



ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary Mission Statement:
To be companions with Christ
our Savior

April 17, 2022

Easter Sunday of the
Resurrection of the Lord

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

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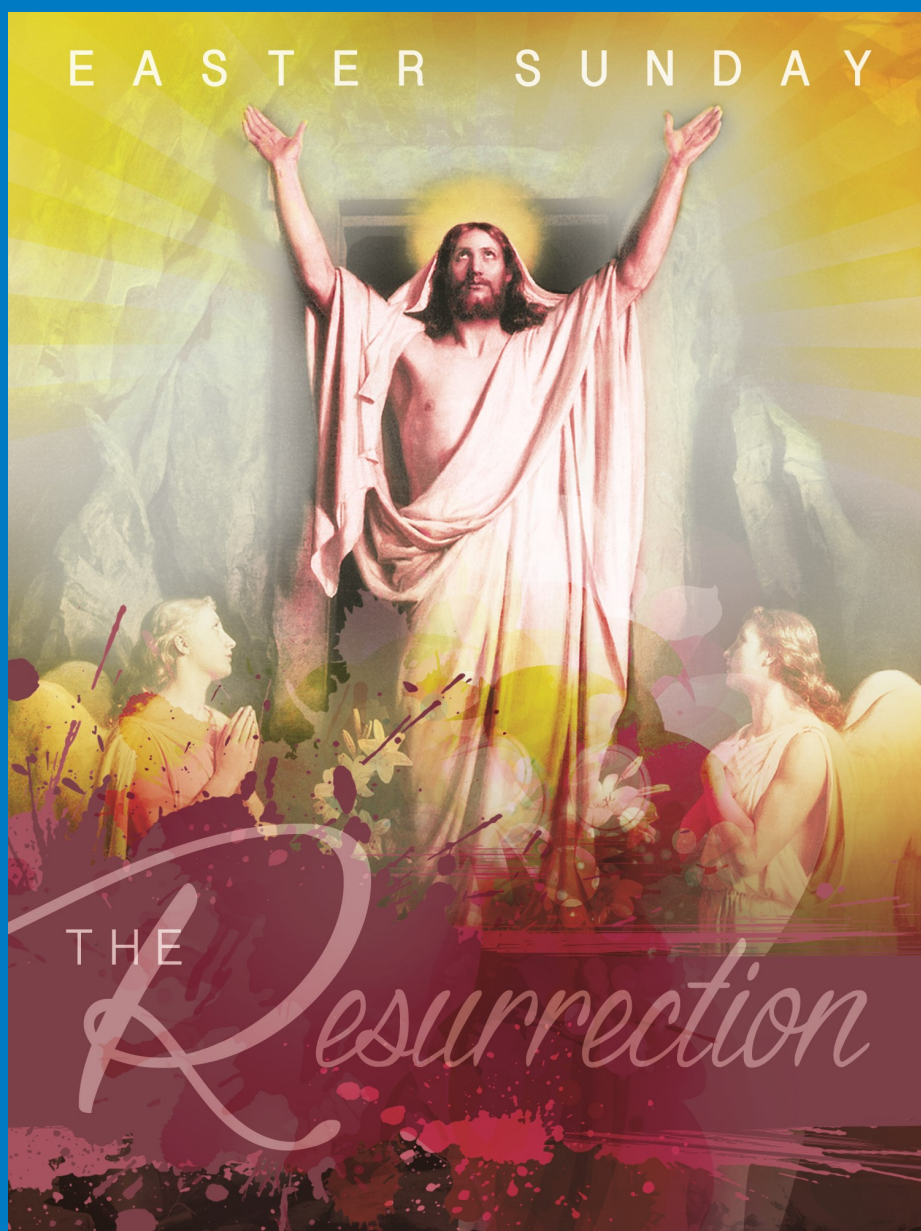
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Knights of Columbus

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Catechism Class (Formerly PSR)

Mandy Casey-620-200-7278



OPEN ADORATION HOURS:

Monday: 7pm & 9pm

Tuesday: 5pm

Thursday: 2am & 3am & 6am

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: 9:00-4:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS:

Friday 8:00am

No Mass Tues./Wed./Thurs.



Mass Intentions for the Week

ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Have you ever felt called to work at St. Mary Catholic School? Please prayerfully consider the current available positions at SMCS:
****K-4th Grade Paraprofessional** (1 year position, immediate opening available)
****Pre School Teacher**, for the 2022-2023 school year (Pre-3 and Pre-4, Permanent Position).
****Elementary Teacher**, for the 2022-2023 school year (K-5th Grade, Permanent Position)

Applications may be submitted by using the diocesan website: <https://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/careers/>

May your Easter Season be blessed.
 Your brother in Christ,
 Joshua Bargdill
 Principal
 St. Mary Catholic School

DISCIPLE MAKER INDEX SURVEY



We really need your help in making this a success, so please participate!
 Share your feedback on the Disciple Maker Index! The Survey is LIVE and will only be open until May 1. Visit the St. Mary website and click on the Disciple Maker Survey link on the right hand side, or go to <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/vcg1y3>
 If you prefer a paper copy, you may pick it up after daily and Sunday Masses. They will be located in the vestibule of the church or in the parish office. To submit the completed paper survey, please drop in the contribution box in the church or return to the parish office. ALL RESPONSES ARE ANONYMOUS

Tuesday	April 19
5:30pm	No Mass
Wednesday	April 20,
8:00am	No Mass
Thursday	April 21,
8:00am	No Mass
Friday	April 22 Fri. within Octave of Easter
8:00am	✠Kathy Ocander
Saturday	April 23, Sat. within Octave of Easter
5:30pm	✠Martin Zimmerman
Sunday	April 24, Divine Mercy Sunday
8:30am	✠Gladys Wiens
10:30am	People of the Parish

Please Pray For our Sick, Home Bound & Care Home Parishioners: Deanna Beckner ✠ Nancy Budde ✠ Barbara Fayette ✠ Alma Gordon ✠ Virginia Holub ✠ Deb Kelso ✠ Lou Kuesterstepfen ✠ Joe LaBelle ✠ Nancy McFarlane ✠ Terry Meyers ✠ Maggie Morgan ✠ Stacy Morris ✠ Brett Roufs ✠ Bryan Sahlfeld ✠ Kay Schommer ✠ Walt & Lois Silvernale

Stewardship Message –

Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord
 The Mass of Easter Day

Acts 10:34a, 37-43 / Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 / Col 3:1-4 / Jn 20:1-

Poor Peter. What a week. Followed Jesus for three years. Chased him across a sea and sank. Gave up his fishing gig just when he caught the motherload. Fell asleep in Gethsemane. Said goodbye to Jesus by pretending he didn't even know him, not once, but three times. Watches Jesus die, be buried and then disappear. Poor Peter. Yet, who does Mary of Magdalen run to when she finds the tomb empty, Peter. Despite all of Peter's frailties and inadequacies, Peter is the go-to guy. Why? Apparently, the other disciples saw what Jesus saw, a rock. Not the rock that guarded an empty tomb, but the rock that would guard and defend the truth, even unto death. What kind of rocks are we? As missionary disciples we aren't idle stones guarding empty tombs, but Easter rocks, fully alive sent to be witnesses of the amazing Good News of the Gospel! Saint Peter—you rock!

Our Gifts to God & Parish Fiscal Year: July 2021-June 2022

Collections for: **April 10, 2022 will be in the April 24 bulletin due to early submission times.**

*Regular Collection	\$	
Children's Collection	\$	_____
	\$	
Other:		
*Building Fund.....	\$.00
Budget per week is.....	\$	14,584.60
Collections year-to-date compared to budget Through April 10, 2022	\$	()

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

"You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here" (Mk 16:6). With these words, God's messenger, robed in light, spoke to the women who were looking for the body of Jesus in the tomb. But the Evangelist says the same thing to us on this holy night: Jesus is not a character from the past. He lives, and he walks before us as one who is alive, he calls us to follow him, the living one, and in this way to discover for ourselves too the path of life. "He has risen, he is not here." When Jesus spoke for the first time to the disciples about the Cross and the Resurrection, as they were coming down from the Mount of the Transfiguration, they questioned what "rising from the dead" meant (Mk 9:10). At Easter we rejoice because Christ did not remain in the tomb, his body did not see corruption; he belongs to the world of the living, not to the world of the dead; we rejoice because he is the Alpha and also the Omega, as we proclaim in the rite of the Paschal Candle; he lives not only yesterday, but today and for eternity (cf. Heb 13:8). But somehow the Resurrection is situated so far beyond our horizon, so far outside all our experience that, returning to ourselves, we find ourselves continuing the argument of the disciples: Of what exactly does this "rising" consist? What does it mean for us, for the whole world and the whole of history? A German theologian once said ironically that the miracle of a corpse returning to life - if it really happened, which he did not actually believe - would be ultimately irrelevant precisely because it would not concern us. In fact, if it were simply that somebody was once brought back to life, and no more than that, in what way should this concern us? But the point is that Christ's Resurrection is something more, something different. If we may borrow the language of the theory of evolution, it is the greatest "mutation", absolutely the most crucial leap into a totally new dimension that there has ever been in the long history of life and its development: a leap into a completely new order which does concern us, and concerns the whole of history.

~Pope Benedict XVI

St. Vincent de Paul

On Easter Sunday Jesus rose gloriously from the tomb and in doing so He has given us, who believe in Him, an assurance that we, too, will, by His power, rise from the dead. There are people who say that there will be no resurrection, that there is nothing after death. When next you hear this, think of springtime. During the long hard winter, you wonder "Will spring ever come this year?" The ground was frozen hard and there was not a sign of life in the fields or on the trees. But now everything is changing. Flowers are appearing, the wheat is growing in the fields and leaves are beginning to appear on the trees. No human power can keep back springtime. Since the day Jesus Christ rose from the dead, the first signs of an eternal springtime have begun to appear. Each of us has met Christians who, despite great suffering that cannot be explained, have continued to believe that death is not the end. These people are signs for us that Jesus Christ has really risen.



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, 421 S. Ash. If interested in a permanent hour call coordinator, call Laurie Kimere at (417)531-8904.

Rosary Prayer Line

Call the parish office at 316-282-0459 ext. 3, to activate the line. If there is no answer, leave a detailed message and the line will be activated as soon as possible.

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.

There will be NO daily Mass this week on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday. There will be Mass Friday, April 22nd at 8am.

Readings for the week of April 24, 2022

Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31
Monday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36
Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21
Next 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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Annual Steak Feed will be held Sunday, April 24th, at 4:00pm at OLG in the parish hall. This is a social event for Knights and spouses, council widows and guest, prospective Knights and spouses. The menu—filet mignon, salad, baked potato, barbeque beans, roll, drink and dessert. The cost is \$8.00 per person. For food purchasing purposes, call John (283-0907) on or before Monday, April 18.

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.*

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. 04/23 5:30pm Alexander Huelskamp & Allison Weber
Sun. 04/24 8:30am Payton Ryan & Evan Kaiser
Sun. 04/24 10:30am Annabelle Smith & Calvin Smith *Anthony

Greeters

Sat. 04/23 5:30pm Dennis & Terri Alexander
Sun. 04/24 8:30am Dale Kaiser family
Sun. 04/24 10:30am Steve & Terri Bockhaus

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 04/23 5:30pm L. Littlejohn, S. Herdler
Sun. 04/24 8:30am M. Eustace, S. Curiel
Sun. 04/24 10:30am B & C Weber, E. Stabler

Lector

Sat. 04/23 5:30pm Sandra Kelso
Sun. 04/24 8:30am Leigh Ann O'Halloran
Sun. 04/24 10:30am James Titah

Sacristans

Weekday—April 19-23—Dixie Pomeroy
Sat. 04/23 5:30pm Shelly Oswald
Sun. 04/24 8:30am Paula Blann
Sun. 04/24 10:30am Terri Bockhaus

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

April 22-MAB
Sat. 04/23 5:30pm Gary Chaffee
Sun. 04/24 8:30am *Steve Mead
Sun. 04/24 10:30am Leona Soyey

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins/EMHC—

April 2—Shari McCall

Hospital EMHC:

April 24—Kathleen Morris

Ushers

Sat. 04/23 5:30pm Kyle & Linda Kientz
Sun. 04/24 8:30am Erick & Koelton Erwin
Sun. 04/24 10:30am Benjamin & Anthony Holguin

Church Cleaners— April 22

Janis McCreary, Lisa & Olivia Antonowich

Wash Server Albs April 4—

Tina Lanza & Marcia Mathews

Our advertiser of the week is

Heartland Credit Union
800.428.8472

Please check their ad in the back of the bulletin.

