

ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary Mission Statement:
To be companions with Christ our Savior

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

April 16, 2017

Easter Sunday

106 E. 8th St. • Newton KS 67114

www.stmarynewton.org

Parish Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm

Monday - Friday

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CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry)

Bill & Carrie Weber—316-212-0137

Legion of Mary- President

Steve Holub—316-836-7822

Knights of Columbus

Mike Ruggiero—316-804-4289



EASTER SUNDAY

“Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay.” —Mt 28:5b-6

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OPEN ADORATION HOURS:

Friday—8:00pm

Saturday—12:00pm & 1:00pm

Sunday—11:00am & 1:00am

Monday—5:00pm

Chapel will close at 12:00pm

Wed. April 12 and will re-

open Mon. April 17 at 6:00am

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

Mass: Friday—8 a.m.

Sunday: Sharing Christ-12pm

Monday: Office Closed

Wednesday: Legion of Mary Sacristy-6:30pm; Auction decorating-6:30pm-gym; RCIA—7:00pm;

Thursday: Adult choir-6pm; Auction decorating-6:30pm; SVdP-7pm JPll

Friday: Kapaun's Men-6am JPll

Lords Pantry next Sunday S-Z

ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Enrollment is open for the 2016-2017 school year. There is limited space available for Pre-school—8th grade. Call 282-1974 for an enrollment packet and to set up a tour. The auction is quickly approaching. This is our 20th year so the theme is **The Roaring 20's**. Raffle tickets will be available after Masses. If you would like to attend please call the school office at 282-1974. Also, if you have a donation, we appreciate your ongoing support.

Remember to continue to collect your BOX TOPS. They can be dropped off at the church or school office or collection slots in church.

Bishop Carroll Catholic High School cheerleading tryouts for 2017-2018 school year will be held Friday, April 21st at 4:00pm in the BCCHS Activities Complex gym. **Mandatory** clinics will be April 18-21 6:00-7:00AM in the BCCHS Activities complex gym. All forms can be accessed on the Bishop Carroll website:
<http://www.bcchs.org/athletics/cheer.php>
Please contact Becky Eck @ cheerbishopcarroll@gmail.com with any questions.

Stewardship Message—

April 16, 2017

Easter Sunday

“Stewarding our Gifts: Go in peace glorifying the Lord by your life.”

Christ is Risen! Alleluia! Today's readings celebrate the Empty Tomb—the Resurrected Christ! The empty tomb represents the fulfilled promises of Christ and the beginning of “the Eighth Day”—the day of the NEW creation. This truly is the Lord's Day! While his friends and disciples may have been confused and even a little fearful at the sight of the empty tomb, we understand that it marks the beginning of a New Covenant. As stewards, we partake in this covenant through Baptism and the Eucharist, and we are called to share the Good News with as much enthusiasm as the disciples would have on that very first Easter!! Take time today to bask in the warmth of God's gracious love and be sure to reflect on the tremendous gift of God's grace!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Annual Council Assembly

Steak Feed will be held Monday, April 24th at OLG in the parish hall beginning at 5:30p.m. This is a social event for Knights and their spouses, council widows and their guests. The menu—filet mignon, baked potato, salad, roll, drink and dessert. Cost—\$7.50 per person. For food preparation purposes, please call John (283-0797) on or before April 20th. Pay at the door.

Lifesaver Weekend will be held April 22-23. The Knights of Columbus will be handing out lifesaver lollipops and accepting donations after all masses that weekend. The donations will benefit “A Better Choice”, a pro-life organization that counsels expectant mothers and provides assistance to new mothers whose choice was life. The Knights would like to thank everyone for their past generosity and look forward to your continuing support.

CYM—Upcoming Spring Events

Sunday, 4/30- Graduation Cap & Gown Mass Honoring our Seniors! 10:30am Mass @ St. Mary

Wednesday, 5/3- TEC apps due! (event June 3-5 @ Hutchinson) *This is a Diocesan event for Juniors and Seniors. Get more information and registration forms at: <http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/faith-tec/tec>

Monday, 5/29- Wingnuts Baseball Game \$1 DAY! Leave from St. Mary parking lot @ 6pm, game 7:05pm, return approximately 10:30pm

Our Lighthouse Catholic CD's kiosk was stolen from the back of church recently. We have filed a police report and are in the process of ordering a new one. Sorry for the inconvenience!

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2016 - June 2017

Collections for April 2, 2017

Regular collection.....	\$	13,124.11
Children's collection.....	\$	34.43
Total	\$	13,158.54

Other: Bldg Fund \$ 260.00

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

Collections year to date compared to budget through April 2, 2017..... **(\$32,340.86)**

****If you are behind, please make every effort to catch up and do your part. Thank You! — Father Voelker**

Rosary Prayer Line

Due to lack of Rosary Prayer Line volunteers, we have consolidated to **ONE** prayer line. The new list was mailed out last week. Please begin using the updated list immediately.

4TH ANNUAL LIFE RUN MAY 6, 2017 Sedgwick County Park

Want to participate in the run? Something for all ages from toddlers to our 1 mile Senior stroll. Register for the 4th Annual Life Run at www.liferunwichita.org, or by contacting Darla Voegeli at 316-269-3935 or at voegelid@CatholicDioceseofWichita.org

Help Wanted at The Spiritual Life Center

The Spiritual Life Center is seeking an exceptional individual to serve as our part time evening and weekend Receptionist. The role of a Receptionist is to greet guests in person and over the phone, assisting them with various requests. If interested, please send resumes to: Kelly McCague at 7100 E. 45th N. Wichita, KS 67226 or kmccague@slcwichita.org

SPRING CLEANING?

Please bring your clean, gently-used clothing to the Newton Et Cetera shop! We welcome all styles and sizes of clothing, but could especially use children's clothing. Your donated clothing (and other goods) get a second life in a new home, stay out of the landfill, and help us support those in need—nearby through our Local Giving grants, and around the world through Mennonite Central Committee. Every donation helps us keep the store fresh and fun! Thank you for your support!

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY

The Annual Spring Clean up Day will be

Saturday April 22nd

Start time 8:00 a.m.

So bring along your gloves - - tools and be ready to help. We will be getting it prepared for a new mowing season.

Parishioners are asked to remove all items not complying with regulations:

Questions: Call Fred Kuestersteffen 316-293 or cell 620-386-4036

or

Carrol Langenhorst 316-283-8909 or cell 316-727-3025

Readings for the Week of April 16, 2017

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Col 3:1-4 Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-4, 6-9/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab, 5-9/Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a/Jn 21:1-14

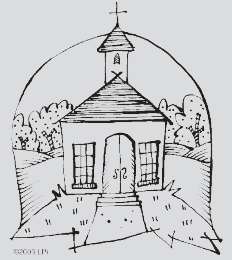
Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-21/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-3

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

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. 04/18 5:30pm No Mass
Wed. 04/19 8:00am No Mass
Thur. 04/20 8:00am No Mass
Fri. 04/21 8:00am †Susan Rangel
Sat. 04/22 8:00am †Janet Eckberg
Sat. 04/22 5:30pm People of the Parish
Sun. 04/23 8:30am †Jim Runnells
Sun. 04/23 10:30am †Diane Smet

LEGION OF MARY

In commemoration of the 100th Anniversary of the Fatima apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary to the children in Fatima, the Legion of Mary will be hosting a series of events on the **2nd Wednesday of each month, from May-October 2017**. There will be a rosary, refreshments afterward, and announcement of the messages of each of the apparitions, one every month, and the message of the month will be placed in the bulletin until the next revelation of the next apparition, and so on, with final announcement in November.

The rosary will start promptly at 5:45 pm on the second Wednesday of the month. After the refreshments, active members will continue on with our meeting in the Sacristy, at 6:30 pm. We welcome all parishioners to attend. Please bring your families. Place of event to be announced.

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS SUPPORT GROUP

is for parents or grandparents who have suffered the loss of a child or grandchild. Please call Stacy Arellano at 316-942-3799 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

Tue. 04/18 5:30p.m. No Mass
Wed. 04/19 8:00a.m. No Mass
Thur. 04/20 8:00a.m. No Mass
Fri. 04/21 8:00a.m. G. Stucky, A. Ramos, E. Castillo
Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. A. & A. Weber, Sophia Stutey
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. R. Ruggiero, Keegan & B. Steinmetz
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. J. Mick, N. Rusche, J. Antle, O. Tierney

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. P. Altenhofen
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. Mike & Diane Bonczyk
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. Pat & Janis McCreary

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. A. Bridgeman, S. Herdler
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. A. Holguin, S. Koerner
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. V. Smith, E. Stabler

Lectors

Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. Barbara Bunting, Karen McNulty
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. Betty Lanzrath, Monica Davis
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. Sharon Erwin, Jennifer Milton

Sacristans

Weekday—April 18-22 Phyllis Prouty
Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. Shelly Oswald
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. Sharon & Robert McCall
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. Phyllis Prouty & Lisa Schmidt

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Masses—April 21—Marcia Oden
Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. M. Weber, R. Sadowski, M. Oden
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. *Steve Mead, Teresa Snyder, K. Wiens
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. Tami Carlgren, C. Antle, Deb Henning

Hospital Extraordinary Minister Schedule

Month of April will be covered by OLG

Ushers

Sat. 04/22 5:30p.m. Wayne Eye, Ron Ferguson,
Richard Hushka
Sun. 04/23 8:30a.m. Rodger & Marietta Graham
Trinity Muth, Robert Peters
Sun. 04/23 10:30a.m. James & Amber Cox,
Jim & Alexandria Daily

Church Cleaners

04/21—Rosa Hernandez, Alondra Torres, Itzel Torres

Wash Server Albs—Cole & Kathryn Jost

Our advertiser of the week is
Welcome to
Baier Family Optometry
Craig W. Baier, O.D.
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the back of the bulletin.

