

ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary Parish is a Catholic community centered around the Eucharist, striving to learn and live our faith, and share it joyfully with others

March 22, 2015

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

www.stmarynewton.org

Office Hours: 9:00am-4:30pm

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Alice TenEyck - 283-5241

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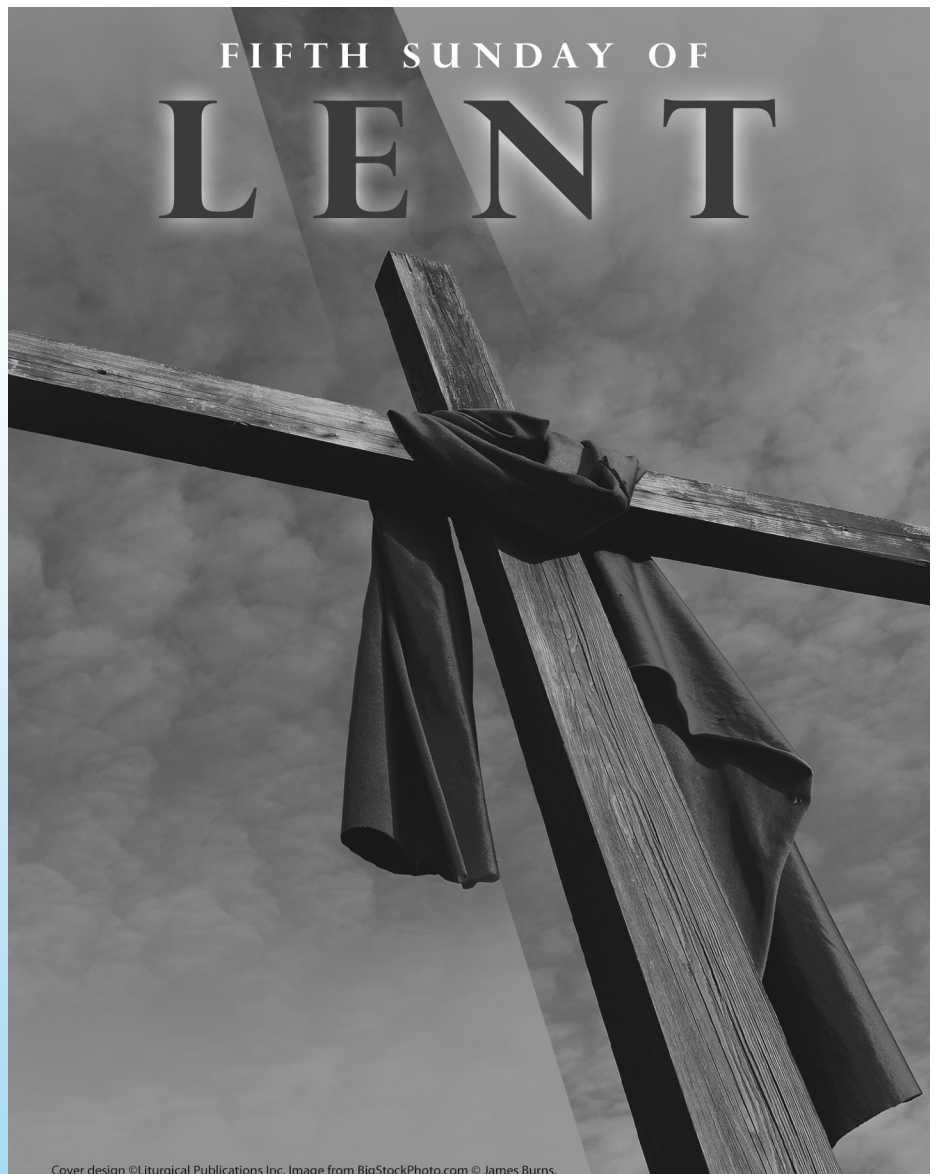
Knights of Columbus

Carl Antle - 283-5083

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Coordinators

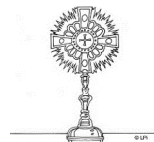
Lettie Kruse - 283-0026
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Kathy Pitts - 680-9386
Mary Navarro - 288-9249
John Rangel - 283-5287



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OPEN ADORATION HOURS

Sunday1:00 AM
Monday.....1:00 AM
Saturday.....2:00 PM



SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday-5:30pm
Sunday-8:30 & 10:30am

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

Lenten Bible Study: Sun. 9:30AM @ Parish Center
 Young Adult Bible Study: Sun. 11:45am @ Par. Cent.
 Adult Choir Practice: Sunday @ 2 PM
 FPU: Mon. 7 PM @ Parish Center
 RCIA: Tues. 7 PM @ Parish Center
 Children's Choir: Wed. 3:30 Pm @ Parish Center
 PSR & CYM: Wed. 6:30 @ School & Parish Center
 Legion of Mary: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Sacristy
 Adult Choir Practice: Wed. 7 PM @ Church
 Day of Consecration: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Church
 Finance Council: Thurs. 7 PM @ Parish Center
 Respect Life/Social Justice: Thurs. 7 PM @ JPll Rm.
 Stations of the Cross: Fri. 5:30 PM
 KofC Fish Fry: Friday 6PM @ Gym
 TMIY: Sat. 6:30 AM @ Cafeteria
 Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Any Family
 Penance Service: Next Sunday @6:30 PM @ OLG

Join the choir for Easter!

Consider joining the Choir for Good Friday and the Easter Vigil, we will have extra practices on Sundays March 15th, March 22nd & 29th from 2 - 3:30 in the choir loft. Call choir director Rob Tierney at [620-960-5602](tel:620-960-5602) if you have any questions.

Jail Ministry - Would anyone be interested in joining another person in going to the jail once a week to pray with some of the prisoners? If you feel like this is your calling please call the office 282-0459 and let us know.

Respect Life/Social Justice will be meeting on Thurs. @ 7 PM in the JPll Rm. Any parishioner interested is welcome to attend.

Early Deadline for bulletin the next 2 week. This week it is due on Tuesday and next week it is due on Monday. Get your announcements in early.

Stewardship Message-March 22, 2015

"The Joy of the Gospel: Faith Working Through Love"

Fifth Sunday of Lent

I will draw everyone to myself! Throughout Lent we've been hearing how Jesus explained the reason for his coming, to save us from the slavery of sin. The more we accept and understand the mystery of our Lord's unfailing love for us, the more we want to get closer to him. It is, as the prophet Jeremiah said, written on our hearts. We understand what Jesus was trying to tell his disciples because we know about his passion, death and resurrection. But we sometimes forget the message of the Gospel delivered by Christ. The Kingdom of Heaven is at hand. God is with us and we only have to approach the Son to know the Father. May the love we experience empower us to turn our hearts over to God!

Parish Happenings

Cemetery Clean up - Has been moved to April 18 rather than the 11th as previously reported.

Lenten Penance Service - Will be next Sunday March 29 at Our Lady of Guadalupe beginning at 6:30 PM

"33 Days to Morning Glory" - Day of Consecration will be Wed. at 6:30 PM in the Church.

Dillon's Community Rewards

Did you get your Plus Shoppers Card registered on line to benefit your parish? Points started adding up on Feb. 1st. Call the office if you need help. It is never too late to begin. Better late than never.

SPIRITUAL LIFE CENTER PROGRAMS;

www.slwchita.org or call (316) 744-0167 or email: Kristi@slwchita.org for the programs below:

SERIES: SACRIFICE Tuesdays, March 24 and 31 As Catholics, we are immersed in the language and practice of sacrifice. But what is sacrifice and why are we called to do it? Learn more in this two-part series! \$20

PALM SUNDAY RETREAT: DIVINE MERCY IN MY LIFE

Mar. 27-29. Karla Salp of Divine Mercy Ministries does this annual retreat that prepares us spiritually for Holy Week. Please join us for a prayerful and lively weekend regarding the Divine Mercy of our Lord. Regular Retreat Pricing. **Early bird rates end March 16th.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS BY TORCHLIGHT

Mar. 28. 8:30 -10 p.m. Join our annual celebration of the Way of the Cross by torchlight to usher in Holy Week. Bring a flashlight and dress appropriately. We meet in the foyer of the Center at 8:15 p.m. No charge.

Our Deepest Sympathy...

..to the family of **L. Thane Frazier** who passed away on March 12. He was the father of Mark Frazier. May the love of God comfort you all.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2014 - June 2015

Collections for March 15, 2015

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$13,889.13
Children's collection.....	\$ 20.09
Total	\$13,909.22

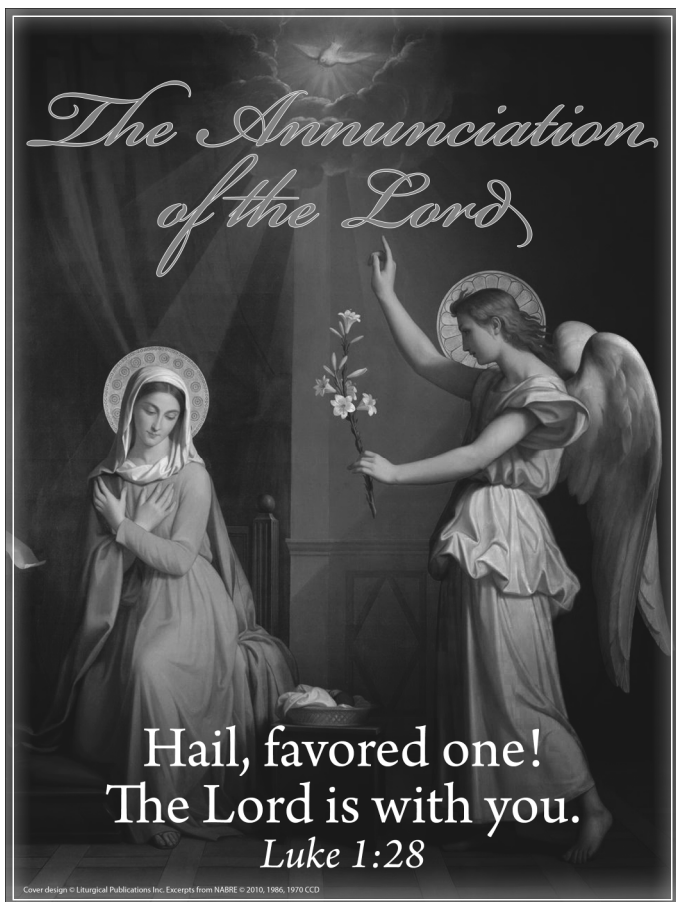
Extra Efforts:

Campaign Receipts

Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 1,962.00
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Budget per week is..... \$14,443.00

Collections year to date compared to budget
 Through March 15, 2015(\$2,125.73)



FREE event!!! Saturday, March 28th! 5pm to 8pm.

Carnival to celebrate our 10th Anniversary

900 W. Broadway - Youthville Campus!

Free carnival games and prizes!

Free bounce houses! Free live music!

Ongoing optional open house to tour the new shelter building! There will be food for sale, but there is no obligation to buy. There will also be a gift basket silent auction. 100% of the proceeds from the silent auction will benefit the Harvey County Homeless Shelter. We are blessed to have amazing supporters in our community!

Come on out and enjoy the fun!

Knights of Columbus

Knights of Columbus fish fries - March 27th - 5:30 - 7:30 pm in the gym at St. Mary's school. Menu is fish (baked or fried), fries, coleslaw, mac and cheese, bread, dessert, and drink. \$8 adult, \$5 children (10 and under). Proceeds will benefit St. Mary's School 8th grade class.

Readings for the Week of March 22, 2015

Sunday: Jer 31:31-34/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56

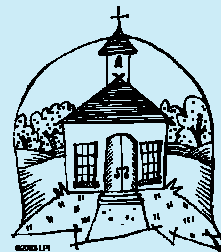
Next Sunday: Mk 11:1-10



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.



Parish Office Hours

9:00am - 4:30pm Mon. through Fri.

Bulletin Deadline

Must be submitted in writing no later than noon on Tue.

Religious Education Class Times (PSR)

Grades Kdgn thru 8 - Wednesday 6:30 - 7:45pm

Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Grades 9-12 - Wednesday 6:30 - 7:45pm

Perpetual Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Chapel is located at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 415 S. Ash. If interested in a permanent hour call one of the coordinators listed on the front of the bulletin.

Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Elsa Garcia or if she is not available call both Barbara & Alice to activate both prayer lines. Their phone numbers are listed on the front of the bulletin.

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. Call the parish office for more information.

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 Reconciliation

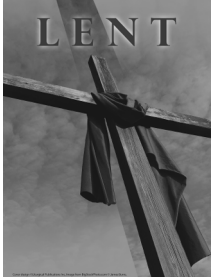
Sat. 4:00 - 5:00 pm. Daily 15 min. prior to weekday Mass and Sunday at 8:10am and 10:10am. Any time by appointment.

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 six months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

Mass Intentions

Mon. 03/23 8:00am † John & † Joe Fox
 Tue. 03/24 5:30pm † Fr. Francis Cox
 Wed. 03/25 8:00am Shirley Mainzer
 Thur. 03/26 5:30pm † Creg Sadowski
 Fri. 03/27 8:00am † Everette Meyer
 Sat. 03/28 5:30pm † Marcella Ford
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am Tom & Esther Wilhelm
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am People of the Parish



LENTEN FAST AND ABSTINENCE REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday, (Feb. 18) and Good Friday (April 3) are days of FASTING. Catholics, from the **18th birthday** up to the **59th birthday** are obliged to fast, that is, take only one full meal and two lesser meals, with nothing to eat in between meals.

Drinking fluids would not be contrary to the practice of fasting.

Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent, including Good Friday, are days of ABSTAINING from meat.

All Catholics, beginning with the **14th birthday**, are obliged to abstain from eating meat.

People who are unable to practice bodily penance, due to pregnancy, illness, or hard physical labor may choose another form of penance or charity. The Church urges us that works of penance be linked to works of charity - for example, using the money saved on less expensive meals or giving up snacks to feed the poor.



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

Mon. 03/23 8:00am Madeline Eustace, Marielena Licea
 Wed. 03/25 8:00am Eli Blaufuss, Rickey Parga
 Fri. 03/27 8:00am Connor Schommer, Nathan Dominguez
 Fri. 03/27 5:30pm Rebecca Ring, Elyse & Alyssa Boden
 Sat. 03/28 5:30pm Ryan & Alex Littlejohn, Keegan & Spencer Steinmetz
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am Gabby Matthews, Tegan Kendrick, Grace Graham & Rebecca Ring
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am Joseph Mick, Kris van der Weg, Dalton Carey & Garrett Mick

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 03/28 5:30pm Jason Werner Family
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am Rodger Graham Family
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am Erick Erwin Family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 03/28 5:30pm E. Herdler - S. Herdler
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am A. Bridgeman - S. Koerner
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am V. Smith - E. Stabler

Lectors

Sat. 03/28 5:30pm Carrol Langenhorst - Lisa Littlejohn
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am Rodger Graham - Catherine Graham
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am Cathy Guyer - Tami Carlgren

Sacristans

Daily Masses March 23-27 Kathleen Morris
 Sat. 03/28 5:30pm Shelly Oswald
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am Robert & Sharon McCall
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am Doug & Mary Ann Bruggeman

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Mass March 23-27 Paul O'Brien
 Sat. 03/28 5:30pm Jim Soth, Paul & Mary O'Brien
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am *Phyllis Prouty, Fred Becker, Lisa Schmitt
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am Steve Holub, MaryAnn Bruggeman & Cathy Polley

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

March 29: Rita Sadowski

Ushers

Sat. 03/28 5:30pm Fred Saab, Robert TenEyck, Dennis Alexander & Larry Cornwell
 Sun. 03/29 8:30am Robert Peters, Raymond Schmitt, Kevin Tacke & Phil Blann
 Sun. 03/29 10:30am Schulte Family

Church Cleaners

Mar. 27: Janis McCreary, Lisa Antonowich, Sylvia Yoder

Our advertiser of the week is

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Resnik Motors

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Please check their ad on the back of the bulletin.

