

# 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

November 8, 2015

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

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**Legion of Mary**  
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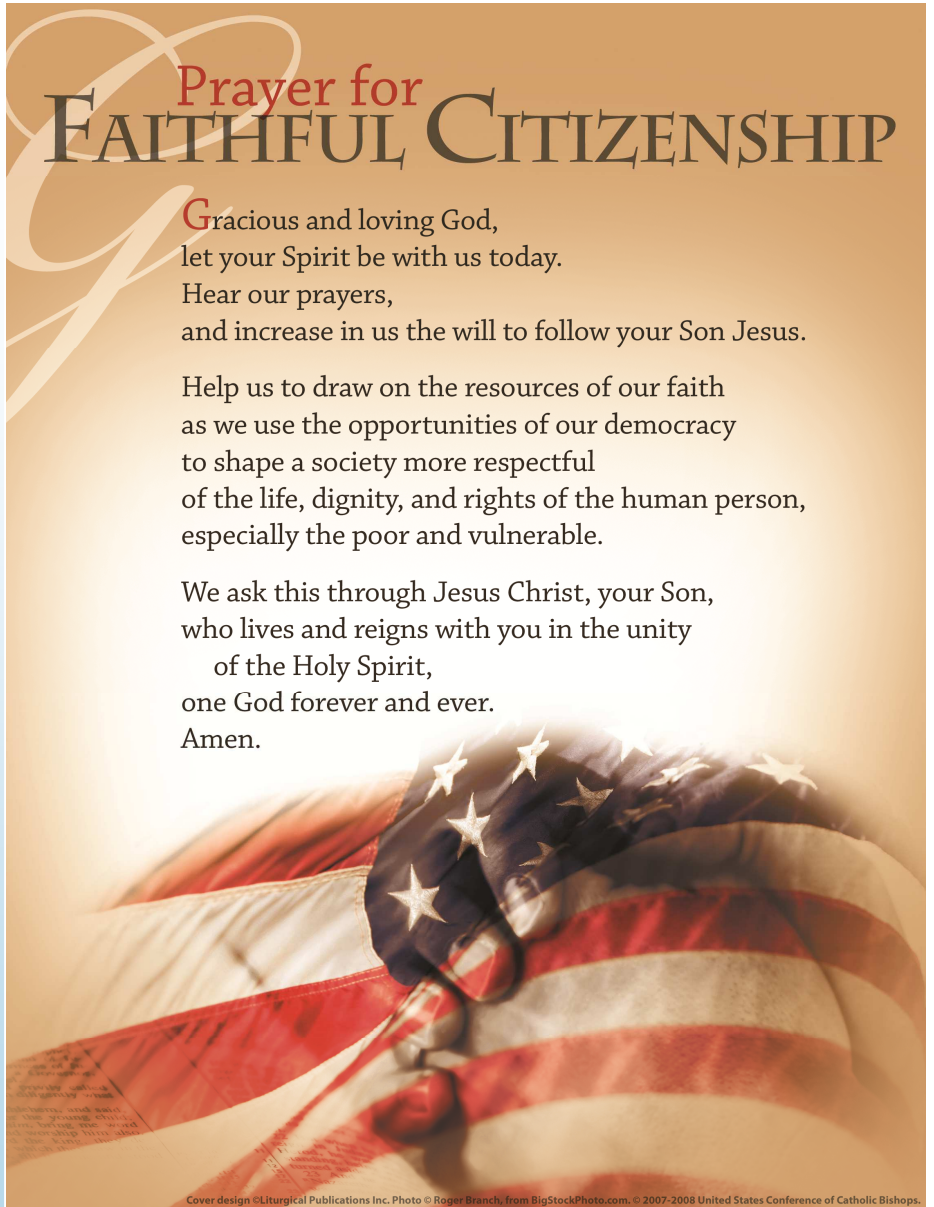
**Knights of Columbus**  
Carl Antle - 316-283-5083

## Prayer for FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

Gracious and loving God,  
let your Spirit be with us today.  
Hear our prayers,  
and increase in us the will to follow your Son Jesus.

Help us to draw on the resources of our faith  
as we use the opportunities of our democracy  
to shape a society more respectful  
of the life, dignity, and rights of the human person,  
especially the poor and vulnerable.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity  
of the Holy Spirit,  
one God forever and ever.  
Amen.



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# Parish Events

## Scheduled This Week

Scheduling Mtg.: Mon. 6PM @ Parish Center  
 KofC Mtg.: Mon. 7:30 PM @ OLG Campus  
 RCIA: Tues. 7 PM @ Parish Center  
 Study on Mark: Tues. 7:30 PM @ Parish Center  
 Legion of Mary: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Sacristy  
 PSR/CYM: Wed. 6:30 PM  
 Harvest House: Thurs. 10:00AM @ OLG  
 Adult Choir: Thurs. 6 PM @ Choir Loft  
 Family Home Rosary: Fri. 7 PM @ Herdler Home  
 Latin Mass @ 8 AM Sat.  
 Church Bazaar & Turkey Dinner - Next Sun. @ Gym  
 Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Families M-R

### 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:  
**Kathryn & Cole Jost**

## Our Deepest Sympathy...

..to the family of **Dan Sims** who passed away. He was a brother of Jack Sims.  
 ..to the family of **Jeff Brand** who passed away. He was a cousin of Sharon Stutey.  
 May the love of God comfort you all.

32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## Stewardship Message-Nov. 8, 2015

**"Once One Chooses to be a Disciple of Christ... Stewardship is not an Option"**  
 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Do not be afraid! We frequently hear the words of Jesus telling us to not be afraid, to trust in God's mercy and love. Our journey of discipleship brings us often to decisions that measure our confidence in the goodness of God. We can only let go of the beauty and blessings of this world when we understand that it is just a cloudy reflection of the glory of the Kingdom of God. Like the widow in today's Gospel, we must offer our livelihood in service of the Lord in order to be counted among the faithful. May we turn our gaze towards God and realize the joy of Heaven.

**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.**

**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.

**Lectors Wanted:** We could use a few more lectors, particularly for the Sat. 5:30 and Sun. 8:30 Masses. If you have questions about this ministry as you are filling out your stewardship forms, please contact Leo Chouinard (316)283-5762 or e-mail LGC67114-Lector@yahoo.com

**HARVEST HOUSE** - Will meet Thurs. at 10:00 AM at OLG. The speaker will be Kathy Hannaman, speaking on Senior Companions.

**Veteran's Day** - This week being Veteran's Day please take the time to thank a veteran that you might know. They preserve our freedom and opportunity to worship, often done so with personal sacrifice. **Thanks to all you veterans!**

## Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2015 - June 2016

### Collections for Nov. 1, 2015

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$14,945.25
Children's collection.....	\$ 17.81
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,963.06</b>

Extra Efforts:

### Building Fund Receipts

Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 586.00
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**Budget per week is..... \$15,156.00**

Collections year to date compared to budget  
 Through Nov. 1, 2015 ..... \$(14,343.34)

## St. Mary School Happenings

St. Mary Catholic School would like to **thank the many volunteers and donors** that have made our playground renovation a possibility. We would especially like to thank the leadership of Cathy Guyer and Kati Sartain as PTO presidents during this project.

The **St. Mary children's choir** will perform at the Wichita Diocese Book Fair on Saturday, November 14 at Barnes and Noble at 9:30am. A portion of the sales from 9:00am-10:00pm will benefit school libraries across the diocese including ours. If you are unable to attend, donations will also be accepted. For \$15, your family can select a book and a bookplate with the name will be placed inside the cover of the book.

## Knights of Columbus

**The Knights of Columbus general meeting** will be held Monday Nov. 9th at 7:00 PM in the Knights Hall (located on the OLG parish grounds). Agenda - 1) Initiation of new members 2) Final Tootsie Roll Drive report 3) Coats for Kids program report 4) Cleanup reports 5) Honor guard report 6) Religious Ed Raffle ticket update 7) Memorial Mass update 8) Bazaar update 9) December planning update.

Knights recruit a new member and bring him to this meeting.

**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. 8, 2015

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44  
Monday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22  
Tuesday: Wis 2:23--3:9/Lk 17:7-10  
Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Lk 17:11-19  
Thursday: Wis 7:22b--8:1/Lk 17:20-25  
Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Lk 17:26-37  
Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Lk 18:1-8  
Next Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32



## 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.

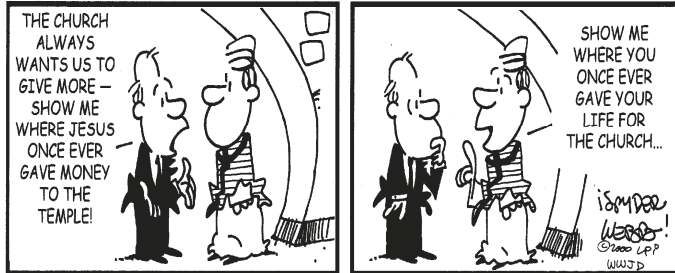
### Sacrament of Matrimony

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. 11/10 5:30pm	† Tony Beugelsdijk
Wed. 11/11 8:00am	† Robert Mahoney
Thur. 11/12 8:00am	Phyllis Prouty
Fri. 11/13 8:00am	† Loretta Helfentrager
Sat. 11/14 8:00am	† Paul Conrady
Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	Jim Daily - Retirement
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	† Douglas Patry
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	People of the Parish

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**Adoption is a Loving Option** - November is Adoption Awareness Month. The gift of adoption will be celebrated on Thursday, November 19 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. at the Spiritual Life Center, 7100 E. 45th Street North, Wichita. Come share your story, put your handprint on the quilt of life, enjoy refreshments and fellowship as we celebrate the gift of adoption.

**Compassionate Friends** - second Monday of every month at 7:30pm at the Nazarene Church located at 1000 N. Main. Call Stacy Arellano at 316-842-3799 if you have any questions.

## 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. 11/11 8:00am	Tavin Monares, Connor Schommer
Thur. 11/12 8:00am	Azeneth Ramos, Gabbie Mathews
Fri. 11/13 8:00am	Alex Littlejohn, Mikey Parga
Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	Gabbie Mathews, A. Salas, A. Weber
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	R. Ring, Grace Graham, T. Kendrick
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	O. Tierney, E. Blaufuss, S. Steinmetz

### Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	Rhonda Unruh Family
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	Ron & Bernice Capps
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	James Cox Family

### Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	M. Frazier - L. Curiel
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	M. McNeill - S. Koerner
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	Adult Choir

### Lectors

Sat. 11/14 5:30am	Karen McNulty - Barbara Bunting
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	Rodger Graham - Marshall Kendrick
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	Philip Blaufuss - Leo Chouinard

### Sacristans

Daily Masses Nov. 10-14	Phyllis Prouty
Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	Shelly Oswald
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	Paula Blann
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	Doug & Mary Ann Bruggeman

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses Nov. 11-13	Philip Stutey
Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	Karen & Ron Ferguson, Jim Soth
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	*Steve Mead, Linda Bennett, Sue Schmidt
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	Don & Shelly Hageman, Maggie Morgan & Jerry Pomeroy

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

November 15 - Linda Bennett

### Ushers

Sat. 11/14 5:30pm	Kyle & Linda Kientz, Dean Reida & Robert TenEyck
Sun. 11/15 8:30am	Robert Peters, Alan Pitts, Raymond Schmitt & Phil Blann
Sun. 11/15 10:30am	Carrie & James Reid, Brian & Kelli Schulte

### Church Cleaners

Nov. 13 - Beth O'Halloran, Mary Ann Bruggeman & Steve Mead

### Wash Server Albs

Nov. 16 - Claire Hanna & Pam Sims

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