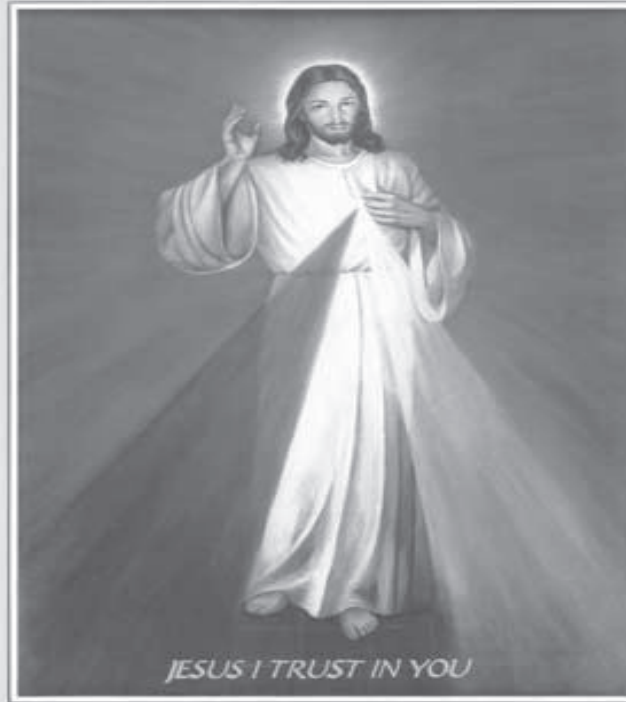


Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



Divine Mercy Sunday

April 3, 2016

208 W. Bertrand

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St. Marys, Kansas 66536

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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 Immaculate Conception

Tuesday 12:10pm

Wednesday-Friday 8:00am

First Saturday -only 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
Sundays

3:15pm—Immaculate Conception
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 Walt at the office, 437-2408, ext. 102, for further information.

Weekly Mass Schedule

(April 2-April 10)

Minister List for I.C. April 9-April 10

Saturday, April 9, 5:00pm

Lector: Galen Rezac
Ex. Ord. Mins: Mick Poell, Cindy Stover, Bill Mulligan
Servers: Riley Stallbaumer, Lily SinghDhillon, Cody DeDonder
Gifts: Andy Perry Family
Ushers: Andy Perry
Musicians: IC Musicians

Sunday, April 10, 11:00am

Lector: Laurie Pearl
Ex. Ord. Mins: John Simecka, Gary/Tina Roth, Jerry Tanking
Servers: Brianna Marstall, Vivian/Atticus Martin
Gifts: Bill Mulligan Family
Ushers: Howard Deiter, Doyle Pearl
Musicians: IC Singers

Sat.	04-02	8:00am	IC	Jared Cheek
		5:00pm	IC	Mel Mergenmeir
		7:00pm	SS	Robert Jacobson (+)
Sun.	04-03	8:00am	SS	Tom Mansfield (+)
		11:00am	IC	Parishioners
Mon.	04-04	8:00am	IC	Fr Rays intention
Tues.	04-05	12:10pm	IC	Bob DeDonder
Wed.	04-06	8:00am	IC	M/M Leo Passman
Thurs.	04-07	8:00am	IC	Joe/Bobby Flanagan
Fri.	04-08	8:00am	IC	Mary Lou Janssen
Sat.	04-09	5:00pm	IC	Robert Kerwin
		7:00pm	SS	Wayne Sebring (+)
Sun.	04-10	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Larry Schumaker

Up-Coming Events

Please refer to calendar for this weeks events

Minister List for S.S. April 9-April 10

Saturday, April 9, 7:00pm

Lector: Louise Manhart
Ex. Ord. Mins: Cletus Manhart
Servers: Deacon Zordel, Noah Broxterman
Ushers: Volunteer
Music: Carrie, Lana, Kris

Sunday, April 10, 8:00am

Lector: Alexis Ebert
Ex. Ord. Mins: Ruth Reynolds, Connie & Sami Fischer
Servers: Wyatt & Troy Heiman, Carter Bergman
Gifts: Schuckman Family
Ushers: Wm Ebert, Kevin Brokaw
Music: Luke Sobba

**NOTE: Please have bulletin items in by Noon on Wednesdays.
Thank You**

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00am to Noon and 1:00 -3:00pm
 Friday 9:30am to Noon and 1:00- 3:00

Religious Ed. Office: Monday through Friday 9:00am to 3:00pm

Main Office Phone Number: 785-437-2408 Extension
Father Ray May-Cell-620-803-2395

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	SS Youth Coordinator	Angie Bittner	angiebittner@yahoo.com

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All Parishes

March 28, 2016, Contributions:
Plate-\$556.; Env.-\$1980.; Needy-\$40.;
Rice Bowl-\$260.80; Cath. Relief-\$5.;
Good Friday-\$835.;Easter-\$1223.;
Priesthood-\$400.; Energy-\$10.;
Home Missions-\$105.;Argentina-\$65.
Misc Collections-\$15.
Total-\$5494.80

March Faith Direct: \$2838.00

Step Renovation:

Pymts: \$129,960.00
Pidges: \$111,413.00

~**Immaculate Conception Endowment Fund**~
Memorialize a loved one with a gift to the Immaculate Conception endowment fund. Your gift could bear your loved one's name, and may be in any amount. It's a beautiful way to pass on our Catholic Heritage and remember someone special.

IC Server Training-

Parents of children in grades 3-8. We will plan a server training in April for any students interested in being a mass server. Please call the office if interested.

437-2408

Sacristans Needed @ I.C. Church

Contact office for more info:
437-2408

Holy Saturday Easter Bake Sale:

We made: \$532.00

Winner of the Easter cake: Eileen Pearl

Thank you to all who baked, donated & bought items for the bake sale.

March 28, 2016 Collection:
Plate-\$250.33; Env.-\$945.;Needy-\$25.;
Rice Bowl-\$55.;Good Frid-\$50.;
Easter-\$940.;Priesthood-\$170.;
Catholic Home Missions-\$25.;
Catholic Relief-\$40.
Total-\$2500.33
Bldg. Fund-\$1208.00

Prayer Chain ~ If you would like to have your e-mail address added to our parish prayer chain, send an e-mail to Shirley Gustafson at: gustafson.sm@gmail.com.

Catechesis of the Good Shepard~
Will have an open house in Dekat Hall, after mass, (9:15) on Sunday, April 3



Community Health Ministry ~ Did you know that the CHM Medical Clinic has a FREE durable medical equipment loan program? (wheelchairs, crutches, walkers, grab bars, etc.) This equipment is available to anyone who may need it. With that said...we need wheelchairs! Good, used durable medical equipment may be dropped off at either the Wamego or Alma offices.

Rosary Repair~We have someone available who will repair rosaries. (Free of Charge) Please leave them at the office the 1st Tuesday of the month before noon and pick up the 3rd Wednesday of the month between 1-3pm

Please mark your calendar and save the date:
Immaculee Llibagiza will be coming to St Matthew Church, Topeka, KS, June 17/18, 2016. Immaculee is a Rwanda genocide survivor and author of her best selling book, "Left To Tell". Her testimony is one of Love, faith, hope and forgiveness. What an opportunity to celebrate this Year of Mercy. Her presence and great love for God will touch you deeply. To learn more about Immaculee, details about the retreat, or to register, please go to immaculee.biz/retreats. You will find our retreat listed there. Tickets are \$57. single or \$95. for two. For more info: contact Mary Whitaker:785-862-0228

~Save the Dates ~ Immaculate Conception's Church Picnic. August 14th, 2016.
St. Stanislaus Church Picnic- August 13, 2016

Thank you~
Thank you to all who volunteered for the Beautiful Holy Week Services; We appreciate all the hours of practice that the musicians and choir put in for the beautiful music at each of the services at both parishes. Also thanks to all who gave of their time thru other ministries and/or helped to clean and decorate the church.
Thank you for a job well done.

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 Walt Nelson (IC), 437-2408 or Connie Fischer (SS) [cfischer@amcplus.com], 785-584-6262
Youth Group: Contact Walt Nelson (IC) 437-2408 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
(Adult Choir) Helen Lytle, 584-6335 or June Burgett, 584-6080

WILL YOU PLEASE HELP?



Adorers of the Holy Eucharist:

- ✠ **Wed., 2-3am; 2-3pm;**
 - ✠ **Thurs., Noon to 1:00pm starting April 1st.; 5-6 am; 9-10pm.**
 - ✠ **Fri., 4-5am;**
 - ✠ **Sat., 12:00am-1am; 12 Noon-1pm; 6-7pm.**
 - ✠ **Sun., 2-3am; 3-4pm; 6-7pm.**
- 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**

Catholic Counselor List ~ Many good Catholic people and families have had times in their lives when they have benefitted from counseling. Archkck.org/Catholic-Counselors is an updated list of 16 local counselors who follow the teachings of the Catholic Church. There are multiple bilingual counselors.

Community Health Ministry Food Pantry Needs ~ Peanut butter, Jelly, Spaghetti Sauce, Spaghetti or macaroni noodles, plastic grocery bags, canned corn, Canned fruit and Tuna. If you can help us out with any of these items, please drop them by either the Alma office, 206 W. 1st or the Wamego office at 407 Ash.

Community Health Ministry ~Our volunteer driver list is getting a little short! Getting our clients to and from appointments is a vital part of our volunteer services. If you are interested in helping us out, please give us a call, 456-7872

~Natural Family Planning~

Easter season-the perfect time to bring new life into your marriage by learning **Natural Family Planning**. Classes in the Sympto-Thermal Method of NFP are offered for a reasonable course fee beginning in Topeka on Saturday, April 23rd@ 7pm. If interested please call: 913-894-3558

Job Opportunity to mow Parish Cemetery~

We are soliciting bids to mow Mt Calvary Cemetery for 2016. Those bidding must supply their own equipment, gas,& insurance. Bids should be submitted by March 28, 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

Marriage Minute

The reality of Man and Woman forming the Sacrament of Matrimony sheds light on why the Church recommends to couples to not live together before the bond of matrimony exists and likewise to not engage in sexual intercourse before the bond exists. Which comes first in the sacramental meaning of marriage, the family or the bond? The bond forms the family, and when a couple lives together without the bond present, they are not being truthful with their actions and thus, are not being an accurate sign of the Trinity. The reality of Man and God created marriage to signify this reality, and when a couple is a countersign, the Church is there to help them realize that they were created for more than simply a more convenient living situation. The relationship of man and woman and its great potential is a sign of the dignity of Church has the obligation to always protect human dignity even when it is unpopular. The unfortunate thing is that the church is falsely stereotyped as simply having its teachings on cohabitation and premarital sex for the purpose of ruining people's fun, and thinking so little of sex. The reality is that the Church thinks so highly of the couple and their sexual relationship that it wishes to help couples maximize their sexual relationship by living it out as it was intended in marriage.

Save the Date....Runnin' Revs Fun Night ~

All are invited to the Runnin' Revs vs. All Stars basketball game played at Hayden High School, Topeka, on April 11th at 7pm. The Revs are priests and seminarians who will take on 8th grade and high school youth from our Catholic churches in this area! Bring family and friends to enjoy the fun which benefits our seminarians.

~Blood Drive~

Next Blood Drive is May 5th, 2016 2:30-6:00

In the Centennial Bldg. To make a reservation, Please call: John Simecka-437-6123



Immaculate Conception

Finance Council Members:

Kent Francis (Chair.), Jim Mees, Galen Rezac, Chuck Ronnau, and Keith Aubert.

Pastoral Council Members:

Gary Roth (Chair), John Simecka, Donna Perry, Claire Pearl, Marty Ronnau, Doyle Pearl, Dennis Miller, John Flanagan and Kevin Fox.

St. Stanislaus

Finance Council Members:

Rod Cowan, (Chair), Kevin Brokaw, Nathan Bergman, Alexis Ebert and Dan Fischer.

Pastoral Council Members:

Steve Morris (Chair), Deidre Michael, Lana Biladeau, Ric Baird, Calvin Lytle, Mark Wilt, Nancy Fletcher, Daryl Mitchell and Phyllis Dolechek.

Knights of Columbus

St. Marys Council #657:

Grand Knight: Keith Aubert

St. Stanislaus Council #10755:

Grand Knight: Gerald Freeby

The March Family of the month selected by KofC Council 657 is the Alex Johnson family. Alex Johnson has been selected as Knight of the Month. Congratulations!!!

~Sunday Funny~

When my daughter said her bedtime prayers, she would bless every family member, friend, & pet (current & past). For several wks, after we had finished the nightly prayer, Kelli would say, "And all girls." soon this closing became part of her nightly routine. My curiosity got the best of me, so I asked her, "Kelli, why do you always add the part about all girls?" "Well," she said, "Because everyone else always finishes their prayers by saying, "All Men."

Feast Days for the Week

Sun.	Apr. 03,	Divine Mercy
Mon.	Apr. 04,	Annunciation
Tues.	Apr. 05,	St Vincent Ferrer
Wed.	Apr. 06,	Seasonal wkday
Thurs.	Apr. 07,	St John Baptist
Fri.	Apr. 08,	Seasonal wkday
Sat.	Apr. 09,	Seasonal wkday
Sun.	Apr. 10,	3rd Sunday of Easter