

Sunday Bulletin

St. Mary's Church

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Bulletin for Sunday, May 13, 2012

Services for the week of May 14

Friday, May 18, 8:15 a.m. - Agnes Holthaus

Sunday, May 20, 10 a.m. - Herbert and Regina Niehaus

Ministries for Sunday, May 20

Servers: Shayla Heiman, Ryan Sudbeck, Corey Heiman

Eucharistic Ministers: Charity Henry, Maurice Feldkamp,
Betty Bergman, Connie Huerter, Kevin Sudbeck

Lector: David Huerter

Commentator: Carol Schmitz

Ushers and Gift Bearers: Doug Enneking, Eugene Fangman

Organist: Marlene Deters

Financial Support: May 6: Plate: \$54; Envelopes: \$1,260; Rent: \$50; DVD's: \$40; Catholic Home Missions: \$131; African Seminarians: \$500. Total: \$2,035.

Happy Mother's Day to all you mothers! We thank you for your faith, hope, love and sacrifices and good example towards your children and spouses. We pray that you will continue to fill this world with your love, kindness, patience, and understanding. May God bless you in every way.

Rosary and the Grotto: Beginning **Wednesday, May 16** at 7:30 p.m. Weather permitting, each Wednesday evening.

St. Benedict Alumni Reunion: All graduates of St. Benedict High School should be marking their calendar now to plan to attend the Alumni Reunion of St. Benedict High School. When: Sunday, May 27 with all alumni invited to Mass at 10 a.m., followed by a social, buffet lunch and entertainment in the parish cafeteria. Invitations are in the mail.

The cafeteria is reserved for May 20, 26, 27, 29; June 1, June 18 - 25; July 1; August 5; November 25; December 2, 22.

Remember In Your Prayers those who are sick, taking treatments, hospitalized or still recovering: Gene Holthaus, Donna Hulsing, Elijah James Ruegge, Cyrilla Sudbeck, Michelle (Damian) Buessing, Odelia Sudbeck, Jackie Olberding, Jordan Sudbeck (son of Matt & Kim), Leroy Tangeman, Nancy Deters, John Schmitz, Martha Engelken, Brad Bowhay (son of Bob & Kathy Bowhay), Tom Kuckelman, Margie Miller, Greyson Murphy (grandson of Stan and Cindy Murphy), Sharon Schmitz (wife of Gre). Remember all those suffering from an illness of any kind, not only our parish but everywhere. Also remember our servicemen in your prayers. Pray for vocations.

Grade School CCD Survey has been sent out. Please fill it out and return by May 15 to St. Mary's Parish, 9208 Main Street, St. Benedict, KS 66538

Bingo at Life Care Center: Every third Wednesday at 1:30. May 2012: Betty Olberding (Albert), Amy Sudbeck, Staci Haug, Shirley Schmitz, Dana Bradley, Diane Rottinghaus, Betty Olberding (Larry).

Altar Society Notes: New or gently used stuffed animals for the church picnic. Donations can be given to Lori Sudbeck, Jenny Heiman, Anita Schmitz or Marsha Korber. Questions? Call Lorn at 336-6988. Donations of glassware should be placed in the church vestibule.

Altar Society Officers have been elected for the upcoming year. Cindy Murphy will be the new Secretary/President and Shauna Engelken will be the new Treasurer/Vice-President. Congratulations!

Picnic Work Lists and Chance Books will be available after Mass on May 13 and May 27. Also, due to a near shortage of chicken last year, you will be asked if you intend to fry your chicken for the picnic or if you will be donating money. Please bring \$15 to pay for the chance books and \$50 if you will not be frying chicken. The annual cleaning of cafeteria will be held Wednesday, June 13 in preparation for the Picnic.

Model T Ford Club of Kansas City will be touring St. Mary's Church on Thursday, May 10.

Everyone is invited to attend and join with Abbot Ralph Koehler in celebrating the 50th Anniversary of his Priestly Ordination on Sunday, May 6, 2012. Mass at 11 a.m. at Sts. Peter and Paul Church at Seneca; reception from 2 to 4 p.m. at the K of C Hall in Seneca.

150th Anniversary Books are available for purchase. Copies may be purchased online through the church Web site at www.stmstb.org or picked up at the Kansas Rural Water Association office west of Seneca. Ph. 336-3760.

See the quilts that will be on the auction at our church Picnic on Sunday, June 24. Check out the designs at www.stmstb.org and then under "News and Information" and "Parish News". **Donations appreciated** to help with the costs of supporting seminarians in Africa where Fr. Felix is from. Mark your donation for such. There are many seminarians but funds for education are needed.