



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

May 10, 2026
The 6th Sunday
Of Easter

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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:
Closed Monday
Tuesday – Thursday 9am-4pm
Friday: 9am – Noon
Weekday Mass:
Tuesday: 5:30pm
Wednesday – Friday: 8am



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

Tuesday, May 12, SS Nereus & Achilleus, Martyrs	
5:30pm	✦Randy Pitts
Wednesday, May 13, Our Lady of Fatima	
8:00am	Steve & ✦Virginia Holub
Thursday, May 14, The Ascension of the Lord	
8:00am	✦Paul & ✦Mary O'Brien
Friday, May 15, St. Isidore	
8:00am	Kathy Pitts-(sister in law)
Saturday, May 16	
5:30pm	✦Robert & Steve Kotzman
Sunday, May 17, The 7th Sunday of Easter	
8:30am	✦Forest & ✦Bonnie Pitts
10:30am	People of the Parish



Dear Parishioners,

I want to bring your attention to a couple upcoming opportunities. First, there is a social event for married couples on the evening of May 30th. For the last few years, there has been a number of couples participating in a formation series titled, "Together in Holiness." It's tailored for couples married less than 10 years or raising young children, enriching their marriage and family life. Groups of couples meet on their own about seven times throughout the year. All of the participating couples have appreciated this opportunity to gather in a small community of peers and grow in their faith as couples and families.

On May 30th, all of these small groups of couples (about 15) will be getting together for a fun evening, but we also want to invite any other couples in the parish who are curious or interested in joining a group. It'll be chance to hear from the couples themselves and spend time with fellow parishioners. Please make arrangements for childcare; food and adult refreshments will be provided. Contact the parish office to RSVP and get location details.

Secondly, a couple years ago we formed a Men's Group for the purpose of enhancing our spiritual lives and growing in the virtues that are required for true masculinity. We meet on the first Saturday's of the month at 6:30am in the parish center. After praying the Rosary together for the families of the men gathered and our parish, we continue through the faith formation material currently being used. The men are then invited to First Saturday Mass at 8:00am. We also take turns covering an hour of Eucharistic Adoration and get together for fraternity throughout the year.

If you're new to the parish or hadn't thought about joining the Men's Group, now is a perfect time. Starting in June we will be starting a new formation series on men's role in family life. If you hope to attend the next meeting, please email me so I can include you on the communication list.

In Christ,
Fr. Bergkamp



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



CAMP TOTUS TUUS

Sign up now before spots run out! There are still some openings for Camp Totus Tuus this summer. St. Mary parish will cover 1/2 the cost for your child to attend! Please go to our website for the link — www.stmarynewton.org

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MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE

Father Chris Alar from the Marians of the Immaculate Conception will be with us! His podcast [Explaining the Faith](#) is very popular. He will be sharing his wisdom and the Church's teachings at our conference July 31 - August 2. Save up to \$30 with early bird registration by June 30. Registration is available on-site, but online registration after June 30 will still save you money! Register online at www.catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787.

Liturgical Role

Altar Servers

Saturday 05/16 5:30pm Ryan Pham & Easton Scheffler
Sunday 05/17 8:30am Elijah Hanke & Maddyx Erwin
Sunday 05/17 10:30am Ella Baier & Kathryn Gerber *Ryan A

Accompanist/Cantor

Saturday 05/16 5:30pm Koerner/Frazier
Sunday 05/17 8:30am Koerner/Guillory
Sunday 05/17 10:30am Curiel/Gerber, Joely

Lector

Saturday 05/16 5:30pm Karen Ferguson
Sunday 05/17 8:30am Koelton Erwin
Sunday 05/17 10:30am Izel Torres

Sacristan

May 12—15 —Mary Russell
Saturday 05/16 5:30pm Shelly Oswald
Sunday 05/17 8:30am Nichole Peck
Sunday 05/17 10:30am Shelley Stucky

Ministers of Holy Communion

Sunday 05/17 8:30am Shari McCall
Sunday 05/17 10:30am Carl Antle

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins/EMHC May 16—

Mario Lanza

Ushers/Greeters

Saturday 05/16 5:30pm Trent Shepherd & Robert TenEyck
Mike Weber & Ron Ferguson
Sunday 05/17 8:30am Michael & Ashley Popelka
Brian Lowry & Nathaniel Martens
Sunday 05/17 10:30am Steve & Terri Bockhaus
James & Lisa Cox

Church Cleaners May 15—

Janie Stephenson, Dilcia Hecht & Marie Abongswong

Rectory Cleaners May 13—

Dee Martin

Parish Center Cleaning May—

Mary Ann Bruggeman & Marcia Mathews

Wash Server Albs May—

Rachel Hale

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 April

*Regular Collection	\$ 66,922.31
Amt needed for month: (4 wk month)	\$ 66,148.16
Regular Collections for the fiscal year compared to 25-26 budget	\$ 26,937.69 +3.70%

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

—Fr. Bergkamp

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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



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



DEMENTIA COFFEE GATHERING

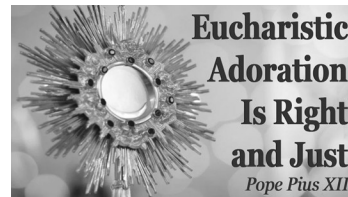
A supportive gathering designed for individuals serving as caregivers for their loved ones living with dementia.

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!



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Pope Pius XII

ADORATION CHAPEL OPEN HOURS

Monday 12am, 2pm, 10pm
Tuesday 1am, 7am;
Wednesday 12am, 1am,
2am, 5am, 8am, 12pm; Thursday 1am, 2am, 3am,
4am, 6pm, 7pm; Friday 12pm, 2pm, 10pm
Saturday Various hours.

Please call Laurie Kimere if you are interested in taking an hour or being a sub at 417-531-8904.