



Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake

The Samaritan Woman



He had to pass through Samaria. So he came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of land that Jacob had given to his son, Joseph. Jacob's well was there. Jesus, tired from his journey, sat down there at the well. It was about noon. A woman of Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." His disciples had gone into the town to buy food. The Samaritan woman said to him, "How can you, a Jew, ask me, a Samaritan woman, for a drink?" (For Jews use nothing in common with Samaritans.) Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." The woman said to him, "Sir," you do not even have a bucket and the cistern is deep; where then can you get this living water? Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us this cistern and drank from it himself with his children and his flocks?" Jesus answered and said to her, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I may not be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water."

John 4: 4-15

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time January 27, 2013

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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

Tuesday – Thursday 8:00am—Immaculate Conception
Alternate Fridays 9:00am—Rossville Valley Manor
9:00am—St. Marys Manor

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 You must contact the pastor **at least six full months** prior to the desired date of marriage and before making any other arrangements. Please contact the church office for a copy of the up-dated wedding policy or view online at www.marytownyouth.com.



**Fruitfulness of
Lenten Service**

Eric was a celebrant of life in Brazil,
In love with farm, family, and faith;
He stood tall, showed others the way,
Knew their language of tongue and heart.

Mother, father, children two,
In field of soy beans, their daily labor,
Joined by pastor, advisor, student, teacher
Eric knew the soil and cheered the soul.

To love is to admire and to "be with,"
To share the daily, the growth and the struggle,
To lessen the dangers and enhance the yield,
To build up honor and respect and optimism.

Eric is buried in the country he called paradise,
His priesthood touched all living things,
His will to live couldn't overcome cancer,
His legacy of service, however, is alive.

Christ lived this way, being human with us;
Lent calls us to see this service and suffering,
And once seen, to walk similar paths,
Confident that He continues with us.

We step beyond the "giving up" of Lent
To the "doing with" which leads to love.
Love is fruitful, and our greatest joy is sharing
Every experience of rising from death to life.

Abbot Barnabas Senecal, OSB

Weekly Schedule

(Jan. 27 to Feb. 3)

Sat.	01-26	5:00pm	IC	Jim McGrath (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Michael & Sarah O'Connor(++)
Sun.	01-27	8:00am	SS	Sylvester Koelzer (+)
		11:00am	IC	Parishioners
Mon.	01-28	8:00am	IC	No Mass
Tues.	01-29	8:00am	IC	Gary Smith (+)
Wed.	01-30	8:00am	IC	Mary M. Martin (+)
Thurs.	01-31	8:00am	IC	Nellie Porter (+)
Fri.	02-01	9:00am	SMM	Margaret Immenschuh (+)
Sat.	02-02	5:00pm	IC	Joe Flanagan & Bobby Flanagan (++)
		7:00pm	SS	Mary Anne Pfannenstiel (+)
Sun.	02-03	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Gerald Trausch (+)

Upcoming Events

Sun.	01-27	9:15am	SS	CCD Class
Mon.	01-28	8:00am	IC	No Mass
		7:00pm	IC	RCIA
Tues.	01-29	7:00pm	IC	Baptismal Prep, Rm 3
Wed.	01-30	6:30pm	IC	Rel. Ed.
		7:00pm	SS	Rosary/Chaplet
		7:00pm	SS	Youth Group Mtg.
		8:15pm	IC	Catechist/Aide Mtg.
Fri.	02-01	9:00am	SMM	Mass
Sun.	02-03	9:15am	SS	CCD Class



Call To Share Results

Goal

St. Stanislaus	\$ 7,797.39
Holy Cross/Immac. Conception	\$29,475.57
Gifts Received or Pledged to date:	
St. Stanislaus	\$ 2,150.00
Holy Cross/Immac. Conception	\$ 8,015.00

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Jan. 20: Contributions ~
Plate-\$109.
Env.-\$2,337.
Mary Mother of God-\$10.
Total-\$2,456.

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

Parish Petition ~ On February 24th Immaculate Conception, St. Marys, will be remembered in a petition at all the Masses at the Cathedral of St. Peter. We want to pray for your parish to foster spiritual growth and express our unity.



***K of C Baby Shower ~**

The Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Baby Shower will be extended to include the weekend of Feb. 2nd and 3rd. Please put your new or gently used baby items in the basket in the vestibule of I.C. Church. You can put your monetary donation in the collection basket in an envelope marked K of C Baby Shower. Thank you.

***K of C #657 Free Throw Contest ~**

The winners of the free throw contest are: Adelina Cabler, Daniel Moylan, Emily Stewart, Peter Bordelon, Joseph McIntyre and Theresa Bertels. They will move on in their respective age groups to the District Contest which will be held at Rock Creek, February 10th.



***7pm Feb. 10-Meeting**

***Feb 2nd-Family Trivia Night at the Cent. Bldg.**

***Feb 24th-Jr. High Retreat**

Seventh Annual Women's Spirituality Conference ~

March 2nd, at St. Thomas More Parish Center, Manhattan. Continental Breakfast/Gather 8:30am to 9:00am. Introduction & Presentation 9:00am to 12:00pm. Lunch 12:00pm to 1:00pm. Presentation resumes 1:00pm to 3:30pm. Registration Fee is \$30.00. Deadline: February 25th. Registration forms are in vestibule.

Jan. 20: Contributions ~
Plate-\$128.

Envelopes-\$1,217.
Solemnity of Mary-\$1.
Total-\$1,346.

Building Fund-\$982.

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.)

Ushers Needed ~ Due to the size of our new Church, it would be wonderful to have more people to help with ushering. Please contact Colette at the parish office to submit your name as a volunteer. Thank you!



News from the Knights of Columbus

K of C Baby Shower ~ The K of C will be conducting our annual Baby Shower during the month January. All baby supply needs (including used clean clothing) will be accepted. Monetary donations may be deposited in the container in the bassinets. All will go to Birthright.

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***St. Stanislaus Youth Group Meeting ~**

Wed., January 30th, 7pm.

Server Info ~ Several young boys had inquired about server training before Fr. Bruce was transferred. Abbot Barnabas would like to continue with those plans. Please call Colette, 584-6612, with their names and a time will be set up for training soon.

Parish Petition ~

On February 17th St. Stanislaus, Rossville, will be remembered in a petition at all the Masses at the Cathedral of St. Peter. We want to pray for your parish to foster spiritual growth and express

Please Pray ~ For the repose of the soul of Patrick Ebert, brother of Alexis Ebert. May his soul rest in peace.

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@amcplus.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) or Marj Guerich (437-2473).
- 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., 4-5am; 5-6am; 8-9am; 11am-Noon; 3-4pm.
- † Tues. 12-1 am (Alternating)
- † Wed. 2-3am; 11pm-12am (Temporary with a Team)
- † Fri., 12 Midnight-1am.; 1-2pm (Temporary Sub. For two months).
- † Sat., 12-1am (alternate); 3-4am; 3-4pm; 5-6pm; 9-10pm; 10-11pm.

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

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

Feast Days for the Week

Sun.,	Jan., 27,	Third Sunday of Ordinary Time
Mon.,	Jan., 28,	St. Thomas Aquinas
Tues.,	Jan., 29,	Seasonal Wk Day
Weds.,	Jan., 30,	Seasonal Wk Day
Thurs.,	Jan., 31,	St. John Bosco
Fri.,	Feb., 01,	Seasonal Wk Day
Sat.,	Feb., 02,	The Presentation of the Lord

Pro-Life ~ There is a new blood test from Sequenom, a San Diego-based testing company, that allows the mother to know earlier in her pregnancy (perhaps as soon as ten weeks) that her child may have Down Syndrome. This noninvasive test will endanger many more unborn children with Down Syndrome, the majority of whom are aborted based on existing technology as are 93% of those prenatally diagnosed with potential "birth defects."



Getting married? The best time to learn Natural Family Planning is 3-6 months before your wedding date. Email NFPkansas-city@gmail.com for classes, events, and NFP doctors.

RCIA ~ Monday, January 28, 7pm, Rm 3 at IC. Topic: Sacraments of Healing, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick.

Year of Faith Indulgences ~ Archbishop Naumann has named the following churches/shrines as holy sites within the Archdiocese at which pilgrims may visit to obtain the plenary indulgence during the Year of Faith as proclaimed by the Holy Father (Oct. 11, 2012 through Nov. 24, 2013). They are: Cathedral of St. Peter, KS City, KS; Immaculate Conception, St. Marys; Immaculate Conception, Leavenworth; Shrine of St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Mound City; SRPD Memorial Park, Centerville; Assumption Church, Topeka; St. Marys/St. Benedict, Nemaha County. Information will be coming out from the Archbishop soon describing the indulgence and how the faithful obtain it.

Sacred Heart-St. Joseph (Topeka) Parish German Fasching Mardi Gras Celebration

~ The event will be held Sat., Feb. 9th at Sacred Heart Church Hall. The evening includes a German Mass beginning at 4pm followed by an authentic German buffet, a dance featuring the Ed Grisnik Poka Band, silent auction, drawings on \$1,000 cash and 3 handmade quilts. A cash bar will be available during the evening. Only advance tickets sold at \$25 per person or \$225 for a reserved table of 8 persons. This includes buffet and dance. Tickets will be sold until Feb. 3rd and may be purchased by calling the parish offices at 234-3338 or 232-2863. Limited number of tickets, so reserve your spot now. View www.sacredheartstjosephcatholic.org for more details.

Church In Latin America ~ This collection will be taken up this weekend. Please be as generous as possible.

Legacy ~ Asking for people to remember the church in their will is such a personal question, but one of the main reasons people say they give is because someone asked. We want to help people experience the joy of making a commitment of that gift. Contact a member of the Legacy Society.

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!

Men Under Construction ~

February 16, at Church of the Ascension, Overland Park. Looking for peace, happiness, pleasure, excitement, fulfilling life? Haven't found it? Come hear the truth about how to live your life as a man trying to follow Christ. Register at www.ksmuc.org now. Are you living the life you want? Come find the courage you need to achieve your goals. Speakers are deacon Alex Jones, Mike Sweeney of the Royals, Philip Rivers of San Diego Chargers and Fr. Gregory Lockwood.

Crisis Center, Inc. Domestic Violence/Sexual assault Workshop and Volunteer Training Program ~

Dates: Feb. 9 & Feb 16. Time: Day 1: 9am-5pm; Day 2: 9am-5pm. Location: 437 Houston Street, Manhattan, KS Fee: \$15. Call 785-539-7935 to reserve your spot. **Serving Clay, Geary, Marshall, Pottawatomie, and Riley Counties and Fort Riley.**

