



ST. MARY



Sacrament of Confession

Saturday- 4:30-5:15pm
Sunday-8:00-8:15am
Tuesday-5:00-5:20pm
*or by appointment

CATHOLIC CHURCH

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114
www.stmarynewton.org
Parish Office - 316-282-0459

March 15, 2026
The Fourth Sunday
Of Lent

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



New to the Parish?

Welcome to St. Mary's Parish, please scan this code to become a registered member, or call the parish office at 316-282-0459 ext 1.



Office Hours:
Tuesday – Thursday: 9am-4pm;
Friday 9am-12pm
Weekday Mass: Tuesday 5:30pm
Wednesday – Friday: 8am
Stations of the Cross
Friday 6pm



Free for St. Mary parishioners!
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Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	Mar. 17, St. Patrick's Day
5:30pm	✠Kelli Janzen
Wednesday	Mar. 18, St. Cyril of Jerusalem
8:00am	Tobias Carson
Thursday	Mar. 19, St. Joseph, Spouse of BVM
8:00am	Taylor Zwiesler
Friday	Mar. 20
8:00am	✠Paul & Mary O'Brien
Saturday	Mar. 21
5:30pm	Paul & Laurie Ashford
Sunday	March 22, The 5th Sunday of Lent
8:30am	✠Clarence Kelly
10:30am	The People of the Parish



Please Pray For the Sick:
Nancy Budde * Lorraine Farnan
Maretta Lies * Pat Phillips
Sister Rosemary * David Vinduska



ANNUAL CEMETERY CLEAN UP MARCH 28TH— 8AM

Volunteers are needed to help with the annual spring clean up at the cemetery. Please bring shovels, rakes or any

appropriate yard tools that you may have. Breakfast burritos, coffee and juice will be prepared by the ladies of the Altar Society. Rain out date will be on April 11th. If you have any questions, please contact Dennis Alexander at 316-640-2035 or Carrol Langenhorst at 316-727-3025. Thank you!



Do You Have A Green Thumb??

We are in need of a couple of volunteers to water the flowers that we have along the church sidewalk & school in the coming warm weather months. Please call the office if you are able to help out & keep our flowers beautiful! 316-282-0459 x1. Thank you!

ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL 29TH ANNUAL AUCTION FUNDRAISER

Dear Parishioners,

We sincerely thank you for your continued support of St. Mary Catholic School. As we approach our annual school auction fundraiser, we invite you to consider attending the event and/or making a donation.

We welcome contributes of new or like-new items, and unique or vintage pieces. Financial contributions to support the auction are also greatly appreciated. This year, proceeds from the auction will help address several important needs for the school, including the replacement of the school roof and other facility improvements that will be needed in the near future.

We also hope to fix and enhance our outdoor classroom area in addition to obtaining permanent pews for the school chapel.

Donated items or financial contributions may be dropped off at the church or school office, by April 1. Thank you for your generosity and for supporting Catholic education at St. Mary.

With gratitude,

St. Mary Catholic School Auction Committee

****please see the back of the bulletin for the auction ticket link!****



PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT

St. Mary Catholic School provides a preschool program for 3 and 4 year olds. Children must be 3 before August 31, 2026 and completely potty-trained.

- ✔ Morning session: 8:00-11:00am.
- ✔ Afternoon session: 12:30-3:30Pm
- ✔ Tuition is \$260 a month: August-May.

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Liturgical Role

Altar Servers

Stations 3/20 6:00 Dane Murray, Mary-Ann T. & Archer V.
Sat. 03/21 5:30 Ryan Pham & Easton Scheffler
Sun. 03/22 8:30 Evan Kaiser & Maddyx E.
Sun. 03/22 10:30 Ella Baier & Kathryn Gerber *JD Eustace

Accompanist/Cantor

Sat. 03/21 5:30 Ryan/Frazier
Sun. 03/22 8:30 Koerner/McNeill
Sun. 03/22 10:30 Koerner/Joely Gerber

Lector

Sat. 03/21 5:30 Deb Henning
Sun. 03/22 8:30 Martha Muth
Sun. 03/22 10:30 Ricky Snyder

Sacristan

Mar. 17—20—Mary Russell
Sat. 03/21 5:30 Mary Russell
Sun. 03/22 8:30 Nichole Peck
Sun. 03/22 10:30 Lori Jerde

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sun. 03/22 8:30 Karen McAnulty
Sun. 03/22 10:30 Tami Carlgren

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins/EMHC March 28—

Mario Lanza

Ushers/Greeters

Sat. 03/21 5:30 Ron Ferguson & Pat McCreary
Dave & Deb Henning
Sun. 03/22 8:30 Todd Sturgeon & Warren Wiens
Cody Gronau & Trevor Kaufman
Sun. 03/22 10:30 Steve & Terri Bockhaus
James & Lisa Cox

Church Cleaners March 20—

Craig, Emily Ella, Lily & William Baier & Steve Mead

Rectory Cleaners March 18—

Dee Martin

Parish Center Cleaning March—

Shirley & Megan Weber

Wash Server Albs March—

Rosemarie Craft



ST. PAUL TO THE ROMANS-

Have you ever wanted to know more about Righteousness, Faith, Salvation, Justification and Predestination? These are some of the topics which will be explored in our upcoming Study of the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans. We will meet Tuesdays 6:30-8:00pm from March 17 through May 12. If interested, please contact Mario Lanza at: doclanza@outlook.com

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.

PSR

Grades 1st- 8th For children who do not attend Catholic School. Every Sunday from 9:30-10:20am in the Parish Center. Schedule changes/cancellations will be sent through Flocknote. Joe Gerber jagerber@usd206.org

Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Wednesday: 7pm; Grades 9-12 Bill & Carrie 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. 1, to activate the line. If there is no answer, leave a detailed message and the line will be activated as soon as possible.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Father Bergkamp would love to answer any questions and help in any way possible. He can be contacted at 316-282-0459 ext. 4.

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 -5:15 p.m. Sunday at 8:00-8:15a.m.
Tuesday 5:00-5:20pm. Any time by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Newly engaged couples are asked to contact Fr. Bergkamp at 316-282-0459, ext. 4 to set up an appointment to schedule their wedding.

Our Gifts to God & Parish


Fiscal Year: July 2025-June 2026

Collections for the Month of February

*Regular Collection	\$ 89,960.61
Amt needed for month: (4 wk month)	\$ 66,148.16
Regular Collections for the fiscal year compared to 25-26 budget	\$ 37,402.16 +6.46%

Your contributions are greatly appreciated and very important to the operation of the parish and the school!

—Fr. Bergkamp



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DEMENTIA COFFEE GATHERING

A supportive gathering designed for individuals serving as caregivers for their loved ones living with dementia. This group provides a warm and inclusive environment where participants can come together to enjoy a cup of coffee or tea while engaging in meaningful conversations and social interactions. Monthly on the Second Thursday @ 10am Newton Public Library (Study Room A)

Join us for a cup of coffee, a chat, and the chance to build connections that can provide comfort, encouragement, and a sense of community. Together, we can navigate the challenges of dementia and create cherished memories along the way. Contact Sharon Erwin @ 316-650-7108 for more information or simply show up for a cup of coffee!

CHECK OUT OUR MEDIA PAGE FOR LOCATION AND UPDATES
Instagram: catholic_biblestudy

EMAIL: MADDY.RALPH@HESSTON.EDU FOR ANY QUESTIONS

**SUPPORT CATHOLIC EDUCATION!
ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL
29TH ANNUAL AUCTION
SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2026**

MASS INTENTIONS FOR A LOVED ONE
PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 316-282-0459 EXT 1 TO SCHEDULE A MASS INTENTION.
SUGGESTED DONATION IS \$10

St. Mary Auction presents

¡Viva la Fiesta!
Saturday, April 25, 2026

Scan to get your tickets!





CEMETERY PLOTS

ACTIVE PARISHIONERS OF ST. MARY/OLG \$300
NON-PARISHIONERS (CATHOLIC)—\$500
IF YOU'D LIKE TO SEE WHAT'S AVAILABLE, CALL NICHOLE PECK AT 316-323-9597 FOR MORE INFO