

ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday Masses

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

Sacrament of Forgiveness

(Confession)
Sat. 4-5pm or by appointment
Sun. 8:00-8:25 am

May 1, 2016

Sixth Sunday of Easter

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

www.stmarynewton.org

Parish Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm

Monday - Friday

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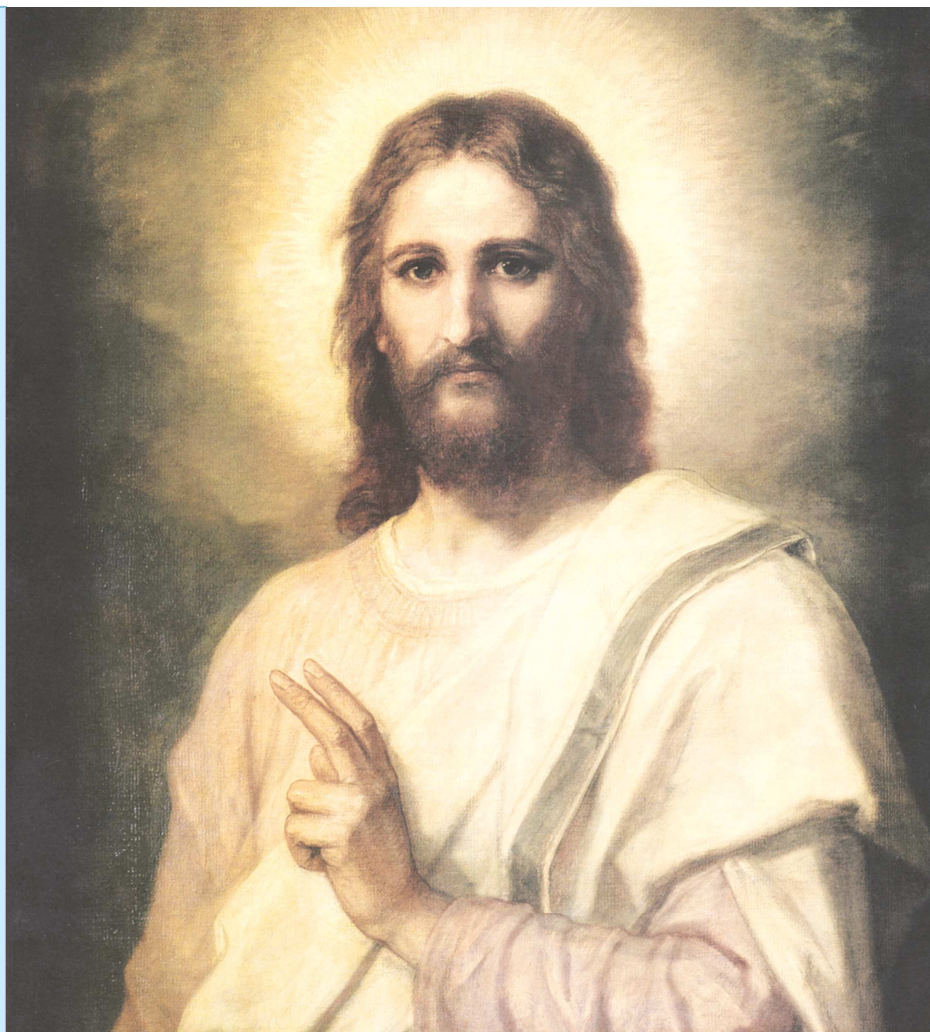
RCIA
Gary Chaffee - 316-283-8073

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Bill & Carrie Weber - 316-212-0137

Legion of Mary
Linda Bennett - 316-587-5337

Knights of Columbus
Carl Antle - 316-283-5083



Jesus said to his disciples: "The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." - Jn 14:26-27a

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THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
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OPEN ADORATION HOUR
2:00 PM....Friday
2:00 PMSaturday

Sign up for FREE using our Parish code : **9c058e**

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

Scouts: Monday 7:00pm
St. Vincent de Paul: Monday 7:00pm OLG
Mass: Tuesday 5:30pm
Legion of Mary: Wednesday-6:30 pm Sacristy
Altar Society Pot Luck: Thursday—6:00pm
Religion Quiz Bowl: Thursday—7:00pm
Father Kapaun 8th grade play: Friday— 1pm & 7pm
Mother's Day Brunch: Sunday 9:30am
First Communion: Sunday 2pm
Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Families G-L

St Mary School Happenings

8TH GRADE PLAY ON THE LIFE OF FR. KAPAUN

FRIDAY, MAY 6TH AT 1PM AND 7PM. A free will offering will be collected at the door to be used for the 8th grade gift to the school. Please RSVP the school office (316) 282-1974 if coming to the 1pm show due to the number of school children expected to attend.

St. Mary Catholic School is seeking a food service director for the 2016-2017 school year. This is a full-time job with benefits. The food service director is responsible for purchasing, supervising 2 part-time employees, complying with state food service and health requirements, cooking for approximately 130 students at lunch and 40 at breakfast, and bookkeeping. If interested, please contact the school office at (316) 282-1974 for an application. Prior food service experience is preferred.

We are still registering students for the 2016-17 school year. If you have a pre-school or kindergarten student, please contact the school office so we can make sure to save a slot.



Track results from 04/23/16 meet:

Leticia Hernandez, 6th grade - 6th place 75 yd hurdles

Azeneth Ramos, 7th grade - 2nd place high jump and 2nd place long jump

Jada Smith, 8th grade - 4th place discus and 5th place shot put

Wilson Eustace, 6th grade - 2nd place discus and 4th place 100m

Tony Camacho, 6th grade - 5th place discus

Davis Mick, 7th grade - 2nd place 100m and 2nd place shot put

Alex Littlejohn, 7th grade - 3rd place high jump

Alex Littlejohn, Wilson Eustace, Eric Wagner and Davis Mick - 3rd place 4x100m relay

Davis Mick set the 7th grade school record in shot put at the first meet with a throw of 38'3.5" which was previously held by Dominic Davis. Congratulations Davis!

ALTAR SOCIETY

MOTHER'S BRUNCH--SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2016

St. Mary Altar Society will again be having a Mother's Day Brunch on Sunday, May 8th following the 8:30 Mass. The Knights will be preparing and serving a delicious brunch for all the ladies of the parish and their guests. Advanced tickets for this event will be \$5.00. You can purchase these tickets the weekends of April 23rd and 24th, AND April 30th and May 1st before and after all the Masses. You can also drop your money off at the Parish Office with YOUR NAME and the number of tickets you need the two weeks prior to the meal and your tickets will be waiting for you at the door the day of the brunch. We encourage advance ticket sales as this gives us a count of the number that will be attending the event so enough food will be available for all. YOU ARE WELCOME TO PURCHASE TICKETS AT THE DOOR FOR \$6.00 (this will include any tickets called into the office without payment). We hope to see you there.

The Altar Society is putting together a new cookbook!!

We really need your help for this to be a successful project. Pick some of your favorite recipes and submit them either electronically or on paper. To submit online: Go to www.typensave.com and click 'Login' Enter the username Altar Society. Enter the password: walnut849 and click Submit. Enter your name and click 'Continue' Click 'Add Recipes' to begin adding your recipes. Recipes on paper to: Megan Wilson 826 East Lake Rd. Newton, KS. 67114.

Religion Quiz Bowl

Saint Mary Altar Society is hosting the Saint Mary Parish Religion Quiz Bowl this year on Thursday, May 5. Join them for their 6:00pm Pot Luck Meal and then be ready to compete in the Religion Quiz Bowl at 7:00pm. **Everyone** is invited to get a team (minimum of 4) together. Study questions will be available at the masses this weekend. Questions, call Monica Davis at (316) 804-0162. Grand prize: Trophy with winners names engraved to be displayed in the back of church!

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2015 - June 2016

Collections for April 24, 2016

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$ 20,659.01
Children's collection.....	\$ 50.05
Total	\$ 20,709.06

Extra Efforts: Easter:	\$ 30.00
Dillons:	\$ 1,742.99
Cemetery:	\$ 900.00

Building Fund Receipts \$ 725.00

Building Fund	\$
Budget per week is.....	\$ 15,156.00

Collections year to date compared to budget	
Through April 24, 2016	\$ 10,719.90

SAVE THE DATE - OUTDOOR EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION, CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY, MAY 22ND, 3PM.

An outdoor Eucharistic Procession will happen on the campus of St. Mary on Corpus Christi Sunday, May 22nd at 3pm. Processing through the community with the Blessed Sacrament on the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) is a venerable Church tradition. The procession is an outward demonstration of Catholic faith and belief in the Real Presence of the Risen Christ, under the appearance of the Consecrated Host. More details to come.

TOTUS TUUS 2016, JUNE 26 - JULY 1

Totus Tuus will again return to St. Mary for the last week of June. This a fun and formational week for your children in living the Catholic Faith lead by a dynamic college age team from the Diocese. The Grade School Program (Grades 1-6) will run from 9:00am - 3:00pm Monday - Friday. The Junior and Senior High School program will be 7:30pm - 9:45pm Sunday - Thursday. REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF CHURCH. RETURN TO CHURCH OFFICE BY JUNE 17TH

CONGRATULATIONS!

Bryce Alan Becker was baptized on April 23, 2016. He is the son of David and Brittany Becker.

Lincoln Joseph Jones was baptized on April 23, 2016. He is the son of Eric and Amanda Jones.



As Vincentians we try to pray before our visits, during our visits with our guest and after the visit. Our prayers recognize our weaknesses, yearnings and even our trepidations but most of all they acknowledge our joy that Christ is with us. Today's Gospel again

points how Jesus has given His peace to all of us. It is with this peace that we knock at the door. If you would like to enjoy such peace, consider joining us. We could use a few more visitors. God Bless

I would like to thank all those who set me cards, came by to visit and kept me in their prayers during my long hospital stay.

Thank You, Catherine Graham

Readings for the Week of May 1, 2016

Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1-6, 9/Jn 15:26--16:4a

Tuesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-5/Jn 14:6-14

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22--18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-14/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-7/Jn 16:20-23

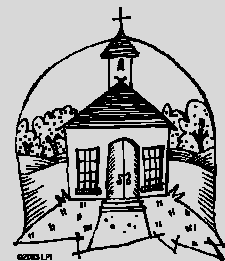
Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-10/Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-9/Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23

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 & Lou Kuestersteffen 283-6414 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. 05/03 5:30pm †Don Brooks
Wed. 05/04 8:00am Kathy Wiens
Thur. 05/05 8:00am †Walter McQuade
Fri. 05/06 8:00am St. Mary School Teachers
Sat. 05/07 8:00am †Father Voelker
Sat. 05/07 5:30pm †Don Schommer
Sun. 05/08 8:30am †Catherine Scheffler
Sun. 05/08 10:30am People of the Parish

Stewardship Message—

May 1, 2016

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

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Whoever loves me will keep my word! Today we recall the words of Jesus as he taught his disciples. He wanted them to understand what it would take to follow his footsteps. Jesus spoke directly and in parables about how our relationships should be with our brothers and sisters in God's family. And today's message emphasizes that this model of behavior, loving one another, is not optional. If we profess to love God we must exhibit love in our encounters with our neighbors. The glory of the Kingdom awaits those who seek the Lord and listen for his voice. May we open our eyes and our hearts to recognize the opportunities around us to love as our Savior loved.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE! REGISTER YOUR DILLONS CARD
With the receipt of the Dillons check this week, we were informed that we only have 106 individuals participating. This is 50 less than last quarter. If you haven't registered your shopper card for St. Mary or any other organization it is not too late!!

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. 05/04 8am A. Hernandez, G. Garcia, G. Mathews
Thur. 05/05 8am O. Mick, E. Wagner, A. Littlejohn
Fri. 05/06 8am A. Eustace, C. Schommer, S. Lara
Sat. 05/07 5:30pm Eli & Sam Blaufuss, Spencer Steinmetz
Sun. 05/08 8:30am David & Patrick Graham, Jason Hecht
Sun. 05/08 10:30am C. Schommer, D. Petz, J. & Owen Mick
Sun. 05/08 2:00pm C. Abbott, W. & A. Eustace, A. Salas

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 05/07 5:30pm Gary Littlejohn Family
Sun. 05/08 8:30am Kathy Chouinard, Lisa Schmitt
Sun. 05/08 10:30am Erick Erwin Family

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 05/07 5:30pm Mark Frazier, Lynn Curiel
Sun. 05/08 8:30am Vickie Smith, Steve Koerner
Sun. 05/08 10:30am Alondra Torres, Ryan Littlejohn
Sun. 05/08 2:00pm Children's Choir

Lectors

Sat. 05/07 5:30pm Richard Mick, Ellen Herdler
Sun. 05/08 8:30am Rodger Graham, Pauline Casey
Sun. 05/08 10:30am Roger Mick, Jennifer Milton

Sacristans

May 3-7 Kathleen Morris
Sat. 05/07 5:30pm Shelly Oswald
Sun. 05/08 8:30am Robert & Sharon McCall
Sun. 05/08 10:30am Doug & Mary Ann Bruggeman
Sun. 05/08 2:00pm Charlotte Gehr

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses—May 4-6 Rita Sadowski
Sat. 05/07 5:30pm R. Sadowski, B. Bunting, P. O'Brien
Sun. 05/08 8:30am*Marv Kratky, Lisa Schmitt, Elesa Garcia
Sun. 05/08 10:30am J. Daily, J. Pomeroy, Steve Holub
Sun. 05/08 2:00pm K. McNulty, Beth Lowry, Leona Soyez

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

May 8—Elesa Garcia

Ushers

Sat. 05/07 5:30 W. Eye, R. Ferguson, R. Hushka, D. Lambert
Sun. 05/08 8:30 P. Blann, C. Casey, D. Kaiser, L. Koehn
Sun. 05/08 10:30 Randy & Tami Carlgren, Jim & Janet Daily

Church Cleaners

May 6—Craig & Emily Baier, Brenden Powell, Steve Mead

Our advertiser of the week is

**Welcome to
STITH
Plumbing**

Please check their ad on
the back of the bulletin.

