

# 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

August 14, 2016  
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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[www.stmarynewton.org](http://www.stmarynewton.org)

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Monday - Friday

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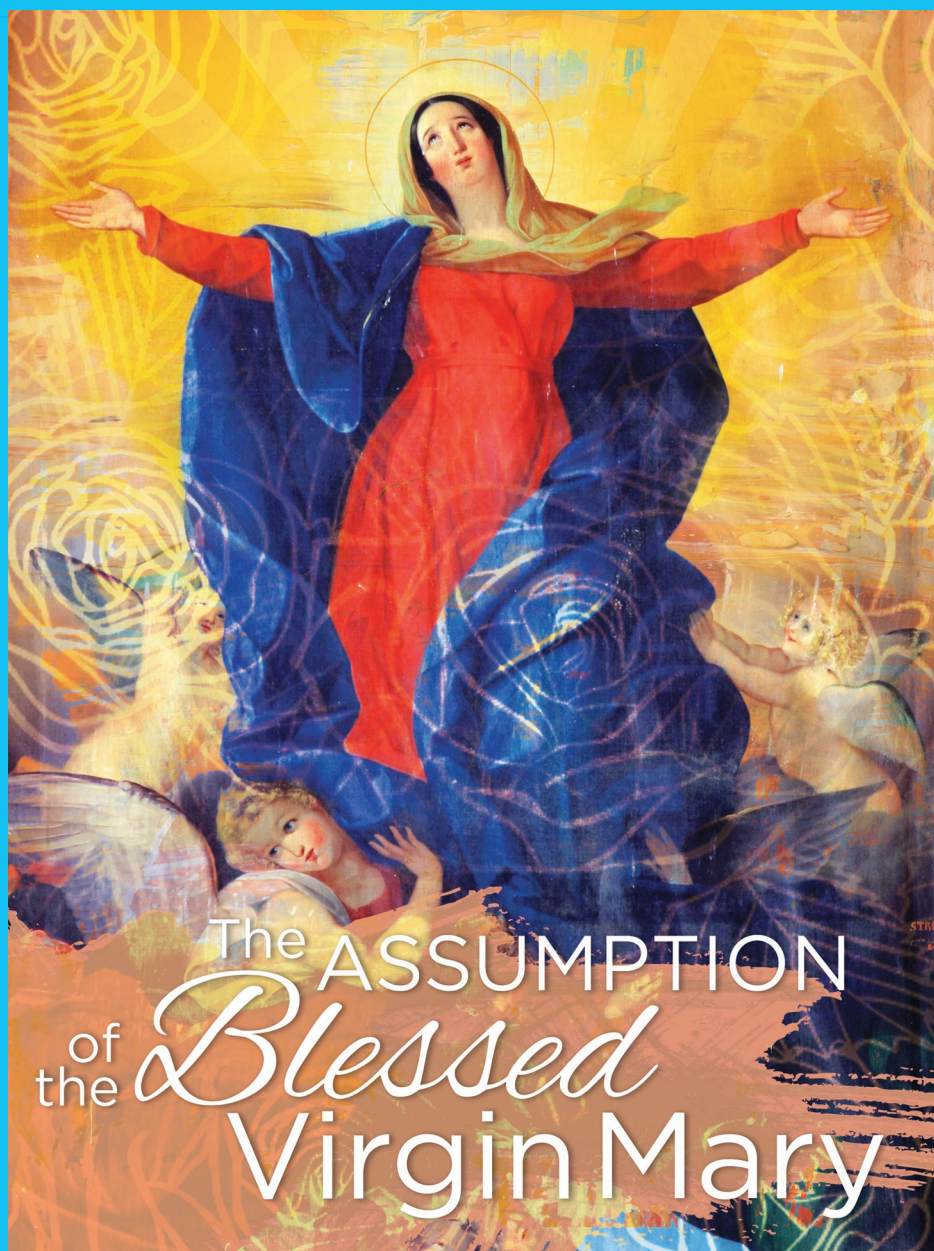
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Kathy Chouinard 316-283-5762

CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry)  
Bill & Carrie Weber - 316-212-0137

Legion of Mary  
Linda Bennett— 316-587-5337

Knights of Columbus  
Mike Ruggiero- 316-804-4289



**OPEN ADORATION HOURS:**  
3:00AM—Friday  
5:00AM—Saturday  
6PM & 7PM—Sunday  
1AM & 1PM—Tuesday

## Parish Events

### Scheduled This Week

#### Assumption of Mary Mass-Monday 8:00am

Mass: Tues—5:30pm; Wed, Thurs. & Fri—8am

Legion of Mary: Wednesday 6:30pm Sacristy

Lord's Pantry Next Sunday M-R

Stewardship Council: Thursday 7pm

St. Vincent de Paul: Thursday 7pm

Catechetical Summit: Saturday Kapaun Mt. Carmel H.S.

### ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

1st Day of School is Wednesday, August 17th with noon dismissal. The theme for the year is *"I am the Vine, You are the Branches"*. Please keep us in your prayers as we pray for our Catholic parishes throughout the year.

### CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY—CYM

Next CYM event: Sunday Aug. 14-Helium Balloon Rosary with Field Day Games! 7pm at St. Mary. Bring a friend and a snack to share! \*Region 2 event

### 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) on August 27th at 9:00 a.m. in the church following the Latin Mass. We are always in need of more altar servers! Please consider this wonderful form of stewardship. If you have served in the past and want to again, we WELCOME you back! Just call the office to let us know. 282-0459



## Stewardship Message—

August 14, 2016

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

Occasionally we hear words from Jesus that do not fit the seemingly typical message of 'love your neighbor.' Today Christ plainly says He wants to set the world on fire and create division among peoples, even among families. How do we reconcile a message of love and service with today's Gospel predicting divisions in households? God calls us so we may gain eternal life. If anything or anyone hinders us on our heaven-bound journey, we must turn our backs on the world and choose heaven. May God's word ignite a fire within us and so enable us answer the call to follow Jesus and imitate his way of life.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will serve an All-You-Can-Eat breakfast, Sunday, August 28th from 8-11AM at St. Mary in the gym. The menu—biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs, hash brown potatoes, coffee-milk-or juice. The cost is \$6.00, all you can eat. Dine in or carry out.

### ALTAR SOCIETY

Mark your calendars! Altar Society meeting Thursday, September 1st at 6:30. St. Mary's Turkey meal/bazaar Sunday, Nov. 6th. (first Sunday in November) Start thinking of those handcrafted items you wish to donate.

### PSR-PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION-SEPT. 14

PSR classes will begin on Wednesday Sept. 14th. PSR is religious education for students who do not attend St. Mary school in grades 1-8. Registration forms can be picked up in the back of church. Classes will remain the same schedule as last year meeting through the school year every Wednesday evening from 6:30 - 7:45pm. If you have questions or are interested in teaching or helping out, please call coordinator - Rob Tierney 620-960-5602.

### LITTLE FLOWERS LEADERS NEEDED

If interested in helping our young girls grow in their Catholic faith and develop virtuous friendships, please consider being a Little Flowers Leader or Helper for the upcoming school year. Groups meet once or twice a month after school. Leaders are needed for grades 1-5. Resources provided, call Charisse Tierney at 316-283-1414 if interested.

### 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.



## Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2016 - June 2017  
 Collections for August 7, 2016

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$ 19,516.00
Children's collection.....	\$ 56.21
Total	\$ 19,572.21

**Building Fund Receipts** \$ 470.00

**Budget per week is.....** \$ 16,103.81  
 Collections year to date compared to budget  
 Through Aug. 7, 2016 ..... (12,195.34)



## 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time

A Vincentian reflection points out that we as Vincentians have been given a special corner of the Lord's vineyard to cultivate and nurture. This corner is the care of the poor. As members of our two parishes you assist us in that vineyard by your generous support through prayer, financial support and response to requested needs. For this we are so thankful.

August is off to a very busy start. The first week of August saw us making 13 home visits. It has also been very rewarding as several of those home visits allowed us to witness tremendous love and support within families. We have also witnessed despair and hopelessness. Our treasury is growing low in these waning weeks of summer but our love continues strong.

We also want to take this opportunity to send a note of congratulations to Our Lady of Guadalupe parish as the renovation has begun. God Bless You.

**The Bishop Carroll Pom and Cheer Squads** will host a Dance & Cheer Clinic for girls in K-8th grades at the BC Athletic Complex on August 31st and September 1st from 6-7:30 pm. Participants will perform sideline cheers during second quarter and a dance at half-time at the Bishop Carroll Varsity Football Game on Friday, September 2nd. Cost is \$40 per participant and includes a t-shirt, poster, and the participants entrance into the game.

### WALKING YOUR CHILDREN BACK TO CHURCH

Tuesday, Aug. 23 or Wednesday, Aug. 24; 7-8:30 p.m. This evening program with Fr. Ken VanHaverbeke speaks to anyone whose friends or family have left the Church. Participants may attend either Tuesday or Wednesday's program for practical advice and encouragement from Scripture and the saints. \$10 For more information and to register please visit [www.slcwichita.org](http://www.slcwichita.org) or call (316) 744-0167

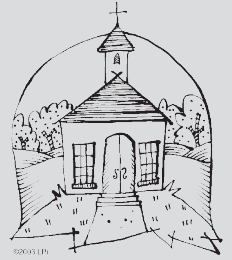
**Volunteers Needed** ~ ~ One or two individuals who would be willing to set up tables and chairs for funeral dinners. If interested, please call the office. (316) 282-0459

Readings for the Week of August 14, 2016  
Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2-4, 18/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53  
Monday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28  
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10-12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56  
Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35-36/Mt 19:23-30  
Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-6/Mt 20:1-16  
Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-15, 18-19/Mt 22:1-14  
Friday: Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-9/Mt 22:34-40  
Saturday: Ez 43:1-7a/Ps 85:9-14/Mt 23:1-12  
Next Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1-2/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30

## 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 & 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.

## Mass Intentions

Tue. 08/16 5:30pm Garry & Jeanette Boston  
Wed. 08/17 8:00am †Heather Miranda  
Thur. 08/18 8:00am Pat Coffman  
Fri. 08/19 8:00am Don Hasenbank  
Sat. 08/20 8:00am †Shirley Mainzer  
Sat. 08/20 5:30pm †Lee & Doris Mick  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am †David Winter  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am People of the Parish

### 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!!

### PARISH LEADERSHIP DAY OF PRAYER

Saturday, Aug. 27; 10 a.m.-3 p.m. A day of retreat for all parish leaders, council members and those who serve our parishes. We will look at Biblical leaders such as King David, Solomon, Ruth, Mary, Joseph, and more. The retreat will also examine the temptations of Jesus to help participants understand better what God expects of them as leaders. \$15 includes lunch. SPIRITUAL LIFE CENTER PROGRAMS; ADVANCE REGISTRATION REQUESTED. For more information and to register please visit [www.slwichita.org](http://www.slwichita.org) or call (316) 744-0167

## Celebration

**Piper Voth** was baptized on August 6th. She is the daughter of Tori O'Brien & Austin Voth.

## 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. 08/16 5:30pm  
Wed. 08/17 8:00am Francisco Meza, Alex Littlejohn  
Thur. 08/18 8:00am Georgia Garcia, Olivia Antonowich  
Fri. 08/19 8:00am Gage Mathews, Mikey Parga  
Sat. 08/20 5:30pm R. Ruggiero, G. & G. Mathews  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am J. Hecht, Keegan & Spencer Steinmetz  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am Madeline, Wilson & Andrew Eustace

### Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 08/20 5:30pm Gary & Claudia Chaffee  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am Raymond & Lisa Schmitt  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am Earl & Sara Smith

### Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 08/20 5:30pm M. Frazier, L. Curiel  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am P. McNeill, S. Koerner  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am V. Smith, E. Stabler

### Lectors

Sat. 08/20 5:30pm Karen Ferguson, Ellen Herdler  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am Marshall Kendrick, Betty Lanzrath  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am Leo Chouinard, Kathy VanZelfden

### Sacristans

Aug 16—20 Betty Lanzrath  
Sat. 08/20 5:30pm Shelly Oswald  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am Paula Blann  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am Mary Ann Bruggeman

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses: Aug. 17-19 Deb Henning  
Sat. 08/20 5:30pm Barb Bunting, Ron Ferguson, M. Weber  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am\*M. Kratky, R. Graham, Teresa Snyder  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am Deb Henning, Beth Lowry, J. Pomeroy

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

Month of August covered by OLG

### Ushers

Sat. 08/20 5:30pm Seth & Nancy Claassen, Dennis Alexander  
Sun. 08/21 8:30am Gary Littlejohn, Sharon & Bob McCall Robert McNeill  
Sun. 08/21 10:30am Jim, Janet & Alexandria Daily Donald Hageman

**Church Cleaners** Aug. 19— Kathy & Alan Pitts, Tammy Casey, Deanna Hernandez

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