



Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



Lenten Services

Confessions During Lent

Saturdays at 3:15pm at IC

Sundays at 7:15am at SS

All Wednesdays at 6pm at Immaculate Conception

All Fridays 3:00-4:30pm at St. Stanislaus

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at Immaculate Conception

Easter Penance Services

March 22, 3pm at St. Stanislaus, Rossville

7pm at Immaculate Conception, St. Marys

March 29, 3pm at Sacred Heart, Paxico

7pm at St. Bernard, Wamego

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 15, 2015

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm – Immaculate Conception
7:00pm—St. Stanislaus
Sunday 8:00am—St. Stanislaus
11:00am—Immaculate Conception

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday 8:00am ImmaculateConception
Tuesday 12:10pm
Wed.-Saturday 8:00am
Alternate Wednesdays 10:00am—Rossville Valley Manor
Alternate Fridays 9:30am—St. Marys Manor

Web Sites:

Immaculate Conception: <http://www.immaculateconceptionstmarys.com>

St. Stanislaus: www.ststanchurch.org

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION Saturdays 3:15pm—Immaculate Conception
Sundays 7:15am—St. Stanislaus

BAPTISMS You must be registered in one of the above parishes or have the permission of the pastor where you live. Required preparation classes are held monthly for both parents and godparents. They are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child. Please contact Peg at the office, 437-2408, ext. 8, for further information.

MARRIAGE Please check web for marriage information.



St. Patrick of Ireland

St. Patrick of Ireland is one of the world's most popular saints. Apostle of Ireland, born at Kilpatrick, near Dumbarton, in Scotland, in the year 387; died at Saul, Downpatrick, Ireland, 17 March, 461. Along with St. Nicholas and St. Valentine, the secular world shares our love of these saints. This is also a day when

everyone's Irish!

Patrick was born around 385 in Scotland, probably Kilpatrick. His parents were Calpurnius and Conchessa, who were Romans living in Britain in charge of the colonies. As a boy of fourteen or so, he was captured during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. Ireland at this time was a land of Druids and pagans. He learned the language and practices of the people who held him. During his captivity, he turned to God. Patrick's captivity lasted until he was twenty, when he escaped after having a dream from God in which he was told to leave Ireland by going to the coast. There he found some sailors who took him back to Britain, where he reunited with his family. He had another dream in which the people of Ireland were calling out to him "We beg you, holy youth, to come and walk among us once more."

After this he began his studies for the priesthood. He was ordained by St. Germanus, the Bishop of Auxerre, whom he had studied under for years. Later, Patrick was ordained a bishop, and was sent to take the Gospel to Ireland. He arrived in Ireland March 25, 433 at Slane. Patrick began preaching the Gospel throughout Ireland, converting many. He and his disciples preached and converted thousands. Kings, their families, and entire kingdoms converted to Christianity.

Patrick by now had many disciples, among them Benignus, Auxilius, Isernius, and Fiac. (all later canonized as well). Patrick preached and converted all of Ireland for 40 years. He worked many miracles and wrote of his love for God in Confessions. After years of living in poverty, traveling and enduring much suffering he died March 17, 461.

Patrick used the shamrock to explain the Trinity, and has been associated with him and the Irish since that time.

Patrick was a humble, pious, gentle man, whose love and total devotion to and trust in God should be a shining example to each of us. He feared nothing, not even death, so complete was his trust in God, and the importance of his mission.

Weekly Schedule

(March 15 to March 22)

Sat.	03-14	8:00am	IC	Hildegard Pearl (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Parishioners
		7:00pm	SS	Margaret Tomson (+)
Sun.	03-15	8:00am	SS	Tom Broxterman (+)
		11:00am	IC	Mike Roth (+)
Mon.	03-16	8:00am	IC	Fr. Ray's Intention
Tues.	03-17	12:10pm	IC	Arnold & Mary Oestmann (++)
				Wilfred Poell (+)
Wed.	03-18	8:00am	IC	Winnie Minnis (+)
		10:00am	RVM	Dr. Eugene McKenzie (+)
Thurs.	03-19	8:00am	IC	Rosemary Pauly (+)
Fri.	03-20	8:00am	IC	George Verschelden (+)
Sat.	03-21	8:00am	IC	Tricia Clark (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Robert Jacobson (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Parishioners
Sun.	03-22	8:00am	SS	Mark Higgins (+)
		11:00am	IC	

Up-Coming Events

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Sun.	03-15	9:15am	SS	No CCD
		6:30pm	IC	Faith Formation Program
Tues.	03-17	7:00pm	IC	No RCIA
Wed.	03-18	10:00am	RVM	Mass
		6:00-7:30pm	IC	Confessions
		6:30pm	IC	No Rel. Ed.
		7:00pm	SS	Rosary & Chaplet
		7:00pm	SS	Youth Group Mtg
		7:00pm	SS	K of C Meeting
Thurs.	03-19	6:30pm	IC	Faith Formation Program
Friday	03-20	4:30pm	SS	Confessions
		7:00pm	IC	Stations of the Cross
Sun.	03-22	Fifth Sunday of Lent		
		9:15am	SS	No CCD
		6:30pm	IC	Faith Formation Program

Call to Share

Goals:

Immaculate Conception	\$18,548.00
St. Stanislaus	8,674.00

Contributed so far:

Immaculate Conception	\$24,345.00
St. Stanislaus	12,165.00

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00am to Noon and 1:00 -3:00pm

Friday 9:30am to Noon and 1:00- 3:45pm

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	Dekat Parish Center		

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Mar. 8, 2015, Contributions:
Plate-\$199; Env.-\$3,248. The Needy-\$127; Black & Indian-\$25; Energy-\$50; Catholic Relief-\$175; Rice Bowl-\$145; Mission-\$65. Total-\$4,034.

March Faith Direct:
Sp. Collections-\$205; Offering-\$2,570. Total-\$2,775.

Thank You for your stewardship and generous support of our parish!

Front Entrance Renovation Report ~

So far the pledge to date is: \$111,163. Payments to date: \$105,968.04.

Budget Options: There have been questions about how much each of the options would cost. Both options are \$150,000.00. If you have questions, please call Kent Francis.

2nd Grade Family Mass ~

Sunday, March 22nd. Sit in reserved pews on east side of church.

Reminder ~ Who ever borrowed the 2 (1 Gal. Jars) from the mini kitchen storeroom, please return. The funeral dinner ladies need them.

Youth Group Info ~

*Orders will be taken after Masses this weekend for burritos. \$18 per dozen; will deliver after March 16th.

*Youth group meeting this Sun, March 15th in youth room, 5-7pm

*Will accept any volunteer help to make burritos Mon., March 16th in ICC basement at 10am until we make all the burritos.

K of C #657 Info ~

***Mark Your Calendars:** The second fish fry for the year will be March 27th, 5-7pm. Cost is Adults-\$8; Children-\$4.

***K of C Thomas A. McNeive 4th Degree Assembly ~**

Will meet March 19th at 7:30pm in the Immaculate Conception Church basement.

Easter Mem. Flowers ~ If you would like to purchase a flower in memory of a loved one or ones, just put the money in the collection basket or drop it by the church office.

Reminder:

No Religious Ed. Classes at IC March 18th because of Spring Break and no classes April 1st because of Holy Week.

E-Mail Address Changes ~

Please use the new email addresses that are listed in the bulletin. WTC had us all change our addresses here at IC. The addresses that have changed are for Carol Michaelis, Bookkeeper, Peg Wehner, Rel. Ed.; Betty Aubert, Rel. Ed. and Mary Alice, Secretary.

Session 4 of "Catholicism" ~

Will be March 15th and 19th, 6:30 to 8:00pm. Don't worry if you've missed any sessions as each episode stands alone. All the popcorn you could possibly eat and pop you could drink. Feed your soul while you are there.

K of C Info ~

***March Family of the Month** selected by K of C Council 657 is the Roger & Ruth Crubel family. Roger Crubel has been selected as the Knight of the Month. Congratulations!

* **The Knights winner** of the \$20 gift certificate drawing is Joseph T. Muller, Jr.



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Mar. 8, 2015, Collection:

Plate-\$181; Envelopes-\$1,258; Poor and Needy-\$50. Total-\$1,489.

Bldg. Fund-\$692.

Thank You for your stewardship and generous support of our parish! (Please write a separate check for the building pledge donations, as we have to do a separate deposit.)

Reminder: The Wednesday evening Rosary during Lent will also include those present praying the Stations of the Cross. Our prayer group has been meeting for over 10 years at St. Stanislaus. Anyone is welcome to come join us in an hour of prayer and meditation at 7pm.



Please Pray ~ for the repose of the soul of Charles Schroeder, of Osage City. Charles is the father of Kathi Rewerts.

Youth Info ~

St. Stanislaus Youth Nights are held every Wed. from 7:00-8:30pm in Dekat Hall. There are many opportunities to fall in love with Jesus and our faith coming up at youth nights and at other encounters and trips. Please join us to find out about them or contact Angie for more info!

K of C Info ~

The Knight of the month for February is Greg Dekat. The Knight of the YEAR is Bill Neary, Jr. and the family of the YEAR is Don and Mary Ann Davis. Congratulations to all three!

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Reminder:

***Spring Break:** No CCD classes on March 15th or 22nd at SS.

Scholarship Applications ~

Graduating senior students from St. Stanislaus Parish are invited to fill out an application form for the \$500.00 scholarship which will be awarded in May of this year.

Easter Flowers ~

Forms for Memorial Easter Flowers are located on the table in the church entry.

Mass Stipends: Mass stipends are \$10.00 for anyone wishing to have a Mass said for the intention of a loved one. Please put the stipend in an envelope and drop it in the collection basket with your name and phone number as well as who the Mass is for and a suggested date for this Mass.

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Services Provided Parishes and Communities:

- Perpetual Adoration: Please contact the office if you wish to participate in this beautiful and prayerful devotion.
- Religious Education: Contact Peg Wehner (IC and HC), 437.2408 or Connie Fischer (SS) [cfischer@ameplus.com], 785-584-6262
- Youth Group: Contact Gerry Lou Marstall, (IC) 437-2295 or Angie Bittner(SS) 785.478-6803
- St. Marys Food Pantry: Please contact Mary Poell @ 437-2448 or Tina Roth @785-584-6466 for assistance.
- Ministry to the Sick: Parish contacts are: Betty Aubert, IC (437-6118) Janet Wehrly, HC (535-8021); Colette Peel, SS (582-5846).
- Hall Rentals: For rental information at any parish, please contact the parish office: 437-2408 or: for **SS**--Colette Peel (584-6612); for **IC**--e-mail to unityreled2@gmail.com; or for **HC**--Galen Rezac (535-2482).
- Prayer Chain Coord.: **Holy Cross**-Janet Wehrly (535-8021), **St. Stanislaus**-Shirley Gustafson (554-3028), **Immaculate Conception**-Mary Ellen Reese (437-6163).
- SS Music Ministry (Youth Choir) Angie Bittner, 221-2644 or Jen Womack, 969-5882

WILL YOU PLEASE HELP?



Adorers of the Holy Eucharist:

- ✦ Sun., 3-4pm.
- ✦ Mon. 5-6am; 11pm-Midnight (Mar. 16th-Apr. 20)
- ✦ Tues., 2-3am
- ✦ Wed., 12am-1am Alternating;
- ✦ Fri., 12 Noon to 1pm; 7-8pm
- ✦ Sat., 4-5am; 12 Noon-1pm; (6-7pm Temporary); 7pm-8pm.

Call Mary Ellen (437-6163) or Mary Alice (437-2408).

O, come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE INTENTIONS REQUESTED THROUGH OUR PRAYER CHAIN

Contacts: Mary E. Reese: 437-6163
Anita Marstall: 437-6117
Special Intention for Don Baker
Stan-For healing of cancer of major organs.
Anonymous person for healing.

Courage-Are you Experiencing Same-Sex Attraction?

Courage is a spiritual support group helping men and women live chaste lives in accordance with the Catholic Church's teaching on same-sex attraction and/or behaviors. Through participation in the Sacraments, prayer, fellowship and moral support, Courage members strive to develop lives of interior chastity in union with Jesus Christ. Courage meets in the Kansas City area weekly in the Archdiocese and in the Diocese of Kansas City/St. Joseph. EnCourage is a separate spiritual support group for family members and friends of loved ones with same-sex attraction. If you or your child is struggling with same-sex attraction and want confidential Catholic help, call the Courage information line (913)428-9893.

(Envelopes are in back of church if you want to inquire about more information.)

St. Joseph's Fish & Shrimp Supper (St. Joseph's Church, Nortonville, KS) ~ 5-7pm. Meal includes: Fried and Baked Fish, Fried Shrimp, Potato, Salad, Roll, Tea/Coffee, and choice of dessert. \$10, Ages 11 and up; \$5-Ages 4-10; Free-Ages 0-3. Every Friday from Feb. 20th thru March 27th. No supper will be held on Good Friday, April 3rd. Proceeds benefits St. Joseph's Church. Handicap Accessible.

Benefit Concert ~ Steve Courtney and Friends present in concert "A Life Worth Living". Also, featuring Fr. Kent O'Connor, Mark Fortino and Ellen Tuttle. The concert will be on Friday, March 20 at 7:30pm at Cure of Ars Church at 9401 Mission Rd, Leawood, Kansas. The concert is free with a freewill offering to benefit Christ's Peace House of Prayer.

Adoration

Please call these coordinators for assistance:
Mary Ellen Reese: Mon. thru Fri, 6pm to 6am. 437-6163
Joe Mulford: 6am to Midnight on Saturdays and Sundays. 456-3009
Mary Alice Hutley: 6am-6pm Monday thru Friday. 437-2408 or 437-2752
Please notice hours that have opened up. We really need help with these hours!!

~RCIA ~ 7pm, March 17. No Class because of Spring Break.



Rosary Repair ~ We have someone available who will repair rosaries. (free of charge) Please leave them at the office the first Tuesday of the month before Noon and pick up the 3rd Wed. of the month between 1 and 3pm.

Choir For The Chrism Mass ~

Once again, we invite all interested singers to join together in forming the diocesan choir for the annual celebration of the Mass of Chrism. The Chrism Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday of Holy Week, March 31, at 11am at Savior Pastoral Center. The choir will rehearse from 9-10:30am and then sing at the Mass. **Pre-registration** is requested of all those planning on joining the diocesan choir for the Mass. The music file for the liturgy will be available to singers for their preview. Please send an e-mail requesting that a file be sent to you. Feel free to contact the Office for Liturgy and Sacramental Life (liturgy@archkck.org) with any questions, or for more information. All are most welcome and encouraged to join us! Thanks for all you do for the People of God in the apostolate of liturgical music!

National Catholic Youth Conference ~

Will be held Nov. 19-21, 2015 at Indianapolis, IN. This year's theme is "Here I am Lord." The cost per person is \$525. Registration has begun and the deadline for the initial deposit and registration forms is April 1, 2015. Please visit our website, <http://www.archkck.org/ncyc> for all forms and for more info. With questions contact Annie Nickels in the Youth Office at youthadmin@archkck.org.

Save the Date: J-High Youth Rally 2016 ~

Save the date for the Jr. High Youth Rally 2016. Feb. 28th, 2016, 10am-4pm, Prairie Star Ranch. \$20 per person (lunch included). Featuring Steve Angrisano. This is a great time for junior high students to experience their Catholic faith, hear stories, meet new friends, and help them prepare for Confirmation. For questions contact the Youth Office at youthadmin@archkck.org Deadline to register is Feb.22, 2016.

ST. MARYS FOOD PANTRY Any food or monetary donations would be greatly appreciated.

We are in continuous need of: peanut butter, jelly, applesauce, canned fruit, tomatoes, tomato sauce, corn, tuna, mac & cheese, spaghetti and sauce, egg noodles, cream soups, cereal, pancake mix and syrup, soda crackers, pork & beans, peas, green beans, toothpaste, dish soap, laundry detergent, T-paper, shampoo, bar soap. Send monetary gifts to Community Food Pantry, 503 N. 5th Street, St. Marys, KS 66536. Thank you for helping meet these needs. Please save your Best Choice labels for the Food Pantry.

Thanks

Feast Days for the Week

Sun.,	Mar., 15,	Fourth Sunday of Lent
Mon.,	Mar., 16,	Lenten Wk Day
Tues.,	Mar., 17,	St. Patrick
Wed.,	Mar., 18,	St. Cyril of Jerusalem
Thurs.,	Mar., 19,	St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Fri.,	Mar., 20,	Lenten Wk Day
Sat.,	Mar., 21,	Lenten Wk Day
Sun.,	Mar., 22,	Fifth Sunday of Lent

Mark Your Calendars ~

for March 28 for the Kansas City Catholic Women's Workshop, 9 to noon, at Our Savior Pastoral Center. For those women who are tired of just meeting and want to do something! Enliven your women's group and start being active in the new evangelization now. Workshop will provide all the details needed. No lectures, just the facts needed to get going ASAP. See details at 2227/draftz@youngrembrandts.com

American Bishop's Overseas Appeal (CRS)~

This week end is the collection for Catholic Relief Services. This collection funds six Catholic agencies that work to serve our suffering brothers and sisters around the world through humanitarian aid, resettling displaced individuals and families, and providing legal and advocacy services for migrants.

Community Health Ministry ~

would like to announce that our Dental team is now serving patients @ Valeo Clinic in Topeka. Healthy Smiles @ Valeo is off and running with patients being seen every 2 weeks.

St. Theresa Catholic Church (Perry) Annual Fish Fry ~

310 Oak St., Perry. \$8-Adults; \$4-Ten & Under. Sponsored by K of C and Parishioners. Fund-raiser for the new Parish Center. Also, Silent Auction for Theme Baskets & a Bake Sale. More info?? Flyers are posted.