

# ST. MARY

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

### 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

July 31, 2016

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING



LOVE

MERCY

LIFE

*Opening the Heart of Marriage*

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### OPEN ADORATION HOURS:

3:00AM—Friday  
5:00AM—Saturday  
6PM & 7PM—Sunday  
1AM & 1PM—Tuesday

## Parish Events

### Scheduled This Week

Mass: NO MASS Tues-Thurs.

Mass: Friday 8:00am

Legion of Mary: Wednesday 6:30pm Sacristy

Lord's Pantry Next Sunday A-F

### ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

There are a few limited slots available in the school with a couple grades already full. Please call the school office at (316) 282-1974 if you are interested in learning more about enrolling your child for the 2016-2017 year.

St. Mary's School is accepting donations of school supplies. Drop them by the school office Mon-Thur. 7:30am-4:00 pm. The school office is closed on Fridays during the summer. Any donation is appreciated!!

**The Ann Musser family** would like to extend a sincere thank you to those who helped organize the Bingo Fundraiser. **Thank you** to the Knights of Columbus for providing the meal. Nearly \$5,000 was raised to help with medical costs. Donations are still being accepted at the school office or church office. Checks can be made out to **MUSSER FAMILY FUND**. Call (316) 282-1974 or (316) 282-0459 for more information.

### PARENT/STUDENT CONFIRMATION MEETING

#### SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 11th 7PM ST. MARY CHURCH

For freshmen & sophomores who wish to be confirmed May, 2017 at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. More details to follow.

### ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

There will be training for new Altar Servers (5th grade and up) in mid August. Watch the bulletin for more details!!



## Stewardship Message—

July 31, 2016

The Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

The demands of the world press on us every day, making it hard sometimes to remember our ultimate end. The readings today remind us that this earthly life is temporary and all the riches we may accumulate are but dust when we leave the world at death. Jesus' parable is a lesson to work for the riches of God's kingdom and to not be satisfied with the goods of the earth. St. Paul adds that we should avoid attitudes and behaviors that are contrary to the love of God. May this earthly life be a journey bringing us ever closer to the throne of God.

### DISCOVERING CHRIST COURSE DATES

This summer has been a fantastic start to launching this new program all about discovering the Holy Spirit in your life and developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. We have about 20 core team members right now who have been receiving training this summer and making plans for a successful course. The course itself will be run every Sunday starting on September 18th for seven weeks until October 30th. Each week will run from 12-2:30pm starting with a fabulous lunch, praise and worship, teaching and small group discussion. Childcare will be provided. We are still looking for more core team members and will run a full day long training session on Saturday, August 13th in the parish center. Contact Rob Tierney at [620-960-5602](tel:620-960-5602) if you have any questions or are interested in being trained and joining our team!

### Celebration

**Ramona Charlsen**, was baptized on July 24, 2016. She is the daughter of Patrick & Rebecca Charlsen.

### CYM

Next CYM event: **Sunday Aug. 14-Helium Balloon Rosary** with Field Day Games! 7pm \*Region 2 event

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will serve a pork chili supper Saturday, August 13th from 4-7:30pm at St. Mary's in the gym. The proceeds to benefit St. Mary's School. The menu—pork chili, beans, rice, tortillas, drink and dessert. The cost—\$6.00 for large plate, \$4.00 for small plate. Dine in & carry out.

### WELCOME OUR NEWEST MEMBERS!

*Dr. Caleb May & Marjorie and children Nataniya, Gideon, Jonathon, Benaiah & Ethan  
Also, welcome Troy & Katarina Walker and Paul Bryan Bridges & Stephanie Drake and Randilynn Greg & Resa Davenport  
Patrick & Rebecca Charlsen & Ramona*

## Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2016 - June 2017  
Collections for July 24, 2016

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$ 17,618.30
Children's collection.....	\$ 47.26
Total	\$ 17,665.56

Extra: Gift	\$ 658.00
Dillons	\$ 1584.03

**Building Fund Receipts** \$ 935.00

**Budget per week is.....** \$ 16,103.81

Collections year to date compared to budget  
Through July 24, 2016 ..... (11,075.58)



## 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Have you ever wondered if God will see you as a "fool" at the time your life is "demanded"? As Vincentians we pray that all of us, you included, have stored up the riches that matters to God.

July has been every bit as busy as June. We have made 22 visits at the time of this writing and still have several days left in July. Health expenses, health issues and loss of employment have been the primary last straws that have precipitated the acute need according to our guests. Please keep these people in your prayers.

We have now begun the countdown to our major fall fundraiser. Our Conference will be hosting a benefit golf tournament October 8 to be held at the Sand Creek Station Golf Course. Soon you will be seeing posters and hearing more about our need for sponsors and of course golfers. More information to come.

**The Lord of Hosts Prayer Group** invites you to join us for praise and worship, prayer and instruction on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Time: 7:00 -8:30 p.m. Location: Sacred Heart Hall, Newman University, 3100 W. McCormick, Wichita. August 4: -- Sharing from participants at the July Regional Conference in Little Rock, Arkansas. August 18: Gifted for Prayer Ministry. All are welcome! Questions: e-mail lordofhostsprayer.ict@gmail.com. Sponsored by the Wichita Diocesan Charismatic Renewal, Father Jim Weldon, moderator.

### ATTENTION WESTAR STOCK HOLDERS

Westar Energy is being bought out for cash. This could be a wonderful opportunity to give stock to the church and contribute to the Maintenance Campaign. For more information contact Mark Frazier at 316-727-6287

## 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 Forgiveness (Confession)

Sat. 4:00 -5:00 p.m. Tuesday 5:00-5:20 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00-8:25 a.m. 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 nine months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

Readings for the Week of July 31, 2016

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

Monday: Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29, 43, 79-80, 95, 102/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23/Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10-13/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:12-15, 18-19/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt 32:35-36, 39, 41/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36

Next Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19

## Mass Intentions

Tue. 08/02 5:30pm NO MASS  
Wed. 08/03 8:00am NO MASS  
Thur. 08/04 8:00am NO MASS  
Fri. 08/05 8:00am †Janet Eckberg  
Sat. 08/06 8:00am Fr. Voelker  
Sat. 08/06 5:30pm Phyllis Prouty  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am †Don Schommer  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am People of the Parish

### ALL PARISH ICE CREAM SOCIAL

All parish Ice Cream Social on August 27th following the Saturday evening mass. Come welcome our new parishioners who have joined us since last August! New parishioners will receive an invitation by mail, closer to the event. Hosted by: Welcoming Committee.



Please continue saving **BOX TOPS** and **Campbell's soup labels** and drop them in the slots at church.

Come celebrate **Lois Silvernale's 80th** birthday on Sunday **August 7th**. Join us on that day in the Parish Center **between 2:00 & 4:00 PM** to wish her well. (it's come and go). If you CAN make it, please RSVP to Kim at 316-765-1135. If you CANNOT make it, please still bless her with a card. Her address is 301 Allison, Newton, KS. 67114.

### COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS SUPPORT GROUP

To any parent or grandparent who has suffered the loss of a child or grandchild, Harvey County offers a support group called Compassionate Friends. Please call Stacy Arellano at 316-842-3799 or Jim Arellano at 316-288-5549. WE ARE HERE FOR 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

Tues. 08/02 5:30pm NO MASS  
Wed. 08/03 8:00am NO MASS  
Thur. 08/04 8:00am NO MASS  
Fri. 08/05 8:00am Spencer & Keegan Steinmetz  
Sat. 08/06 5:30pm Gabbie/Gage Mathews, Owen Mick  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am O. Tierney, D. Englestad, J. Hecht  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am K & S Steinmetz, W. Eustace, J. Mick

### Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 08/06 5:30pm Dave & Deb Henning  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am Rodger Graham Family  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am Matt Steinmetz Family

### Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 08/06 5:30pm Jeff Schultz, Steve Herdler  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am Penny McNeill, Steve Koerner  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am Ashley Bridgeman, Evelyn Stabler

### Lectors

Sat. 08/06 5:30pm Karen McNulty, Richard Mick  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am Leigh Ann O'Halloran, Pauline Casey  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am Sharon Erwin, Roger Mick

### Sacristans

Aug 2—6 Kathleen Morris  
Sat. 08/06 5:30pm Charlotte Gehrler  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am Paula Blann  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am Kathleen Morris

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat. 08/06 5:30pm R. Sadowski, B. Bunting, Paul O'Brien  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am\*Steve Mead, Lisa Schmitt, Shari McCall  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am Janet Daily, Leona Soyez, Steve Holub

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

Month of August covered by OLG

### Ushers

Sat. 08/06 5:30pm R. Hushka, M. Kratky, D. Lambert  
Sun. 08/07 8:30am J. Sommers, P. Blann, C. Casey  
Sun. 08/07 10:30am Randy & Tami Carlgren, S. Bockhaus

**Church Cleaners** Aug. 5—Sue Schmidt, Kathleen Morris  
Kassandra Adams, Ron Hargett

**Wash Server Albs** August 1-Carol Schmitt & Shaylan Smith

Our advertiser of the week is

*Welcome to*  
**Advanced Physical Therapy**

*Jerry Pomeroy, PT*

Please check their ad on  
the back of the bulletin.

Support our  
Advertiser  
of the Month



# Calendar of Events

August 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Father Gone No Mass	2 Father Gone No Mass	3 Father Gone No Mass  6:30PM Legion of Mary—Sacristy	4 Father Gone No Mass	5 8AM Mass	6 8 AM Latin Mass  Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
7 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry A-F	8 No Mass	9 5:30PM Mass  6PM Scheduling Meeting  7PM— Pastoral Council	10  6:30 PM Legion of Mary—Sacristy	11	12	13 8 AM Latin Mass  9AM-4PM-Discovering Christ Training Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
14 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry G-L 7PM CYM Helium Balloon Rosary	15 No Mass  7:30PM Knights Of Columbus-OLG	16 5:30 PM Mass	17 8AM Mass  First Day of School St. Mary-noon dismiss  6:30 PM Legion of Mary—Sacristy	18 8AM Mass  7PM— St. Vincent dePaul 7PM—Stewardship Council	19 8AM Mass	20 8 AM Latin Mass  Catechetical Summit  Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
21 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses 12:00 Discovering Christ Pilot—Class 1  Lord's Pantry M-R	22 No Mass	23 5:30 PM Mass	24 8AM Mass  6:30 PM Legion of Mary—Sacristy  7PM—RCIA meeting Parish Center Library	25 8AM Mass  7PM St. Vincent de Paul-JP II  Stewardship Council 7PM	26 8 AM Mass	27 8 AM Latin Mass  9AM NFP Class 3  Confessions 4-5pm 5:30 PM Mass
28 8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses Lord's Pantry S-Z 12:00 Discovering Christ Pilot-Class 2	29 No Mass	30 5:30PM Mass	31 8AM Mass  6:30 PM Legion of Mary—Sacristy			