



Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



25th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out at dawn to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with them for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. Going out about nine o'clock, the landowner saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and he said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard, and I will give you what is just.' So they went off. And he went out again around noon, and around three o'clock, and did likewise. Going out about five o'clock, the landowner found others standing around, and said to them, 'Why do you stand here idle all day?' They answered, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard.' When it was evening the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, 'Summon the laborers and give them

their pay, beginning with the last and ending with the first.' When those who had started about five o'clock came, each received the usual daily wage. So when the first came, they thought that they would receive more, but each of them also got the usual wage. And on receiving it they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last ones worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us, who bore the day's burden and the heat.' He said to one of them in reply, 'My friend, I am not cheating you. Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what is yours and go. What if I wish to give this last one the same as you? Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money? Are you envious because I am generous?' Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last."

Matthew 20: 1-16a



Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 24, 2017



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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.**

**Saturday, Sept. 30--Sunday, Oct. 1**

**Saturday, Sept. 30, 5pm**

**Lector:** Nicole Smith  
**Ex. Ord. Mins.:** Jennifer Parrett, Cindy Stover, Bill Mulligan  
**Servers:** Trent & Trevor Carlson, Brenna Smith  
**Gifts:** Dylan Smith Family  
**Ushers:** Dylan Smith  
**Musicians:** No Music  
**After Mass Volunteer:** Claire Pearl

**Sunday, Oct. 1, 11:00am**

**Lector:** Marilyn Immenschuh  
**Ex. Ord. Mins.:** Tina & Gary Roth, John Pauly, (Dennis Miller)  
**Servers:** Sean, John Paul and Ethan Downey  
**Gifts:** Eileen Knipp Family  
**Ushers:** John Immenschuh, Josh SinghDhillon  
**Musicians:** I.C. Singers  
**After Mass Volunteers:** Julia Ingwerson

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**Minister List for St. Stanislaus**

**Saturday, September 30-- Sunday, Oct. 1**

**Saturday, Sept. 30, 7pm**

**Lector:** Deana Cowan  
**Ex. Ord. Mins.:** Marvin Burgett  
**Servers:** Rewerts, Rewerts  
**Ushers:** Brand Pletcher, Sean Rewerts  
**Music:** Helen, June  
**Sacristan:** Pletchers

**Sunday, Oct. 1, 8am**

**Lector:** Karen Palmer  
**Ex. Ord. Mins.:** Colleen Gillum, Connie Mellies, Phyllis Dolechek, Anne Baird  
**Servers:** Carter Robert, Hayden Sanders, Braden Strausbaugh  
**Gifts:** Brokaw Family  
**Ushers:** Eric Brummer, Nick Brummer, Payton Catron  
**Music:** Adult Choir, Julie  
**Sacristan:** Colleen Gillum

**Weekly Mass Schedule**

(September 24-October 1)

Sat.	09/23	5:00pm	IC	Larry Schumaker (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Wilfred & Rosella Bergman (++)
Sun.	09/24	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Tim Deiter (+)
Mon.	09/25	8:00am	IC	Fr's Intention
Tues.	09/26	12:10am	IC	<b>*No Mass</b>
Wed.	09/27	8:00am	IC	<b>*No Mass</b>
Thurs.	09/28	8:00am	IC	<b>*No Mass</b>
Fri.	09/29	8:00am	IC	Loretta Poell (+)
		10:30am	<b>RVM</b>	Wayne Sebring (+)
Sat.	09/30	5:00pm	IC	Bill & Joe Seitz (++)
		7:00pm	SS	Patrick Lytle (+)
Sun.	10/01	8:00am	SS	Simonne Tebo (+)
		11:00am	IC	Parishioners

**\*Father Ray will be at the Priests' Workshop at Conception, Mo**

**Up-Coming Events**

**Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:15am	SS	Rel. Ed.
5:30pm	IC	Youth Group
10:30am (See 9-29)	<b>RVM</b>	<b>No RVM Mass</b>
10:30am	IC	Harvesters
6:30pm	IC	Rel. Ed.
7:00pm	SS	Youth Night
10:30am	<b>RVM</b>	Mass

**Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

12:15pm	IC	K of C Fellowship Sun.
5:30pm	IC	Youth Group

**Bulletin items need to be into the church office by noon, Wednesday**

**FALL HAS BEGUN**



**Office Hours:** Monday through Thursday 10:00am to Noon and 1:00 -3:00pm  
 Friday 9:30am to 11:30am and 12:30pm-- 2:30 pm

**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**

<b>Pastor:</b>	Father Raymond May	raymay93@yahoo.com;	104
<b>Office Staff:</b>	<b>Secretary</b>	Mary Alice Hutley (IC)	icgeneral64@gmail.com 101
	<b>Bookkeeper</b>	Carol Michaelis	camichaelis50@gmail.com
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	<b>Office Asst.</b>	Betty Aubert	unityreled2@gmail.com 103
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	<b>SS Parish Coordinator</b>	Kathi Rewerts	7ststanislaus@gmail.com 785-584-6612
	<b>Kathi's Office Hours-Mon, Wed, Fri-8am-2pm; Tues. &amp; Thurs.-9:30am to 3:30pm</b>		

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*All Parishes*

**Sept. 17, 2017 Contributions:**  
Plate-\$139.  
Env.-\$1,918  
Catholic Universities-\$50.  
Needy-\$70.  
Total-\$2,177.

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**K of C Fellowship Sunday ~**  
First Sunday of each month. **It will be October 1st.**  
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**Harvesters :**  
The next distribution is Wednesday, Sept. 27th, in IC parking lot from 10:30-11:30am.

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**MUSICIANS NEEDED ~ I.C. .**  
Please contact Marty Ronnau at 785-437-6377.

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**THANK YOU SO MUCH ~** to Karen Johnson for donating your time and labor to make the padded cushions for the two front pews. They look great and are very much appreciated by those who use them.

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**IC Server (2 Hours) Training ~** 10:00am Saturday, Sept. 30th. 3rd Grade and older. Present servers are encouraged to attend.

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**Thank You** to Becky DeDonder for her many years of service as a Catechist in our Rel. Ed. Program.

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**4th Quarter Minister Lists ~** The Minister Lists are in the Vestibule this weekend. If you are a minister, please pick your copies up. Thank you.

**Sept. 17, 2017 Collections:**  
Regular-\$886.  
Plate-\$142.  
Bldg. Fund-\$630.  
Mass Stipend-\$10.  
Leaven-\$215.  
Poor & Needy-\$10.  
Total-\$1,893.

8-21-17 Loan Balance: \$174,608.11

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**The K of C** The Knights pizzas you ordered may be picked up in the Dekat Parish Center. Some extra ingredients are available for purchase.

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**CCD Classes ~** CCD classes start on Sept. 24th.

**Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels**  
**September 29**



**Parishes' Wedding Policy :**  
Contact the parish priest to discuss the wedding policy. (437-2408)

**Rosary Repair~** Is not available at this time. Will continue at a later date.

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**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.

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**Legacy Society**  
Name the I.C. endowment in your will or trust. This is a great way of leaving a legacy for future generations of families who will depend on the faith and community that Immaculate Conception provides.

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**Annual K of C 657 Blood Drive ~** Our blood drive on August 18th was a great success as we contributed 45 units of blood, which is an "all time high" for our St. Marys Community Blood Drive. Our next drive is Dec. 29th, 2017 so please mark your calendar.

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**CPR Certification Course ~** will be offered at Rossville Health-Rehab. Anyone interested, please call 785-584-6104 for details.

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**The LEAVEN is due now. The cost is \$21. Please help defray the cost by paying the subscription. Thanks!**

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**Celebrate Your Femininity! ~** October 7th, Mother Teresa Catholic Church, 2014 NW 46th St., Topeka. 7:30am-4:00pm (Mass), Music, Testimonies, Talks. There is no cost for this retreat, but a free-will offering will be accepted. In order to get a head count for lunch, please register online at: www.mtctopeka.org by Friday, September 29th.

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**Chili Feed & Gun Raffle (St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Flush, KS) ~** Adults: \$6; Children:\$4. October 1st, 2017. Serving from: 4:30pm-7pm; Gun Raffle: 7:00pm. Raffle Tickets: 1-\$20; 3-\$50. 1 Remington 870 20 Gauge Wood Stock; 1 Remington 783 .243 Camo with Scope; 1-Henry Rifle Farmers Edition .22 Caliber. **(Do not have to be present to win).**

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**St. Theresa Catholic Church Bazaar(Perry) ~ Sunday, Oct. 15th.** Ham and Turkey dinner with homemade pie for dessert. Served from 11am until 2:30pm. Adult meals are \$10 and children's meals are \$4 (age 10 and under). Children's games, cakewalk, bingo, delicious baked goods and country store items, raffle, and silent auction items.



**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 <b>SS</b> --Kathi Rewerts (584-6612); for <b>IC</b> --e-mail to unityreled2@gmail.com; or for <b>HC</b> --Galen Rezac (535-2482).
Prayer Chain Coord.:	<b>Holy Cross</b> -Janet Wehrly (535-8021), <b>St. Stanislaus</b> -Shirley Gustafson (554-3028), <b>Immaculate Conception</b> -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., 12am-1am; 12 Noon- 1pm.**  
 † **Tues. 12am-1am hour.**  
 † **Thurs.(2-3am, need a third person to rotate with two other people who are doing it).**

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

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

**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**

- Mark DeDonder: Healing of complications from major surgery
  - Isabelle Simecka: Healing from cancer of the spine and blood clots
  - Prayers for Hurricane Victims
  - For 8 yr old Tory: For healing of cancer (Tory is the granddaughter of Linda Roth)
  - Anna Baker: Successful treatment and healing of retina
  - Judy Muckenthaler: Healing from a fall
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- Sunday Funny ~ Best Out-of-Office E-Mail Replies:**

I am currently out at a job interview and will reply to you if I fail to get the position. Be prepared for my mood!!!!

**St. Vincent de Paul  
 September 27**



**Holiday Food Baskets**

**IT'S TIME AGAIN TO HELP THE FOOD PANTRY FILL THE HOLIDAY FOOD BASKETS.** We need donations of: Stove Top Dressing, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Cut Green Beans, Whole Kernel Corn, Boxed Jell-O, Boxed Pudding Mixes, Fruit Cocktail, Cake Mixes and Frostings. If you want to donate a turkey or ham, please call Mary Poell, 437-2448, or Tina Roth, 584-6466. Any monetary donations may be mailed to 503 N. 5th St, St. Marys, KS 66536. **ALL FOOD DONATIONS NEED TO BE COLLECTED BY DEC. 10th THIS YEAR. THANK YOU** for making the holidays special for those in need.

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**Marriage Minute ~**

Are you late to prioritize your marriage? If you have had other priorities in the past and are worried if you are late to understand and embrace a full Catholic vision of marriage, then this week's Gospel offers you great encouragement!

Jesus offers the same generous reward to those who come late to serve him. The joy they have missed from delayed service is punishment enough. If you have missed the joy you could have received from living a Catholic vision of marriage, try the following to kick-start your joy.

- Attend a "Living in Love" retreat (next one is Oct 7-8)
- Attend a Marriage Encounter weekend (next one is Nov 10-12)
- Learn more about the Catholic understanding of Marriage  
[www.archkck.org/defendingmarriage](http://www.archkck.org/defendingmarriage)
- Get started with couple prayer  
[www.joyfulmarriageproject.com/resources](http://www.joyfulmarriageproject.com/resources)

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**Christ Life-Sharing Christ ~**

This session of Christ Life—Sharing Christ explains that the real evangelizer is the Holy Spirit, not us. We are only His messengers. We learn that without the Holy Spirit there is no evangelization. We are invited to deepen our relationship with the Holy Spirit and to tap into the power that is ours because of our Baptism and Confirmation. Join us at Most Pure Heart of Mary parish in O'Connor Hall at 6:30pm on Sept. 28th.

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**Daughters of Isabella, Little Flower Circle #503**

Will meet on September 24th at Christ the King Parish in Yadrich Hall, 5973 25th St. Topeka, beginning at 12:30pm with the Rosary followed by Business Meeting. At that meeting nominations and election of officers will take place. After meeting there will be a social. If you know of a member or their family member in distress, sick or in need of Circle's prayers, please contact Theresa Smith-Lawton at 640-1403. If you are interested in or would like more info about the daughters of Isabella, please contact Marilyn Unrein at 230-8448 or Cindy Keen at 228-9863.



**Immaculate Conception**

**Finance Council Members:**

Kent Francis (Chair.), Jim Mees, Chuck Ronnau, Rick Reese and 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:**

Nathan Bergman, Dan Fischer, Charlie Rottinghaus and Kenton Erb.

**Pastoral Council Members:**

Lana Biladeau (Chair), Deidre Michael, Calvin Lytle, Mark Wilt, Phyllis Dolechek, Steve Morris, Angie Bittner, Tyler Schuckman and Chris Hurla.

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**Knights of Columbus**

**St. Marys Council #657:  
 Grand Knight: Nicholas Cahoj**

**St. Stanislaus Council #10755:  
 Grand Knight: Calvin Lytle**

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**KC Family of the month of September:**

Larry and Barbara Denton Family

**Knight of the Month:**

Larry Denton. Congratulations to all.

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**Annunciation Church Picnic**

**(Frankfort) ~Cigna Center, 402 N. Maple, Frankfort, Sept. 24, 4-7pm. Roast Beef Dinner with all the Trimmings. Adults: \$10; Ages 10 and Under: \$5.00. Pot-of-God, Cake Walk, Bingo, Church Poker, Quilt Raffle, Quilt Auction, and Silent Auction; Children's Games, Train rides, and large inflatable slide. Questions: Parish Office during morning hours (M-F): 292-4462.**

**Feast Days for the Week**

**Sun. Sept. 24, Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Mon. Sept. 25, Seasonal Wk Day**  
**Tues. Sept. 26, Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs**  
**Wed. Sept. 27, St. Vincent de Paul, Priest**  
**Thurs. Sept. 28, St. Wenceslaus, Martyr; St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companians, Martyrs**  
**Fri. Sept. 29, Sts. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, Archangels**  
**Sat. Sept. 30, St. Jerome, Priest, Doctor of the Church**  
**Sun. Oct. 01, Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**