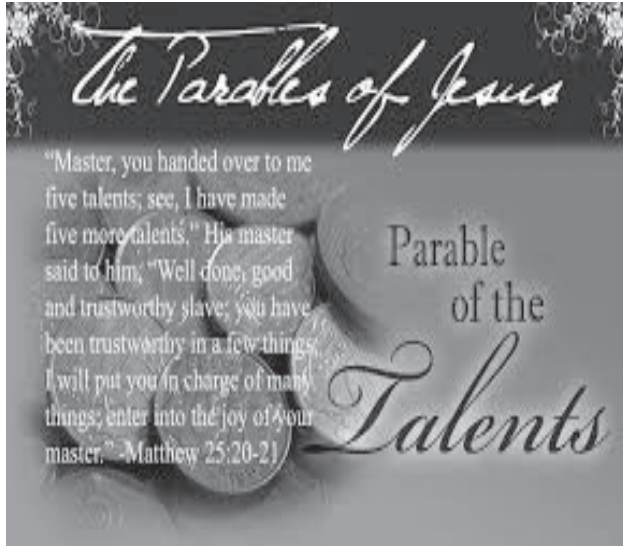




Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



The Parable of the Talents

Jesus told his disciples this parable; “A man going on a journey called in his servants and entrusted his possessions to them. To one he gave five talents; to another, two; to a third, one—to each according to his ability. Then he went away. “After a long time the master of those servants came back and settled accounts with them. The one who had received five talents came forward bringing the additional five. He said, ‘Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.’ His master said to him, ‘Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master’s joy.’”

Matthew 25: 14-30

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 16, 2014

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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 Thursdays 4:00pm—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. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin (Feast day - November 18) Born in Grenoble, France, in 1769, Rose joined the Society of the Sacred Heart. In 1818, when she was forty-nine years old, Rose was sent to the United States.

She founded a boarding school for daughters of pioneers near St. Louis and opened the first free school west of the Missouri. At the age of seventy-one, she began a school for Indians, who soon came to call her "the woman who is always praying". Her biographers have also stressed her courage in frontier conditions, her single-mindedness in pursuing her dream of serving Native Americans, and her self-acceptance. This holy servant of God was beatified by Pope Pius XII in 1940 and canonized by Pope John Paul II in 1988.

Rose Philippine Duchesne, R.S.C.J. (August 29, 1769 – November 18, 1852), was a French Religious Sister and educator. Along with the foundress, Madeleine-Sophie Barat, she was a prominent early member of the Religious Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and founded the congregation's first communities in the United States. She spent the last half of her life teaching and serving the people of the Midwestern United States, then the western frontier of the nation.

She was born in Grenoble, then the capital of the ancient Province of the Dauphiné in the Kingdom of France, the second of seven daughters, along with one son. Her father, Pierre-François Duchesne (1748-1797), was a prominent lawyer during the Day of the Tiles. Her mother, Rose-Euphrosine Périer (1743-1814), was the sister of Claude Périer, an industrialist who later helped finance the rise to power of Napoleon. Claude Périer's son, Casimir, later a Prime Minister of France, was the grandfather of Jean Casimir-Perier, a President of France. The Duchesne family lived in the Château de Vizille, the Périer family home outside of the city, as did Claude and his family. Together, the two couples had 20 children.

In 1842, after a year among the Potawatomi, it was clear that Duchesne's health could not sustain the regime of village life and she returned to St Charles, MO She spent the last decade of her life living there in a tiny room under a stairway near the chapel. Toward the end of her life, she was very lonely, going blind, feeble, and yearned for letters from Mother Barat. She died on November 18, 1852, aged 83.

Weekly Schedule

(Nov. 16 to Nov. 23)

Sat.	11-15	8:00am	IC	George Verschelden (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Marikay Fox (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Mary Cowan (+)
Sun.	11-16	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	K of C Memorial Mass
Mon.	11-17	8:00am	IC	Fr. May's Intention
Tues.	11-18	12:10pm	IC	Maxine Flanary (+)
Wed.	11-19	8:00am	IC	Jim Schumaker (+)
Thurs.	11-20	8:00am	IC	Fran Brunin
		9:30am	SMM	Dec. Mem. of the Manor
Fri.	11-21	8:00am	IC	Lawrence Mees & Jill Peterson (++)
Sat.	11-22	8:00am	IC	Robert Sniezek (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Mike Kerwin (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Francis & Verna Deiter (++)
Sun.	11-23	8:00am	SS	Doris Manhart (+)
		11:00am	IC	Parishioners

Upcoming Events

Sun.	11-16	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time		
		9:15am	SS	Rel. Ed.
		10:40am	IC	K of C Pro-Life Rosary
Tues.	11-18	7:00pm	IC	RCIA
Wed.	11-19	6:30pm	IC	Rel. Ed. Class
		6:30pm	IC	Confirmation Class
		7:00pm	SS	Rosary & Chaplet
Fri.	11-21	7:00pm	SS	Youth Group Meeting
		9:30am	SMM	Mass
Sun.	11-23	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe		
		9:15am	SS	Rel. Ed.

Adoration Chapel Closing for Thanksgiving

The Adoration Chapel will close at Noon on Wednesday, November 26th and will reopen at Noon Saturday, November 29th.

Have a happy Thanksgiving as we give thanks to God for all our blessings!

Bulletin Deadline

Please have your bulletin announcements and fliers for inserts to the office by Noon on Wednesdays. Thanks.

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

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

Main Office Phone Number: 785-437-2408 Extension

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Nov. 9 Contributions:

Plate-\$305; Env.-\$2,463. All Saints-\$40; The Needy-\$105; Human Dev.-\$20. Total-\$2,933.

Nov. Faith Direct: Env.-\$2,620; Human Dev. \$60; All Saints-\$60. Total-\$2,740.

Quarterly Statement, 7-1 to 9-30, 2014. Income/Expense Report:

Total Income: \$95,325.75
Total Expenses: \$104,578.38

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

Front Entrance Renovation Report ~

So far the pledge to date is: \$46,610
Payments to date: \$34,026.04.

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.

Youth Group Info ~ Meetings: Nov. 16th, 23rd and 30th, 6-7:30pm.

Correction: Our new parish member is Dr. Nicholas Cahoj and family. My apologies for the incorrect last name in last week's bulletin. Mary Alice

Book of the Dead ~ is located on the west side of the sanctuary. Write in your deceased loved ones names and they will be prayed for all during the month of November.

The St. Marys Senior Citizen's Center

is in need of help to deliver meals to approximately 8 people at noon Monday thru Friday. Delivery time takes about 1 1/2 to 2 hours. One person can do it by themselves. However, if there are two people, the 1 1/2 to 2 hours is shortened. If you could spare the time one day a week please call Bill Brown at 785-437-6240. He will be happy to answer any questions you might have.

St. Marys Manor Mass—Time Change ~

Fridays, 9:30am when the Manor turn comes up. Please watch the bulletin. Rossville's time and day will remain the same, Thursdays at 4pm.



Congratulations ~

To John and Jean Kerwin Poppelreiter who are celebrating their 40th Wedding Anniversary this weekend. Many Blessings to you both!!

K of C Beef Stew Dinner is Sat., Nov. 22, 5:30-7:30pm. Free will donations. All proceeds support our seminarians.

Community Thanksgiving Choir Practice ~

Wednesday, Nov. 19th at 8pm at the St. Marys United Methodist Church. All are welcome!

K of C Info ~

*Future Blood Drive ~

Future Blood Drive is set for 12.26.2014 from 2:30-6pm at the Centennial Bldg. Please contact John Simecka for more info.

Community Health Ministry ~

***Will present a FREE cooking class** on MONDAY, NOV. 17TH, from 11am to 12:30pm in CHM's West Bldg. This cooking class is available to all adults in the community...so tell your family and friends! Prizes and recipe samples will be given out. One lucky volunteer will get a chance to help make a recipe! **Call 785-456-7872 to sign up!**

***Catholic Charities will also host their Emergency Resource Bus** on Nov. 17th. Half-hour spots available from 10 to 2pm (12-1 lunch break) Electricity getting shut off? Behind on your rent? Have an eviction or shut-off notice. Catholic Charities can help you. In-home guidelines. To apply contact 785-456-7872.



Jesse Tree ~

Social Concerns will provide Christmas gifts for the needy. If you would like to adopt a family, please call Judy Lundin at 584-6447 or Carol Vande Velde at 584-6309. Monetary donations can be made to IC Social Concerns Jesse Tree and put in the collection.

St. Stanislaus, Rossville | Silver Lake/Delia

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Nov. 9, Collection:

Plate-\$235; Envelopes-\$1,837.
Total-\$2,072.

Bldg. Fund-\$533.

Nov. Faith Direct: Env.-\$790; All Souls-\$1; All Saints-\$1; Human Dev.-\$1. Total-\$793.

Bldg. Pledges-\$1,005.

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.)

Book of Life ~ During the month of November we pray for our Loved ones. Our "Book of Life" is located up front. Everyone is welcome to place the names of their loved ones who have died in the book. We ask the parishioners to offer prayers for them.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program

is in need of a child's wooden table with 2 chairs. We also need the help of those gifted with woodworking talent for various projects. If you can help, please contact Tonia at 785-640-6783.

Parish Cookbooks ~

Parish Cookbooks are still available. Contact Colette in the Parish Office or ask after Masses or call Helen, 584-9919 or June, 584-6080. The cookbook makes a nice gift especially with Christmas coming.

Please Pray for the repose of the soul of Robert Jacobson. May his soul rest in peace.

Book Orders ~ Now taking orders for a book with text and pictures explaining the symbolism in our new church as told by Fr. Bruce Ansems. The 48 page book will cost approximately \$25, depending on how many books we have printed initially. They will be delivered by mid-December and would make a great Christmas gift! See a sample in the narthex this weekend or call Mary Ann Davis, 582-4792 or Deidre Michael, 582-5851 to reserve your copy.

Virtus "Protecting God's Children" ~

Any adult or youth 16 years of age or older must have attended the mandatory Virtus program for the Archdiocese and filled out the necessary papers before they volunteer working with children. Thanks to the many who attended our session on Oct. 19th. If you were unable to attend this session and wish to attend one, you can log on to www.archkck.org and locate on the right hand side of the screen, the Kansas City, KS sessions held in North East Kansas Parishes. Before Dec. 31st of each year all students will be shown an age appropriate film on child protection given thru the CCD program. Parents not wanting their children to view the film are given an opportunity to "Opt Out". Forms are obtained at the Rel. Ed. Office.

Thank you to all who supported our Abundant Blessings Dinner and Auction last week. Your presence and contributions of time, talent and treasure made the evening a wonderful one! We also profited over \$6500 for our church building fund. Thank you!

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 unity_general@oct.net ; or for HC --Galen Rezac (535-2482).
Prayer Chain Coord.:	Holy Cross -Janet Wehrly (535-8021), St. Stanislaus -Darlene Berry (584-6258), 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:

- ✠ Sun., 7-8am; 3-4pm;
 - ✠ Tues., 2-3am; 11-12pm
 - ✠ Wed., 12am-1am Alternating; 3-4am;
 - ✠ Sat., 4-5am; 12 Noon-1pm; 7pm-8pm; 8-9pm; 9-10pm
- Call Mary Ellen (437-6163) or Mary Alice (437-2408).

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

Wordwide Marriage Encounter Mission statement:

The mission of Worldwide Marriage Encounter is to proclaim the value of Marriage and Holy Orders in the Church and in the world.

Teen Encounter Christ Retreat ~

We are accepting registrations for TEC, Teen Encounter Christ Retreat. If you have an teens or adults interested in this Pascal Mystery retreat, register at:

<http://www.archkck.org/TeensEncounterChrist>. Cost is \$110 per person. For more information and questions contact the Youth Office at: youthadmin@archkck.org.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE INTENTIONS REQUESTED THROUGH OUR PRAYER CHAIN

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

Two Special Intentions

- Mona Schindler-Healing of Cancer**
- Mike Hutley-Successful shoulder surgery & healing**
- Danielle Crossman-Good test results & healing**

Holy Humor

There is the story of a pastor who got up one Sunday and announced to his congregation: "I have good news and bad news. The good news is, we have enough money to pay for our new building program. The bad news is, it's still out there in your pockets."



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.

~RCIA~

Class on Tues, Nov. 18, 7-8:30pm Rm.#3.
Topic: Session 11, One, Holy, Catholic & Apostolic Church.

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.

The Catholic TV Network, America's Catholic Television Network, is now available to cable and satellite providers in our area. Please help provide this upbeat, youthful and exciting Catholic network and a powerful resource to the people of our area and the entire nation. To help, simply visit GetCatholicTV.com as an easy way to petition your cable or satellite provider. If you are unable to access the internet please follow up with a postcard or letter to your provider.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development ~

Next week's Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development needs your help. CCHD was founded to end the cycle of poverty in the United States by funding organizations that help people help themselves. With the tradition of improving education, housing situations, and economic development, CCHD continues to make a positive impact on communities nationwide. Your contribution will defend human dignity and help those living on the margins of our society. Please give to this CCH Collection.

Natural Family Planning ~

As Advent approaches and we prepare our hearts for the coming of our Savior, see what bountiful blessings of health and happiness **Natural Family Planning** classes can bring to your marriage. Classes in the Sympto-Thermal Method of NFP are offered in Topeka for a reasonable course fee beginning Thurs., Dec. 11th at 6:30pm. Call Dana or Eric Runnebaum at 785-380-0062 or the Couple to Couple League of Kansas City at 913-894-3558 for more info, including the location of this class. **Online registration required at www.ccli.org.** Learn more at nfpkopeka.blogspot.com

St. Marys United Methodist Church Turkey Dinner, Sweet Shop & Auction ~

This Sunday, November 16. Dine in from 3:30 to 7pm...or as long as the food lasts!! Adults-\$8; Children 10 and younger-\$4. Serving Turkey & Dressing, Ham and all the trimmings. Be sure to come early for a great selection of tasty award winning pies. Check out the sweet shop for fabulous baked goods & candy. Fishing Pond for kids of all ages. Please stay/return for the Fund Raiser Auction at 7pm. Your participation is appreciated!!

Holiday Food Baskets

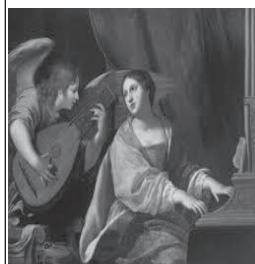
IT'S TIME AGAIN TO HELP THE FOOD PANTRY FILL THE HOLIDAY FOOD BASKETS. We need donations of: Stove Top Dressing, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Cut Green Beans, Whole Kernel Corn, Boxed Jell-O, Boxed Pudding Mixes, Fruit Cocktail, Cake Mixes and Frostings. If you want to donate a turkey or ham, please call 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. 7th THIS YEAR. THANK YOU** for making the holidays special for those in need.

Feast Days for the Week

Sun.,	Nov., 16,	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon.,	Nov., 17,	St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Tues.,	Nov., 18,	The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter & Paul; St. Rose Phillipine Duchesne
Wed.	Nov., 19,	Seasonal Wk Day
Thurs.,	Nov., 20,	Seasonal Wk Day
Fri.	Nov., 21,	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Sat.,	Nov., 22,	St. Cecilia

For Medical Doctors ~

"First Saturdays" is a grass roots initiative to help reconnect area Catholic doctors with Christ and His Church. Under the divine guidance of the Holy Spirit and through the intervention of Saints Cosmas and Damian, this collaboration of the School of Faith, the male branch of the Apostles of the Interior Life and the local guild of the Catholic Medical Association will provide local Catholic doctors a combination of Mass, reconciliation, and a 30-45 minute catechesis. Theologian Michael Scherschligt, founder of Holy Family School of Faith, the teaching arm of the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas, will serve as the primary speaker. For full information and registration go to: http://www.schooloffaith.com/registration/CMA_2014-2015.asp



**St. Cecilia
November 22**