

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

August 30, 2015

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

www.stmarynewton.org

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

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RCIA
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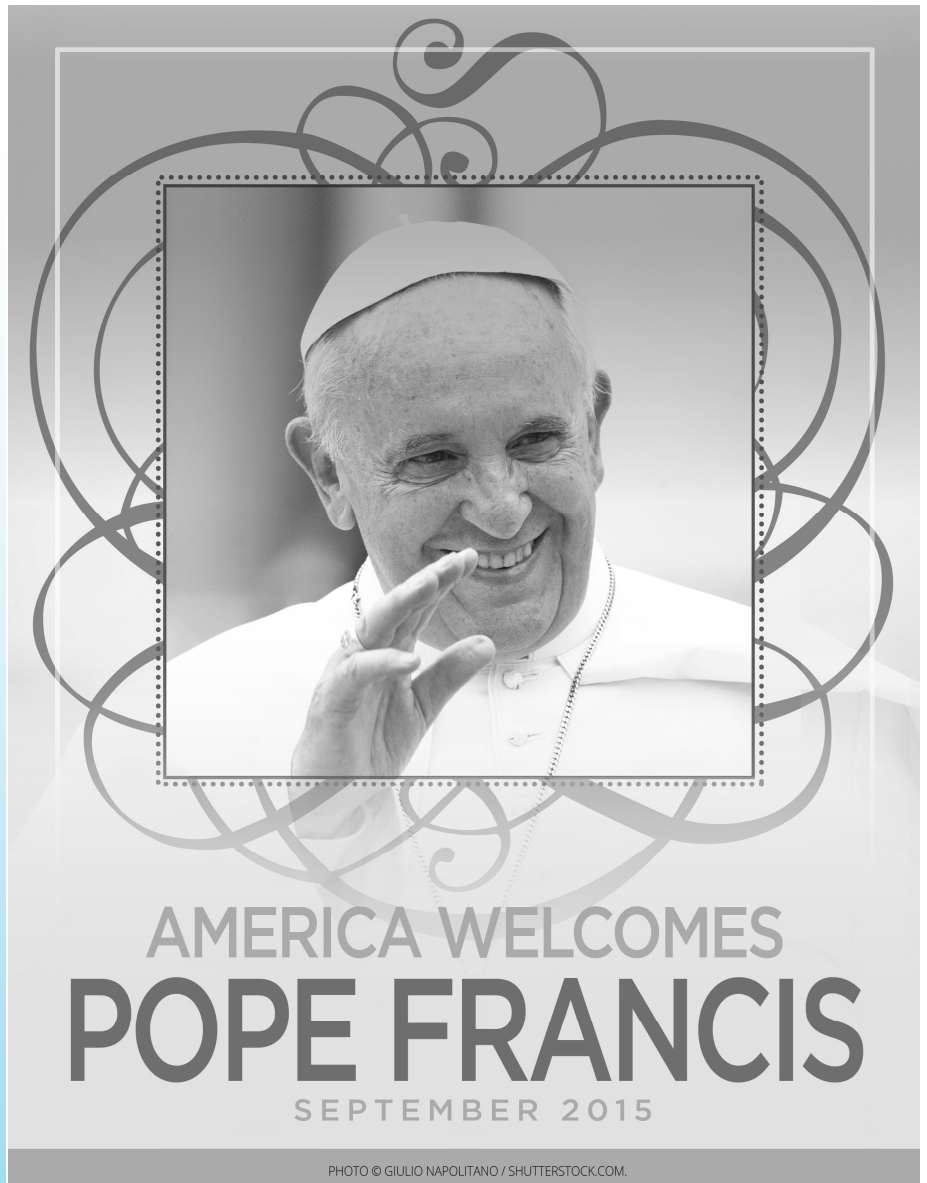
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PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Coordinators

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AMERICA WELCOMES
POPE FRANCIS
SEPTEMBER 2015

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OPEN ADORATION HOURS
No open hours at this time.



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

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

Parish welcome Dinner today to welcome new Parishioners @ gym at 12:00 Noon
Virtus: Tues. 6PM @ Parish Center
RCIA: Tues. 7 PM @ Parish Center
PSR Teacher Dinner & Orient.: Wed. 6 PM @Cafet.
Legion of Mary: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Sacristy
Adult Choir: Thurs. 6PM @ Choir Loft
Altar Society Potluck: Thurs. 6:30 PM @ JPll Rm.
Family Home Rosary: Fri. 7 PM @ Herdler Home
Latin Mass @ 8 AM Sat.
Fellowship Sunday next Sunday hosted by Altar Soc.
Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Families A-F

Outreach to Catholic students at Hesston College - Why do young people leave the Church? In some cases they don't understand our faith, or they aren't connected to a supportive faith community. You can make a difference! The Office of Faith Formation for the Catholic Diocese of Wichita is hiring faith filled adults to lead 7 to 10 one hour Catholic studies for interested students at Hesston College. Eligible candidates must be in good standing with the local parish and complete all safe environment requirements for employment with the diocese. Materials for the classes and financial compensation will be provided. For more information, please contact Christine Edmonds at 316-269-3927 or edmondsc@catholicdioceseofwichita.org

"Discover the Big Picture" of the Catholic Faith

Join us for an informal gathering in the Parish Center on Tuesday, Sept. 1 at 7 PM. In the coming months, RCIA participants will be introduced to Church beliefs about Divine Revelation, the Bible, Salvation, Jesus, Grace, the Church, Heaven and Hell, and the call to Holiness or "Living the Faith". Refreshments will be served.
If you have questions, you may call the rectory at 282-0459 or contact parish@stmarynewton.org
Or you may call Gary Chaffee at 316-706-7924 or gchaffee@cox.net

Stewardship Message-Aug. 30, 2015

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

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

All good giving and every perfect gift is from above! Moses instructed the Israelites in the law and declared that it came from God and would be recognized by the nations as just and good. When the Israelites observed and followed the law, their nation prospered. When Jesus addressed the Jewish leaders, he admonished them for treating their human rituals as if they had the effect of God's law. God gives us good gifts and we can share the goodness with those around us. If we choose not to share our Father's gifts we often display the evil desires of our hearts. May we recognize our Father's love in the gifts we share.

Welcoming Dinner for Our New Parish Members And Fr. Voelker !!

All parishioners are invited to welcome our new 2015 St. Mary members and Fr Voelker. Sun. Aug. 30th following the 10:30 Mass in the St. Mary gym. Please bring your service ware, a meat dish and a side dish (veggie, salad or dessert) Hosted by parish Family Life. Contact: Sandy Ring 316-282-7464 or Dixie Pomeroy 620-327-2437.

PSR & CYM starting Sept. 9th - All registered parishioners who have children but are not enrolled at St. Mary School should have received a letter in the mail this past week with information about the PSR & CYM programs and registration forms. If you have questions or did not receive a mailing please stop in the church office or pick up an extra form in the back of church. **Registrations are due on Sept. 8th, on Sept. 9th at 6pm we will be having a potluck dinner and parent meeting with Fr. Voelker.** Any questions, please contact parish coordinator Rob Tierney - [620-960-5602](tel:620-960-5602).

Adult Choir Practice starting Thursday , 6pm in the Choir Loft

Has God gifted you with a beautiful voice? Does making music make you happy? Come and join the adult choir, all are welcome from high school and older. Weekly practices will be at 6pm on Thursday evenings in the church choir loft. The choir sings for the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month at the 10:30 Mass. First practice will be on Sept. 3rd and first performance on the 20th. Contact choir director, Rob Tierney [620-960-5602](tel:620-960-5602) or e-mail at rtierney@stmarynewton.org to sign-up.

Virtus Class - Tues, Sept. 1st.

A VIRTUS class will be held at the Parish Center on Tuesday September 1st from 6-9pm. Register for the class at virtusonline.org, there is no fee for attending the class. All adults who work with children through the church are required to attend this training.

Save a date for FUN!!

St. Mary 2nd Annual Parish Picnic will be Sunday, September 27, from 3:00-7:00 PM at Camp Hawk. Potluck...the best way to eat !! Bring your lawn chairs and a shade tent if you have one.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2015 - June 2016

Collections for Aug. 23, 2015

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$19,028.25
Children's collection.....	\$ 44.93
Total	\$19,073.18

Extra Efforts: Assumption \$ 10.00

Building Fund Receipts

Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 1,094.00
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Budget per week is..... \$15,156.00

Collections year to date compared to budget
Through Aug. 23, 2015 \$(1,738.81)

St. Mary School Happenings

Congratulations to Skylin Sartain who was chosen as an illustrator for Highlights magazine this summer! The May 2015 issue of *Highlights* has published the drawing in its "Your Own Pages" section. Skylin, the child of J.R. and Kati, is a 3rd grader at St. Mary Catholic School. Skylin wants to be an artist or illustrator when she grows up.



Mom's Group September Activities

Playgroups--Wednesday, Sept. 2 and 16, 9:30am, Athletic Park (Rec Center if raining)

Bible Study--Wednesday, Sept. 9 and 23, 9:30am, Charisse Tierney's house

Mom's Night Out--Thursday, Sept. 10,

Rosary at St. Mary Church, 8pm; Applebee's at 8:30pm
Altar Society Meeting--Thursday, Sept. 3 potluck, 6:30 PM @ JP II RM

Questions? Contact Charisse Tierney at [316-283-1414](tel:316-283-1414)
Request to join St. Mary/OLG MOM's Group on Facebook to stay updated

Legion of Mary

At Fatima, the Blessed Mother requested a devotion to her Immaculate Heart. We please Our Lord with a special devotion to His Mother. We please Mother Mary by coming to her Son. Next (3) promises:

- (1) I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
- (2) I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
- (3) (3) Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.

We have, to date, enthroned 24 homes, 76 more to go before December. Sign up now with a Legion representative. For more information, please feel free to contact, Linda Bennett ([316-587-5337](tel:316-587-5337)). The devotion is spreading to other parishes. We are determined to meet our 100 HE goal. God bless.

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will serve an ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT Breakfast Sunday Sept. 13th from 8AM-11am at St. Mary's in the gym. The menu-- biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs, hash brown potatoes, coffee-milk-or juice. The cost \$6.00 all you can eat. Dine in or carry out.

Readings for the Week of Aug. 30, 2015

Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/
Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: Col 1:15-20/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Lk 6:1-5

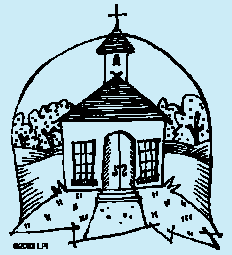
Next Sunday: Is 35:4-7a/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37



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

Tue. 09/01 5:30pm † John Quilty
Wed. 09/02 8:00am † Eddie Phares
Thur. 09/03 8:00am † Julian Garcia
Fri. 09/04 8:00am Phyllis Prouty
Sat. 09/05 8:00am Fr. M. Maybrier
Sat. 09/05 5:30pm † Carol Mead
Sun. 09/06 8:30am People of the Parish
Sun. 09/06 10:30am † Annie Lois Pomeroy

Pope Francis Build is looking for volunteers to help build two homes on the following dates: Sept. 17, Sept. 18, Sept. 22, Sept. 23, Sept 24, Sept. 25, Oct. 1, Oct. 9, and Oct. 16. Available between the hours of 8:30 am and 2:30 pm, and would like to help build these homes, please contact the Respect Life Social Justice Office at 316-269-3935. No building experience required.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul



James captures our mission through a one line verse in today's second reading. "Be doers of the Word and not hearers only, deluding yourselves." Jas 1:22 There is much more in this letter that touches on the need to have works along with faith but that simple line sums it nicely.

For the past few weeks, we have focused on the spiritual aspects of the Society. For the next few weeks we will start to build on this spirituality toward an understanding of what we do. The end point of this series will be a fall membership opportunity in early October, not on but close to the feast day of St. Vincent de Paul. Please continue to pray for us and pray that you might be open to hearing the call of the Spirit to join us. God Bless You.

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

Wed. 09/02 8:00am April Vidacs, Gabbie Mathews
Thur. 09/03 8:00am Spencer Steinmetz, Mikey Parga
Fri. 09/04 8:00am Azeneth Ramos, Madeline Eustace
Sat. 09/05 5:30pm Gabbie Mathews, A. Salas, B. Johnston
Sun. 09/06 8:30am Rebecca Ring, Tegan, Kendrick, A. Torres
Sun. 09/06 10:30am Kris van der Weg, Joseph Mick, Ryan L.

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 09/05 5:30pm Shane Bollinger Family
Sun. 09/06 8:30am Fred & Lou Kuestersteffen
Sun. 09/06 10:30am Carl & Sara Smith

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 09/05 5:30pm M. Frazier - L. Curiel
Sun. 09/06 8:30am M. McNeill - S. Koerner
Sun. 09/06 10:30am K. Schwarzenberger - R. Littlejohn

Lectors

Sat. 09/05 5:30pm Ellen Herdler - Debra Henning
Sun. 09/06 8:30am Megan Wilson - Pauline Casey
Sun. 09/06 10:30am Becky Baird - Roger Mick

Sacristans

Daily Masses Sept. 1-5 Phyllis Prouty
Sat. 09/05 5:30pm Gary Chaffee
Sun. 09/06 8:30am Teresa & Rodney Snyder
Sun. 09/06 10:30am Janet Daily

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses Sept. 2-4 Paul O'Brien
Sat. 09/05 5:30pm Sharon & Philip Stutey, Paul O'Brien
Sun. 09/06 8:30am *Marv Kratky, Elesa Garcia, Sheri McCall
Sun. 09/06 10:30am L. Soyez, Maggie Morgan, J. Pomeroy

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

Sept. 6 Sue Schmidt

Ushers

Sat. 09/05 5:30pm Dennis Alexander, Trent Guyer, Richard Hushka & Dean Reida
Sun. 09/06 8:30am Phil Blann, Bob & Sheri McCall & Robert McNeill
Sun. 09/06 10:30am Steve Bockhaus, Floyd Brown, Randy & Tami Carlgren

Church Cleaners

Sept. 4 - Monica & William Davis, Craig & Emily Baier & Brenden Powell

Wash Server Albs

Sept. 7 - Lisa Schmidt & Kevin Schmidt

Our advertiser of the week is

Welcome to
Cottonwood Pediatrics
Health Care for Tots, Tweens, Teens
Please check their ad on
the back of the bulletin.



Calendar of Events

September 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Sunday Confessions 8:10 & 10:10 AM		1 5:30 PM Mass 6 PM Virtus @ Parish Center 7 PM RCIA	2 8AM Mass 6 PM PSR Teacher Dinner & Orient. 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy	3 8AM Mass 6 PM Adult Choir 6:30 PM Altar Society @JP11 Rm	4 8AM Mass Family Home Rosary 5 PM Krotz/Suber Wedding	5 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
6 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Fellowship Sunday Lord's Pantry A-F	7 No Mass	8 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA	9 8AM Mass 6 PM PSR/CYM Potluck & Parent Meeting @ Gym 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy	10 8AM Mass 10 AM Harvest House @ OLG 6 PM Adult Choir	11 8AM Mass Family Home Rosary	12 8 AM Latin Mass 9 AM NFP Class I @ School Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
13 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Kof C Breakfast @ School Gym Lord's Pantry G-L 7PM Musician Meeting	14 No Mass KofC Meeting 7:30PM @ OLG	15 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA	16 8AM Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy 6:30 PM PSR & CYM	17 8AM Mass 6 PM Adult Choir 7 PM Stewardship 7PM St. Vincent de Paul @ JP11 Rm	18 8AM Mass Family Home Rosary	19 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
20 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry M-R 6:30 PM Catholic Man Night	21 No Mass	22 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA	23 8AM Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy 6:30 PM PSR & CYM	24 8AM Mass 6 PM Adult Choir 7 PM Finance Council @Parish Center	25 8AM Mass Family Home Rosary	26 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
27 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry S-Z Parish Picnic @ Camp Hawk	28 No Mass	29 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA	30 8AM Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy 6:30 PM PSR & CYM			