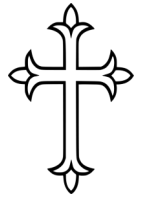


Immaculate Conception Parish
Saint Stanislaus Parish



Our

Lady

of the

Rosary



October 19th



**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 3, 2021**



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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm - Immaculate Conception
7:00pm - St. Stanislaus
Sunday 8:00am - St. Stanislaus
10:30am - Immaculate Conception

Daily Mass Schedule

IC Tuesday-8:00am
SS Wednesday-8:00am
IC Thursday-6:30pm
IC Friday-6:15am
Saturday-No Morning Mass

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION Immaculate Conception: Thursday from 5-6pm, Friday, from 7-8am, Saturday from 3:30-4:30pm
St. Stanislaus: Sunday 7:00am

BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS- Please call Fr. Justin for an appointment, 437-2408, Ext 3

I.C. and SS Confessions Info

IC: Thursday, 5-6pm
Friday, 7am (Immediately following Mass)
Saturday, 3:30-4:30pm
St. Stanislaus: Sunday, 7am

Team Cleaning
IC Church Cleaning Schedule
Team D 10-3-21 to 10-9-21

Holy Hour and Benediction
IC on 1st Tues. October 5 at 6:00pm
SS on 3rd Tues. October 19 at 6:00pm
Adoration followed by Benediction.
Everyone is invited!

WOMENS GROUP-IC

Please join us on Tues., October 26th at 6:30 pm,
Rm # 3.



Weekly Mass Schedule

(Oct. 3– Oct. 10)

Sat. 10/02	5:00pm	IC	Rosemary Pauly (+)
	7:00pm	SS	Simonne Tebo (+)
Sun. 10/03	8:00am	SS	Rita Mailen (+)
	10:30am	IC	IC & SS Parishioners
Mon.10/04		IC	No Mass
	7:00pm	IC	Confirmation Mass
Tues.10/05	8:00am	IC	Mark & Elva Higgins (++)
Wed.10/06	8:00am	SS	Mary Besta Cowan (+)
Thur10/07	6:30pm	IC	Jim Aubert (+)
Fri. 10/08	6:15am	IC	Dave Ronse (+)
Sat. 10/09	5:00pm	IC	Jared Cheek (+)
	7:00pm	SS	Duane Reynolds (+)
Sun. 10/10	8:00am	SS	SS & IC Parishioners
	10:30am	IC	John L. Simecka (+)

Pastors Corner

Dear Family,

This Sunday’s Gospel reading is all about marriage; what God’s plan for it is and the beauty of this great vocation. Jesus makes a claim about the nature of marriage that startles and provokes us to a deeper reflection on the nature of this Sacrament:

**“He said to them,
 ‘Whoever divorces his wife and marries another
 commits adultery against her;
 and if she divorces her husband and marries another,
 she commits adultery.’”** (Mark 10:11-12)

This is a tough saying from Our Lord, especially in our world where divorce is so common. His words are often misunderstood, ignored or explained away since they seem too lofty. The Church, following Christ, holds firmly to the truth that a **valid marriage cannot be dissolved** even if someone gets divorced legally. We call this the indissolubility (or permanence) of marriage. It means that once validly married, you may never get remarried unless your spouse dies or the unless the marriage was never valid in the first place (which can be determined by the Church). Otherwise, you would be committing adultery.

A couple of points about this:

- If you are divorced, Jesus does not love you any less and you most definitely have a place in the Church. You are wanted! Your situation need not cut you off from God or the Sacraments.
- God is not asking you to remain in an abusive relationship. There is a big difference between fighting for a marriage that is good at its core but which needs a lot of work and being abused emotionally, physically, or sexually by your spouse. Separating and/or divorcing in this instance is most certainly NOT sinful. What is sinful is getting remarried without an annulment.
- If you are divorced and then got remarried again outside of the Church, I would invite you and encourage you to schedule a meeting with me. I will gladly help you sort through your situation and help you find clarity, peace, and reconciliation with God.

My door is always open. Let’s live out the beautiful vision for marriage that God has given us and not shy away from tough sayings!

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Fr. Justin

Immaculate Conception

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Sept. 26, 2021
 Offering: \$2,869
 Plate: \$135
 Needy: \$155
 LEAVEN: \$336
 Catholic Universities: \$150
 Argentina: \$75
 Bldg. Fund: \$100
 Total: \$3,820

Oct. 6pm Holy Hour: Caleb & Zach Fox.

Ministers for Oct. 9 & Oct. 10

Sat., Oct. 9
 Lector: Mike Smith
 Servers: Veronica Hutley, Justin Bertels, & Braden Hager
 Ushers: John Pauly & Mike Smith
 Musicians: I.C. Musicians
Sun., Oct. 10
 Lector: Marilyn Immenschuh
 Servers: Caleb, Ethan, & Zachary Fox
 Ushers: John Simecka, & John Immenschuh
 Musicians: Rick & Diane Budden
 October 10-Homebound Mins: Mick Poell

DRIVERS NEEDED!

Meals on Wheels is in need of drivers for Meal deliveries! If you're interested, please contact Susan Vogel at 321-1225

SENIOR MOMENTS...

Need a few moments with ol' friends and new smiles? Fr. Justin invites all those who are hankering for a little conversation...and some tasty sweets!
DOUGHNUTS AND COFFEE, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19TH AT 8:30AM, (immediately following 8am Daily Mass) in the Centennial Building! See you there!



St. Stanislaus

ssparish1899@gmail.com

Sept. 26, 2021
 General: \$1,784.93
 Plate: \$108
 Leaven: \$63
 Poor & Needy: \$15
 Maint Fund: \$30
 Total: \$2000.93

September Faith Direct
 General: \$2,010
 The Leaven: \$189189
 Catholic University: \$36
 Maint Fund: \$785
 Total: \$3,020
 FD Cost: (\$97.53)
 Total FD: \$2,922.47

October 19, 6pm Holy Hour Servers: O'Neill and O'Neill

Saturday, October 9
 Lectors: Deana Cowan
 ExOrd Mins: Marvin Burgett
 Ushers: Brett Sanders & Rod Cowan
 Servers: Maggie, Elley & Hayden Sanders
 Music: Lana, Ruth, Alexis & Carrie
 Sacristan: Lana Biladeau

October 10
 Lector: Doug Berber
 ExOrd Mins: Phyllis Dolechek
 Ushers: Steve Buhler & Brad Womack
 Gerbers
 Music: Helen & June
 Sacristan: Shelly Buhler
 Homebound Min: Joe Roth

Rel. Ed. Info: Religious Education teachers and aids are needed for the upcoming school year. Please prayerfully consider helping our program this year. For more info contact Connie Fischer, DRE at

**cfischer@ctktopeka.org
 785-565-2379**

Please Pray for the repose of the soul of Rose Ida Bergman, grandmother of Nathan Bergman who passed away on Sept. 4th. May she rest in peace.

All Parishes

Blood Drives-Thanks to all the donors who donated or tried to donate on August 13th. Our next blood drive is set for October 15th. It will be held in the Centennial Building!

RURAL LIFE FAMILY FESTIVAL TOUR-with Steve Angrisano, storyteller & musician.

**When: Oct. 9, 2021;
 Time: 4pm-8pm;
 Where: St. Stanislaus, Rossville, KS**

Games, music, inspiration, prayer, dinner & Mass. No registration required. All attending will also be supporting your own parish's youth program. IC & SS Parishioners are encouraged to attend!
ruralyouth@archkck.org

We Are Now Hiring!

Receptionist/Administrative Assistant—Immaculate Conception Church, St. Marys's, KS is seeking a part-time receptionist. This position will be Monday through Friday from 9:00am to 3:00pm, approximately 27.5 hours per week. This position is responsible for receiving all calls and visitors, emails, weekly bulletin and other clerical duties as assigned. Ideal candidate will be a practicing Catholic in good standing. High school diploma required and at least 3 years of secretarial or admin. experience. Proficiency with Microsoft Office products required. Must be able to provide hospitality and efficient response to all calls and visitors. Application deadline is October 6th, 2021. To apply, please go to our Website

Office Hours- Both Parishes: Monday-Friday 9:00am-3:00pm

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PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE INTENTIONS REQUESTED THROUGH OUR PRAYER CHAIN

Contacts:
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Anita Marstall: 437-6117

For God's mercy and healing of our country.

Gary Hutley: Healing from open heart surgery.

Rose Ida Bergman: Repose of her soul & prayers for her fam.

Repose of the soul: Of Marilyn Claussen & prayers for her husband and family at this difficult time.

Prayers: for a parishioner's sister who is experiencing physical & emotional problems.

Repose of the Soul: for Wayne Olberding & prayers for his Fam.

Terry Simecka: To return to normal vision.

Danny Baker: Repose of his soul.

Jerome Ketter: Successful surgery on the 15th of Sept.

Don Mulanax: Healing of double lung cancer.

Healing of the mother of 3 children injured in an auto accident and is in a medical induced coma to help her body to heal.

Peg Wehner: For healing

Kay Wild: Healing after a fall.

Adrian Walsh: Healing of complications from cancer surgery.

**ST. MARYS FOOD PANTRY
Holiday Food Baskets**

IT'S TIME AGAIN TO HELP THE FOOD PANTRY FILL THE HOLIDAY FOOD BASKETS. We need donations of: Stove Top Dressing, Turkey Gravy; 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 IN BY DECEMBER 5TH. THANK YOU** for making the holidays special for those in need.



Adoration Hours that are open and need to be filled.

Tuesday, 2-3am

Wed. 5pm;

Thursday, 2am (share with a team every 3rd week)

Friday, 7am, (12am to alternate every other week with another person)

Saturday, 1am, Noon, 1pm, 7pm, and 11pm

Sunday, 8am

If you can't take an hour every week, but would like to share an hour, please let us know.

Contact Mary Ellen Reese: 437-6163

Mary Alice Hutley: 437-2408

(Paxico Sacred Heart Parish:)

Home Smoked German Sausage

Supper, Drive Thru Only:

12:00 to 3:00pm Sunday, October 31,

Approach from the East.

No Pre-Orders;

Parish Hall-Newbury, KS.

Located 1 1/2 miles north of Paxico,KS

Adults: \$12.00; Ages 4-thru 12-\$6.00

Ages under 4-Free

October--Respect Life Month-- takes on a special urgency this year. It is always about praying for and defending all life from conception until natural death, but most Kansas Catholics still do not know that because of a state court ruling, Kansas is again becoming an abortion destination for the Midwest. Unlimited and unregulated abortion, including taxpayer-funded abortion, will almost certainly happen in Kansas unless we pass the Value Them Both state constitutional amendment for life. Kansans will vote on the amendment next August, but we must become educated and involved now as the abortion industry is already sowing confusion and misinformation. In the next few weeks Respect life Month information and ways you can help will be made available. This will include an ACTION CARD where we are asking for your help and participation. There is a very good web site at www.ValueThemBoth.com offering details. Thank you!

Immaculate Conception

Finance Council Members:

Rick Reese (Chair.), Steve Denton, John Simecka, and Pat Verschelden, Doyle Pearl.

Pastoral Council Members:

Gary Roth (Chair), Barb Brockamp, Mike Smith, Tina Schindler, Peggy Smith, Kayce Flanagan, and Alex Johnson.

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Kenton Erb
Dan Fischer
Charlie Rottinghaus

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Connie Fischer (Ex Officio)
Royce Muller (Ex Officio)



Knights of Columbus

St. Marys Council #657:
Grand Knight:
Alex Johnson

St. Stanislaus Council #10755:
Grand Knight:
Mark Wilt

#10755 Knight for the Month of September is Charles Rottinghaus. Knight of the Year is Calvin Lytle Congratulations!

#657Knights of Columbus

Family of the month for September is: Ray & Loretta Kovar Knight for the Month of Sept. is: Jacob Fox Congratulations to all!

Feast Days

Sun., Oct. 03, Twenty-Seventh Day in Ordinary Time

Mon, Oct. 04, St. Francis of Assisi,

Tues.Oct. 05 , Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest

Wed. Oct. 06, St. Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

Thurs., Oct. 07, Our Lady of the Rosary

Fri., Oct. 08, Weekday

Sat, Oct. 09, St. Denis, Bishop and Companions, Martyrs; St. John Leonard, Priest

Sun., Oct. 10, Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time