

Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys

Holy Cross Church, Emmett

St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



The Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus

Jesus said to the Pharisees: “There was a rich man who dressed in purple garments and fine linen and dined sumptuously each day. And lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who would gladly have eaten his fill of the scraps that fell from the rich man’s table. Dogs even used to come and lick his sores. When the poor man died, he was carried away by angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried, and from the netherworld, where he was in torment, he raised his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. And he cried out, “Father Abraham, have pity on me. Send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am suffering torment in these flames. ‘Abraham replied, ‘ My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is

established to prevent anyone from crossing who might wish to go from our side to yours or from your side to ours.’ He said, ‘Then I beg you, father, send him to my father’s house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they too come to this place of torment.’ But Abraham replied, ‘They have Moses and the prophets. Let them listen to them.’ He said, ‘Oh no, father Abraham, but if someone from the dead goes to them, they will repent.’ Then Abraham said, ‘If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead.’”

Luke 16: 19-31

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 29, 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

Monday – Saturday 8:00am—Immaculate Conception
 Alternate Thursdays 4:00pm—Rossville Valley Manor
 4:00pm—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.

Padre Pio of Pietrelcina

In 1962, when still an archbishop in Poland, Pope John Paul II wrote to Padre Pio and asked him to pray for a Polish woman with throat cancer. Within two weeks, she was cured.

Born Francesco Forgione, Padre Pio grew up in a family of farmers in southern Italy. Twice (1898-1903 and 1910-17) his father worked in Jamaica, New York, to provide family income and also support for Francesco's vocation.

At age 15 Francesco joined the Capuchin Franciscans and took the name Pio. He was ordained in 1910 and drafted into the military, but dismissed for ill health. In 1917 he was assigned to San Giovanni Rotondo. On Sept. 20, 1918, Jesus appeared to Padre Pio, who now bore the stigmata of Christ on his hands, feet and side.

In 1924 and again in 1931, the authenticity of the stigmata was questioned. Padre Pio was not permitted to celebrate Mass publicly or to hear confessions. He did not complain of these decisions, which were soon reversed. He wrote no letters, however, after 1924. His only other writing, a pamphlet on the agony of Jesus, was done before 1924.

Padre Pio rarely left the friary after he received the stigmata, but busloads of people soon began coming to see him. In time his confessional ministry would take 10 hours a day. Penitents took numbers so that the situation could be handled. Padre Pio, moreover, at times revealed hidden details of their lives.

A fine hospital was built near San Giovanni Rotondo at the urging of Padre Pio, who saw Jesus in all who were sick and suffering. This "House for the Alleviation of Suffering" has 350 beds.

Many cures have been attributed to the intercession of Padre Pio. He died on Sept. 23, 1968; he was beatified in 1999. Pope John Paul II canonized him in the presence of 300,000 people in 2002.

Fr. Gerard Senecal, O.S.B., Pastor

P.S. Fr. Columban (Vernie) Clinch, O.S.B., black priest member of St. Benedict's Abbey, Atchison, Kansas, was Professor of History at St. Benedict's (now Benedictine) College for 13 years and died in 1968. Vernie Clinch visited San Giovanni Rotondo as a member of the U.S. Army Signal Corps many years before he embraced the Catholic faith. Padre Pio told Vernie he would become a Benedictine monk.

Weekly Schedule

(September 29 to October 6)

Sat.	09-28	8:00am	IC	Michelle Scott Cowger (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Steve Deiter (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Patrick Ebert (+)
Sun.	09-29	8:00am	SS	Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Jean Deiter (+)
Mon.	09-30	8:00am	IC	Jim Schumaker (+)
Tues.	10-01	8:00am	IC	Mrs. Leo Passman (+)
Wed.	10-02	8:00am	IC	Jared Cheek (+)
Thurs.	10-03	8:00am	IC	Carl Grieshaber (+)
		4:00pm	RVM	Mary Anne Pfannenstiel (+)
Fri.	10-04	8:00am	IC	Robert & Jo Copeland (++)
Sat.	10-05	8:00am	IC	Jaema Gomez (+)
		5:00pm	IC	Parishioners
		7:00pm	SS	Eileen St. Louis (+)
Sun.	10-06	8:00am	SS	Winnie Kerwin (+)
		11:00am	IC	Jim Aubert (+)

Upcoming Events

Sat.	09-28	5:00pm	IC	Picture Sign-up
Sun.	09-29	9:15am	SS	Rel. Ed.
		11:00am	IC	Picture Sign-up
		6:00pm	IC	Youth Group
Mon.	09-30	7:00pm	IC	RCIA
Tues.	10-01	7:30pm	IC	K of C Mtg.
Wed.	10-02		IC	Directory Pictures
		6:30pm	IC	Rel. Ed.
		7:00pm	SS	Rosary & Chaplet
Thurs.	10-03	4:00pm	RVM	Mass
			IC	Directory Pictures
Fri.	10-04		IC	Directory Pictures
Sat.	10-05		IC	Directory Pictures
Sun.	10-06	9:15am	SS	Rel. Ed.
		6:00pm	IC	Youth Group

Office Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00am to Noon and 1:00 - 3:00pm

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Sept. 22: Contributions ~
Plate-\$130.
Env.-\$2,063.
Total-\$2,193.

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

Funeral Dinner Sign-Up ~

Sign-up sheets are in back of church. Please sign up to work and/or provide food. **IF YOU ARE ALREADY BEING CONTACTED, YOU DO NOT NEED TO SIGN UP.** We have your name. Questions?? Call Glenda Peters at 437-2945.

Registration Forms for Jr. High 'Y' Nite! ~ are on the counters in the Vestibule of church.

Parish Directory ~ Final sign up date for scheduling your photography sessions is: Sept. 28 & 29, before and after Masses.

Release forms for all copyright pictures are at the church office. For details call 437-2408. **Deadline for submitting a picture is Oct. 25th.**

Rosaries ~ Francis and Helen (Guardiola) Koelzer have been making large wooden Rosaries for the families of Immaculate Conception Church (one per family). They will be put out the first weekend of October. Please take one. These will make a good start for October, the Month of the Rosary. We thank Francis and Helen so much for their time they have spent making these Rosaries. (The Rosaries are free).

***Youth Group Meeting ~** every Sunday from 6-7:30pm in the youth room. Apply on line through www.marytownyouth.com for Immaculate Conception to get on email list. Any questions, contact Gerry Lou Marstall, 383-9887 or glmarstall@yahoo.com.

Change of Manor Mass Times ~

As of Sept. 26th the Manor Masses are going to be celebrated at 4pm on Thursdays. **(At St. Marys & Rossville)**

K of C #657 Highway Clean-up ~

Tuesday, Oct. 1st at 6:00pm. Meet at St. Marys State Bank. **Many hands make the labor light!!**

Volunteer Needed ~ We are in need of someone to set up for our Manor Masses, two Thursdays a month at 4pm. If you are interested, please call the office at 437-2408.

St. Stanislaus, Rossville / Silver Lake / Delia

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Sept. 22: Contributions ~
Plate-\$152.
Envelopes-\$1,391.
LEAVEN-\$72.
Total-\$1,651.
Building Pledge-\$.
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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.)

Serve the youth of our parish: Youth events are starting, and we try to nourish their stomachs while we nourish their souls! Youth Choir practices every 2nd Sunday of the month (10am) and needs snacks for about 25. High School Youth group meets throughout the month on Wed. or Sun. and needs meals for 10-25 teens. Please call 221-2644 or email angiebittner@yahoo.com if you can help!

Parish Directory ~ For the past three weeks we have scheduled appointments for the next parish directory. There are some open spots left if you still want to sign up for a photo session. St. Stanislaus dates are the 16, 17, 18 and 19. Most open spaces are on the 19th. Call the office, 582-5846. If you are submitting a studio picture we have copyright forms available.

Save the Date ~ Friday, Nov. 8th for the 4th annual **Abundant Blessings dinner**, auction and dance. This is an event to celebrate our communities and the many blessings we have been given. Please watch for more info and make plans to attend!

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BAZAAR/CRAFT FAIR

2nd Annual craft fair benefiting St John Vianney Parish will be December 7, 2013, @ Most Pure Heart of Mary Church. If you have crafts or baked goods you want to sell, please join us. Table fee is \$25. Reserve your space today. For more info contact Sandy @785-449-2121



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; 3-4pm.
- † Tues. 12-1 am
- † Wed. 12Midnight- 1am; 2-3am; 1 1pm-12am; 2-3pm
- † Fri., 12 Midnight-1am.; 3-4pm; 8-9pm; 9-10pm.
- † Sat., 12-1am (alternate); 3-4am; 4-5pm; 9-10pm; 10-11pm.

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

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

Day of Boundless Joy ~

This year's Day of Boundless Joy will be Oct. 19 at Divine Mercy Parish Hall, 122 E. Warren St., Gardner, KS. It will feature Tami Kiser presenting a Smart Martha Retreat. To find out more about the retreat go to Smartmartha.com. To find out more about the Day of Boundless Joy or to register, go to Eventbrite.com or call Susan Draftz, 913-674-6172.

Picture Books and CD'S ~ The picture books from the Abbot are on sale now for \$35.00 a book and the Abbot's CD's are \$15.00. They are available at the IC church office.

St. John Vianney Fair (Maple Hill)

Sunday, Sept. 29th, 2pm at the SJV Church Pavilion. 2pm-5:30pm, Booths, Games & Activities. 5:30pm-Potluck. Please bring a main dish and a side, enough for your family. Bake Sale, Fruit-Pie bake-off. More info is posted in back of churches.

The Community Health Ministry, Wamego,

would like to thank all of those people from the Immaculate Conception and Holy Cross communities for the wonderful contribution of \$1,157.00 which was taken up in the blue envelopes at Immaculate Conception. This is what has been contributed so far. This money will be used to help the needy in our local communities.

This Adoration hour needs to be taken temporarily.

Someone to be available on Wednesday, once a month for the 2-3am hour.

Call Mary Ellen, 437-6163 or Mary Alice, 437-2408 if you could help out with this hour.

Please take a look at the hours that are advertised and see if you feel you could take an hour. Just let Mary Alice or Mary Ellen know. .

RCIA-Becoming a Catholic ~

RCIA, 7pm Monday, Sept. 30th. Topic: Divine Revelation, Transmission & Sacred Scripture.

Fall Bazaar ~ St. Theresa's, 209 Third St., Perry, KS ~

Sunday, Oct. 6. Turkey or Ham Dinner plus homemade pie, 11am-2:30pm. Adults-\$8; Child meal-\$4. Games, Bingo, Cake Walk. Yummy Baked Goods and Crafts and Country Store items. Raffle and Silent Auction. Bring the whole family!

Annual Parish Bazaar (St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, Mayetta. 3rd & James)

Dinner-3pm-6pm. Roast pork/turkey. All the fixins. \$7 adults, \$3 children, Ages 3-10, under 2-free. Games 3:30-6:30pm. Bingo, Good food, Cake Walk, etc.

Paxico Sacred Heart Parish Old Fashioned Smoked German Sausage Supper.

Buffet Style Serving: 12 Noon to 5pm. Sunday, October 27. Mass 10:30am; Bingo/Games; Silent Auction. Parish Hall-Newbury, KS Adults-\$9; Ages 6 thru 12-\$3.50; Ages 2 thru 5-\$2.50.

The Benedictine Sisters of Mount St. Scholastica invite the public to a regional "Family and Friends Day" in gratitude for their 150 years in Atchison, KS. Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul, Seneca, KS, will begin at 1pm on Sunday, October 13, with a reception until 4:30pm for visiting with the many sisters who will be coming from Atchison for the event.

Parishes' Wedding Policy Available On-Line: The parish wedding policies for Immaculate Conception and St. Stanislaus churches are available to view/print at:www.marytownyouth.com

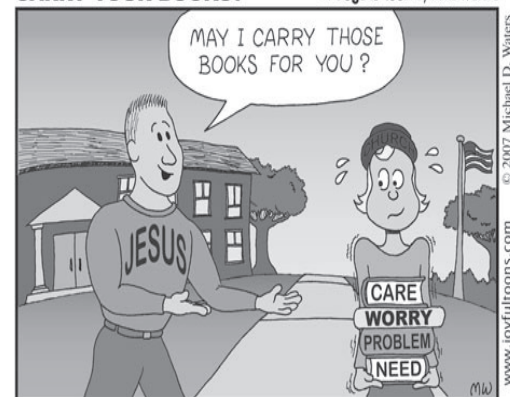
ST. MARYS FOOD PANTRY Any food or monetary donations would be greatly appreciated.

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!**

Feast Days for the Week

Sun.,	Sept., 29,	Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon.,	Sept., 30,	St. Jerome
Tues.,	Oct., 01,	St. Therese of the Child Jesus
Weds.,	Oct., 02,	The Holy Guardian Angels
Thurs.,	Oct., 03,	Seasonal Wk Day
Fri.,	Oct., 04,	St. Francis of Assisi
Sat.,	Oct., 05,	Blessed Virgin Mary

CARRY YOUR BOOKS? A Joyful'toon by Mike Waters



Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you. -1 PETER 5:7 KJV

