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Bulletin announcements need to be in by Noon on Thursdays.

Secretary in the office only on Thursday from 8:30AM till 1:30PM

Mass Schedule: Sunday Morning Mass at 10:00 AM & Fridays at 8:30AM

Marriage: Contact parish priest 6 months before Baptism: Contact parish priest

OCTOBER 22, 2017-WORLD MISSION SUNDAY



Unless specified below Mass times are as listed.

ST. BENEDICT---Sunday 10:00AM

Weekday Mass---Tuesday 7:30AM and Friday 8:30AM

Confession-Friday from 8:00AM to 8:30AM

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

Weekday Mass---Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30AM

Confession-Saturday from 6:30PM to 7PM

Sundays from 8:00AM to 8:30AM

Sun. Oct. 22-St. Benedict-Liv/Dec. Francis & Jean Tangeman Family

Tues.-Oct. 24-St. Benedict +Larry Nordhus

Tues. Oct. 24-Baileyville- +Glen Meyer

Wed. Oct. 25-Baileyville +Gladys Koelzer

Thurs. Oct. 26-Baileyville +Charles Glynn

Fri. Oct. 27- St. Benedict +Dennis Holthaus

Sat. Oct. 28-Baileyville -Liv/Dec. Wilbert & Georgann Rottinghaus Family

Sun. Oct. 29-Baileyville-People of the Parishes

Sun. Oct. 29-St. Benedict -Liv/Dec. Vincent & Florena Schmitz Family

COLLECTIONS for October 8, 2017-Total: \$1,451.50.

CHANGE OF SUNDAY MASS TIME AT ST. BENEDICT

The Sunday Mass at St. Benedict will be at **10:30am** starting November 5. This is a change from 10am to 10:30am. This will allow adequate time for the priest to be on time after the first Mass at Sacred Heart in Baileyville. This change will remain year around. Please also note the change for Tuesday Mass in Weekday Mass Schedule. Thank you for your co-operation.

WINTER MASS SCHEDULE AT BAILEYVILLE

The parish leadership team has decided to change the Saturday evening Mass time from 7pm to 6pm from November 11 (when DST ends). It will reverse back to 7pm when the DST begins on March 17, 2018. We regret the inconveniences caused to any parishioner due to this change. This change is mainly keeping in mind the safety of our elderly folks having to drive in the dark. Thank you for your co-operation.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE-Starting Nov. 5.

Tuesday : 8:30am at St. Mary's in St. Benedict
Wednesday : 8:30am at Sacred Heart, Baileyville
Thursday : 8:30am at Sacred Heart, Baileyville
Friday : 8:30am at St. Mary's in St. Benedict

CONFESSIONS:

St. Mary's : Fridays from 8am – 8:30am
 Sacred Heart : 30 minutes before Mass on Saturdays and Sundays

ALL SAINTS DAY (Nov. 1) is a Holy Day of Obligation.

The Mass schedule is:

Tuesday, Oct. at 6:00PM – St. Mary's, St. Benedict
 Wednesday, Nov. 1 at 7:30AM – St. Mary's, St. Benedict
 Wednesday, Nov. 1 at 8:30AM – Sacred Heart, Baileyville
 Wednesday, Nov. 1 at 7:00PM, Sacred Heart, Baileyville

ALL SOULS DAY (Nov. 2) even though it is not a Holy Day of Obligation, we are encouraged by the Church to pray for our deceased family members and also for all the souls in purgatory. The Mass schedule is:

Thursday, Nov. 2 at 8:30AM – Sacred Heart, Baileyville
 Thursday, Nov. 2 at 6:00PM – St. Mary's, St. Benedict

JR/HIGH SCHOOL CCD will be on Wednesday October 25 at 7:30PM.

CYO MEETING – We will have a CYO meeting in the church basement after mass on October 22nd. We will be working on the Angel Tree Project.

Ministries for Oct. 29—Priesthood Sunday

Cross: Cole Engelken

Servers: Faith Henry & Katie Tangeman

Candle Holders: Brooklyn Uphaus & Kannin Sudbeck

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Schmitz, Dan Tangeman, Diane Schmitz

Choir EME: Don Lueger

Lector 1: Connie Huerter

Lector 2: Brianna Uphaus

Ushers: Gary Schmitz & Justin Schmitz

Offertory: David & Duana Huerter Family

Rosary: David Huerter

Organist: Marilyn Holthaus & Amanda Stallbaumer

Cantor: Tammy Holthaus

Money Counters: Marsha & Laurie

ALTAR SOCIETY EVENTS & NEWS

NOV. 2017-(3RD TUESDAY)-CRESTVIEW at 2PM-Dana Bradley, Diane Rottinghaus, Betty Olberding(L), Sam Olberding, Mary Ellen Bowhay

NOV. 2017-(3RD WEDNESDAY)-LIFE CARE at 2PM-Wendy Roeber, Staci Haug, Shirley Schmitz, Susan Lueger, Shawn Hulsing

The Treasurer will order prize items from Ray's Applemarket and give a reminder call to the first member on the list to call the other ladies. The lady at the top of the list is also responsible for picking up the prize item's at Ray's Applemarket (**Life Care Only**) unless other wise instructed by the Treasurer. Please find a substitute if you cannot attend and let them know the day/nursing home.

NOVEMBER 12, 2017 -St. Mary's Pancake Breakfast

Serving will be from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If anyone would like to donate eggs, butter, etc. or if you have an item for the chance table, please contact Beth Deters at 336-1725 or any Altar Society Officer.

UPCOMING ALTAR SOCIETY EVENTS

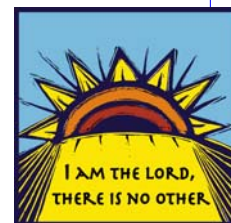
Nov. 2017 – St. Mary's Annual Church Cleaning will be held Wednesday, Nov. 15, 2017. Parish Council will need to come in a day or two in advance to perform their duties. Officers husbands' help is needed at 3:30 and again around 7:30 to move things to and from the hall. Circles 1 & 2 are asked to come from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. and Circles 3 & 4 are asked to come from 6:30 p.m. to the end. Please bring buckets, rags, kneepads, etc.

St. Mary's Pancake Breakfast will be held on Sunday, Nov. 12. Serving will be from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Free Will donation. Circles 1 & 2 are in charge. Circles 1 & 2 Leaders come on Thursday, Nov. 9, at 5:30 p.m. to prepare the hall for Sunday and come again on Sunday, Nov. 12, at 6:30 a.m. Circles 3 & 4 Leaders are asked to come Sunday, Nov. 12 at 7:00 a.m. CYO students are asked to help serve the breakfast. Grade 12 comes from 7:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Grades 9, 10, and 11 come from 10:00 a.m. to the end.

ELEMENTARY CCD will be on Wednesday, Oct. 25, at Sacred Heart, Baileyville.

FIRST COMMUNION-If anyone has a child that may be planning on making their First Communion in 2018 at St. Mary's to email Lisa Holthaus at ldalinghaus@yahoo.com.

TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY – a day that leads us to the heart of our Christian faith – leads us to mission! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in the Missions who share our faith with those most in need. This year we can even “chat” with our chief missionary, Pope Francis, and learn more about his missions and missionaries. Learn more at ChatWithThePope.org. Chat – Pray – Give this World Mission Sunday.



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

- Nov. 2-Church Tour
- Nov. 10-11-12-Pancake Breakfast
- Nov. 15-Annual Church Cleaning
- Nov. 23-Scott-Hall
- Nov. 24-25-Rusche-Hall
- Dec. 9-Hall-Halley/Rottinghaus
- Dec. 10-Hall-Lueger
- Dec. 23-McKinley-Hall
- Dec. 24-Olberding-Hall
- Dec. 25-Scott-Hall
- Dec. 30-Sudbeck-Hall



HALL & CHURCH is spoken for on these dates for 2018:

- Feb. 2-3-4-Soup Supper
- Apr. 8-Altar Society Meeting & Election of Officers
- April 1-Scott-Hall
- April 14-Huerter Wedding-Church
- April 21-Rottinghaus & Engelken Wedding-Church
- March 25-Easter Egg Hunt-CYO
- May 6-May Crowning
- May 27-Rottinghaus-Hall
- June 9-Hasenkamp & Steinlage Wedding @ 4PM-Church
- June 13-Hall Cleaning-No renting of hall until after picnic
- June 16-Sudbeck Wedding-Church
- June 22-23-24-25-Annual Church Picnic
- Aug. 5-Schmitz Reunion/Niehues-Hall
- Sept. 1-DeMint & Lemons Wedding-Church
- Nov. 22-Scott-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 tmhave1991@gmail.com or stmarys9208@gmail.com, 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, Huerter, Hulsing, Liening, Lierz, Kramer, Krogman, Mohrman, Olberding, Rethman, Ronnebaum, Rottinghaus, Schmitz, Sextro, Strathman, Strathman B, Stegeman, Sudbeck, Wichman . Suggested donation is \$20.

SCHMITZ HERITAGE BOOK-The John and Mary Schmitz genealogy book is available at St. Mary's parish office for \$10. The money towards this book will be donated to St. Mary's Parish. There will be a book in the back of church to view. If you have any questions you can call the parish office

CHURCH WEBSITE -- Several recent additions to the church website are "Calendars" where you can see dates when events are planned including Hall Rental, and also "Agreements and Forms" under the "News & Information" link.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS those who are sick, taking treatments, hospitalized or still recovering: Brad Bowhay, Ivan Rottinghaus, Clara Krogman, Aiden Berkhart, Lyle Rottinghaus, Monica Olberding Countryman, Brad Hammes, Laura Schmelzle, Ambrose Martin son of Larrissa Nordhus, Martin, Eldon Kriley, Mary Lally, Kenny Olberding, Dennis Bergman, Greg Fangman, Jed Henry, Tim Sack, Victor Holthaus, Sara Conroy, Joyce Koch, Kathleen Ronnebaum, Kristi (Mike) Meyer, Father Edward Oen, Vivianne Marousek, Leon Holthaus, Shirley Schmitz, Larry Sudbeck, Jayla Nolte, Joyce Holthaus, Jerry Lueger, Eric Holthaus, Frank Hulsing.

P.S. These names will remain on the list for two months, if you want to include the names again please call (336-3174) or email at stmarys9208@gmail.com.

THE H-H-H-H 4-H club will have a pancake breakfast on October 22, from 7:30 AM to 1:00 PM at the Saints Peter and Paul Parish Hall, Seneca. Everyone welcome

BISCUITS AND GRAVY BREAKFAST to benefit Fr. Arul's Orphanage and School for the Deaf in India, will be held on Sunday, October 29th, from 7:00 am to 1:00 pm. Free will offering for a very worthy cause.

MAN tries to kill God and become a God himself.

ANNUNCIATION PARISH AT FRANKFORT will be having a turkey dinner with all the trimmings on November 5, 2017 from 11AM to 1:30PM at the Cigna Center. Adults -\$10 and children 10 and under \$5. Pot of Gold & country store.

SOUP LUNCHEON – St. Patrick's, Corning – Sunday, November 5 (11:00AM-2:00PM) – Three soups served – Games, etc.

ALL YOU CAN EAT boiled shrimp, smoked pork chops, frog leg dinner will be on Saturday, November 11, 2017 from 5PM to 8:30PM at the Axtell American Legion. Adults \$15 in advance or \$17 at the door, children (6-12) \$7 in advance and \$8 at the door. Sponsored by the Axtell K of C #1163. Tickets available at J & J Food Mart, Henry's Retail Liquor, CJ Express and Hometown Lumber. All proceeds to benefit various charities.

RURAL YOUTH OUTREACH at St. Patrick's, Corning on Sunday, October 22 (1:00-3:30PM). All parish adults are invited to attend. Building relationships will earn us the right to be heard, so we can help our beautiful kids embrace the truth and beauty of our Catholic Faith will be discussed. Your kids are searching. Will you journey with them?

STS. PETER & PAUL PTO Christmas Wonderland Crafts & Vendor Festival will be on November 19, 2017 from 8AM to 3PM.

ST. MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH in Axtell is pleased to be hosting this year's Axtell Ecumenical Christmas Cantata on December 10, 2017. This year we are singing The Promise of a King by Lloyd Larson and Joseph Martin, directed by Stan Murphy. For more info call Amy Schmitz at 785-736-2226 or schmitz@bluevalley.net.

LIFE CARE FOR OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD is in need of supplies. Items that are needed: toys, musical instruments, puzzles, jump ropes, school supplies, clothes. The donations could be dropped off any time at Life Care and if anyone wants to volunteer to wrap shoe boxes or fill shoe boxes feel free to call Tracie at [785-336-0723](tel:785-336-0723).

MARRIAGE MINUTE OCTOBER 22, 2017

What is your mission? This week Jesus instructs us to give to Caesar what is Caesar's and to God what is God's. This is not an equal divide! Although we need to follow the just laws of our country, what belongs to God is our whole lives and our main mission. As we look at our marriages, it can be easy to equate outside responsibilities with those to our spouse, when in fact we promised our spouse the gift of our whole self! Think about: • Do my outside commitments to work, friends and volunteering interfere with my duty to my spouse? • Do I confide first in my spouse and secondarily in other friends and family? For ideas on how to prioritize your marriage, go to www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

DEAR PADRE OCTOBER 22, 2017

Would you kindly address the issue of donating to charities? I'm sure others receive requests for money from many different organizations. I feel guilty discarding letters with pictures of starving children, when I eat well. I have the same dilemma. I live in the richest country in the world. I could live much more simply and dispose of all the income I don't need. But to do so would require a substantial change in lifestyle and would undoubtedly be viewed by many as irresponsible. Some are called to live a life of radical giving and radical poverty. Others — most of us—are called to live simply according to our circumstances and needs. We're called to be generous, but we're also expected to plan for the future, provide for our families, and seriously accept the other responsibilities before us. It is not necessary to respond to every particular need for which you receive an appeal, no matter how needy or worthy it may be. Choose a representative sampling of charities that you feel you can support, and discard the other appeals. Do so in good conscience. If, in the future, you find yourself to be in a situation where you can be even more generous, then by all means choose to do so. Adapted from Understanding Scrupulosity: Questions and Encouragement, by Fr. Thomas Santa, CSSR, © 2017 Liguori Publication.

"**Now**, how many of you want to go to heaven?" asked the Sunday school teacher. All the children raised their hands except one little girl. "I'm sorry, I can't. My mommy told me to come right home after Sunday school."

