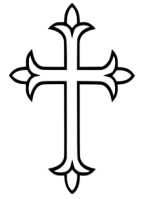


Immaculate Conception Parish Saint Stanislaus Parish



Holy Week Schedule (March 28th-April 3rd)

† **Holy Thursday, Mass of the Lord's Supper**
-7pm @ Immaculate Conception



Holy Thursday

† **Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)** - 3pm @Immaculate Conception
- 7pm @ St. Stanislaus



Good Friday

Holy Week

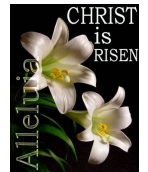


† **Easter Vigil (Holy Saturday)**
-8pm @ Immaculate Conception

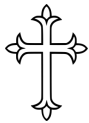
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- 8am @ St. Stanislaus
- 10:30am @ Immaculate Conception



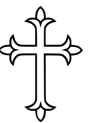
Palm Sunday



Easter



Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord March 28 , 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 Wednesdays-8:00am
IC Thursdays-6:30pm
IC Fridays-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 Please call Fr. Justin for an appointment, 437-2408, Ext 3

I.C. and S.S Confessions Info

I.C.: Thursday, 5-6pm
Friday, 7am (Immediately following Mass)
Saturday, 3:30-4:30pm

St. Stanislaus: Sunday, 7am

Team Cleaning

IC Church Cleaning Schedule
Team B 3-28-21 to 4-3-21

The St. Marys Community Food Pantry would like to thank the Immaculate Conception Religious Ed. Staff and students and Immaculate Conception parishioners for the large donation of food offered at St. Joseph's Altar. Because of your efforts and generosity hundreds of food items are available to assist families in our community. Thank you for carrying on the beautiful tradition of St. Joseph's Altar and reaching out to bless and care for others.

Weekly Mass Schedule

(March 28 thru April 4)

Sat. 3/27	5:00pm	IC	Terry Andrlick (+)
	7:00pm	SS	SS & IC Parishioners
Sun. 3/28	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord		
	8:00am	SS	Father Guvvala Balaswamy (+)
	10:30am	IC	Dan Baumchen (+)
Mon. 3/29		IC	No Mass
Tues. 3/30	8:00am	IC	Father John Reynolds (+)
Wed. 3/31	8:00am	SS	Maxine Catron (+)Thurs.
	4/01	Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)	
	7:00pm	IC	Sp. Int. for the Priests of the Diocese
Fri. 4/02	3:00pm	IC	Good Friday Service
	7:00pm	SS	Good Friday Services
Sat. 4/03	Easter Vigil (Holy Saturday)		
	8:00pm	IC	Rosemary Pauly (+)
Sun. 4/04	Easter Sunday		
	8:00am	SS	Cletus Manhart (+)
	10:30am	IC	SS & IC Parishioners

Dear Family,

Pastor's Corner

As we enter into Holy Week on this **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**, we not only recall Christ entering triumphantly into Jerusalem, greeted by the joyful "Hosannas" of the people, but also the terrible cries of "crucify him" that would follow just a few days later. In the 4th Century, after Christianity had been legalized, we begin to see written accounts by pilgrims who witnessed how Christians re-created the events of Holy Week, how they gathered on the Sunday before Easter and listened to one of the Gospels telling of Christ's triumphant entrance into Jerusalem and how they marched together through the city gates while carrying olive or palm branches. We are following in this 1600 year old tradition and this year at the 8am and 10:30am Masses, we will gather outside for an actual procession into the Church, recalling Christ's triumphant entry into Jerusalem.

Please enjoy the following edited account of the meaning of Palm Sunday by D.D. EMMONS:

"As we read in the Gospels, Jesus went to Jerusalem to join with throngs of other Jews to celebrate the Passover feast as had been prescribed in the Old Testament books of Exodus and Deuteronomy.

Those arriving with and greeting Jesus were large in number as explained by John's Gospel: "When the great crowd ... heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, they took palm branches and went out to meet him, and cried out: 'Hosanna! / Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, [even] the king of Israel'" (12:12-13).

St. Bernard of Clairvaux (1090-1153) offered a homily about Christ's entry into Jerusalem: "How different the cries, 'Away with him, away with him, crucify him,' and then, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, hosanna, in the highest!' How different the cries are that now are calling him 'King of Israel' and then in a few days' time will be saying, 'We have no king but Caesar!' What a contrast between the green branches and the cross, between the flowers and the thorns! Before they were offering their own clothes for him to walk upon, and so soon afterwards they are stripping him of his, and casting lots upon them."

Palms were symbols of life among the nomadic tribes, who, when crossing the desert, rejoiced at seeing the palm tree as it indicated an oasis with life-giving water was near. Palms have long been a sign of victory, success and glory.

On Palm Sunday, we still go out to meet Him, carry the blessed palms, joyfully sing out our hosanna and join in His triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. But soon our joy turns to somberness as, clutching our palm, we hear the narrative of Christ's passion. We realize, once again, that His triumph, His true victory, will come through the cross.

The palms we take home and put in a special place serve to remind us that Palm Sunday is not lost to the ages but that by Christ's victory we, too, can achieve everlasting life. "For us too, they [palms] must be symbols of triumph, indicative of the victory to be won in our battle against the evil in ourselves and against the evil which roams about us. As we receive the blessed palm, let us renew our pledge to conquer with Jesus, but let us not forget that it was on the cross that He conquered" ("Divine Intimacy," Father Gabriel of St. Mary Magdalen, O.C.D., Tan Books, 1997, pp. 392-393)."

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

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All Parishes

Mar. 21, 2021

Offering: \$3,084
Plate: \$98
Needy: \$160
Bldg. Fund: \$350
Rice Bowl: \$95
Flowers: \$70
Total: \$3,857

Please check your insert that was in the bulletin last week For the minister lists for Holy Week

**Holy Week Schedule
April 1, 2nd 3rd, 2021
April 4, 2021**

**April 4: Eucharistic Homebound
Mins: Steve Mees**

Easter Flowers: It is time to order Easter Flowers. There is an env. in your packet of Envs. to buy a flower or flowers in memory of a loved one or loved ones.

HUGE THANK YOU! To all those who donated for the St. Joseph's Altar this past weekend and to all of the students who participated, our Religious Ed. Program thanks you from the bottom of our hearts! What a powerful and positive impact you have made for our community! St. Joseph, model of fathers, Pray for US!

IC Adoration:

Fridays- 7am-6pm. All are encouraged to make a visit to our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament



Mar. 21, 2021

**General: \$1,585
Plate: \$22
Building Maint Fund: \$357
Catholic Relief Fund: \$5
Total: \$1,969**

**Archdiocesan Assessment due
6-30-21: \$5,912.27
Please call the office if you have questions about this annual expense.**

Mins for April 2, 2021, Good Friday

Lectors Mary Ann Davis & Nathan Rewerts

**ExOrd Mins: Marvin Burgett
Ushers: Calvin Lytle and Don Davis**

**Servers: Ella and Leah Rewerts
Music: None
Sacristan: Rewerts**

Mins for April 4, 2021-Easter Sunday

**Lector: Louise Manhart
ExOrd Mins: Deidre Michael
Ushers: Steve Buhler and Harold Michael**

**Servers: O'Neill Brothers
Music: Adult Choir and June
Sacristan: Deidre Michael**

**St. Stanislaus College Bound Seniors ~
Scholarship applications are available in the narthex and are due on May 3rd.**



(IC Info)

K of C Easter #657 Egg Hunt: Saturday, April 3rd, 2021. 1:00pm Promptly at St. Marys Riverside Park. Tots (ages 0-3) will be just NORTH of the East shelter house (new location). Pre-school (3-4 yr olds) will be SOUTH of the East shelter house. Kindergarten will be on the T-Ball Field. 1st-2nd grade will be on the middle ball diamond. 3rd-4th grades will be on the far East ball diamond.

Mask wearing and social distancing are encouraged. Please keep the eggs you hunt this year, do not recycle them back!

***Weather permitting (if the hunt is canceled due to weather the eggs will be distributed during Religious Ed. Classes).**



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St. Marys Food Pantry:
Ministry to the Sick:
Hall Rentals:

Prayer Chain Coord.:

SS Music Ministry

Community Care Ministries

Please contact Mary Poell @ 437-2448 or Tina Roth @785-584-6466 for assistance.
Parish contacts are: Betty Aubert, IC (437-6118) Janet Wehrly, HC (458-9544); Colette Peel, SS (582-5846).
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**--John Flanagan, (844-0441)
Holy Cross-Janet Wehrly (458-9544), **St. Stanislaus**-Shirley Gustafson (554-3028),
Immaculate Conception-Mary Ellen Reese (437-6163).
(Youth Choir) Angie Bittner, 221-2644 or Jen Womack, 969-5882
(Adult Choir) Helen Lytle, 584-6335 or June Burgett, 584-6080
407 Ash St. Wamego, KS 66547; Telephone Number 456-7872



PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE INTENTIONS REQUESTED THROUGH OUR PRAYER CHAIN
 Contacts: Mary E. Reese: 437-6163
 Anita Marstall: 437-6117

Pray for These People Who Are on the Prayer Chain

- For God's mercy and healing of our country.**
- Successful & Healthy School year**
- Teresa Richstatter: Succ. Surgery**
- George Mergenmeier: May he rest in peace.**
- Larry Marstall: For Healing**
- Jannie Brady Taylor: Succ. Surgery & Healing**
- Dennis Walsh: Succ. Stint Surgery**
- Glenda Weaver: Healing**
- Colleen Sullivan McNeive: RIP**
- Audrey Riat: RIP**
- Virginia Rezac: Heal. After back procedure**
- Brandon & Kim: whose unborn baby has defect of Anencephaly Sp. Tnt. For Gailyn Hinson**
- 16 year old Javin: removal of bullets and recovery after being shot & justice for the gunman**
- For end to cancer & healing for all who suffer from this disease; St. Peregrine, pray for us!**
- Gretchen Upton: heal. of Cancer**
- Anonymous Person: Healing**
- Rita Mailen: May her soul RIP**
- Anonymous Person-Heal. of back**
- Dr. Francis Depenbusch: Parkinsons & is on life support**
- Bill Muckenthaler: Heal. of cancer**
- Sp. Int. for an anonymous young man**
- Spt. Int. for an anonymous person in need of spiritual & emotional support**

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 Also, please remember St. Marys Food Pantry if you have extra harvested garden produce that you need to get rid of. We are open the 2nd and 4th Wed. afternoons of each month. Produce can be dropped off at 1:15pm on those days at the Food Pantry. If you have any questions, please contact Tina, 785-584-6466 or Mary, 785-437-2448. Have moved to 909 E. Jesuit Lane (in the old Napa Building)

**Palm Sunday
 March 28, 2021**



Passion of the Lord



Immaculate Conception

Finance Council Members:

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

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 Royce Muller (Ex Officio)



Knights of Columbus

St. Marys Council #657:

Grand Knight:
 John Simecka

St. Stanislaus Council #10755:

Grand Knight:
 Don Davis

#10755 Knight for the Month of March and

Knight of the Year is

Calvin Lytle

Congratulations!

#657 Knights of Columbus

Family of the month for March:
 William and Shirley Mergenmeier

Knight for the Month of March:
 William Mergenmeier

Congratulations to all!

This Week's Feast Days

Sunday, Mar. 28, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Monday, Mar. 29, Monday of Holy Wk

Tuesday, Mar. 30 St. Tuesday of Holy Wk

Wed., Mar. 31, Wednesday of Holy Wk

Thurs., Apr. 01, Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)

Friday, Apr. 02, Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

Saturday, Apr. 03, Holy Saturday

Sunday, Apr. 4, Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord