disciples of all nations! Let us remember our call to discipleship and be willing to “suffer dishonor for the sake of the name.”

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week—

DAILY MASS: Tuesday: No Mass; Wed—Fri: 8am

Monday: SVdP-7pm OLG

Wednesday: Altar Society 6:30; Adult Choir 6:45

Thursday: Legion of Mary 6pm; SMCS Program 6:45pm

Friday: Family Home Rosary call (316) 570-7455

Next Sunday: Mothers Brunch, 9:30am; First Communion 2p

Lord’s Pantry Next Sunday: G-L

ALTAR SOCIETY

The May meeting has a DATE CHANGE. It will be on Wednesday, May 8th at the School Cafeteria starting at 6:30. Dinner will be served so if you plan to attend please let Kathy Chouinard know at 316-283-5762 or 316-772-2995 so adequate food can be prepared. A meeting will follow the meal.

We will be selling advance tickets for the Mother’s Brunch May 4th and May 5th. The Brunch will be held on Sunday, May 12th following the 8:30 Mass in the School Gym. We would like to encourage you to purchase advance tickets as they are \$5 (\$6 at the door) and this will give us an accurate number of how many to prepare for. This year you can also purchase the tickets from Marcia at the church office on Tuesdays - Fridays (office closes at 12:30). All women are welcome.

Mark your calendars for another craft day on June 1st at the Parish Center. If you have questions call Loretta Phillips at 804-4159.

ST. MARY HAPPENINGS

On behalf of St. Mary Catholic School, we would like to thank the auction committee, volunteers, donors and supporters who made our auction a tremendous success. While we do not have firm numbers yet as expenses continue to come in, we believe it will rival and perhaps surpass last year’s record auction. There are so many who do so much for our school and we want to say **THANK YOU!**

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2018-June 2019

Collections for: April 28, 2019

Regular collection.....	\$	7,679.50
Children’s collection.....	\$	32.50
	\$	7,712.00
Other:		
Building Fund	\$	618.00
Budget per week is.....	\$	15,561.54
Collections year-to-date compared to budget		
Through April 28, 2019.....	\$	(16,100.52)

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

—Father Voelker



Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. The next Retrouvaille Weekend in Wichita, KS is June 14 – 16, 2019.

For more information, contact: Adam & Katherine Haag @ (913) 223-7147 or visit the website: HelpOurMarriage.com

BIRTHDAY CARD SHOWER

BETTY HANNA will be **100 years young** on **May 10th!** Please send her cards to: **7 Circle Dr. Newton, KS 67114**
GERTRUDE MAHONEY turns **98** on **May 16th!** Please send her cards to: **512 Northridge Rd. Newton, KS 67114**



HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES & MANY BLESSINGS TO YOU BOTH!

TOTUS TUUS

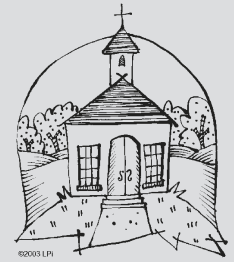
Totus Tuus for St. Mary and Our Lady of Guadalupe will be the week of June 16 through June 21 at St. Mary Catholic School for kids entering 1st grade through graduating Seniors. The cost is \$20 per kid or \$50 for families of 3 or more. Yellow registration forms have been passed out at St. Mary Catholic School & PSR. (additional forms are available in the back of church or the parish office.) Turn in registration and money by **May 22nd** to guarantee getting this year's Totus Tuus t-shirt. Contact Marcia Oden (316) 217-2907 or moden@smcsnewton.org with any questions or to volunteer during that week.

Readings for the week of May 5, 2019
 Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14
 Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29
 Tuesday: Acts 7:51--8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35
 Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40
 Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51
 Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59
 Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116: 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69
 Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

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 10am 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 coordinator, Lettie Kruse at 283-0026.

Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Michelle Stump at 620-386-0421 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. For more information, call the parish office at 316-282-0459, or Mark Frazier at 316-727-6287.

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.

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS SUPPORT GROUP

is for parents or grandparents who have suffered the loss of a child or grandchild. Please call Stacy Arellano at 316-842-3799 or Jim Arellano at 316-288-5549.

WICHITA CATHOLIC RADIO NETWORK

Catholic Radio's spring radio-thon is coming up May 9th and 10th from 7am to 6pm each day. Listen as local priests and ministries are interviewed on KPHN 96.7 FOM and 1360 AM. Volunteers are greatly needed to answer phones and greet guests. To volunteer, please call 816-863-8584 or kelly.catholicradionetwork@gmail.com

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTAL LIFE

John Benedict Englestad was baptized on April 6, 2019. He is the son of David & Kristen Englestad and the grandson of Mike & Beth Lowry.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING PARISHIONERS WHO WERE CONFIRMED ON MARCH 31st AT THE CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Lindsey Antonowich—Dalton Carey—Elsie Clark
Dominic Englestad—Wilson Eustace—David Graham
Patrick Graham—Adrian Holguin—Amala John
Clayton Killman—Gage Klassen—Lucas Klassen
Alex Littlejohn—Michaela Martin—Gage Mathews
Christopher Mick—Davis Mick—Maria Mick—Owen Mick
Reagan Moe—Austin Muth—Owen O'Halloran
Dylan Petz—Elizabeth Rohr—Abby Smith
Spencer Steinmetz—Michael Tyrell

HARVEST HOUSE

Will meet on Thursday, **May 16th** instead of this Thursday, May 9th. Stay tuned for information in next weekend's bulletin for the schedule of activities for that day!!

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

Wed. 05/08 8:00am E. Coutre, Wyatt Ford, Leah Littlejohn
Thur. 05/09 8:00am N. Ramirez, JD Eustace, Ben Heppler
Fri. 05/10 8:00am C. Galvan, Rocio Herrera, A. Marsden
Sat. 05/11 5:30pm Allison Weber, Alex & Leah Littlejohn
Sun. 05/12 8:30am A. O'Halloran, David & Pat. Graham
Sun. 05/12 10:30am Ryan & Jacob Antle, Andrew Guyer
Desiray Segura *Dominic Englestad
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm A. Rohr, F. Acevedo, L. Monares *A.H.

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 05/11 5:30pm Michael Smith family
Sun. 05/12 8:30am Altar Society Officers
Sun. 05/12 10:30am Trent Guyer family
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm School family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 05/11 5:30pm M. Frazier, L. Curiel
Sun. 05/12 8:30am P. McNeill, S. Koerner
Sun. 05/12 10:30am Choir, E. Stabler
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm Children's Choir

Lector

Sat. 05/11 5:30pm Lisa Littlejohn, Robert Oswald
Sun. 05/12 8:30am Leigh Ann O'Halloran, M. Kendrick
Sun. 05/12 10:30am Philip Blaufuss, Carroll Langenhorst
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm Ellie Rohr & Elizabeth Mick

Sacristans

Weekday May 7—11—Amber Anderson
Sat. 05/11 5:30pm Shelly Oswald
Sun. 05/12 8:30am Shari McCall
Sun. 05/12 10:30am Tami Carlgren
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm TBD

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)

Weekday May 8—10 Philip Stutey
Sat. 05/11 5:30pm Ron & Karen Ferguson, Mike Weber
Sun. 05/12 8:30am *M. O'Halloran, F. Becker, K. Wiens
Sun. 05/12 10:30am M. Bruggeman, C. Antle, C. Woerner
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm Philip & Sharon Stutey, Deb Henning

Nursing Homes: (Pres. & Shut ins) May 11—Shari McCall

EMHC-Hospital— May 12—Kathleen Morris

Ushers

Sat. 05/11 5:30pm Kyle & Linda Kientz,
Robert TenEyck & Paul O'Brien
Sun. 05/12 8:30am Phil Blann & Charles Casey
Mike & William Davis
Sun. 05/12 10:30am David Vinduska & Donald Hageman
Steve & Terri Bockhaus
Sun. 05/12 2:00pm School Families

Church Cleaners May 10—

Kevin & Jennifer Ensminger, Seth & Nancy Claassen

Wash Server Albs May 6

Elizabeth O'Halloran, Michelle Roufs

Our advertiser of the week is

Brett A. Roufs, D.D.S.

General Practitioner ♦ Parishioner

Please check their ad in
the back of the bulletin.

