

# ST. MARY

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## CATHOLIC CHURCH

To be companions of Christ in transforming our surroundings with the love of the Father, the Son, and Holy Spirit.

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

October 4, 2015

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

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**Parish Office Hours:** 9:00am-4:30pm  
Monday - Friday

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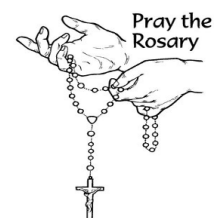
**Legion of Mary**  
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**Knights of Columbus**  
Carl Antle - 283-5083



He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?"  
They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, *God made them male and female.*" - Mk 10:3-6

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.



# Parish Events

## Scheduled This Week

Fellowship Sunday Today following morning Masses  
 NFP Class 2: Sunday 1:00PM @ School  
 SVdP Meeting: Mon. 7:00 PM @ OLG  
 RCIA: Tues. 7 PM @ Parish Center  
 Legion of Mary: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Sacristy  
 PSR/CYM: Wed. 6:30 PM - PSR Mass at 6:45 PM  
 Adult Choir: Thurs. 6PM @ Choir Loft  
 Pastoral Council: Thurs. 7 PM @ Parish Center  
 Family Home Rosary: Fri. 7 PM @ Herdler Home  
 Latin Mass @ 8 AM Sat.  
 CYM Lock in and Corn Maze: Sat. 7:00 PM @ Gym  
 Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Families G-L  
 Next Sunday 6PM Potluck Supper followed by the beginning of our Parish Mission @ 7PM



## Mom's Group October Activities

**Mom's Night Out**--Thursday, Oct. 8, 8pm  
**Playgroup**--Wed., Oct. 7 and 21, 9:30am  
**Bible Study**--Wed., Oct. 14 and 28, 9:30am

Find us on Facebook at St. Mary/OLG MOM's Group, or call Charisse Tierney at [316-283-1414](tel:316-283-1414) for more info.

**Beautiful Fall weather and happy parishioners made a successful Parish Picnic day last Sunday** Thank you to the planning/games/serving members for their great teamwork. We will gather next Sept. to enjoy another day of delicious food, games and laughter at our 3rd Annual Parish Picnic. 'Til we meet again, God bless !

## Altar Server Training

October 22 @ 7:00 PM @ Church

This training is **for all students in 5th grade and above** who are not attending St. Mary School. Even if you have served before please come as there are a few changes to go over so all are on the same page.

## Stewardship Message--Oct. 4, 2015

**"Once One Chooses to be a Disciple of Christ, Stewardship is not an Option"**

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Let the children come to me! All of creation is ordered to the wisdom of God. When we seek to understand the will of the Father and follow it, his love and mercy become apparent to us. However, when we choose to follow our own hearts' desires, conflict and pain regularly intervene in our lives. The words of Jesus in today's Gospel can be applied to more than marriage. We are joined to God as part of his creation. We should not separate ourselves from him. When we approach the heavenly Father as a child, with trust and love, we are comforted and provided for in all our needs. May our Savior lead us into the Kingdom and enable us to share the Good News.

## Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> to Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> - Novena to Close Southwind Abortion Center & Planned Parenthood

Each Day in October please pray the SEVEN SORROWS OF MARY ROSARY- Pray the Seven Sorrow of Mary on each of the 10 decades

1. Simeon's Prophecy- A Sword Shall Pierce Your Heart  
 2. Flight into Egypt  
 3. Loss of Child Jesus for Three Days  
 4. Mary Meets Jesus on the Way of the Cross  
 5. Mary Stands at the Foot of the Cross  
 6. Jesus Taken Down From the Cross and Placed In Mary's Arms  
 7. Jesus is Placed in the Tomb.  
 Finish by praying the Hail Holy Queen.

NOVENA PRAYER TO POPE SAINT JOHN PAUL II- O, Blessed Savior, you blessed the Church and the world with the holy life and papal ministry of St. John Paul II. May we, through his intercession receive every grace and blessing that you, in your Divine Mercy wish to give us, especially the closing of Southwind Abortion Center and Planned Parenthood of Wichita, and may there never again be abortions in Wichita. Amen. PRAYER & PENANCE-Daily Pray Seven Sorrows Rosary, Novena Prayer to Pope St. John Paul II, St. Michael Prayer, Chaplet of Divine Mercy during the 3pm Hour, Daily Mediate on Sacred Scripture, Offer Daily Sacrifices. Fast on Wed. and Fri. each week during the month, Go to Confession at the Beginning of the Novena, Attend Daily Mass as often as Possible and Offer Your Holy Communion for This Intention, Offer Your Daily Duties as Penance, Weekly Holy Hour, Praying before Jesus in the Adoration Chapel or in front of the Tabernacle, Make the Stations of the Cross of Friday, Avoid Watching Television. Diocese of Wichita Respect Life Office in Collaboration with Fr. Edmond Kline. Bonnie Toombs [316-269-3935](tel:316-269-3935) [toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org](mailto:toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org)

**The St. Michael the Archangel Prayer** along with other prayers were said only after a low Mass (1962 Latin with no music) toward the intentions of our Holy Mother Church.

Keeping with the Original Tradition of St. Mary starting on November 1st (All Saints Day) of 2015...

**The Saint Michael prayer** will be recited after the candles are extinguished after *the Weekends Masses during the Season of Lent only...* Fr. Nicholas Voelker

**St. Mary Church Bazaar** will be Nov. 15. Anyone wanting to donate a **raffle item** please call Kathleen Morris at 283-7910 or bring them by the parish office between 9-4:30.

## Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2015 - June 2016

### Collections for Sept. 27, 2015

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$10,796.65
Children's collection.....	\$ 27.19
Total	\$10,823.84
Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 230.00
<b>Budget per week is.....</b>	<b>\$15,156.00</b>
Collections year to date compared to budget Through Sept. 27, 2015 .....	\$(10,788.85)

**HARVEST HOUSE:** NOTE CHANGE FOR OCTOBER ONLY. Our regular meeting on the 8th of October will not be held. For those who want to attend the annual Fall Festival it will be Tuesday October 20th, at noon, at the KofC building, 3202 W 13th in Wichita. YOUR REGISTRATION MUST BE IN BY OCTOBER 12TH. Please refer to your Harvest House newsletter for September for your registration form and other details. We will carpool at OLG and leave at 11:00 am. Let's have a good attendance from our parishes. Our November meeting will be November 12th, and our speaker will be Kathy Hannaman who will be speaking on Senior Companions.

**CYM hosts the Soup & Chili Challenge!**  
**Sat., Oct. 17th, at 6:30pm @ St. Mary Gym.**

The event works like this: Competitors sign-up prior to the event to make a homemade soup or chili to enter into the contest. Attendees of the event pay-at-the-door for an All-You-Can-Eat ticket priced at \$7 per person or \$30 per household family. The evening is spent tasting the various soups and chili's. Attendees vote for their favorite, and the winners go home with bragging rights and a trophy! Have a winning soup or chili recipe? We want YOU to join in the fun! To enter into the competition, please see the flyer enclosed in this bulletin. You may also contact Carrie Weber, [316-212-0137](tel:316-212-0137), to enter or for more information. Thanks for your support of CYM!

*St. Jude Altar Society Quilt Bingo Sunday, Oct 11<sup>th</sup> at 3030 N. Amidon in Wichita. Doors open at 12:30 p.m. for lunch. Bingo starts at 2 p.m. Twenty beautiful quilts for bingo. With an additional quilt for raffle. Baby quilts for sale. Please view quilts on Facebook – St. Jude Quilt Bingo.*

## Knights of Columbus

Next weekend, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 10th and 11th, the Knights of Columbus will be handing out tootsie rolls and accepting donations to benefit our communities intellectually disabled citizens, after all weekend Masses. This year's **Tootsie Roll Drive** funds will be donated to the Harvey County Special Olympic "Wildcats", Trinity Heights Respite Care and "The Circle of Friends" a Harvey County Special Education group. The Knights would like to thank everyone for their past support and look forward to your continuing generosity.

### Readings for the Week of Oct. 4, 2015

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16  
 Monday: Jon 1:1--2:2, 11/Lk 10:25-37  
 Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10/Lk 10:38-42  
 Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Lk 11:1-4  
 Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Lk 11:5-13  
 Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Lk 11:15-26  
 Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28  
 Next Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Heb 4:12-13/  
 Mk 10:17-30



## 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

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, Lettie Kruse 283-0026, Terry Schmitz 283-5428 or Kathy Pitts 680-9386.

### Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Elesa Garcia 283-5658 or if she is not available call both Barbara Fayette 283-6467 & Alice TenEyck 283-5241 to activate both prayer lines.

### 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. 10/06 5:30pm J.T. Kelso Family  
Wed. 10/07 8:00am Macy Carson  
Thur. 10/08 8:00am † Dale Hasenbank  
Fri. 10/09 8:00am Megan Carson  
Sat. 10/10 8:00am Special Intentions  
Sat. 10/10 5:30pm J.A. Johnson  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am Melissa Barkman  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am People of the Parish

**St. Mary Parish Mission Oct. 11 - 14 - "With the Eyes of Mercy"** St. Mary of Newton will be hosting a Parish Mission on Oct. 11 - 14 featuring Casting Nets Ministry. All talks each night will begin at 7pm in the St. Mary church at 106 E. 8th St. in Newton. Each night will focus on a different aspect of Mercy as we all prepare, inspired by our Holy Father's visit, for the "Year of Mercy" ahead. Sunday Oct. 11 is entitled "The Message of Mercy", Oct. 12 - "The Methods of Mercy" and Oct. 13th - "The Mission of Mercy" The final talk on Wednesday Oct. 14th is entitled "Choose, The Truth at Hand" and will be especially aimed at middle & high school students & their parents. Casting Nets Ministries is a not-for-profit lay apostolate who provides a refreshing look at evangelization and catechesis. The presenters Tony Brandt and Chris Stewart have over 30 combined years of experience and while being based in Wichita have been featured speakers around the country. There is no cost for admission, a freewill offering will be accepted. Childcare will be provided, any questions please call parish coordinator - Rob Tierney 620-960-5602.

## 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. 10/07 8:00am April Vidacs, Madeline Eustace  
Thur. 10/08 8:00am Spencer Steinmetz, Eric Wagner  
Fri. 10/09 8:00am Gabbie Mathews, Alejandro Hernandez  
Sat. 10/10 5:30pm G. Mathews, Alyssa Salas, M. Eustace  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am Keegan & S. Steinmetz, D. Englestad  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am Heaven Holub, Alex Daily, B. Johnston

### Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 10/10 5:30pm Darren & Jamie Klug  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am Donald Ring Family  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am Mike Ruggiero Family

### Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 10/10 5:30pm T. Herdler - S. Herdler  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am J. Schultz - S. Koerner  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am A. Bridgeman - R. Littlejohn

### Lectors

Sat. 10/10 5:30am Debra Henning - Karen McNulty  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am Rodger Graham - Catherine Graham  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am Nealee Johnston - Cathy Guyer

### Sacristans

Daily Masses Oct. 6-10 Betty Lanzrath  
Sat. 10/10 5:30pm Rita & Clayton Sadowski  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am Paula Blann  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am Phyllis Prouty

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses Oct. 7-9 Sue Schmidt  
Sat. 10/10 5:30pm Lynne Vigil, Ron & Karen Ferguson  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am \*Marv Kratky, K. Morris, Fred Becker  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am Steve Holub, Jerry Pomeroy, Cathy Polley

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

October will be covered by Our Lady of Guadalupe

### Ushers

Sat. 10/10 5:30pm Robert TenEyck, Dennis Alexander, Kevin & Jenifer Ensminger  
Sun. 10/11 8:30am Bob & Sharon McCall, Trinity Muth & Robert Peters  
Sun. 10/11 10:30am Jim & Janet Daily, Pat McCreary & Alexis Segura

### Church Cleaners

Oct. 9 - Sue Schmidt, Kathleen Morris, Cassandra Adams & Ron Hargett

### Wash Server Albs

Oct. 5 - Ashley Bridgeman & Shaylan Smith

Our advertiser of the week is  
*Welcome to*  
**Advanced Physical Therapy of Newton**

**Jerry Pomeroy, PT**  
Please check his ad on  
the back of the bulletin.

