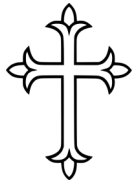


**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH
SAINT STANISLAUS PARISH**



**PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD
MARCH 24, 2024**

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Immaculate Conception

Church

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Mass Schedule

Tuesday: 8:00am at IC
Wednesday: 8:00am at SS
Thursday: 6:30pm at IC
Friday: 6:15am at IC
Saturday: 5:00pm at IC
Sunday: 9:00am at SS
11:00am at IC

Saint Stanislaus

Church

701 S Main St.
PO Box 794
Rossville, KS 66533
Phone: 785-584-6612

Confessions

Thursday: 5:00-6:00pm at IC
Friday: 7:00-8:00am at IC
Saturday: 3:30-4:30pm at IC
Sunday: 7:30-8:30am at SS

Baptism-Contact the office

Marriage-Contact Fr. Justin



IC & SS Penance Services
Palm Sunday—March 24th

St. Stanislaus—3:00pm

Immaculate Conception—6:00pm

****Good Friday Confession-12:00pm at IC****

***K of C #657 Exemplification this Sunday after
11am Mass at Immaculate Conception.***



Jesus-I Trust In You

*The Divine Mercy Chaplet begins on
Good Friday, March 29th and
concludes on Divine Mercy Sunday,
April 7th. For the novena, go to:*

***[www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/
novena.php](http://www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/novena.php)***

****Parish Offices closed on Good Friday & Easter Monday****

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Sat.	3-23	5:00pm	IC	Robert, Rita, & Mike Kerwin (+++)
Sun.	3-24	9:00am	SS	Fulgence Schroeder (+)
		11:00am	IC	IC & SS Parishioners
Tues.	3-26	8:00am	IC	Bob DeDonder (+)
Wed.	3-27	8:00am	SS	Peggy Hipp (+)
Thur.	3-28	7:00pm	SS	Bernadine "Bobbie" Bordelon (+)
Fri.	3-29	3:00pm	IC	No Mass-The Passion of Our Lord
		7:00pm	SS	No Mass-The Passion of Our Lord
Sat.	3-30	8:30pm	SS	Fr. Justin's Intention
Sun.	3-31	9:00am	SS	SS & IC Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Robert & Della Toplikar (++)

Pastor's Corner

Walking the Via Dolorosa of Holy Week

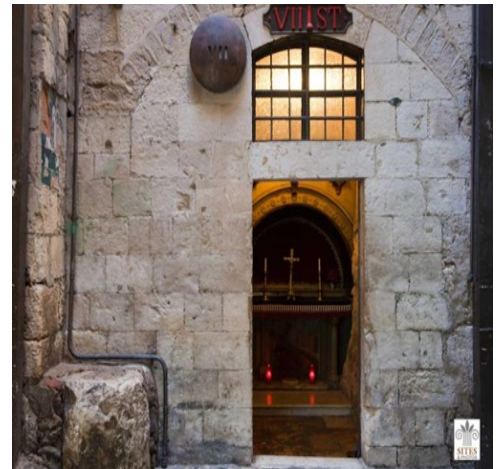
Each year, Holy Mother Church invites us to spiritually walk the Via Dolorosa (Sorrowful Way), which is the traditional route in Jerusalem which Our Lord traveled on the day of His crucifixion from the judgment seat of Pontius Pilate to the place of His crucifixion on Mount Calvary. While most likely we can't physically go to Jerusalem to walk the Via Dolorosa, we can still use Holy Week as a time to reflect more deeply on the most sacred mysteries of our Faith, namely, the Paschal Mystery: the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ. How important is the Paschal Mystery?

"Christ redeemed us all and gave perfect glory to God principally through his paschal mystery: dying he destroyed our death and rising he restored our life. Therefore, the Easter triduum of the passion and resurrection of Christ is the culmination of the entire liturgical year. Thus the solemnity of Easter has the same kind of preeminence in the liturgical year that Sunday has in the week." (General Norms for the Liturgical Year and the Calendar, #18)

Jesus taught us to pray "Hallowed be Thy Name" in the Lord's Prayer. God's name is already perfectly Holy, so we can't make it any holier, but we can strive to better reflect God's holiness in the way we live our lives as Christians. In a similar way, Holy Week is already holy because it's focused on the Paschal Mystery. However, we can "hallow this holy week" by our intentional participation in it.

Here are a few ways we can make Holy Week more fruitful:

1. Attend the Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper and the Good Friday Liturgy in addition to an Easter Mass of the Resurrection. Please make this a priority!
2. Cancel any unnecessary activities, projects, etc. on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter Sunday. Less noise = more time to meditate.
3. Pray the Stations of the Cross. There will be "Stations of the Cross" reflection booklets at the back of church so you can drop in when the church is open and pray them on your own this week.
4. Make it a rule for your family that the TV stays off from 7pm on Holy Thursday through Good Friday. Perhaps it could also be a family rule to abstain from all social media and video games during this time as well.
5. Watch the *Passion of the Christ* movie produced by Mel Gibson.



Will we stay on the outside, robotically and minimally observing Holy Week, or will we walk through the door, and allow the liturgies of this week to transform us?

Fr. Justin

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ALL PARISHES

March 17

General: \$4,531
Plate: \$445
Needy: \$110
Building Fund: \$250
Walking With Moms: \$10
Cath Rel Serv: \$90
Easter Flowers: \$320
Total: \$5,756

March Faith Direct

Offering: \$4,410
Black & Indian Mssn: \$60
Cath Rel Serv: \$185
Rice Bowl: \$100
Priesthood: \$110
Gross FD: \$4,865
FD Fees: \$185.10-
Net FD: \$4,679.90

Good Friday Service March 29 3:00pm

Ushers: Gary Roth, Dwight Bordelon

Servers: Kaycee SinghDhillon,
Veronica Hutley

Lectors: Kaycee Flanagan, Marla Flanagan

Musicians: Buddens

Easter Sunday March 31 11:00am

Ushers: John Simecka, Dan Marstall

Servers: Ethan & Fulton Downey,
Josh & Jeff Henderson

Lector: Laurie Pearl

Musicians: I.C. Singers

Homebound Minister: Jerry Tanking

IC Team Cleaning

Team C, March 24th-March 30th

**NO COFFEE & DONUTS ON
TUESDAY, MARCH 26TH**

2nd Quarter Minister Lists

2nd Quarter Minister Lists are online
and on the back table at church.

Kof C Exemption

Sunday, March 24 after 11am Mass

Any faithful Catholic man 18+ yrs old may
join the Knights of Columbus.

Everyone is welcome to stay and be a part
of the ceremony after Mass.

Easter Egg Hunt-

Holy Saturday, March 30th, 10am

Riverside Park, St. Marys

🐰 Hop into the fun at the annual K of C

Easter Egg Hunt! 🕒 Join us on
Saturday, March 30th, at 10 am, for an
egg-citing adventure at Riverside Park
in St. Marys!

This event is open to children ages tiny tots
to 4th graders. 🐰

The Easter Bunny will be making a special
appearance! 🐰🌸

Calling all Knights of Columbus! If you're
interested in helping out with the
Annual Easter Egg Hunt, please call
Joshua SinghDhillon at 785-844-1635.

March 17

General: \$1,595
Plate: \$154
Poor & Needy: \$210
Cath Rel Serv: \$10
Maint. Fund: \$410
Easter Offering: \$30
Total: \$2,409

March Faith Direct

General: \$3,552.50
Black & Indian Mssn: \$56
Cath Rel Serv: \$71
Rice Bowl: \$101
Maint Fund: \$620
Gross FD: \$4,400.50
FD Fees: \$128.17-
Net FD: \$4,272.33

Holy Thursday March 28 7:00pm

Ushers: Nathan Rewerts, AJ Heier,
Calvin Lytle, Bill Ebert

Servers: O'Neill, O'Neill, O'Neill, O'Neill,
O'Neill, Heier, Heier

Lector: Brian O'Neill

Ex Ord Min: Nathan Rewerts

Music: Combined Choir, June

Sacristan: Kathi Rewerts

Good Friday Service March 29 7:00pm

Ushers: Steve Buhler, Chris Hurla,
Lane Hurla, Colby Hurla

Servers: Brady Bergmann, Noah Streit

Lectors: Christi McKenzie-N, Alan Streit-V

Ex Ord Min: Shelly Buhler

Music: TBD

Sacristan: Kathi Rewerts

Easter Vigil-Saturday March 30 8:30pm

Ushers: Nathan Rewerts, AJ Heier,
Kenneth Aubert, Brendan O'Neill

Servers: O'Neill, O'Neill, Caleb & Joel Heier,
Kelby & Klaire Aubert

Lectors: Shirley Gustafson, Mary Ann Davis,
Brian O'Neill, David O'Neill,
Nathan Rewerts, Michelle Lett,
Marily Immenschuh, Tina Schindler

Ex Ord Min: Nathan Rewerts

Music: Combined Choir, June

Sacristan: Kathi Rewerts

Easter Sunday March 31 9:00am

Ushers: Harold Michael, Andrew Chance,
Calvin Lytle, Alan Streit

Servers: Braden Strausbaugh, Noah Streit,
AJ & Charlie Chance

Lector: Deidre Michael

Ex Ord Min: Joe Roth

Music: Adult Choir, June

Sacristan: Deidre Michael

Homebound Ministers: Calvin Lytle, Joe Roth

Date Night for Married Couples

**on Saturday, April 13th at the
Blacksmith Event Centre in Silver Lake.**

**5:30pm- Social with Drinks & Appetizers
6:30pm- Dinner of Smoked Chicken
Breast: stuffed and bacon wrapped,
salad and dessert.**

**7:30pm Door Prize Winner Selected
\$40 per couple. To reserve your seats,
call 785-584-6612 or
email: ssparrish1899@gmail.com**

OPEN IC ADORATION HOURS

Sunday: 4:00am

Monday: 4:00am

Wednesday: 3:00am

Saturday: 11:00pm

*If you'd like to share or take an hour,
contact Mary Ellen Reese at (785) 437-6163
or Mary Alice Hutley at (785) 437-2752.*

Adoration Chapel Closing

**The Adoration Chapel will be closed for
Easter beginning**

Holy Thursday, March 28 at 4pm.

The Chapel will reopen on

Easter Tuesday, April 2 at 9:00am.

*May every blessing be yours during Holy Week and
throughout the Easter season!*

Holy Week Combined Choir for

Holy Thursday and Holy Saturday

The Combined Choir for Holy Thursday and Holy Satur-
day will have it's last practice on **Tuesday, March 26th,**
at 6:30pm in the choir loft at St. Stanislaus..

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact
Marty Ronnau at 785-437-6377 or
June Burgett at 785-584-6080.

Pontifical Good Friday Collection

Pope Francis has asked parishes throughout the world to
support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps
Christians in the Holy Land where they are now less than
2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the
Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and
offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Col-
lection also helps to reserve the sacred shrines of Christian-
ity, including Jerusalem, Bethlehem, and Nazareth, to name
only a few.

Please be generous. For more information about Christians
in the Holy Land, go to: www.myfranciscan.org

Rites of the Triduum

A Talk by Michael Podrebarac

A wonderful explanation of what happens during Holy
Week. **Where:** Mother Teresa Calcutta Church, 2014 NW
46th Street, Topeka. **When:** Tuesday, March 26th.
Mass: 5:15pm, Light Meal, Talk at 6:30pm.

**Opening America's Heartland to
Marriage Symposium—April 12th**

When: Tuesday, April 12, 2024

Registration: 7:30am, Mass: 8:15am,

Symposium 9:30am-12:30pm

Where: Sacred Heart Catholic Church,

5501 Monticello Rd, Shawnee, Ks

Mass celebrated by Archbishop Naumann followed by a
light breakfast. See more details at [https://
www.eventcreate.com/e/
openingamericasheartlandtomarriage](https://www.eventcreate.com/e/openingamericasheartlandtomarriage)

Encounter School of Healing

**Teaching, activating & deploying Catholics to
participate in the Healing Ministry of Jesus.**

Jesus never proclaimed the Gospel without demonstrating
it in power and love. Jesus' healing ministry is at the heart
of His Gospel of power and He expects His disciples to
minister His healing on the earth (cf Mk 16:15-20). Come expe-
rience the greater works Jesus has in store for you. **Friday,**
Apr 12, 6:30-9:30pm, Saturday, Apr 13, 9am-5pm. For
**Information and registration: [encounterschool.org/
kansas-city](http://encounterschool.org/kansas-city)**

PRAYER CHAIN INTENTIONS

Contacts:

Mary Ellen Reese, 437-6163
Anita Marstall, 437-6117

Anonymous young woman

Please pray for her to make good decisions for treatment of breast cancer and healing. Also for spiritual support for her and her husband.

Joan Rezac

Please pray for healing after a fall.

Mary Dodson

Please pray for a good diagnosis & healing.

Michelle Hofman

Please pray for her healing and a good outcome from treatment for a back injury.

Sharon Nelson

(Mother of Walt Nelson)

Please pray for healing & strength while she undergoes cancer treatment. Also, prayers for strength & support for her family.

Susan Klug (Lawrence)

Please pray for healing of cancer and strength to endure more chemo.

Barbara Feltner

Please pray for healing of leukemia (AML).

Krista Heimbergem

(Mother of Jamie Manhart)

Please pray for a successful serious heart surgery.

Anonymous young person

Please pray for an anonymous young person who is battling severe depression.

Nancie Jacinta Jirak (almost 2yrs old)

In thanksgiving for Nancie's healing and return home.

Dave Figge

Please pray for healing and an increase in strength as he battles cancer. Also, prayers for strength and support for his family.

Rick Budden

Please pray for healing of an infection.

Beverly Bradley

(Daughter of Joan Sebring)

Please pray for healing.

Bernadine "Bobbie" Bordelon

(Mother of Dwight & Chad Bordelon)

Please pray for the repose of her soul and for peace and comfort for her family.

Bill DeDonder

Please pray for his recovery from emergency surgery.

Louise Manhart

Please pray for a successful heart procedure.

Phyllis McCune Gibbs

Please pray for healing of cancer.

Laird French, Rossville

Please pray for the repose of his soul.

ST. MARYS FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry is in need of:

*Canned Vegetables
Beans
Canned Tuna/Chicken
Canned Soups
Pasta/Rice
Spaghetti Sauce
***Macaroni & Cheese
Applesauce
Canned Fruit
Peanut Butter/Jelly
***Pancake Mix/Syrup
Cereal
Crackers
Toilet Paper
Shampoo/Bath Soap
Toothpaste
***Laundry Det./Dish Soap
Diapers Size 1-6
Wipes*

For questions or to donate, call Mary Poell at 437-2448 or Tina Roth at 584-6466.

Please mail monetary donations to:
503 N. 5th St, St. Marys, KS 66536

****Please save your Best Choice labels and put them in the container in the vestibule of IC church****

Thank you and God Bless You!

IC Finance Council Members

Rick Reese (Chair)
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John Simecka
Claire Pearl
Doyle Pearl

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Julie Homan
Alex Johnson
Tina Schindler
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Chris Smith
April Huaracha

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Alex Johnson, Paul Fiedler, Mike Piper



Knights of Columbus Council #657

Grand Knight: Jason Henderson
Knight of the Month: Chuck Ronnau
Family of the Month: Chuck & Marty Ronnau
Knight of the Year: Jerry Tanking
Family of the Year: Dylan & Nicole Smith

REPORTING SUSPECTED ABUSE

*If you suspect a child is being abused or neglected, make a report to the **Kansas Department for Children and Families Protection Report Center** by calling (800) 922-5330.*

Call law enforcement if the person is in immediate danger or injured.

*If you or someone you know has been abused by a cleric, employee, or volunteer of any archdiocesan parish, school, or agency — regardless of when the abuse occurred — call the **archdiocesan confidential report line** at (913) 647-3051 or the **Victim Care Advocate** at (913) 298-9244*

**AFTER* calling local law enforcement.*

You can also make a report online at: www.archkck.org/reportabuse

The Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas places the protection of children as its priority.

The archdiocese respects the sincere concerns of all individuals who report misconduct and is committed to conducting thorough investigations of all allegations.

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