

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

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Mass Schedule: Sunday Morning 10:00 AM

Friday morning 8:30AM

Marriage: Contact priest 6 Months before - Baptism Call Father Ed at 336-6464

Confession: First Friday mornings 7:45AM TO 8:00AM before mass

OCTOBER 13, 2013--TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Regular Mass Schedule:

BAILEYVILLE---Saturday 7:00PM and Sunday 8:30AM

Weekday masses at 8:30 a.m. Monday thru Thursday

ST. BENEDICT---Sunday 10:00AM

Weekday mass---Friday 8:30AM

Mon.--Oct. 14--Baileyville--Robert Oenbring

Tues.--Oct. 15--Baileyville--Art Heiman

Wed.--Oct. 16--Baileyville--Mass @ 3:30PM--Grade

School Mass--Liv/Dec. Nick Holthaus Family

Thurs.-Oct. 17--Baileyville--Maurice Koch

Fri.--Oct. 18--St. Benedict--Odelia Sudbeck

Sat.--Oct. 19--St. Benedict--Wedding@ 1:30PM--Ashley

Stallbaumer & Brandon Brinker

Sat.--Oct. 19--Baileyville--Liv/Dec. Sylvester Koch

Family

Sun.--Oct. 20--Baileyville--For the People of the Parishes

Sun.--Oct. 20--St. Benedict--Liv/Dec. St. Mary's Altar

Society, St. Benedict

COLLECTIONS for October 6, 2013--Plate: \$180.85,

Envelopes: \$1589.00. Archbishop's Call to Share Rebate:

\$21.88, Leaven : \$18.00, Total: \$1809.73

ELEMENTARY RELIGION--Grades K-5-Wednesday,
October 16th, after school

CCD CLASSES--Oct. 16th-Normal CCD for grades 9-12.
Confessions for grades 6-8 with Father in Church at 7:30PM.

CCD CLASSES--Please note the change in the CCD
schedule. Confessions for grades 9-12 will be on Oct. 30,
2013, with a regular class for the 6-8th graders. On
Wednesday Oct. 23, 2013 all CCD classes will attend the
motivational speaker at Baileyville.

INQUIRY CLASS--The next Inquiry Class will be Sun-
day, Oct. 20 at 7:00PM at Sacred Heart Rectory, Bai-
leyville.

BENEDICTINE SISTERS OF MOUNT ST. SCHOLASTICA
invite the public to a regional "Family & Friends Day" in gratitude for their 150 years in Atchison, Kansas. Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Seneca, Kansas will begin at 1:00PM. this Sunday, October 13, with a reception until 4:30PM for visiting with the many sisters who will be coming from Atchison for the event.

LEAVEN--Subscriptions for the Leaven are due in Octo-
ber. To date we have collected \$724.00. Our bill from the
Archdiocese is \$2520.00. Please use the envelope in your
packet to take care of this.

CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL will be at 3:00PM on
October 20, at Sacred Heart at Baileyville for St. Mary's
8th graders.

CONFIRMATION will take place at Sacred Heart at Bai-
leyville at 7:00PM on October 22. Archbishop Naumann
will confirm St. Mary's 8th graders and Sacred Heart 8th
and 9th graders. Everyone is welcome to come to Mass.



WEDDING BELLS--Brandon Bern-
ard Brinker, son of Marvin Brinker & Kathy O'Brien and Ashley Marie Stallbaumer, daughter of Randy and Susan Stallbaumer, plan to get married at 1:30PM on October 19 at St. Mary's Church.

Ministries for October 20, 2013--World Mission Sunday

Cross: TBD by CCD Class

Servers: TBD by CCD Class

Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Strathman, Laurie Strathman, Betty Olberding, Senior, Senior

Lector: CCD Students

Commentator: CCD Students

Offertory Gifts: CCD Students

Ushers: CCD Students

Rosary: Don Lueger

Musicians: Laura Sudbeck & Rachel Holthaus & Youth Choir

Cantor: Seniors

Remember in your prayers those who are sick, taking treatments, hospitalized or still recovering: Donna Hulsing, Elijah James Ruegge, Michelle (Damian) Buessing,, Jackie Olberding, Leroy Tangeman, Nancy Deters, Martha Engelken, Brad Bowhay, Margie Miller,, Ben Niehues, Ivan Rottinghaus, Gilbert Schmitz, Leonard & Clara Krogman, Aiden Berkhart, Lyle Rottinghaus, Rosella Bergman, Monica Olberding Countryman, Anna Marie Kuckelman, Brad Hammes.

ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

BINGO AT LIFE CARE NURSING HOME is every 3rd
Wednesday at 1:30PM. October, 2013--Charity Henry, Linda
Schmitz, Sara Kramer, Marilyn Rottinghaus, Joyce Schmitz, Briana Uphaus, Tammy Rottinghaus, Melinda Stallbaumer

MASS on October 20, 2013 will be for the living and deceased
of the St. Mary's Church Altar Society.

November 3rd--St. Mary's Pancake Breakfast

November 13th--Annual Church Cleaning

ST. ANTHONY, STEINAUER--Sunday, October 13 from 3:30
to 7:30PM. Serving Turkey and Ham Dinner. Games, Chances,
etc.

SOUP SUPPER--St. Bede's Annual Soup Supper & Auction
will be held on Oct. 13th at Kelly, serving chili, chicken noodle
soup and vegetable beef soup, ham sandwiched, hot dogs, pie and
desserts from 4:00 to 7:00PM for a free will donation. There will
be games for all ages from 5:00 to 8:00PM in the parish gym,
followed by an auction of handmade quilts and many other items
at 8:00PM.

"LIGHTEN YOUR LOAD" will be held on Wednesday, Octo-
ber 23 AT 7:00PM at the B & B High School Gym for all 6th-
12th grade youth as well as parents and catechists in this region.
The evening includes a presentation by Joe Karlin regarding de-
pression and teen suicide awareness and will conclude at
9:00PM after Eucharistic Adoration. Please contact
ruralyouth@archkck.org for more information.

FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING--Monday, October 14, 2013
at 7PM.



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY is nest weekend
October 20, our parish will celebrate World Mission
Sunday. This year we are invited to act in solidarity
with missionaries in India and throughout the world.

Every day, faithful missionaries are reaching out in
the name of Christ, offering practical, emotional and spiritual
care to communities, children and families in desperate need,
bringing the light of Christ to the darkest of circumstances. For
more information visit: www.IAmAMissionary.org.

The word of God
is not chained



Hall & Church is spoken for on these dates for 2013:

- Oct. 14--Finance Council Meeting at 7PM.
- Oct. 19-Ashley Stallbaumer-BrandonBrinker Wedding-Church
- Oct.27--Rehearsal at 2:00PM--Church
- Nov. 1-3--Pancake Breakfast--Hall
- Nov. 13--Annual Church Cleaning--Hall/Church
- Nov. 28--Scott Thanksgiving--Hall
- Dec. 8--Osterhaus Reunion--Hall
- Dec. 21--Bergman Reunion--Hall
- Dec. 25--Scott Christmas--Hall
- Dec. 28--Lueger Christmas--Hall

Hall & Church is spoken for on these dates for 2014:

- Jan 2 thru 31--Facelift for church hall
- Feb. 1-2--Soup Day--Hall
- March 1--Shane Roever & Wendy Strathmam--Church
- March 21--Haverkamp Wedding Rehearsal Dinner--Hall
- March 22--Celene Haverkamp--Holthaus Wedding--Church
- March 22--St. Patricks Day Parade/Dinner-Hall
- March 23--George Holthaus 95th Birthday Party--Hall
- March 29--Jesslyn Deters & Dustin Gillickson--Church
- May 18--Huerter Graduation--Hall
- June 11--Annual Hall Cleaning
- June 20--23 Annual Picnic--Hall
- June 21--Mitchel Schmitz & Marissa Mosqueda--Church
- June 28--Rachel Holthaus-Adam Ronnebaum Wedding-Church
- Aug. 3--Schmitz Reunion--Hall
- Oct. 11--Jill Rottinghaus/Haverkamp Wedding--Church
- Oct. 18--Mark Sudbeck & Kristina Krones--Church
- Dec. 20--Bergman Christmas--Hall

DONATIONS can be given toward the cost of supporting seminarians in Africa where Father Felix is from . Mark your donations. There are many seminarians but funds for education are needed.

DVD'S of THERESA RETTELE'S Tour of St. Mary's Church is available at the Rectory for the cost of \$10.00.

150th ANNIVERSARY BOOKS continue to be a popular item. There are copies remaining for purchase. No additional copies will be printed. Orders can be placed online through the church website at www.stmstb.org or picked up at the Kansas Rural Water Association office west of Seneca. Phone: 336-3760.

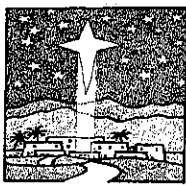
CANDLES available for home use. Anyone wanting some call the rectory. 336-3174. The glass container are red and purple now. Cost of candles are now \$5.00. Inserts are \$3.00.

CATHOLIC ITEMS FOR THE HOME--There is a display of Catholic items on the table in the back of church. You can order form Donnelly or from Soul Provider at Seneca.

B&B ALUMNI WEEKEND COMMITTEE--We need B&B Alumni and/or community members to volunteer as committee members to help organize and plan the Baileyville/St. Benedict Alumni Weekend which will be held on Feb. 7-8, 2014. Please contact Principal Justin Coup at 336-6631 or email him at jcoup@usd115.org if you have questions or are interested in helping with this great event that will honor the legacy of our communities and school.

B&B FALCON HISTORY BOOK--We are looking for B&B Alumni and/ or community members who would like to be on a "B&B History Committee" to help in the production of a comprehensive book about the legacy of B&B Schools (1966-2014). If you are interested in helping with this project, please contact Laurie Niehues at 785-336-6631 or email her at lniehues@usd115.org.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA--Axtell Methodist Church will host the Community Christmas Cantata this year. Rehearsals will be on Sunday evenings (7:30PM--8:45PM) beginning October 6th at Axtell Methodist Church. Singers of all ages are invited to sing and will be under the direction of Stan Murphy.

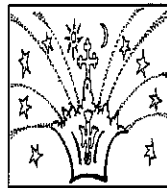


CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE
Oct.20, Nov. 3, 17, Dec. 1, 15, 2013
Jan. 5, 19, Feb. 2, 16, March 2, 16, April 13, May 4, 11, 2014

UNDERGROUND--Join Benedictine College Ministry on the first Saturday of the month to celebrate the Mass with contemporary music, dynamic orthodoxy and powerful presentations. All teens and young adults are welcome. At 6PM, O'Malley Mcallister Auditorium, Student Union, Benedictine College on Nov. 2, Dec. 7, 2013, Feb. 1, March 1, April 5, May 3, 2014.

PROJECT ANDREW--Archbishop Naumann is hosting a free, informative vocation evening for single men in high school, college and the workforce. They will learn how Christ personally calls men, and may be calling them to experience joy and fulfillment. They will meet inspiring priests, pray with Archbishop Naumann and ask him questions and have a great dinner with other guys. Parents are also invited for their own session at Christ the King, Topeka on Sunday, October 13 from 4:00 to 7:00PM. For more information contact vocation@archkck.org or contact Father Ed as soon as possible.

NATIONAL SHRINE'S CHARITY AND SOCIAL SERVICE PROGRAM for High School Seniors is to encourage and honor charity and social service among our youth. The Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas invited high school seniors to submit a video, single student video or group video, demonstrating their outstanding corporal and spiritual works of mercy. **Please send us your videos by April 11, 2014 to youthadmin@archkck.org.** The Office of Evangelization and Catholic Formation for Youth will then submit the nominee videos to the National Shrine's Charity and Social Service Program for submission.



THE WORD OF GOD UNCHAINED--
There is no chaining the word of God! But how many times do we attempt to do that very thing? Had the followers of Jesus or the teachers of the law or the Pharisees been asked if the lepers should be cleansed or healed, the answer would most likely have been, "No, they deserve their condition."

The lepers would have been, perhaps, a mixed group, Galileans and Samaritans alike, the bond of their awful disease overcoming the pettiness of former religious bickering. Jesus' actions once again illustrate his vocation and ours: to reach out when healing is needed, to challenge when conversion is needed, to console when comfort is needed. He also follows his own advice from last week's Gospel: do what you have been commanded to do. When the cleansed Samaritan has returned to give thanks, Jesus does not take it as an opportunity for self-aggrandizement, but rather offers insight into faith.

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Several children found a dead robin. Feeling that a proper burial should be performed, they secured a small box and some cotton batting, dug a hole in the back yard and made ready to dispose of the deceased. A 5 year old was chosen to say the prayer. And so with great dignity, he intoned, "Glory be to the Father....and unto the Son....and into the hole he goes."



"PASTOR, WHY IS IT THAT THE WORST BEHAVED CHILD ALWAYS HAS THE BEST ATTENDANCE RECORD?"