



ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil -5:30pm
Lord's Day -8:30am & 10:30am

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday- 4:30pm
Sunday-8:00-8:25am
Tuesday-5:00pm
*or by appointment

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

January 1, 2023

The Solemnity of Mary
Holy Mother of God

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MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

And Mary kept all these things,
reflecting on them in her heart. - Lk 2:19

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**OPEN HOURS FOR PERPETUAL
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:**
12 AM MONDAY
8 AM WEDNESDAY
1, 2 & 3 AM THURSDAY

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday
9am – 4:30pm;
Friday 9am – 12:30pm
WEEKDAY MASS: No Mass
Tuesday, Jan. 3. Wednesday,
Thursday & Friday: 8:00a.m.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	Jan. 3, The Most Holy Name of Jesus
5:30pm	No public Mass (†Ken & Brenda McGuire)
Wednesday	Jan. 4, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
8:00am	†Walt Silvernale
Thursday	Jan. 5, St. John Neumann
8:00am	†Ray Bruggeman
Friday	Jan. 6, St. Andre Bessette
8:00am	†Marguerite Snapp
Saturday	Jan. 7, St. Raymond of Penyafort
5:30pm	†Gerald & Leona Rogers
Sunday	Jan. 8, The Epiphany of the Lord
8:30am	People of the Parish
10:30am	Virginia Holub

Please Pray For our Sick, Home Bound & Care Home Parishioners: Alma Gordon ♦ Lou Kuestersteffen ♦ Joe LaBelle ♦ Josephine Moore ♦ Maggie Morgan ♦ Stacy Morris ♦ Parker Patton ♦ Brett Roufs ♦ Kay Schommer ♦ Lois Silvernale ♦ Fern Wilson ♦ Mary Lou Wheeler



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL FREE THROW CONTEST

The Knights of Columbus will resume holding its Annual Free Throw Contest for Boys and Girls ages 9 thru 14 on Sunday, January 15, 2023. There is no cost to participate. The event will be held at St. Mary's school gym. Registration of competitors will start at 1:00pm with competition starting at 1:30pm. Winners in each division will receive a medal and will advance to the next level. (District competition) to be held in February in El Dorado, KS. Parents of competitors needing more information or details, contact John Florez at 316-283-0907.

WEBSITE

If you haven't yet, you should check out our re-designed website! We have made several changes! www.stmarynewton.org
Coming soon, we will be posting Fr. Bergkamp's week-end homilies!

Christmas Poinsettias



In Memory of:

†Deceased family members of Dave & Deb Henning—
Dave & Deb Henning
†Tom & Pat Creamer & †John & Irene Casey—
Dan & Tammy Casey
†Max Stroda family—*Van & Linda Peters & Stacy*
†Chuck & Dot Ensminger, †Gerald Hueskamp.
In Honor of Judy Huelskamp—*Kevin & Jeni Ensminger*
†Doris & Warren Regier—*Hoelscher Siblings*
†Charles & Esther Hoelscher—*Hoelscher children*
†Bill & Dorothy McCall—*Bob & Shari McCall*
†Thane & Mary Lou Frazier & †Ruby Sutton—*Mark & Linda Frazier*
†Ken & Theresa Burks—*Shirley Weber*
†Gerald Rogers, †Judy & Phyllis Carlgren—*Tami Carlgren*
†Art & Artie Borst & †Casey Thomas—*Doug & Mary Ann Bruggeman*
†Zajac & †Bunting family members—*Bob & Barbara Bunting*
†Merle & Wilma Kohman, Larry Kohman, Vernon & Lenora Stanberry, Ishmael Ferguson—*Ron & Karen Ferguson*
†Kratky & Reinert families—*Carol Kratky*
†Jack Hanna & Jerry Altenhofen—*Patricia Altenhofen*
†Paula Delmez—*Arthur Delmez*
†Parents, sisters and Godson—*Marlin & Sue Schmidt*
†Herman Blann, Peggy Douglas, Annie & Leo Beugelsdyk, Tony Beugelsdijk—*Phil & Paula Blann*
†Norman & Joy Salmans—*Joe Salmans & Sharon Harrison*
†Harvey & Marguerite Snapp & Don Snapp—*Ruggiero family*
†Bill Goetz & Dee & Bonnie Cox—*The Cox family*
†Bill & Bonnie Palmer—*Phil Palmer*
†Brett McAnulty—*Karen McAnulty*
†Garry & Jeanette Boston—*Boston children*
†Duane Haxton—*Barbara Haxton*
†Parents of Carol & Larry Schmitt—*Carol & Larry Schmitt*
†Parents of Pat & Janis McCreary
In Honor of: Allie Fowler—*Pat & Janis McCreary*
In Memory of: †Frank & Bertha Casey & family, Virginia Voth, Roseley Blue, Charline Hill, Jim Casey, Gale Baumgartner & Kathy Warner—*Charles & Pauline Casey*

In Honor of:

Thomas Patterson—*Justin & Becky Patterson*

The Respect Life/ Social Outreach Ministry

Would like to thank all those who donated to the Giving Tree. Your generosity has made a difference in a young person's Christmas. God Bless your families during the new year!

Our Gifts to God & Parish

For the month of December
will be included in the January 8th bulletin due to early bulletin submission times.

ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

The first Altar Society Meeting of 2023 will take place on Thursday, January 5. We will be making plans for the coming year so bring ideas. An Italian meal will be served. The meeting will be at 6:30pm in the Parish Center. All women of the Parish are invited to attend!



Spiritual Adoption

If you committed to spiritually adopt a baby this past September, this week your baby is 14 weeks old! Your baby weighs about 3 ½ ounces and is about 4 ½ inches long. The baby is growing like crazy! Please remember to keep praying everyday for your baby and for baby's mother, too. If you didn't sign up, please consider committing to spiritually adopt a baby known only to God. Name your baby, record your start date, and daily for 40 weeks pray this prayer composed by Ven. Fulton Sheen: "Jesus. Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of Baby (state name) who is in danger of abortion. Amen."

St. Vincent dePaul News

Please join Society of St. Vincent de Paul in their largest fundraiser of the year without even leaving your home! Watch your mail for the Stay At Home Tea information to participate. Last year SVdP helped 360 families and served 738 individuals among the poor and marginalized in Harvey County providing \$25,362 in rent assistance, \$32,353 in utility assistance, \$900 in food and \$4,582 in other assistance. Thank you for your generous support and please keep us in your prayers.



St. Vincent dePaul Reflection

Like the shepherds, we wish to remember the incarnation event "glorifying and praising God" and with Mary we "keep these things, reflecting on them in our hearts." Like Mary, we must assume a contemplative stance toward God's marvelous deeds of salvation. God revealed the divine will and plan to Mary for her part in the plan of salvation; she responded with a yes that she contemplated throughout her life. Christmas reveals God's will for our salvation and asks of us our contemplative yes. When we wish each other "Happy New Year" as Christians, we are really wishing each other a grace-filled year of responding to God's revelation and a year of contemplating what we have seen and heard so that we can come to understand life with more depth and insight. May our "Happy New Year" be a pledge to, like the shepherds and Mary, embrace in joy and peace God's presence to us and in us.

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

The bulletin deadline is 10am Tuesday. To get something in the bulletin you can call Marcia at 316-282-0459 ext 3, or email her at parish@stmarynewton.org

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, please call coordinator 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

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 Confession

Saturday 4:30 -5:25 p.m. Sunday at 8:00-8:25 a.m. Tuesday 5:00-5:25pm. Any time by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Newly engaged couples are asked to contact Fr. Bergkamp at 316-282-0459, ext. 2 to set up an appointment to schedule their wedding.

Readings for the week of January 1, 2023

Sunday: Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (2a)/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

Monday:1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 1:19-28

Tuesday:1 Jn 2:29—3:6/Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6/Jn 1:29-34

Wednesday:1 Jn 3:7-10/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9/Jn 1:35-42

Thursday:1 Jn 3:11-21/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Jn 1:43-51

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mk 1:7-11

Saturday:1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a, and 9b/Jn 2:1-11

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

MARCH FOR LIFE RALLY JANUARY 24— TOPEKA, KS

Join us for events from 8:30am to 3:30pm. Events include workshops, pro-life educational booths, capitol tours, visiting legislators, and attending general legislative sessions and committees.

Check out the tentative schedule below:

9:00-10AM-Morning workshops: Lobbying with your Legislator 101 & the Dangers of the Chemical Abortion Pill

9:00AM Catholic IGNITE Rally at Topeka Performing Arts Center (TPAC).

10:30AM Non-denominational prayer service in Capitol Visitor Center Auditorium

11:30AM-2 PM Lunch on first floor of capitol

12PM March starts at TPAC & goes to the capitol

12:15 Rally for Life-south steps of capitol

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. 01/07 5:30pm Luke & Bret Littlejohn

Sun. 01/08 8:30am Koelton & Maddyx Erwin

Sun. 01/08 10:30am Even & Ryan Antle, Adler Mabry * Eli

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 01/07 5:30pm V. Smith, S. Herdler

Sun. 01/08 8:30am A. Leininger, L. Curiel

Sun. 01/08 10:30am B.C. Weber, E. Stabler

Lector

Sat. 01/07 5:30pm Sandra Kelso

Sun. 01/08 8:30am Monica Davis

Sun. 01/08 10:30am Tami Carlgren

Sacristan

Jan. 3-6—Kathleen Morris

Sat. 01/07 5:30pm Shelly Oswald

Sun. 01/08 8:30am Paula Blann

Sun. 01/08 10:30am Terri Bockhaus

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Schwalter Villa—Steve Mead

Sat. 01/07 5:30pm Ron Ferguson

Sun. 01/08 8:30am *Steve Mead

Sun. 01/08 10:30am Don Hageman

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins/EMHC—

Jan. 7—Kathleen Morris

Hospital EMHC:

The month of January will be covered by OLG

Ushers/Greeters

Sat. 01/07 5:30pm Ron Ferguson, James Maxwell
Kyle & Linda Kientz

Sun. 01/08 8:30am Trinity & Ian Muth
Robert Peters, Alan Pitts

Sun. 01/08 10:30am Earl & Gavin Smith
Steve & Terri Bockhaus

Church Cleaners—Jan. 6 —

Sharon Erwin, Amber Holguin & Brigitte Loescher

Wash Server Albs —January

Lisa Kempf



There will be no 5:30pm Mass this Tuesday, January 3rd.

Our advertiser of the week is
Knights of Columbus
John Florez 283-097

Please check their ad in
the back of the bulletin.

