



Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



The Parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector

Jesus addressed this parable to those who were convinced of their own righteousness and despised everyone else. “Two people went up to the temple area to pray; one was a Pharisee and the other was a tax collector. The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this prayer to himself, ‘O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity—greedy, dishonest, adulterous—or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week, and I pay tithes on my whole income.’ But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, ‘O God, be merciful to me a sinner.’ I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former; for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.”

Luke 18: 9-14



Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 23, 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

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.
Oct. 29-Oct. 30**

Saturday, Oct. 29, 5:00pm
Lector: Mark Poell
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Jennifer Parrett,
 Laura Mulligan, Peggy Smith**
**Servers: Trent Carlson, Atticus Martin,
 Vivian Martin**
Gifts: Tim Moylan Family
Ushers: Dylan Smith
Musicians: IC Musicians
After Mass Volunteer: Donna Perry

Sunday, Oct. 30, 11:00am
Lector: Walt Nelson
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Tina Roth, John Pauly,
 Jerry Tanking**
**Servers: Cody DeDonder, Jacob Fox,
 Alex Smith**
Gifts: Josh SinghDhillon Family
Ushers: Doug Wietharn, Jerry Tanking
Musicians: IC Singers
After Mass Volunteer: Julia Ingwerson

**Minister List for S.S.
 Oct. 29-Oct. 30**

Saturday, Oct. 29, 7:00pm
Lector: Deana Cowan
Ex. Ord. Mins: Helen Fry, Colette Peel
Servers: Noah Broxterman, Mary Kate Gerber
Ushers: Russ Biladeau, Brand Pletcher
Music: Helen Lytle, June Burgett

Sunday, Oct. 30, 8:00am
Lector: Christi McKenzie
**Ex. Ord. Mins: Colleen Gillum, Taylor Bittner,
 Angie Bittner, Phyllis Dolechek**
**Servers: Holden Hurla, Wyatt Heiman,
 Troy Heiman**
Gifts: Hurla Family
Ushers: Nathan Dohrman, Alex Archer
Music: Luke Sobba

**(5:30 Confessions on Wednesday nights at both
 St. Stanislaus and Immaculate Conception have
 been discontinued until further notice)**

Weekly Mass Schedule

(October 23-October 30)

Sat.	10-22	5:00pm	IC	Larry Schumaker (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Nancy Schroeder (+)
Sun.	10-23	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Marikay Fox (+)
Mon.	10-24	8:00am	IC	Fr Ray's Int.
Tues.	10-25	12:10am	IC	Joe Flanagan & Bobby Flanagan (++)
Wed.	10-26	8:00am	IC	Jared Cheek & Tricia Clark (++)
		10:00am	RVM	For the Manor Residents
Thurs.	10-27	8:00am	IC	Rosemary Pauly (+)
Fri.	10-28	8:00am	IC	Dr. Eugene McKenzie (+)
Sat.	10-29	5:00pm	IC	Kathy Brinkman Schumaker (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Dorothy Dick (+)
Sun.	10-30	8:00am	SS	Dec. Members of the K of C
		11:00am	IC	Parishioners

Up-Coming Events

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:15am	SS	Religious Ed.
5:30pm	IC	Youth Group
10:00am	RVM	Mass
10:30am	IC	Harvesters
6:30pm	IC	Rel. Ed.
7:00pm	SS	Youth Night
7:00pm	IC	Finance Council Meeting

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am	SS	K of C Corporate Communion
9:15am	SS	Religious Ed.
5:30pm	IC	Youth Group



**NOTE: Please have bulletin items in by Noon on Wednesdays.
 (Items for the Nov. 5-6 bulletin need to be to the office by Noon, Thurs-
 day, October 27th. I will be doing that bulletin on Friday, the 28th. Will
 run it on Monday, the 31st.)**

IC Finances-Fiscal Year 16-17

Month	July	August	September
Collection	\$18,645	\$17,718	\$13,599
Year-to-date	18,645	36,363	49,962
Collection-Budgeted	18,000	36,000	54,000
Over/(under) Budget	645	363	-4,038

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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	Bookkeeper Carol Michaelis	camichaelis50@gmail.com	
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	Office Asst. Betty Aubert	unityreled2@gmail.com	103
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All Parishes

Oct. 16, 2016, Contributions:
Plate-\$204; Env.-\$3,803; Needy-\$70;
Propagation of the Faith-\$260.
Total-\$4,337.

The K of C Fellowship Sunday
Our next Fellowship Sunday is Nov. 6th.

What is an endowment fund?

An endowment fund is a fund whose purpose is to provide income for a specified purpose. The principal of an endowment is permanent and is not available for withdrawal.

Harvesters Rural Mobile Food Pantry-
Distribution is Wednesday, Oct. 26th, in the IC Parking Lot, serving from 10:30-11:30.

“Greetings Immaculate Conception Church Members:

Our email project is going well, however we still have a few names to confirm if they have an email address or not. If you have email and have not gotten an email from icchurchsm@gmail.com-then please send an email back to this address so we can get yours. Thanks!

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to Pat Verschelden for doing the quarterly ministry lists for I.C. Church. We greatly appreciate your dedication to do these for more than 14 years.

MUSICIANS NEEDED ~ I.C. Church has an urgent need for musicians to help out with the music ministry. Prayerfully consider helping out if God has blessed you with a talent of singing, playing the piano, organ or guitar. If you can help out once a month on the weekends-it would greatly be appreciated! Please contact Marty Ronnau at 785-437-6377.

BEGINNING IN OCTOBER ~ There will be Saturday night Masses with **No Music**. Please pray for more talented musicians within our parish to answer God’s call and come forth and help us with music!

K of C Family for the Month of October is the Brian and Kristi Mehl family. Brian is the Knight for the month. Congratulations to all!

I.C. Pastoral Council minutes 9-29-16 are amended to add: The presentation for the Mt. Calvary Cemetery project was presented by Larry Marstall & Dave Imming, who also agreed to co-chair the cemetery projects to completion.

Oct. 16, 2016 Collections:
Plate-\$153; Env.-\$2,445; Needy-\$40;
Mass Stipends-\$; LEAVEN-\$39; Bldg. Fund-\$253; Propagation of the Faith-\$20. Total-\$2,950.
Oct. Faith Direct: Env.-\$830; Cath. U of Am-\$1; The LEAVEN-\$147; Bldg. Fund-\$935. Total-\$1,913.

CCD Parents ~ As part of Archbishop Naumann’s pledge “Promise to Protect”, CCD kids will be offered classes designed to protect them from sexual abuse. The program provides for 1 class for each designated age group and will take place during the regular CCD time. All classes will be conducted before the end of the year. Please call the office if you’d like more information or would prefer a Parental Opt-Out form.

Congratulations to the K of C Rossville/Silver Lake Council #10755 on their 25th Anniversary of being chartered. We thank them for their service to our church family and pray for continued growth.

St. Joseph’s Fit Team will sponsor the 2nd Annual Silver Saints Craft Festival on Sat., Nov. 19th from 9am to 3pm. We will also serve a soup lunch. Vendors are needed to sell their crafts, products or other items. All are welcome.

Our Church will have a table and we would appreciate donated items from parishioners. Handiwork, gently used jewelry or other items. A box in the back of church will be available for donations. All proceeds will go to the building fund. Contact Helen Lytle, 584-6335 with questions.

Fellowship and Discussion ~ Oct. 23, Nov. 13, and Dec. 11. Featuring short videos by “Ascension Presents” with Father Mike Schmitz. From 9:15am to 10:15am/ Dekat Hall. Please join us to learn more about our Catholic Faith! All adults are welcome! For more info contact Connie Fischer.

Congratulations ~ to Daryl and Shirley Mitchell who are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on Oct. 22nd. May God bless you with many more years together.

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

The St. Marys City Market is having a fundraiser for the Food Pantry on October 22nd. It will be a silent auction with baskets of items donated by our vendors and the local businesses in St. Marys, Rossville and possibly Silver Lake and Maple Hill.

Daughters of Isabella, Little Flower Circle #503 ~

On Saturday, Oct. 29th, at 12:00 pm, the Long Form Conferral of Degrees will take place at Christ the King Parish, Yadrich Hall, 5973 SW 25th St., Topeka, KS 66614. All members are encouraged to attend.

(St. Stanislaus) The George and Pat Kratina Family of Silver Lake have donated a Nativity set to St. Stanislaus Church. It is in an oak/glass display case placed by the Sacred Heart statue. The pieces consist of some brought from Czechoslovakia about 1919 by George’s mother; others from Germany from Pat’s mother and pieces that George and Pat added. We bless and thank them for this generous gift.

Sacred Heart Parish (Paxico) Home Smoked German Sausage Supper. Buffet Style Serving: 12:00pm to 3:30pm Sunday, Oct. 30th. Mass at 10:30am; Bingo/Games/Raffles/Silent Auction. Adults-\$12; Ages 4 thru 12-\$4; Ages under 4-Free. Located 1 1/2 miles north of Paxico, KS. Parish Hall-Newbury, KS.

Congratulations to William O’Neal and Ashley Rafferty who were married September 10, 2016 at Immaculate Conception Church in St. Marys. Also, congratulations to **Ryan Ronse and Andrea Core** who were married October 8, 2016 at Immaculate Conception Church, St. Marys.

6th Annual Bear Backer Auction ~ Friday, Nov. 4th at George Perry Armory (110 S. 5th St., St. Marys) **5:30pm:** Social Hour & Check out Auction Items; **6pm:** Chili Cook-Off Contest-\$50 Cash Prize for 1st place (see Amy Lett or Julie Layton if you want to enter); **6:30pm:** Chili Feed; **7pm:**Auction Begins; **\$5.00 Admission per Person.**

Annunciation Parish (Frankfort, Cigna Center-402 N. Maple) Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings. Nov. 6th, Serving 11am-1:30pm. Adults: \$10; Children 10 and under-\$5. Pot-of-Gold, Country Store with Food Items; Crafts; Handiwork Items. Questions: Parish Office during morning hours (M_F): 785-292-4462.



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. 5-6am; 1-2pm
- † Tues. 8-9pm.
- † Wed. 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

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, hot dogs, canned fruit, tuna, mac & cheese, canned meals (stew, spaghetti, etc.), pork & beans. **Please stop by the Wamego office at 407 Ash. No more potatoes left but will have another shipment in a few weeks.**

Community Health Ministry—2nd Annual “Trees with a Mission”
~Fundraiser in conjunction with Wamego Chamber of Commerce’s *Season of Lights*. New this year... WREATHS, a preview day and online bidding! We are inviting businesses, organizations and individuals to decorate a tree (any size, including table top) or a WREATH to be donated to CHM, who in turn will display it and sell it through a silent auction. Online bidding will be available noon on Thursday, Dec. 8th through noon on Sunday, Dec. 11th. The purchaser will have the choice of keeping the tree or donating it to a family in need. Tree set up will be in our West building on Fri., Dec. 2nd, 10am to 4:30pm (or by arrangement). Doors will open on Wed., Dec. 7th, 10:30am to 4pm for a preview of the trees and wreaths. If you would like to schedule a group tour, please give us a call! Contact Tina or Cindy at 456-7872 with any inquiries. Entry form is available online at wamegochm.org



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. 11th THIS YEAR. THANK YOU** for making the holidays special for those in need.

Marriage Minute ~

“O God, I thank you that I am not like this tax collector.”
The Pharisee in this Sunday’s Gospel is so arrogant! Yet, it is easy to do this in our own marriages. We often judge our spouse’s actions against what we would have done in the same situation, imagining that our way is right and theirs is wrong. We can say to our self, “If only my spouse were more like me, things would be much smoother.”
For example, O God, I thank you that I am not like my spouse... who thinks a vacuum is an appropriate birthday gift... or who cries whenever we fight... or who always makes us late. We all have our own version of that statement. For trivial matters, we can ask our spouse why s/he behaves a certain way, thus learning more about him or her. Even when our spouse is sinning, we can look deeply into our own hearts and say, “O God, be merciful to me, a sinner,” then grant forgiveness.

Delia Community Pride ~ Halloween Soup Supper, “Haunted” Hayrack Ride, and Halloween Costume Contest. Saturday, Oct. 29th, 5-8pm. Ham and Beans, Vegetable soup, Potato soup, Chili and Homemade pie.
The Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services will be taken up the weekend of November 6th. Please be as generous as possible.

God Will Send His Light

When difficult periods in my life seem dark and lonely as the night, I know that deep within my heart God will send His loving light.

He will guide me safely through these times of great despair and will take away my sorrows and the burdens that I bear.

When troubled waters come my way and things aren’t going right I know deep within my heart that God will send His light.

My heart is filled with assurance that God’s light will forever shine in this world so deeply troubled and in every heart and in mine.

Shirley Hile Powell



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

Sunday Funny ~An optimist is someone who, when opportunity knocks, jumps for joy, not noticing it is knocking next door.

Feast Days for the Week		
Sun.	Oct. 23,	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon.	Oct. 24,	St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
Tues.	Oct. 25,	Seasonal Wk Day
Wed.	Oct. 26,	Seasonal Wk Day
Thurs.	Oct. 27,	Seasonal Wk Day
Fri.	Oct. 28,	Sts Simon and Jude, Apostles
Sat.	Oct. 29,	Seasonal Wk Day
Sun.	Oct. 30,	Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



God Invites Vocations.
You Can Help Close the Deal.
Signs for Priority and Religious Vocations

Parishes’ Wedding Policy : Contact the parish priest to discuss the policy for weddings.(437-2408)