

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

NOVEMBER 13, 2016-THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Masses for the Week



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.-Nov. 14-Baileyville-Elmer Feldkamp

Tues.-Nov. 15-Baileyville- Liv/Dec. Ben & Anna Deters Family

Wed.-Nov. 16-Baileyville-Gilbert Broxterman

Thur.- Nov. 17-Baileyville-Joe Ronnebaum

Fri.-Nov. 18-St. Benedict-Liv/Dec. Seneca K of C #1769 & Abbot Owen Purcell

Sat.-Nov. 19-St.Benedict-Wedding at St. Benedict @ 2:30PM -Ashley Schmelzle & Baylen Edelman

Sat.- Nov. 19-Baileyville-Glen Meyer

Sun.- Nov. 20-Baileyville-Jeanette Holthaus

Sun.-Nov. 20-St. Benedict-Liv/Dec. Virgil & Dora Bowhay Family

COLLECTIONS for November 1, 2016: Plate: \$56.00, Envelopes: \$85.00, Total: \$151.00. **November 6:** Plate: \$116.00, Envelopes: \$1,090.50, Candle: \$6.00, Stola: \$100.00, Church Roof: \$200.00, World Missions: \$20.00, CCHD: \$15.00, Military: \$15.00, Christmas Flowers: \$15.00, Total: \$1,647.50. **Cemetery: \$255.50.**

WEDDING BELLS-Ashley Marie Schmelzle, daughter of Gerald & Denise Schmelzle and Baylen Derek Edelman, son of Ronnie and Stephanie Edelman plan to get married here on November 19 at 2:30PM.

HIGH SCHOOL CCD CLASSES will be on Wednesday, Nov. 16 at 7:30. Normal Classes. Teen Mass on November 20. Senior Class in charge of ministries.

ELEMENTARY CCD will be on Wednesday, Nov. 16-Grade 3 Sacrament of Reconciliation.

INQUIRY CLASS - The next class will be today, Sunday, November 13 at 7:00PM in Sacred Heart Rectory.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS--Christmas poinsettias may be purchased as memorials this holiday season. Please put \$15 in the collection basket for each memorial with the name of your loved one by December 18. Thank you.

RAISE THE ROOF FUND

PROJECT GOAL	\$60,000.00
20 DONATIONS	\$7,610.00
3 PLEDGES	\$550.00
REMAINING GOAL	\$51,840.00

OUR GOAL of \$60,000 for our roof fund will be met if 10 parishioners were to give \$1,000 each and 100 were to give \$500 each. Thanks so much to those who have already given to the roof fund.

ANGEL TREE - The JR High/Confirmation Class will once again be sponsoring an "Angel Tree" community service project this year. A tree will be up in the back of church with angel tags on it. Parishioners are asked to choose a tag (or tags) and donate a gift in memory of a deceased loved one. All gifts will be donated to the Nemaha County Christmas Bureau to help less fortunate families to have a better Christmas. The deadline to have the gifts turned into St. Mary's is December 1st, 2016. Additional information available on the table beside the tree. Please consider supporting this worthwhile cause!

PARISH COUNCIL meeting will be on Nov. 14 at 7PM.

LEARNING never exhausts the mind.

Ministries for November 20, 2016-Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Cross: Trevor Holthaus

Servers: Devon Siess & Kyle Haverkamp

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Haverkamp, Betty Bergman, Betty Olberding, Craig Olberding, Laurie Strathman

Lector: Paul Strathman

Commentator: Alan Schmitz

Ushers: Jacob Schmitz & Corey Heiman

Offertory: Jacob Schmitz, Corey Heiman & Jacob Koelzer

Rosary: Dan Tangeman

Teen Choir: Stan Murphy, Amanda Stallbaumer, Bailey Schmitz

Ministries for Nov. 23, 2016-Thanksgiving Mass-6PM

Cross: Lilly Engelken

Servers: Karly Tangeman, Dylan Lortscher

Eucharistic Ministers: Sara Nordhus, Troy Nordhus, Mary Schmitz, Brian & Lisa Holthaus

Lector: Dan Tangeman

Comentator: Cindy Murphy

Ushers: Leon Holthaus & Dave Huerter

Offetory: Robert & Shauan Engelken

Rosary: Brianna Uphaus

Organist: Kayla Sudbeck

Cantor: Megan Sudbeck

ALTAR SOCIETY EVENTS & NEWS

BINGO AT LIFE CARE NURSING HOME is every 3rd Wednesday at 2:00PM. **NOTE TIME CHANGE**-Laurie Strathman, Tina Palic, Ellen Hanzlicek, Rosemary Sudbeck, Marsha Korber, Nancy Feldkamp, Diane Lueger, Jill Haverkamp

NOVEMBER 13TH-St. Mary's Pancake Breakfast. Serving from 7:30 am to 1:00 pm. 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 Staci Haug at 336-1106 or any Altar Society Officer.

NOVEMBER 16TH-ST MARY'S ANNUAL CHURCH CLEANING. Officers come at 3:30pm. Circles 1 & 2 come from 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

Circles 3 & 4 come from 6:00 pm to the end. Parish council members and officers' husbands are asked to help. Please bring buckets, rags, kneepads, etc.

CHRISTIAN T-SHIRTS--Help spread the Good News of Jesus Christ!!! What a great way to evangelize....simply wearing a T-shirt for Christ!!

There will be a fundraiser booth in the back of church on November 20th showing sample shirts. There is a wide range of designs, anything from super cute to really macho. These shirts would make great Christmas gifts for anyone on your list....kids, teens, those hard to buy for adults. Give a gift this Christmas that will share God's message of love to all those around.

Please plan to pay at time of ordering. The shirts will be available after masses the weekend of Dec 4th. If you are unable to pickup them up at this time, the shirts will be available for you to pick up at the church office after that date.

All proceeds will go to St. Mary's Parish- Raise the Roof Campaign. This is a high percentage fundraiser with about 45-50% of total sales going to St. Mary's. If you would like to take a look at the t-shirts available prior to our sales date, please go to: www.kerusso.com Please provide SKU numbers at our booth of the items you would like to order. We will have catalogs to order from at the booth.

If you are unable to make it to our booth, but would like to place an order, please contact Charity Henry: 785-336-2886 or cwhenry@nvcs.com.



HALL & CHURCH is spoken for on these dates for 2016:

Nov. 13-PANCAKE BREAKFAST
Nov. 13 Holton CCD tour
Nov. 14-Parish Council Meeting @ 7PM
Nov. 16-Annual Church Cleaning
Nov.19-Ashley Schmelzle&Baylen Edelman Wedding-Church
Nov.19-Rethman/ Cline-Hall
Nov. 24-Scott-Hall
Nov. 26-Gudenkauf Reunion-Hall
Dec. 10-Rottinghaus-Hall
Dec. 18-Sudbeck-Hall
Dec. 25-Engelken-Hall
Dec. 31-Lueger-Hall

HALL & CHURCH is spoke for on these dates for 2017:

Jan. 9 –Finance Council Meeting @ 7PM
Feb 5-Annual Soup Day
April 9-Easter Egg Hunt-Hall
April 16-Hall-Scott
March 19-Holthaus-Hall
May 7-May Crowning-Church
May 27-28-29-St. Benedict Alumni-Hall
May 27-James Smith-Church-First Mass
June 10-Stallbaumer & Edelman Wedding-Church
June 14-Annual Hall Cleaning
June 25-Annual Church Picnic
July 9-Stallbaumer Hall
Aug. 6-Schmitz-Hall
Nov. 23-Scott-Hall
Dec. 16-Bergman-Hall
Dec. 25-Scott-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. The book provides the unique story of St. Mary's Parish from its founding. The family photos are sure to be cherished in decades to come. Copies available for pickup at the Rectory; leave a message at 336-3174 or email to Mary Beth at tahaverkamp@bbwi.net. Copies also are available through the Kansas Rural Water Association office located west of Seneca. Your grandchildren or great-grandchildren will appreciate having a copy.

GENEALOGY--The parish has acquired genealogy information on many families of the parish including Bergman ,Boeckman, Deters, Engelken, Fangman, GROSSER-Holthaus, Haug, Haverkamp, Heiman, Grobe-Holthaus, Holthaus, Huarter, Hulsing, Lierz, Kramer, Krogman, Mohrman, Olberding, Rethman, Ronnebaum, Rottinghaus, Sextro, Strathman, Strathman B, Stegeman, Sudbeck, Wichman . Suggested donation is \$20.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS those who are sick, taking treatments, hospitalized or still recovering: Leroy Tangeman, Brad Bowhay, Margie Miller, Ivan Rottinghaus, Clara Krogman, Aiden Berkhart, Lyle Rottinghaus, Monica Olberding Countryman, Anna Marie Kuckelman, Brad Hammes, Laura Schmelzle, Karsyn Aylward, Ambrose Martin son of Larrissa Nordhus, Martin, Eldon Kriley, Mary Lally, Kenny Olberding, Dennis Bergman, Greg Fangman, Jed Henry, Tim Sack, Victor Holthaus, Paul Kramer, Sara Conroy, Joyce Koch.

SPECIAL COLLECTION for the needy people in Haiti will be taken up this weekend November 12 and 13. Many people don't have food, water and clothes. Mark you envelope "Haiti Collection".

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (CCHD) collection will be taken up next weekend November 20. CCHD was founded to break the cycle of poverty in the United States by funding organizations that help individuals help themselves. With a tradition of improving education, housing situations, and community economic development, CCHD continues to make a positive impact in communities nationwide. Your contribution will defend human dignity and reach out to those living on the margins. Please give to the CCHD Collection.

CATHOLIC LEGACY SOCIETY LUNCHEON at Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Seneca on Sunday, November 13 at 12:30PM. Gary Pratt will present a simple and tax efficient way to make gifts from wills, trusts and estate plans to support your local parish, school, cemetery or ministries of the Church. Come to eat and listen! There is no cost to attend.

TURKEY SHOOT – Sunday, November 13 (1:00-3:00PM) at NC Middle School – More information on the bulletin board.

BIBLE TRUTH—What you bring away from the Bible depends to some extent on what you carry to it.

CHWC-Sacred Heart Parish, Baileyville and St. Mary's Parish, St. Benedict, have 8 students and 2 adult sponsors making plans to attend **Catholic Heart WorkCamp** in Oklahoma City, OK, June 18-24, 2017. To help raise funds, they are planning their annual **pork chop/chicken breast supper on New Year's Eve, from 5:00 – 8:30 p.m.** in the Sacred Heart Church Hall. Tickets for the pork chop or chicken meal are \$15.00. A hotdog meal is available for children for \$5.00. Students coming by to sell tickets include Garrett Randel and Bailey Schmitz from St. Mary's; Zach Buessing, Meghan Deters, Nick Heideman, Zach Heiman, Laura Waller and Abbygail Yunghans from Sacred Heart. You can also call Gloria Heiman at 336-1703 or Rosette Randel at 336-2998. Please support these students in their quest to deepen their faith and to help those in need!

SPECIAL EVENTS COVERAGE-The deadline dates for submitting the Special Events Coverage application or the Facility Usage / Indemnity Agreement with the Certificate of Liability Insurance paperwork prior to the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays are as follows: Thursday, November 17th prior to the Thanksgiving holiday (Chancery Offices are closed Thursday, November 24th and Friday, November 25th) Thursday, December 15th prior to the Christmas holiday (Chancery Offices are closed Thursday, December 26th through Monday, January 2nd) The paperwork must be received at the Chancery Offices on these dates to allow time for processing. If the paperwork is received after these dates, then coverage will not be provided for the event.

SPPS PTO Winter Wonderland Crafts and Vendor Festival will be held on Sunday, Nov 20th from 8 AM to 3 PM at the Community Building. Come do some early Christmas shopping! Lunch available by the 8th grade class.

Then come enjoy the SPPS PTO Soup Supper that evening, Sunday, Nov. 20th, starting at 4:30 in the Parish Hall. Serving chili, chicken noodle and beef vegetable soups, sandwiches, hot dogs and chili dogs, pies and desserts. Free will donation and a chance drawing with lots of prizes! Proceeds benefit new Science text books and technology at SPPS.

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH is hosting the Axtell Ecumenical Cantata on Decemaber 11, 2016, at 7:30 PM. The Choir will be performing "A Candlelight Christmas" by Benjamin Harlin, directed by Stan Murphy, Seneca, accompanied by Lisa Broxterman. There will be a time of fellowship following the presentation.

A LIVING NATIVITY (manger scene with live animals) will be portrayed on the Church lawn by the Axtell Community, starting at 5:30 PM and ending before the Cantata. Plan to come early so you can see this, it will be an inspirational experience.

MARRIAGE MINUTE November 13, 2016
"It's the end of the world as we know it!" The old R.E.M. song sums up the fears of the disciples in this Sunday's Gospel. The disciples wanted to know if they would receive a sign, so they could ostensibly be prepared for the end. There is a hint of procrastination in the disciple's question. It is almost as if they were asking, "Do I have more time to do what I want before I follow you?"

What if we lived our life with such intentionality and focus that we gave a radical "yes" to Jesus' invitation to follow him? What would that look like in our marriage? Would our children know that we love them unconditionally? Would our spouse know that they were truly the most important person in our life? How would we prioritize our time? This week, leave nothing on the table, and make sure your loved ones know how you truly feel!

A YOUNG BOY was invited to church by one of his friends. On the way out the door, his mother handed him to dollars.

"One for you, and one for God." his mother said. As the boy walked along his friends, the wind blew his dollars right out of his had and onto the street. One of them went right down into the sewer.

"Uh-oh!" said the boy. "There goes God's dollar!"

CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE: Nov. 20, Dec. 4 & 18, Jan. 8 & 22, Feb 5 & 19, March 5 & 19, April 2 & 30 and May 8.

DO you really love Jesus?