

ST.MARY'S CHURCH

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Bulletin is printed every Thursday.

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

June 1, 2014--SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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.-June 2-Baileyville--Dan Kohake

Tues.-June 3-Baileyville--No Mass at Baileyville

Wed.-June 4-Baileyville--Mass @ Kearney, MO-Ryan Sextro

Thurs.-June 5-Baileyville--No Mass @ Baileyville

Fri.-June 6--St. Benedict--Daniel Bergman

Sat.-June 7-Baileyville--Liv/Dec. Joe F. & Helen Heiman Family

Sun.-June 8-Baileyville--For the People of the Parishes

Sun.-June 8-St. Benedict--Vernuss Lierz

COLLECTIONS for May 25, 2014--Plate: \$41.00, Envelopes: \$1,237.00, Other: \$240.90, DVD: \$10.00, Total: \$1,528.90

CONGRATULATIONS to Father Ed as he celebrates his 50th Anniversary this weekend and welcome to all his brothers and sisters who were able to join us for the great celebration. May God bless you on this milestone of devotion and service!

CPPS ASSEMBLY--Father Ed will be at the Precious Blood Assembly from June 2-5 at Kearney, MO.

A BIG THANK YOU is given to Brad Schmitz and Bailey Schmitz who helped serve and cleanup at the 8th Annual Baileyville reunion on May 25. A donation of \$50 was given to St. Mary's Religious Education program in appreciation of their help.

CHOIR MUSIC MISSING--3 large folders of the Catholic Press Organ Music Accompaniment and Guitarists Music is missing from the choir. Please return as soon as possible as the musicians are in need of the music.

ATTENTION MUSICIANS--During the Easter season (April 20 thru June 8) the priest will sprinkle Holy Water on the assembly. Be prepared to sing an appropriate hymn. The Gloria will be sung on weekends till June 8.

ROSARY-- Wednesday, June 4 at 7PM there will be rosary at the grotto. Weather permitting.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTION--Congratulations to the newly elected parish council members Danny Tangeman & Kevin Nordhus. Many thanks to Martin Haug and Roger Stallbaumer for serving on the parish council for the past three years.

SPECIAL COLLECTION--The Catholic Communications Campaign will be on Sunday, June 1.

CONFIRMATION--The next confirmation for St. Mary's will be in the fall of 2015. It will be held at St. Mary's and students from Sacred Heart in Baileyville will be confirmed as well as St. Mary's students. The students being confirmed will be those who will be in the 8th and 9th grades in the 2015-2016 school year. Confirmation preparation will start this fall 2014. If you would like for your child to be confirmed at St. Mary's but he/she does not currently attend CCD at St. Mary's, please contact Shauna Engelken as soon as possible so arrangements can be made. Shauna may be reached at 785-336-2075 or email at shauna_engelken@yahoo.com.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE--A weekend away for a lifetime of change from June 20-22 at the Precious Blood Center in Liberty, MO. Serving the widowed, separated and divorced who are suffering the loss of a love relationship.

Ministries for June 8, 2014-PENTECOST SUNDAY

Cross: Dylan Lortscher

Servers: Devon Siess & Marissa Randel

Eucharistic Ministers: Marsha Korber, Paige Strathman, Abby Olberding, Don Lueger, Mary Schmitz

Lector: Dan Tangeman

Commentator: Cindy Murphy

Ushers: Galen Bergman & John Bergman

Offertory Gifts: Mike & Beth Deters Family

Rosary: Paul Strathman

Organist: Nicole Sudbeck & Katrina Sudbeck



UPCOMING ALTAR SOCIETY EVENTS

The fish pond game is very popular, so we will have **ADDITIONAL GOODY BAGS** if you would be willing to fill a few extra this year. If you are planning to bring an item for the auction this year, and you have not informed an officer yet, please let us know. We could use several more **PICNIC TABLES**. If you have one we could borrow, please let one of the officers know.

CHUCH HALL CLEANING: Wednesday, June 11, 2014

CHURCH PICNIC: Sunday, June 22, 2014.

REMINDER TO CIRCLE LEADERS--Annual church hall cleaning on Wednesday, June 11. Officers and all Circle Leaders are asked to help. Officers come at 4PM and all Circle Leaders come at 5PM on Wednesday, June 11.

Circles 1 & 2 Leaders are asked to work on Friday, June 20 beginning at 1:30PM to help prepare the hall for the picnic.

Circles 3 & 4 Leaders are asked to work on Monday, June 23 beginning at 8AM to clean up the hall and kitchen after the picnic.

QUILTS FOR PICNIC AUCTION--The quilts that will be sold at the auction at the Church Picnic on Sunday, June 22, are posted on the St. Mary's Church Website at www.stmstb.org and then under the "News & Information" dropdown menu.

BINGO AT LIFE CARE NURSING HOME is every 3rd Wednesday at 1:30PM. June 2014--Beth Deters, Eileen Sudbeck, Mindy Sudbeck, Patty Stallbaumer, Jenny Nordhus, Linda Lortscher, Christina Stallbaumer, Ashley Holthaus

Remember in your prayers those who are sick, taking treatments, hospitalized or still recovering: Donna Hulsing, Elijah James Ruegge, Jackie Olberding, Leroy Tangeman, Nancy Deters, Martha Engelken, Brad Bowhay, Margie Miller, Ivan Rottinghaus, Gilbert Schmitz, Clara Krogman, Aiden Berkhart, Lyle Rottinghaus, Monica Olberding Countryman, Anna Marie Kuckelman, Brad Hammes, Elaine Ronnebaum, Laura Schmelzle.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL--Registrations are now available for 2014 All Faith Community Vacation Bible School. VBS will be held from 9 to 12 noon at Sts. Peter & Paul Church on June 16th thru 20th. This fun filled week is available for Preschool (age 4) to Grade 6 (14-15 school year). To register contact Nikki Honeyman at 336-0166 or Michelle Haverkamp at 336-3283. We are also looking for parent and student volunteers to help.



'HEAVEN IS FOR REAL' a Todd Burpo Presentation to be at the Marysville High School Auditorium on June 19th, at 5:30PM and 8PM. Free Admission.

HEAVEN--The world is only peopled to people heaven.

HALL & CHURCH is spoken for on these dates for 2014:
 June 11--Annual Hall Cleaning
 June 14--Haug-Hall
 June 20--23 Annual Picnic--Hall
 June 21--Mitchel Schmitz & Marissa Mosqueda--Church
 June 16-23--Set up for church picnic-hall
 June 22--Annual Church Picnic--Hall
 June 28--Rachel Holthaus-Adam Ronnebaum Wedding--Church
 July 14, 2014--Parish Council meeting at 8PM
 Aug. 10--Rosemary Sudbeck--Hall
 Sept. 21--Sudbeck-Hall
 Aug. 3--Schmitz Reunion--Hall
 Aug. 9--Hall
 Oct. 11--Jill Rottinghaus/Haverkamp Wedding--Church
 Oct. 17--Sudbeck Rehearsal--Hall
 Oct. 18--Mark Sudbeck & Kristina Krones--Church
 Nov. 27--Scott-Hall
 Dec. 7--Holthaus Christmas
 Dec. 20--Bergman Christmas--Hall
 Dec. 25--Scott-Hall

HALL & CHURCH is spoken for on these dates for 2015:
 Jan. 10, 2015--Katrina Sudbeck & Levi Larkins Wedding
 May 2, 2015--Lisa Holthaus & Kent Kruse Wedding
 June 20, 2015--Danielle Osterhaus & Brad Green Wedding
 December 6, 2015--George Holthaus Christmas-Hall
 December 19, 2015--Bergman Christmas-Hall

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 are still available. 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.

ROSARIES--If you have not pick up your rosary that was donate to the parish please pick up at the parish house on Thursdays from 8:30 to 1:30PM.

GENEALOGY--The parish has acquired genealogy information on the Bergman Family. If you are interested in the data, let the parish secretary know and we can make a copy for you. Suggest donation to St. Mary's Parish is \$10.

SUMMER SOCIALS



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ST. JAMES CHURCH PICNIC & AUCTION will be held on Sunday, June 8th, 2014 from 4:30 to ????. Serving family style Roast Beef and ham dinner. Children (4 to 10 years) \$5.00, Children (3years & under) Free, Adults \$8.00. Auction at 8PM inside the hall. Games for all ages on the grounds.

ST. MALACHY'S CHURCH PICNIC will be held on June 8, 2014. Supper served from 5 to 7:30PM. Beef Brisket or pork Barbeque or plain. Adults \$8, Children 10 & under \$4. Bingo, games, quilts, country store and raffle. Auction at 8PM.

ST. MICHAELS'S CHURCH in Axtell will be holding its annual Summer Picnic on Sunday, June 15, 2014. Come and enjoy a meal with roast beef and ham in an air-conditioned hall. Serving will be from 5 to 8PM. Cost for the meal will be \$8.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children 12yrs and under. There will also be games for all ages, bingo, chance book drawings and an auction at 9PM. Come and Celebrate Father's Day in Axtell!!

IN THE BEGINNING--(week10) The most critical part of Chris's development is now complete. Now Chris enters into a period of rapid growth. Eyelids fuse closed and won't open again until about 26 weeks. Eye color is already determined and Chris can squint and swallow. Chris is over an inch long and is moving quickly about the womb. Mother's waistline is starting to disappear.

"Did you not...clothe me with skin and flesh, and weave me of bone and sinew?" (Job 10:13)

 A Sunday school teacher was just finishing her lesson when she asked this question to conclude: "Children, what must we do first before we can expect forgiveness for our sins?"
 A little boy raised his hand and said, "Well, first we've got to sin."

KELLY YOUTH RALLY T-SHIRTS--They are pre-ordering T-Shirts. If you like for your son/daughter or yourself to have a 2014 Kelly Youth Rally shirt this year, please let me know asap. The shirts are \$13.00 each. The Parish will pay for the \$10.. Registration fee, but you will have to pay for the T-Shirts. If you wish to pre-order, please give Shauna Engelken, the size and check as soon as possible. There will be a FEW extra shirts available for sale at the Top Shop and Soul Provider. Event is Saturday , August 16 at 4PM. Mass at 8:30PM.

GOOD EXAMPLE--A faithful Christian, illumined by the rays of grace like a crystal, ought to illumine his neighbor with the light of good example, through word and deed.

ST.BENEDICT BALL ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE

June 3--Centralia @ St. Benedict
 June 6--Kelly @ St. Benedict
 June 10--St. Benedict @ Frankfort
 June 13--Baileyville @ St. Benedict
 June 17--St. Benedict @ Wetmore
 June 20--Axtell @ St. Benedict
 June 24--St. Benedict @ Corning
 June 27--St. Benedict @ Centralia
 June 28--Wee Pee Tournament @ Wetmore
 July 1--St. Benedict @ Kelly
 July 4--Frankfort @ St. Benedict
 July 8--St. Benedict @ Baileyville
 July 11--Wetmore @ St. Benedict
 July 16-19--Little League Tournament @ Baileyville
 July 20-22--Pee Wee Tournament @ Frankfort
 Start Times: Wee Pee at 5:30PM--Pee Wee at 6:30PM--Little League at 8:00PM.
 The July 4th game might be at a different time than above.

dear Padre

June 1, 2014

Am I already "saved"?

My neighbor is a fundamentalist Christian. He said I won't be "saved" unless I accept Jesus as my personal savior. Didn't Jesus become my savior when I was baptized?

Your neighbor is probably referring to John 3:7, when Jesus told Nicodemus, "You must be born anew." Jesus is talking about a spiritual rebirth; we must have a spiritual birth in order to be saved. As you have correctly noted, Catholics believe this happens at baptism. In John 3:5, Jesus says, "No one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit."

We are saved by the waters of baptism. But for Catholics, it's not merely a one-time event. We continue to accept or reject the salvation offered us by the decisions we make every day.

Your neighbor used the words "personal savior." Catholic Christians go even deeper through the sacraments. We develop and nurture a very personal relationship with Jesus by regularly receiving the Eucharist. In the sacrament of reconciliation, we admit we have sinned and ask Jesus to forgive us. And in the sacrament of confirmation, our relationship is "sealed" with the gift of the Spirit.

Many Catholics also celebrate the sacrament of marriage. The couple's personal relationship with Jesus is deepened through the love the couple shares.

So tell your neighbor you are indeed saved by Jesus. And because you are saved, you deepen that relationship with Jesus by living a sacramental life.

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