

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

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Bulletin announcements need to be in by Noon on Thursdays.

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 19, 2014-- TWENTY-NINTH 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. 20-Baileyville- Cynthia Koch

Tues.-Oct. 21--Baileyville--Kayla Strathman

Wed.-Oct. 22-Baileyville-Liv/Dec. Henry & Clara Meyer
Family

Thurs.--Oct. 23-Baileyville--Ann Holthaus

Fri.--Oct. 24--St. Benedict--Adrian Strathman

Sat.--Oct. 25-Baileyville--Liv/Dec. Alvin Deters Family

Sun.-Oct. 26-Baileyville--For the People of the Parishes

Sun.-Oct. 26-St.Benedict-Giles Kohake

COLLECTIONS for Oct. 12, 2014---Plate:\$81.60, Envelopes: \$1,581.00, Stipends: \$50.00, Other: \$3.00, Stola: \$100.00, Church Tour: \$40.00, Leaven: \$54.00, Total: \$1,909.60.

OCTOBER IS PRO-LIFE MONTH---"A Nation that kills its own children is a Nation without hope." Pope John Paul II.

THE FEAST OF ST. GASPAR DEL BUFALO is on October 21. St. Gaspar founded the Missionaries of the Precious Blood on August 15, 1815. Within a short time the missionaries spread to Switzerland and Germany. At the requests of the bishop from Ohio, the German Missionaries from Switzerland came to Ohio on January 1, 1844 to serve the German settlers there. From there the Missionaries went on to serve German speaking people throughout the U.S. including Kansas.

SACRISTAN NEED: A volunteer is needed to take over the duties of altar sacristan and of washing the linens. If interest please call Julie at 785-230-0978.

CLASSES---October 22, 2014-Safe Touch Training-In church basement 6th-9th followed by 10th-12th. This is an annual training required by the Archdiocese. If you have not return your OPT OUT letter, please return to Shauna by Oct. 22.

ELEMENTARY CCD CLASSES---Grades K-5-Wednesday, October 22-No Class.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY---Today is World Mission Sunday! We are invited today to reach out and help build the Church in Mongolia, the world's youngest Catholic Church, as well as local churches throughout the Missions, in the most remote areas across our world. Your prayers and generous gift to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in the collection today help the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in Mongolia and throughout the Missions who offer the poor practical help and experience of God's love and mercy. His hope and peace. Please keep the Missions in your daily prayers. Please be as generous as you can today's collection. For more information, please visit www.IAmMissionary.org.

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VIRTUS TRAINING is Tuesday evening, October 28 at 6:30PM at Annunciation Church, Frankfort. To register, go to: www.virtusonline.org and select registration on the left.

Ministries for October 26, 2014

Cross: Joe Siess

Servers: Faith Henry & Nate Deters

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Haverkamp, Arlyn Holthaus, Paul Strathman, Mary Schmitz, Duana Huerter

Lector: Connie Huerter

Commentator: Don Lueger

Ushers: Wayne Rottinghaus & Norman Schmelzle

Offertory Gifts: Kevin & Tina Palic Family

Rosary: Danny Tangeman

Organists: Marlene Deters

Cantor: Tammy Holthaus

UPCOMING ALTAR SOCIETY EVENTS

BINGO AT LIFE CARE NURSING HOME is every 3rd Wednesday at 1:30PM.

ST. MARY'S ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST---Sunday, November 9th from 7:30AM to 1:00PM. Free will donation. Circles 3 & 4 are in charge. If anyone would like to donate eggs, butter, etc.. or if you have an item for the chance table, please contact Lois Enneking at 336-2315 or 294-0027 or any Altar Society Officer (Deb Koelzer, Donna Sudbeck or Dana Bradley).

November 7th-Friday---Set up for pancake breakfast. Officers come in at 5PM and Circles 3 & 4 leaders come at 5:30PM.

November 9th-Sunday---Pancake Breakfast. Officers come at 5AM and Circles 3 & 4 come at 6:30AM. Circles 1 & 2 leaders come at 7AM. All leaders will help with clean up. CYO students are asked to please wait tables.

Grades 11 come from 7:15AM to 10AM and grades 9-10-12 come from 10AM to the end.

November 19th-Wednesday---St. Mary's Annual Church cleaning. Circles 1 & 2 are asked to come from 5 to 7PM. Circles 3 & 4 are asked to come from 6 to the end. Parish Council members and officers husbands are asked to help. Please bring buckets, rags and kneepads.

ST. MARY'S PICNIC---Everyone is invited to the Willows on Monday, October 20th from 5 to 9PM. 10% of the food sales will be donated to St. Mary's.

Remember in your prayers those who are sick, taking treatments, hospitalized or still recovering: Elijah James Ruegge, Jackie Olberding, Leroy Tangeman, Nancy Deters, 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, Ruth Wichman Moon, Holly Bergman Harsh & Babies.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING will be held in the Sts. Peter and Paul parish education room on October 20, 2014 at 7PM. To register for the class please call the Sts. Peter and Paul parish office at 336-2128 or Susie Lueger at 336-1934.

FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING is scheduled for October 27 at 7PM.

THE LEAVEN payment is due! Please place \$18 in the Collection in your church envelope. Total amount collected is \$864. Total amount due to the Archdiocese is \$2,502.00.

COAT DRIVE PROJECT---Please place all unwanted coats, jackets, sweatshirts in the box in the back of church by Oct. 19. All coats will go to Scotch's Fabric Care Service for cleaning.



HALL & CHURCH is spoken for on these dates for 2014:

- Oct. 27--Finance Council Meeting @7PM
- Nov. 3-Parish Council Meeting-8PM.
- Nov. 7-Pancake Breakfast Setup-Hall
- Nov. 9-Pancake Breakfast-Hall
- Nov. 19-Annual Church Cleaning-Church
- Nov. 21--Sudbeck-Hall
- Nov. 27—Scott-Hall
- Dec. 7--Holthaus Christmas
- Dec. 20--Bergman Christmas--Hall
- Dec. 21, 2014-Olberding –Hall
- Dec. 25—Scott-Hall
- Dec. 27--Lueger-Hall

HALL & CHURCH is spoken for on these dates for 2015:

- Jan. 10--Katrina Sudbeck & Levi Larkins Wedding
- Jan. 31-Setup Hall for Soup Day
- Feb. 1--Annual Soup Day-Hall
- Feb. 7-Holthaus-Hall
- May 2--Lisa Holthaus & Kent Kruse Wedding
- May 16-Schmitz Anniversary-Hall
- June 17-Annual Hall Cleaning
- June 20--Danielle Osterhaus & Brad Green Wedding
- June 26-Picnic Setup-Hall
- June 28-Annual Church Picnic
- Aug. 2--Schmitz Hall
- Sept.5-Holthaus Hall
- Fall 2015-Confirmation at St. Mary's
- December 6--George Holthaus Christmas-Hall
- December 19—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.

GENEALOGY--The parish has acquired genealogy information on many families of the parish including Bergman , Deters, Engelken, Fangman, Grosser-Holthaus, Haug, Haverkamp , Heiman , Holthaus , Huerter , Lierz , Kramer , Krogman , Mohrman , Olberding ,Rethman , Ronnebaum , Rottinghaus , Strathman , Strathman B , Stegeman, Sudbeck, Wichman . 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 \$20 for each family. The donation from this project will go to reguilding certain items in the church.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION--When the fathers of the Second Vatican Council met to discuss the sacrament of penance, they were required to draw up a new rite, including several forms. The hot button for debate was so-called "general absolution," by which a penitent could be absolved of sin without confessing to a priest. This was a difficult debate, compounded by widely varying traditions in both East and West. Some were surprised to learn that the Holy See had already given permission, during the First and Second World Wars, for this form. In 1944 the Vatican issued a decree saying this form was valid under extreme conditions, which bishops in mission lands and Latin America took as a kind of "blanket permission." Thus, the fathers of the Council were alarmed to find this practice fairly widespread, not only in war, but in peaceful places with huge numbers of faithful and few priests. Although they eventually produced a ritual with three different forms, the forms are not considered equal, and the enriched and revised individual form is preferred. The enrichments include a welcome of the penitent, a sign of the cross with an encouragement to trust in God's compassion, new texts rich in the Word of God, praise for God's mercy, and a dismissal.

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LOOK WHO'S TALKING

When money speaks the truth is silent.

WORDS AND ACTIONS-When people hear us speak God's word, they marvel at its beauty and power; when they see what little impact it has on our daily lives; they laugh and pole fun at what we say.

NEMAHA CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL FCCLA & FBLA organizations are hosting a soup super before the home game on October 24. The supper will be held in the common area and will include three kinds of soup along with desserts for a free will donation. Soup will be served beginning at 4:30 and will end at 7PM. Proceed will be split between FCCLA and FBLA .

NANCY STEINLAGE BENEFIT will be Sunday, Oct. 26th at Seneca Knights of Columbus Hall. Pulled Pork Dinner starting at 10:30AM to 2PM. Freewill donation. With Auction following. There will be a gun raffles and donation buckets placed throughout the community. Any businesses or individuals wanting to donate for the auction, please contact Fred Henry at 364-8288 or Craig Steinlage at 294-0708 or please drop off items to Clete Kramer at Mr. Tire in Seneca. Proceeds will be used to help cover medical expenses with Nancy's fight against Leukemia.

"RESCUED"--Wade Talley in concert. Songs of faith, family and life from a Wetmore singer, songwriter, farmer will be on Wednesday, October 29, 2014 at 7PM at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Sabetha. Free Admission. Also featuring recording artist, Fr. Kent O'Conner.

AXTELL KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS COUCNIL 1163 is sponsoring their annual ALL YOU CAN EAT Boiled Shrimp, Smoked Pork Chops and Frog Legs dinner with baked potatoes, slaw, baked beans and rolls on Saturday, November 8, 2014 from 5PM to 8:30PM at the Axtell Legion/Community building. Adults \$15 in advance or \$17 at the door, Children 6-12 \$7 in advance and \$8 at the door. They will also be raffling off chances for Brand New Holland Wrangler Grill1 Winner of the grill will be drawn at 8:30PM on November 8 and winner does not need to be present to win. Tickets and grill chances are available at Henry's Retail Liquor or contact any Axtell K of C member. All proceeds to benefit St. Michael's School.

ANNUNCIATION PARISH, FRANKFORT will have a turkey dinner with all the trimmings on November 9, 2014 from 11:00AM to 1:30PM at the Cigna Center. Adults are \$9 and Children 10 and under \$4. Country Store, Food Items, Crafts and much more.

SPPS PTO SOUP SUPPER--Sunday, November 23rd. Serving begins at 4:30PM in the Parish Hall. Serving Chili, Chicken Noodle & Vegetable Soups, Sandwiched, hot dogs and chili dogs, desserts and coffee or tea. Free will Donation. Chance drawing with lots of prizes!!! Proceeds benefit Religion Textbooks for the Classroom.

THE SPPS SOUP SUPPER will be held Sunday, Nov. 23. If you are willing to donate items for the chance drawings, please contact Beth Deters at 33-1725 or Linda Lortscher at 336-6633. All proceed will benefit Religion Textbooks for the classrooms. Thank You!

ST. JAMES CONSIGNMENT AUCTION at Wetmore, Ks., on Sunday, December 7, 2014 starting at 10AM. Advertising deadline is November 8. Accepting construction and farm equipment, trucks, cars, farm supplies, hay, household wares, etc. Contact 785-547-5082 or 785-207-0434.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA will be at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Axtell. They will host the Community Christmas Cantata this year on December 14, 2014.

ARCHDIOCESAN OFFICE of the Permanent Diaconate is offering a series of information nights this fall at Sts. Peter & Paul, Seneca on November 5 at 7PM. For more information call 913-647-0358 or visit www.archkck.org/deacons. Everyone who is interested in learning ore about the diaconate and the details of our archdiocesan formation program are welcome to attend.

IN THE BEGINNING-(week 30) I must be getting younger. The wrinkles I had everywhere are slowly disappearing as I gain more and more weight. I used to have a big head, but now my body is catching up/ I can move my eyes but it is still pretty dark in here. I can hear my mom. I can't wait to see her. The baby takes mom's breath away as Chris kicks her lungs and ribs. Fatigue is her constant companion. "I was a stranger and you made me welcome...in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me. "Mt. 25 35, 40.

A WEDDING celebrates when a man and woman become one. The trouble starts when they try to decide which one. . .