**Sacred Heart Church**
357 N Third Street, Baileyville, KS 66404
Website: www.shbaileyville.com

**St. Mary's Church**
9208 Main Street, St. Benedict, KS 66538
Website: www.stmarystbenedict.org

# Thirty-Third Sunday Ordinary Time

## November 15, 2026

Pastor
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### Mass Schedule

Saturday:7:00p.m. - Sacred Heart Church
Sunday: 8:30a.m. - Sacred Heart Church
Sunday: 10:15a.m. - St. Mary's Church
Tue & Thu : 8:30a.m. - St. Mary's Church
Wed & Fri : 8:30a.m. - Sacred Heart Church
Holy Days of Obligation - As Announced

### Confessions

St. Mary's: 8:00 - 8:30a.m. Tuesdays & Thursdays
Sacred Heart: 6:00 - 6:45p.m. Saturdays
8:00 - 8:30a.m. Sundays
And anytime by appointment.

### Baptism

Please contact thepastor

### Marriage

Notify the pastor at least 6 months prior to wedding

### Pastoral care of the sick

Please call the Pastor at 913-530-3618 for anointing, Holy Communion and pastoral visits.

**CCD Faith Formation**
*(At Sacred Heart, Baileyville)*
Elementary (Grades 1-5) - Wednesdays 7:00 - 8:00pm
Youth (Grades 6-12) - Wednesdays 7:00 - 8:00pm

Hall Rental (Sacred Heart): Deann Sudbeck: 785-294-0028 Hall Rental (St. Mary's): Julia Briggs: 785-294-0567

Do you wish to become a member of our parish? We welcome you! Please contact the pastor or the parish office.

## From the Pastor's Desk:

*Dear parishioners,*

Last week, it was brought to my notice that during the cleaning up of the Church and the Parish grounds, the Parish Council and Altar Society discovered that the school had been broken into. An auction item was stolen, desks were busted up, and glasses from the dime toss were broken against the wall. A window was also broken on the parish hall. A police complaint was lodged, and they are investigating the matter.

I have formed a committee *(Brent, Dave, Deb & Chad)* to discuss the security issues of our buildings and the campus. I will let you know whatever we decide at the meeting. Meanwhile, I ask you to keep an eye on the campus whenever you drive by. Thank you for your concern.

### The Gift of a Mass Intention

Offering a Mass for a loved one—living or deceased, in thanksgiving, or for a special anniversary—is one of the most powerful and cherished traditions in our Catholic faith.
An Invitation to Weekday Masses.

Right now, our weekend Mass intention calendar fills up very quickly, while our weekday Masses have plenty of open dates available. Celebrating a Mass on a weekday (Monday through Friday) carries the exact same spiritual grace and power as a weekend Mass. We lovingly encourage all parishioners to consider booking weekday intentions for your family, friends, and dearly departed.

**New Policy for Weekend Mass Intentions**

To ensure that all families in our parish have a fair and equitable opportunity to remember their loved ones at Sunday and weekend liturgies, I have instituted a new policy: ***Limit per family:*** Each family is permitted a maximum of 3 weekend Mass intentions per calendar year.
There's no limit on scheduling intentions for weekday Mass.

How to book: You can request a Mass intention by contacting the parish office by phone, email, or stopping by during office hours. A suggested offering *($10 perintention)* is requested, though no one is ever turned away due to financial need. Thank you for your understanding, your generosity, and your commitment to keeping the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at the heart of our parish community.

**The Scally Brothers** are coming to St. Gregory's in Marysville next Sunday, Nov. 21 at 7pm. Free admission and everyone is welcome! Bring lawn chairs for this outdoor night of worship!

| **Ministry Schedule** (Sunday, November 22) | |
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| **Servers** | Clay H, Hank H, Brynne S, Eve K, Keira K |
| **EMHC** | Amber Meyer, Sara Nordhus, Troy Nordhus |
| **Lectors** | **L1:** Joanie Holthaus **L2:** Diane Schmitz |
| **Ushers** | Dennis R, Wayne R, Norman S |
| **Music** | Kayla Streit **Cantor:** Kayla Streit |
| **Greeters** | Chad Stallbaumer Fam **Counters:** Lori & Melinda |
| **Rosary** | David Huerter **Children's Lit:** Samantha & Lisa |
| **Gifts** | Brent Heiman Family |

## Mass Intentions

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| Sat. (Nov. 14) | St. Mary's & Sacred Heart parishioners |
| Sun. 8:30 (SH) | +Duane Tanking |
| Sun. 10:15 (SM) | +Justin & Frances Rottinghaus |
| Tues. (Nov. 17) | +Donald Holthaus |
| Wed. (Nov. 18) | +Jody Kuckelman |
| Thurs. (Nov. 19) | +Melvin, Zita, & Daniel Bergman |
| Fri. (Nov. 20) | +Peggy Geier |
| Sat. (Nov. 21) | St. Mary's & Sacred Heart parishioners |
| Sun. (Nov. 22) | +Duane Tanking |
| 10:15 (SM) | L/D Larry & Rosemary Sudbeck Family |

### This Week's Special Observance

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| Monday | St. Margaret of Scotland & St. Gertrude |
| Tuesday | St. Elizabeth of Hungary |
| Wednesday | Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter & Paul |
| Saturday | Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary |
| Sunday | Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe |

Last Weekend's Collection: **$3,337.89**
Thank you for your generosity!

### Confirmations

The Confirmations for Baileyville & St. Benedict youth will take place on Saturday, December 5 at 7:00pm Mass at St. Mary's Church, St. Benedict. Pllease mark your calendars.

***Please Note:*** Due to the Confirmations being held at St. Mary's (St. Benedict) on **December 5**, at 7:00pm, the Saturday evening Mass in Baileyville, will be celebrated at **5:30pm** with confessions starting at 5:00 pm. Thank you.

### Meat Donations

Do you have packages of ground beef or roasts that are not getting used? In preparation for the upcoming soup supper, the Altar Society is looking for donations of ground beef or roasts. Please contact an officer if you are interested in donating.

### Remember In Your Prayers

Jim Hunninghake, Dan Haug, Evelyn Rottinghaus, Tanner Strathman, Dianne Halley, Kevin Holthaus, Roxie Schmitz, Stella Reeder, Pat Broxterman, Justin Koch, Shirley Schmitz, Briggs & Bodhi Schmitz, David Holthaus, Benjamin Waller, Jane Nordhus, Deb Koch, Jan Tomlinson, Virginia Koelzer, Lewis Burke, Amy Lierz, Kim Domann, Trish Engelken, Tim Sack, Kathy Buessing, Darlene Kulhman, Vivianne Marousek, and Stan Murphy.

*Please call or email to remove the name from the list.*

## Advent Sundays Adoration!

Blessed Sacrament will be exposed soon after the Mass and adoration will continue till 3:00pm. Each family in the parish is encouraged to take a 30 minute time slot for adoration. Below is the list of the letter of your last name for your week. If you can't make it on your Sunday, please sign up for another Sunday. Sign-up sheets are in the back of church.

1st Sunday : **S** *(from Stallbaumer)* **T U W Y Z**
2nd Sunday : **H** *(from Holthaus)* **I J K L M N O**
3rd Sunday : **P R S** *(up to Spring)*
4th Sunday : **B C D E F G H** *(up to Henry)*

Treat yourself to a 30-minute time with Jesus this Advent! We all want to spend our eternity with Jesus; why not some time now!

## Angel Tree Project

Thank you for participating in our Angel Tree Project! Here's how it works:

1. Choose an angel tag in the age group you wish to donate to.
2. Purchase a gift for the group designated on the angel tag.
3. Place the gift in a box / sack, if needed, but do NOT wrap it.
4. Donate the gift in memory of your deceased loved one by writing their name on the tag under *"In Loving Memory of"*
5. Place the gift under the tree at the back of the church and hang the tag back on the tree.

Please return the gift with the tag NO LATER than 12/03/26. If you prefer to make a cash donation, you can make a check payable to the "Nemaha County Christmas Bureau" and put it in the collection plate in a marked envelope or in an envelope under the tree. All proceeds will go to the Nemaha County Bureau and be used in Nemaha County to help less-fortunate families have a better Christmas. May God reward your kindness this Christmas!

## First Communion Planning

First Communion is scheduled for Sunday, April 11, 2027. If you have a child planning to receive their First Communion in St. Benedict, please notify Wendy Roever by texting 785-294-1323 or emailing wroever@usd115.org by November 30.

## Church & Hall Calendar 2026 & 2027

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| November 28 | Stallbaumer-Hall |
| December 13 | Feldkamp-Hall |
| December 19 | McKinley-Hall |
| December 20 | Engelken Family-Hall |
| December 27 | Nordhus-Hall |
| January 2 | Schmitz Family-Hall |
| January 10 | Baileyville KOC Breakfast & Free Throw Contest |
| February 7 | Volunteer Appreciation Dinner-Hall |
| February 14 | Annual Soup Lunch |
| April 3 | Party with the Saints-Hall |
| April 11 | First Communion |
| April 18 | Altar Society Meeting-Hall |
| June 16 | Hall Cleaning |
| June 19 | Levi Kraisinger/Madison Lortscher Wedding |
| June 26 | Church Picnic |

## Area Events

- Axtell American Legion Hunter's Breakfast will be on November 15 from 7:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Legion in Axtell. Free will donation.
- St. Patrick's Corning, will host a Soup Luncheon on Sunday, November 22, from 11am -1pm at the Corning Community Center. Games/auction will also take place.
- Cantata 2026: Scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 13 at 7pm.

## CYO Bake Sale

CYO is having a silent auction bake sale after mass next Sunday. Save some time for your Thanksgiving holiday meal by buying one of the many delicious baked goods! There will be pies, cookies, cinnamon rolls, and other various items.

## Climb the mountain. Bring Jesus along.

Time in prayer is not a luxury or secondary to service, mission, or productivity. Nothing we do all day is more important than spending time with Jesus. Prayer gives life to our mission, and mission draws us back to prayer. We need both.

Climb the mountain: People may rightly say, "My work is my prayer." Yet spouses would struggle to stay close if they only met to divide the chores. In the same way, we need time with God apart from our work. Following Christ requires knowing Him. We sit at His feet and let Him teach us. In His presence, we learn to see as He sees, value what He values, S and love as He loves.

Return to the plains: We aren't meant to stay on the mountain. Jesus sends us back into ordinary life carrying what we received in prayer: a peaceful presence, a new insight, a kind word at the right moment. Some even begin the day by asking God to place in their path the people He wants them to encounter.

The Christian life moves between the mountain and the plain: drawing close to Jesus in prayer, then carrying His presence into the world. And in both places, He remains at our side.

## Submitting Bulletin News

If you would like to send an announcement to the parish bulletin, emailto:Email: pastor@shbaileyville.com OR call : 785-336 -6464 OR Mail to: P.O. Box 36, Baileyville, KS 66404. Bulletin announcements must be submitted by Wednesday of the week.

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