



# Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

## Holy Cross Church, Emmett

## St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



### Conduct of Invited Guests and Hosts

On a Sabbath Jesus went to dine at the home of one of the leading Pharisees, and the people there were observing him carefully.

He told a parable to those who had been invited, noticing how they were choosing the places of honor at the table. "When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not recline at table in the place of honor. A more distinguished guest than you may have been invited by him, and the host who invited both of you may approach you and have been invited by him, and the host who invited both of you may approach you and say, 'Give your place to this man,' and then you would proceed with embarrassment to take the lowest place. Rather, when you are invited, go and take the lowest place so that when the host comes to you he may say, 'My friend, move up to a high position.' Then you will enjoy the esteem of your companions at the table. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." Then he said to the host who invited him, "When you hold a lunch or a dinner, do not invite your friends or

your brothers or your relatives or your wealthy neighbors, in case they may invite you back and you have repayment. Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

Luke 14: 7-14



## Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

August 28, 2016



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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](http://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 Walt at the office, 437-2408, ext. 102, for further information.

**MARRIAGE** Please call: Father May for an appointment to go over the marriage policy (437-2408)

**Minister List for I.C.  
Sept. 3-Sept. 4**

**Saturday, Sept. 3, 5:00pm**  
**Lector: Marla Flanagan**  
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Terry Stewart, Sarah Carlson, Jennifer Parrett**  
**Servers: Luke Trausch, Peter Bordelon, Nate Hutley**  
**Gifts: Dylan Smith Family**  
**Ushers: Dylan Smith**  
**Musicians: IC Musicians**  
**After Mass Volunteer: Claire Pearl**

**Sunday, Sept. 4, 11:00am**  
**Lector: Rich Schoenfeld**  
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Gary & Tina Roth, Hunter Marshall, (Paul Fiedler)**  
**Servers: Brianna Marstall, Bailey Aubert, Emma Jones**  
**Gifts: Tim Moylan Family**  
**Ushers: Jerry Tanking, Josh SinghDhillon**  
**Musicians: IC Singers**  
**After Mass Volunteer: Doyle Pearl**

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**Minister List for S.S.  
Sept. 3-Sept. 4**

**Saturday, Sept. 3, 7:00pm**  
**Lector: Alexis Ebert**  
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Anne Baird, Marvin Burgett**  
**Servers: Deacon Zordel, Ella Baird**  
**Ushers: Bill Ebert, Bill Neary**  
**Music: Helen Lytle, June Burgett**

**Sunday, Sept. 4, 8:00am**  
**Lector: Christi McKenzie**  
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Shannon Brokaw, Taylor Bittner, Angie Bittner, Deidre Michael**  
**Servers: Mason Brokaw, Zoe Brokaw**  
**Gifts: Streit Family**  
**Ushers: Kevin Brokaw, Tyler Griffin**  
**Music: Adult Choir**

**Weekly Mass Schedule**

(August 28-September 4)

Sat.	08-27	5:00pm	IC	Mary Lou Janssen (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Charles & Eileen Schroeder-
Sun.	08-28	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Darrell Swisher, Jr. (+)
Mon.	08-29	8:00am	IC	Fr. Ray's Int.
Tues.	08-30	12:10am	IC	Joe & Bobby Flanagan (++)
Wed.	08-31	8:00am	IC	Larry Bowers (+)
		10:00am	<b>RVM</b>	Dec. Mem. of the Bixby Family
Thurs.	09-01	8:00am	IC	Keith Rafferty (+)
Fri.	09-02	8:00am	IC	Bob Sumner (+)
Sat.	09-03	8:00am	IC	Vincent Wiltz (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Mona Schindler (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Karen Crow (+)
	09-04	8:00am	SS	Ronda Muller (+)
		11:00am	IC	Parishioners

**Up-Coming Events**

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:30pm	IC	Youth Group
10:00am	<b>RVM</b>	<b>Mass</b>
5:30pm	SS	<b>Confessions</b>
7:00pm	IC	Finance Council Meeting
9:30am	SMM	Mass
8:00am	IC	First Sat. Mass
8:30am	IC	Garage Sale

**Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:30pm	IC	Youth Group
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**NOTE: Please have bulletin items in by Noon on Wednesdays.**

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**Nothing Left, But God**

Have you ever been in the grip of despair  
 And find no strength left to fight?  
 It's like crawling through a long, dark tunnel,  
 Praying to see a glimpse of light.  
 Our life just seems to be turned upside-down;  
 Our whole world is filled with fears.  
 What hope do we have; what resource remains  
 To bring joy instead of tears?  
 Dear one, there's nothing left but God,  
 When self-sufficiency is gone.  
 He is the "all you'll ever need"  
 To turn the darkness into dawn.

**M. Elaine Fowser**

**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 thru Thursday 9:00am to noon and 1:00-3:00pm

**Main Office Phone Number:** 785-437-2408 Extension

**Father Ray May-Cell-620-803-2395**

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*All Parishes*

**Aug. 21, 2016. Contributions:**  
IC Plate-\$269; Env.-\$3,455; Needy-\$45.; Assumption-\$130. Total-\$3,899.  
**Faith Direct for August: Offertory-\$2,263; Mission Appeal-\$55; Assumption-\$85. Total-\$2,403.**  
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**The K of C Fellowship Sunday**  
Sign-up sheet is in the back of the church. We need serving volunteers and food providers. Dates are Sept. 11 and Oct. 2.  
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**Why should Immaculate Conception put money in an endowment instead of savings?**

To allow donors to leave a legacy gift that will be felt for generations.  
To create strengthened financial viability for the parish into the future.  
To allow the parish to receive stock market returns on investments.  
To plan for increased operational expenses.  
To protect the assets.  
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**Maintenance Man Needed ~**

IC Parish is looking for a maintenance man. This is a paid part time position, 10-20 hours a week. Could possibly be a shared position. Talk to Larry Lenherr about wages and responsibilities.  
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**Church Picnic Prize Winners ~ Fancy Work:**

Afghan red, gray, black-Iona Baumchen  
Afghan purple, cream, green-Jenny Donaldson  
Embroidered tea towels-Joseph Carroll  
Doll-Richard Peters  
Manicure/Pedicure-Virginia Martell

**Cash:**  
\$500-Leola Kolde; \$200-Don Boling, Soldier; \$100-Iona Baumchen; \$50-Jason Henderson; \$50-Julie Tooley; \$50-Gene Michaelis and \$50-Angela DeVillier.

**Congratulations to all!!**  
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**Thank You ~** to all who donated items and food for the picnic. Also, to those who worked the picnic. Your help was so appreciated. There were 657 dinner tickets sold. We also sold 136 hot dogs.

**Aug. 21, 2016 Collections:**  
Plate-\$146.; Env.-\$2,115.; Assumption-\$5; Needy-\$55; Bldg. Fund-\$941. Total-\$3,262.

**August Faith Direct:** Env.-\$830; Assumption-\$1; Bldg. Fund-\$935. Total-\$1,766.

**Correction:** The Plate amount last week was \$247, not \$2,347. Sorry about that! Discovered it to late to correct.  
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**K of C Pizzas ~ The Knights of Columbus pizzas are made and ready to be picked up in the Dekat Parish Center. Some extras were made, but will not be available until Sept. 3.**  
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**Thank You ~** To all who volunteered their time, talents, and treasure to making our parish picnic a tremendous success. A special thank you to Deidre Michael for coordinating the efforts of the FIT teams and bringing the event to fruition. Please see the insert for the picnic's preliminary results.  
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**Congratulations to the 2016 Picnic Raffle winners:**

\$30 Cash Prize sponsored by our Knights of Columbus was awarded to Ruth Reynolds. \$100 Cash Prize sponsored by Joyce and Jess Rakestraw Realty Professionals was awarded to Elizabeth Miller and Helen Fry is the esteemed winner of the Handmade Wedding Ring Quilt.  
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**Rel. Ed. & Confirmation Info ~**  
Rel. Ed. Classes start Sept. 25th after 8am Mass or at 9:15am. The first Confirmation class is Sept. 14th at 7pm. Both parents and students must attend. Enrollment sheets will be available soon.  
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**Home Bound Note ~**  
If anyone would like to be put on the Communion list who is home bound, please call the office, 584-6612.



**St. Gregory the Great**  
September 3

**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  
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**Harvesters Rural Mobile Food Pantry** —Distribution is Wednesday, Sept. 28th, in the IC Parking Lot, serving from 10:30-11:30.  
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**Community Health Ministry in Wamego**  
~The Community Health Ministry in Wamego is in need of canned fruit, peanut butter, tuna, cereal and baking mix (Pancake). 407 Ash Street, Wamego. Also, come and get sweet corn. Have lots of it.  
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**BEN-HUR MOVIE ~** In the closing months of the Year of Mercy and when themes of forgiveness and reconciliation are so timely in our society, we encourage you and your family to see the inspiring and new telling of *Ben-Hur*, now showing in local theaters. This faith-affirming film draws the audience into the times when the men and women of Judea came to know Jesus, first as a man, then as something far greater, and in a way that makes the film's characters' time of doubt and affirmation not unlike moments many of us may have known. More info: visit

[Benhurmovie.com](http://Benhurmovie.com)  
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**Remember in Prayer**  
**Please Pray ~** For the repose of the soul of Ann Trausch, sister-in-law of Mike and Jean Trausch of IC parish. May her soul rest in peace.  
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**Save the Date (Annunciation Parish, Frankfort, KS)** is hosting a one-day Women's Retreat on Oct. 15th. Our theme is "Rediscovering Joy." Please watch the bulletin for further details and the LEAVEN. If you would like to make it a gal's weekend in the country and would like info on places to stay in our little community e-mail Pat at [goirish@bluevalley.net](mailto:goirish@bluevalley.net)  
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**Price for the LEAVEN ~** The price of the LEAVEN subscription is \$21.00 this yr. Please help defray the cost to the parish. Thanks!



**The Passion of St. John the Baptist**

**August 29**

**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--Kathi Rewerts (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:**

- ✦ **Sat., 12:00am-1am; 12 Noon-1pm; 6-7pm.**
- ✦ **Sun. 2-3am; 5-6am; 8-9 am for summer.**
- ✦ **Mon.-4-5pm to share with another person; 5-6pm.**
- ✦ **Wed. 12am-1am hour;**
- ✦ **Thurs. 11am-12 Noon; 12 Noon-1:00pm.**
- ✦ **Fri.-3-4pm.**

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

For weekend assistance call : Joe Mulford-(456-3009)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE INTENTIONS REQUESTED THROUGH OUR PRAYER CHAIN

**Contacts: Mary E. Reese: 437-6163  
Anita Marstall: 437-6117**

**Ann Trausch-Please pray for the repose of her soul and pray for her family. Please Pray for the victims from Silver Lake and Rossville who were killed last week in a traffic accident and also, pray for their families.**

**For Anonymous person-For good test results.**

**Alice Seitz-Successful surgery & healing. Thomas Musik-Healing from a stroke.**

**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](http://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, tuna, mac & cheese, pork & beans. 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

**Annunciation Church Picnic (Frankfort, KS)** Sept. 25, 4-7pm. Roast Beef Dinner with all the trimmings. Adults: \$10; Ages 10 and Under: \$5. Pot-of-God, Cake Walk, Bingo, Church Poker, Quilt Raffle, Silent Auction; Children's Games, Train Rides, and large inflatable slide.

**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**

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**Marriage Minute**

What is the opposite of love?

If you said hate, you're probably in agreement with most people, but John Paul II had a different opinion. He wrote that love's opposite is use. In today's Gospel, Jesus asks his disciples to examine their intentions as they invite guests to a party. Did they invite someone only to get an invite in return?

It may seem strange, but even in marriage, we need to guard against using one another. We can check the purity of our intentions by asking ourselves,

- Am I performing a kind act in order to get a specific response from my spouse?
  - Is this action coming from a joyful heart, or out of a desire to not "be in the doghouse?"
- Do I keep track of good deeds, words or even intimacy?

If you find you answered "yes," ask Jesus to purify your intentions.

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**"Finding God in All Things," by Father Timothy Gallagher and produced by EWTN ~**

Will continue to be offered by Glory to God Community in O'Connor Hall at Most Pure Heart of Mary, 1700 SW Stone ave. on Thursday, September 1st. These DVDs make St. Ignatius of Loyola's teachings on the Examen Prayer come alive very comprehensively. In these episodes Fr. Gallagher will discuss "How to close your Prayer." We will begin at 7pm and end at approximately 8:30. Refreshments afterwards. Questions call Allan or Vickie Holthaus, 862-9738.

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**Sunday Funny ~ Profound Thoughts From Dogs: Oh boy, oh boy, oh boy, the pizza crust man is here!**

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**The Catholic University of America Collection ~**

This collection will be taken up the weekend of September 4th. Please be as generous as possible.

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**Immaculate Conception**

**Finance Council Members:**

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

**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:**

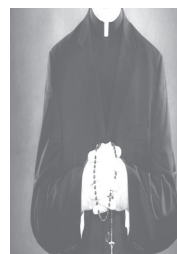
**Grand Knight:** Calvin Lytle

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**Feast Days for the Week**

<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Aug. 28,</b>	<b>Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
<b>Mon.</b>	<b>Aug. 29,</b>	<b>Passion of St. John the Baptist</b>
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>Aug. 30,</b>	<b>Seasonal Wk Day</b>
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>Aug. 31,</b>	<b>Seasonal Wk Day</b>
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>Sept. 01,</b>	<b>Seasonal Wk Day</b>
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Sept. 02,</b>	<b>Seasonal Wk Day</b>
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**God Invites Vocations. You Can Help Close the Deal.**

Signs for Priestly and Religious Vocations