

ST. MARY

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

November 1, 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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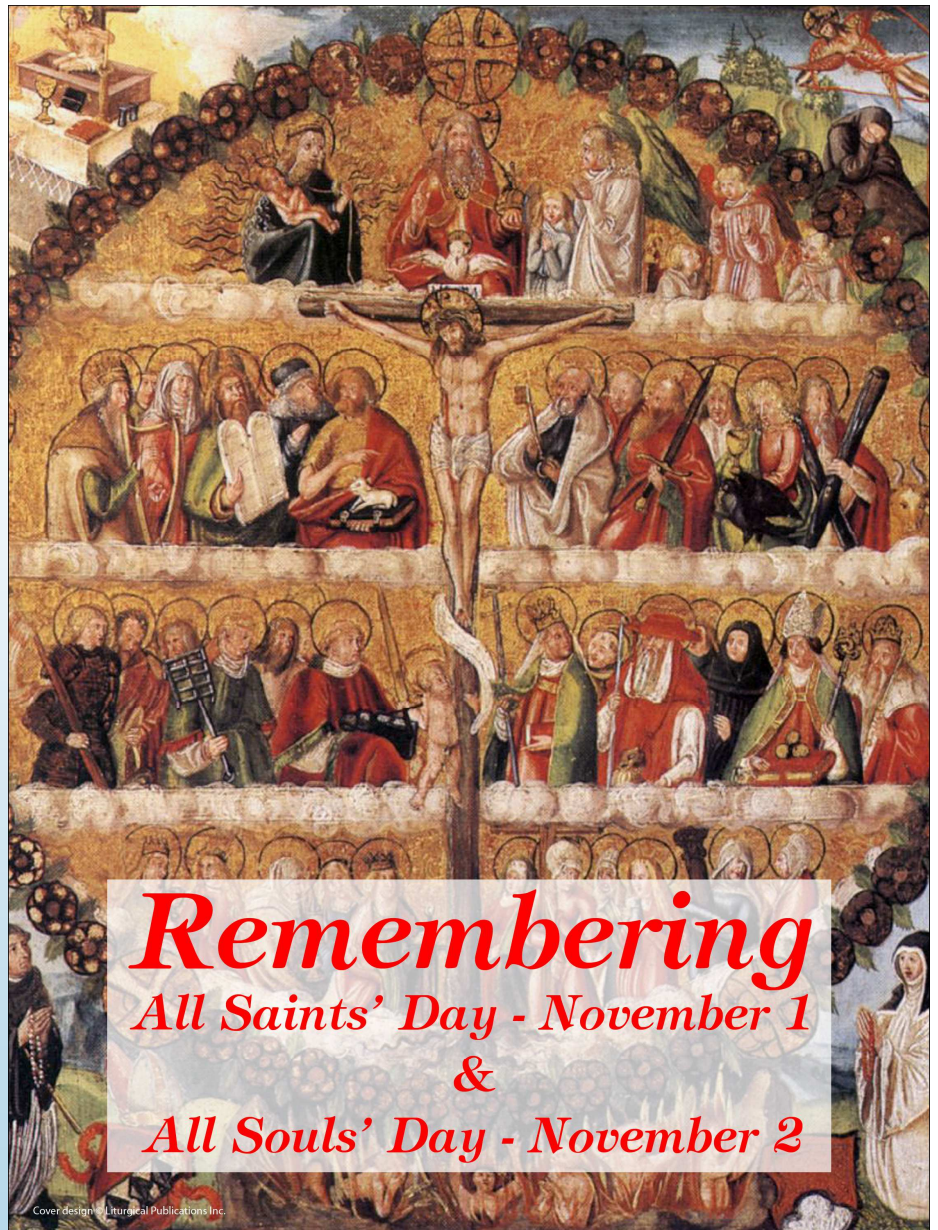
RCIA
Gary Chaffee - 283-8073

Altar Society
Kathleen Morris 283-7910

CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry)
Bill & Carrie Weber - 212-0137

Legion of Mary
Linda Bennett—316-587-5337

Knights of Columbus
Carl Antle - 283-5083



Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

SVdP: Mon. 7PM @ OLG

RCIA: Tues. 7 PM @ Parish Center

Legion of Mary: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Sacristy

PSR/CYM: Wed. 6:30 PM

Adult Choir: Thurs. 6 PM @ Choir Loft

Altar Society: Thurs. 7PM @ School Cafeteria

Lector Training: Thurs. 7PM @ Church

Family Home Rosary: Fri. 7 PM @ Herdler Home

Latin Mass @ 8 AM Sat.

Playground Build: Sat. at the playground area

Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Families G-L

All Souls Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Sacrament Church in Wichita at 7:00 PM on Tuesday evening.

Study: *Mark The Suffering Messiah*

Fr. Voelker will be giving a 3 week Scripture Study on Mark. Come to enjoy learning about this powerful Gospel and to get to know our new pastor better. Tuesdays, 7:30 - 9:00pm in the Parish Center. **Two classes remaining are on Nov. 10 & Nov. 17**

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

A warm welcome to our new members:

***Acushla Antony & Johnseilakumar Lawrence
and children Amala, Anne & Abigail***

Our Deepest Sympathy...

..to the family of **Walter McQuade** who passed away on Oct. 27. May the love of God comfort you all.

Lector Meeting Nov. 5, 7PM @ Church

Fr. Voelker requests all lectors to attend a meeting on Nov. 5th at 7pm in the church. All lectors should have received an e-mail or letter in the mail. Please notify the church office if you will not be able to attend.

Stewardship Message-Nov. 1, 2015

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

Solemnity of All Saints

See what love the Father has bestowed on us! Today we recall memories of those who have gone before us. The reading from Revelations describes a scene of the last judgement with the saints gathered around the throne of God. Jesus, in the Gospel, tells us plainly that virtuous living will number us among those entering the Kingdom. Through a life of imitating Christ, a life of discipleship, we participate in the family of God, and, through his mercy, join him in heaven. May we remain steadfast in our efforts to follow the Lord in times of distress.

St. Mary Church Bazaar will be Nov. 15. Booths open at 9:00am and dinner is served from 11:00am till we run out of food. There will be raffles, silent auction, Christmas decorations and other booths available.

Please remember as in years past NOT TO PARK in the Nazarene Parking lot as they will be needing their space for their Sunday morning schedule.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

Saturday, November 7, is the first Saturday of November and our Diocese scheduled day to pray the rosary to end abortion at the **South Wind Women's Center** in Wichita. Our parish is scheduled to have a presence there at the clinic on Saturday, November 7. We will begin the rosary around 9:00am. The address of the clinic is 5107 E. Kellogg, Wichita

We understand that, due to travel purposes, it can be difficult to be there at that time. If you are unable to be there with us physically, we ask that you gather together in your parish or family to pray a rosary to end abortion with us at that time. We must unite our prayers for an end to abortion in this country and in this world.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Respect Life and Social Justice Office at [316-269-3935](tel:316-269-3935). We hope you will be able to join us on Saturday, November 7!

LOST: Set of candelabras (2), silver, lost in the move from the rectory during the transition in July. If anyone has seen them or has possession of them by accident, please place them on the Legion Altar in the Sacristy, or call Linda Bennett 316-587-5337. These candelabras were a gift to the Legion from someone very special for Legion use at our hosting's.

Saint Vincent de Paul Collection on Thanksgiving - You will notice a special envelope in your new packet of envelopes for the St. Vincent de Paul collection dated Thanksgiving day. Since Fr. Voelker will be gone to his family on that day there will not be a Thanksgiving Day Mass this year. Please feel free to use that envelope at any time. For those who are on automatic deduct and don't get envelopes you can just put it in a regular envelope and mark it for SVdP and drop in the collection basket any Sunday.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2015 - June 2016

Collections for Oct. 25, 2015

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$15,908.65
Children's collection.....	\$ 41.37
Total	\$15,950.02

Extra Efforts:

Building Fund Receipts

Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 1,430.00
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Budget per week is..... \$15,156.00

Collections year to date compared to budget
Through Oct. 25, 2015 \$(14,082.59)

St. Mary School Happenings

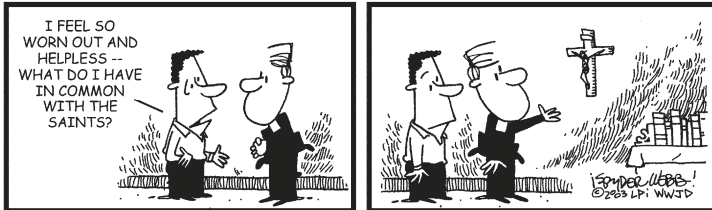
Our Playground Build date is Saturday, November 7. If you have some time that you would be able to help, this is the day we will need volunteers. Different shifts will complete phases throughout the day. Contact the school office at 282-1974 if you would be able to help. Thank you to our generous donors for making the project a reality!

The 5th grade class will host a **Saints Wax Museum** in the school gym on Friday, November 6 at 10:15am, 12:30pm and 1:15pm. The museum will take about 30 minutes to hear each of the saints' stories. All are welcome to attend.

Thank you to our volunteers who made **Fun Night** a success. Our PTO organized the event, parent volunteers ran the booths, Altar Society led the concession stand and Knights of Columbus helped with clean up. Also, a special thanks to our 8th grade families who made the 'spooky stage' a very popular event.

Our **scholar bowl team** went 2-3 at our home meet. St. Mary hosted 18 teams from 11 different diocesan schools.

ALL SAINTS



The Knights of Columbus Religious Education Raffle Tickets are now available for purchase. The grand prize is \$25,000, first prize \$6,000, (2) second prizes of \$4,000 each, (5) third prizes of \$2,000 each, (19) fourth prizes of \$1,000 each. There will be 28 chances to win on each ticket purchased. Tickets can be purchased by any person, group of people, or any organization. There will only be 1700 tickets sold statewide. The cost of each ticket is \$100. The proceeds will be distributed to every parish in the state, in the form of \$350. grants for their religious education needs. Contact John Flores 283-0907 for more details or to purchase tickets.

4th Degree Knights of Columbus

Holy Trinity Assembly #3359 - Patriotic Rosary Sunday Nov. 8th 3:00 PM - Halstead High School Auditorium - Refreshments will be served after the program. This will be very impressive, please make plans to attend.

Readings for the Week of Nov. 1, 2015

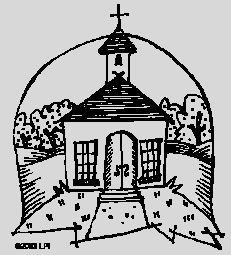
Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
 Monday: Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9/
 Jn 6:37-40
 Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Lk 14:15-24
 Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-33
 Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10
 Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Lk 16:1-8
 Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15
 Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44



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 Elesya 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. 11/03 5:30pm † L. Thane Frazier
Wed. 11/04 8:00am † Mike Quint
Thur. 11/05 8:00am † Brother Paul O'Donnell
Fri. 11/06 8:00am † Vincent Garcia
Sat. 11/07 8:00am † Lester Tajchman
Sat. 11/07 5:30pm † David Winter
Sun. 11/08 8:30am † Orva Hargett
Sun. 11/08 10:30am People of the Parish

Society of St. Vincent de Paul



Today we listen to the beatitudes as listed by Mathew. We pray that today we will hear what Our Lord is saying.

Our Conference is now into its second year and changes are coming. We have decided to improve our continued contact with our guests and through this

continued phone contact provide ongoing support, encouragement and acknowledgment of success in achieving the goals our guests will set during our home visits. This means there will be additional opportunity to be an active member of the Conference without making the face to face home visit. If you have held back from joining us out of concern about making the home visits, please reconsider how you might provide love and encouragement through this telephone follow up process.

We have also launched our visitation to nursing home residents which is another ministry within the Society you might be comfortable doing. Please contact us at 316-217-2742 with any questions or interest in joining 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. 11/04 8:00am Spencer Steinmetz, Francisco Meza
Thur. 11/05 8:00am April Vidacs, Madeline Eustace
Fri. 11/05 8:00am Eric Wagner, Ricky Parga
Sat. 11/07 5:30pm Keegan & Spencer Steinmetz, E. Blaufuss
Sun. 11/08 8:30am D. Englestad, O. Tierney, D. Graham
Sun. 11/08 10:30am K. vanderWeg, A. Littlejohn, C. Schommer

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 11/07 5:30pm Mike Fellows
Sun. 11/08 8:30am Marshall & Linda Kendrick
Sun. 11/08 10:30am Carl Antle Family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 11/07 5:30pm T. Herdler - S. Herdler
Sun. 11/08 8:30am A. Bridgeman - S. Koerner
Sun. 11/08 10:30am R. Tierney - R. Littlejohn

Lectors

Sat. 11/07 5:30am Robert Oswald - Karen Ferguson
Sun. 11/08 8:30am Catherine Graham - Vicki Smith
Sun. 11/08 10:30am Sharon Erwin - Alondra Torres

Sacristans

Daily Masses Nov. 3-7 Kathleen Morris
Sat. 11/07 5:30pm Gary Chaffee
Sun. 11/08 8:30am Teresa & Rodney Snyder
Sun. 11/08 10:30am Janet Daily

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses Nov. 4-6 Rita Sadowski
Sat. 11/07 5:30pm Philip Stutey, Paul O'Brien, Mike Weber
Sun. 11/08 8:30am *Sue Schmidt, Lisa Schmitt, Elesa Garcia
Sun. 11/08 10:30am J. Pomeroy, Deb Henning, Mary Ann Bruggeman

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

November 8 - Jim Soth

Ushers

Sat. 11/07 5:30pm Ron Ferguson, Trent Guyer, Richard Hushka & Marvin Kratky
Sun. 11/08 8:30am Ray Schmitt, Robert McNeill, John Meirowsky & Trinity Muth
Sun. 11/08 10:30am Donald Hageman, Pat McCreary, Maurice & Nancy Meirowsky

Church Cleaners

Nov. 6 - Monica & William Davis, Craig & Emily Bair family

Wash Server Albs

Nov. 2 & 16 - Claire Hanna & Pam Sims

Our advertiser of the week is

Welcome to
**Holiday Inn Express
& Suites**

Please check their ad on
the back of the bulletin.



Calendar of Events

November 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Fellowship Sunday Lord's Pantry A-F	2 No Mass 7PM St. Vincent de Paul @ OLG 7PM All Souls Day Mass @ Blessed Sacrament Church in Wichita	3 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA	4 8AM Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy 6:30 PM PSR/CYM	5 8AM Mass 6 PM Adult Choir 7:00 PM Altar Society @Cafet. 7:00 PM Lector Training @Church	6 8AM Mass Family Home Rosary	7 8 AM Latin Mass Playground Build Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
8 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry G-L	9 No Mass 6 PM Schedule Mtg.@ Library KofC Meeting 7:30PM @ OLG	10 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA 7:30PM Study on Mark w/Fr. Voelker	11 8AM Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy 6:30 PM PSR/CYM	12 8AM Mass 10:00AM Harvest House @ OLG 6 PM Adult Choir	13 8AM Mass 4 PM Set up for Bazaar Family Home Rosary	14 8 AM Latin Mass Barnes & Noble Event Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
15 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses 11:30-Playground Bless Lord's Pantry M-R Turkey Dinner & Bazaar 1 PM NFP class #3	16 No Mass	17 5:30 PM Mass 7 PM RCIA 7:30PM Study on Mark w/Fr. Voelker	18 8AM Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy 6:30 PM PSR & CYM	19 8AM Mass 6 PM Adult Choir 7PM St. Vincent de Paul @ JPII Rm	20 8AM Mass Family Home Rosary	21 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
22 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses 11:00 Children's Choir @ OLG 7 PM NCYM turkey bowl @ OLG Lord's Pantry S-Z	23 No Mass	24 No Mass	25 No Mass 6:30pm Legion of Mary @ Sacristy	26 No Mass Happy Thanksgiving	27 No Mass Office Closed	28 8 AM Latin Mass Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
29 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry - All participate	30 No Mass 6 PM Stewardship					Sunday Confessions 8:10 & 10:10 AM