

Sunday Bulletin

St. Mary's Church

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Bulletin for the Week of October 11, 2009



Masses for the week of October 12 - 17

Friday, October 16, 8:30 a.m. Clem Rethman

Sunday, October 18, 10:00 a.m. Ignatius Sudbeck

Ministries for Sunday, October 18: 10:00 a.m.

Servers: Trevor Heiman, Jacob Koelzer, Nicole Sudbeck

Lector: Elmer Ronnebaum

Commentator: Cindy Murphy

Ushers: Tony Tangeman, Jerry Uphaus

Gifts: Ray and Mary Schmitz family

Lay Ministers: Will Henry, Carol and Wayne Schmitz,
Clarence Engelken, Eugene Fangman

Organist: Marlene Deters

Rosary Leader: Kenny Schmitz

Inquiry Class: The annual inquiry classes for non-Catholics will be held from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Rectory. Contact Fr. Ed if you know of anyone interested in attending these classes.

Please remember those who have health concerns:

Gene Holthaus, Theresa Rettele, Julie Glissman, Marsha Wessel Grossnickle, Elijah James Ruegge, Donna Hulsing, Leon and Janice Schmitz, Leo Schmelzle, LeRoy and Joyce Enneking, Ralph Shiffbauer.

Immediate need for someone to be the Religious Ed Coordinator for the Junior/Senior High CCD Program for the school year beginning 2010-2011. If interested, contact Anita Schmitz.

Wanted: New or gently used stuffed animals for the 2010 church picnic. Please clean any used animals. Donations can be given to Karen Holthaus, Theresa Sudbeck, Mary Schmitz, or Betty Olberding. Questions? Call Karen at 336-3849.

Training for Eucharist Ministers: Wednesday, October 14 at 7:30 p.m. Father Ed will provide training for the seniors in high school and any other adults who wish to become a Eucharistic Minister. The training will be at St. Mary's Church. The most important qualification for this ministry is attendance at Mass on a regular basis. The minister should also have a love and reverence to the Holy Eucharist.

World Mission Sunday is October 18. United with the Catholics of the world, we recommit ourselves to our vocation, through baptism, to be missionaries. Our prayers and Eucharistic celebration next Sunday are directed in a special way towards our brothers and sisters throughout the world who are waiting to hear the joyous good news of Jesus.

November 8: Pancake Breakfast: Serving from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Circles 1 and 2 are in charge. Leaders arrived at 6:30 a.m. CYO students are asked to wait tables. Grades 9 and 10 from 7:30 - 10:30; grades 11 and 12 serve from 10:30 to end. Free Will donation. Donations of eggs, butter, etc. or if you have an item for the chance table, contact Karen Holthaus at 336-3849 or any Altar Society Officer. Set up Nov. 6.

November 22: Church Cleaning: Circle 3 and 4 asked to come from 5 to 7 p.m.; Circles 1 and 2 asked to come from 6:30 to end. Also parish council members and officers' husbands are asked to help.

Fiscal Support: October 4: \$1,177; *The Leaven*: \$15; Cook Books: \$24; Ornaments: \$135; Anniversary Books: \$615.

Rosary at the Grotto: Starting again in May 2010.

Bingo at the nursing home: Third Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. Karen Holthaus (G); Melanie Lierz, Jenny Heiman, Linda Haug, Janice Schmitz, Deborah Sudbeck, Ellen Sudbeck

150th Anniversary Books are still available. Books may be picked up during regular business hours at the Kansas Rural Water Association office east of the intersection of Hwy 178 and US Hwy 36 one mile west of Seneca. (336-3760). Orders may also be placed online. The cost of the book is \$47; postage and handling for those to be mailed is \$5.

Cook books are still available. The cost is \$12. If mailed, the price is \$15. Available at the rectory.

Snow Removal: Someone is needed to remove snow from the church parking lot and area near cafeteria this winter. Call Gary Schmitz at 336-2113.

The cafeteria is reserved for these dates: Oct. 24, Nov. 26; Nov. 27, Nov. 28; Dec. 19, 20, 25, 26.

Special Thanks to Kristen Tangeman for donating her supplies, time and talent to make the 12 sheath cakes for the 150th Anniversary. Also special thanks to Beth Deters, Kim Sudbeck and Misty Blume for donating time to bake and decorate the cakes.

If you know of someone who may be interested or someone you think would be a good candidate for religious life, contact Fr. Ed.