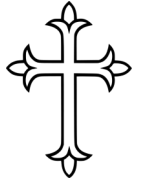


**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH
SAINT STANISLAUS PARISH**



**THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
MAY 12, 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

FEATURED



Happy Mother's Day!



*IC Family Holy Hour with Vespers
this Sunday, May 12th, at 5:00pm*

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Sat.	5-11	5:00pm	IC	Dec. Mem. of the Meyer & Pauly Families
Sun.	5-12	9:00am	SS	SS & IC Parishioners
		11:00am	IC	Marikay Fox (+)
Tues.	5-14	8:00am	IC	Mary Harries (+)
		10:00am		Rossville Valley Manor Mass
Wed.	5-15	7:30am	SS	Margaret & Wilbur Tomson (++)
Thur.	5-16	6:30pm	IC	Howard Deiter (+)
Fri.	5-17	6:15am	IC	Collective Mass Intentions*
Sat.	5-18	5:00pm	IC	IC & SS Parishes
Sun.	5-19	9:00am	SS	Matthew Gustafson (+)
		11:00am	IC	Mary Ann Dooley
				*Ann Bowers (+) Dr. James & Christie Brennan (++)

To Our Mothers

Pastor's Corner

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers, grandmothers, godmothers, and all those women who show a mother's love! I hope that your family does something special to honor you and make sure you know how loved and appreciated you really are. Today is a good day to reflect on whether we are really keeping the 4th Commandment and really honoring our mother.

What does it mean to honor your mother? First, it means to continue to treat her with respect. It means to not speak badly about her or argue with her unnecessarily. We ought to pray for our mother, ask her advice and opinions and visit her or call her regularly. Honoring our mother means living a life of virtue and integrity. Honoring our mother means keeping God first in our lives. It also means forgiving her where she's hurt us or failed us.

Please consider praying a rosary for all mothers and asking Mother Mary to intercede for them. I like the idea of offering up a Hail Mary for each intention listed below (credit to Krissy Pierno for the list). Mothers carry so many burdens...let's surround them with prayer!

- ...the mother who is anxious.
- ...the mother who has suffered the loss of a child(ren).
- ...the mother who is estranged from her own mother.
- ...the single mother.
- ...the mother who feels alone in her motherhood.
- ...the mother who has suffered a miscarriage(s).
- ...the mother who is scared.
- ...the mother who is experiencing homelessness.
- ...the mother who is in an abusive relationship.
- ...the mother who has had an abortion.
- ...the mother who has unhealthy children.
- ...the mother who is sad.
- ...the step-mother.
- ...the mother who is worried.
- ...the mother who is the breadwinner.
- ...the mother who has addictions.
- ...the mother who forgets about her own self-worth.
- ...the mother who is struggling.
- ...the mother who is without faith.
- ...the mother who is doubting herself.
- ...the newly-pregnant mother.
- ...the mother who is working.
- ...the mother who stays at home.
- ...every mother.



May God bless our Mothers with joy and love!

Fr. Justin

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ALL PARISHES

May 5

General: \$4,355
Plate: \$584
Needy: \$1,300
Walking With Moms: \$10
Building Fund: \$100
Home Missions: \$50
Total: \$6,399

Saturday, May 18

Ushers: Greg DeDonder, Dylan Smith
Servers: Lexie & Trevor Carlson,
Easton Smith
Lector: Tina Schindler
Musicians: Mary's Choir

Graduation Sunday Mass, May 19

Ushers: Dwight Bordelon, Dan Marstall
Servers: Veronica Hutley, Samantha, Josh,
and Jeff Henderson
Lector: Bill Mulligan
Musicians: I.C. Singers
Homebound Minister: Steve Mees

IC Team Cleaning

Team E, May 12th-May 18th

May flowers

Donations are still being accepted for flowers for the IC Grotto. Please put a note with your memorial intention in an envelope in the collection basket.

Senior & 6th Grade Promotion Mass
Next Sunday, May 19,
11:00am Mass

***Seniors-Please wear your gown & stole ONLY-no caps in church. Thank you!**

WE NEED YOUR HELP!



IC Garage Sale: Help! Much Needed!

Summer months are fast approaching and our Garage Sale Ladies need your help!!! Do you have an hour or two to spare each week? We have easy & fun areas to help. We would love for you to join our team! You can create your own schedule and keep your commitment simple and do-able — morning hours, afternoon, or 1 hour a week. If interested, call Becky DeDonder at (785) 458-9733.

Bring Father a Meal

If you'd like to join the group that provides meals for Fr. Justin on Saturday evenings, please call the parish office, 437-2408 Ext 1, for more details.

Our Church Cleaning Teams Need Help!

Call the office 785-437-2408 for details.

May 5

General: \$1,905
Plate: \$127
Mass Stipends: \$10
Mission Co-op: \$20
Poor & Needy: \$50
Maint. Fund: \$410
Total: \$2,522

Graduation Sunday Mass, May 19

Ushers: Charlie Rottinghaus, Jeff McGrath,
Drew Womack, Brad Womack
Servers: O'Neill-MC, Colt Reser,
Owen, Isaac, and Elias Rottinghaus
Lector: Shirley Gustafson
Ex Ord Min: Deidre Michael
Music: Bridget, Julie
Sacristan: Shirley Gustafson
Homebound Minister: Deidre Michael

Seniors- Graduation Mass
Sunday, May 19th, 9am

Seniors-Please wear your gown & stole ONLY-no caps in church. Thank you!

Save the Date!

2nd Annual Trivia Night
Youth Group Fundraiser

Tues. June 11th from 6:30-8:30 pm
More information is coming soon!

Thank you to the parish for all the prayers and monetary support of the youth group. We appreciate it very much. Also, special thanks to Connie for organizing and all those who provided dinners throughout the year!

Seminarian Trivia Night-
An Ordination Celebration

Join us Wednesday, May 22nd
from 6:30pm to 9:00pm at

St. Michael the Archangel in Leawood, as the Vocation Office hosts its annual Trivia Night to honor and celebrate the men who will be ordained to Holy Orders!

Gather a group of 8 players (\$300 per team) and prepare to challenge other teams for prizes. The evening will include:

- Seven rounds of questions
- 50/50 raffle
- Prizes awarded to the top two teams

All proceeds directly benefit our seminarians and the ongoing mission of the Vocation Office. Please visit our website for details and registration:

https://archkck.org/vocations-trivia-night/

OPEN IC ADORATION HOURS

Sunday: 4:00am, 5:00am

Tuesday: 1:00am

Saturday: 2:00am (temporary help for person healing from health issues)

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.



IC Catholic VBS!
Around the World
with the Saints!

When: May 28 thru June 1

Time: 8:50am until 12:10pm

Grades: For those entering Pre-School-4th for the 2024-25 Schoolyear.

Who: For Registered IC Parishioners & those families already registered in our

Rel. Ed. Program 2023-24 schoolyear.

How: Registrations are available in-person in the Rel. Ed. Office.

Cost: \$15/child; \$25/2 children in one household; \$35/3 or more in one household.

Spaces are limited per grade.

Get more details when you register!

If you are a parent who has been Virtus-trained, we'd love to have you join our VBS Team.

Contact Alice: aborddre@gmail.com

Married Couples Night Out
with Dr. Andrew & Sarah Swafford

Thursday, June 6, 2024, 6:00pm

St. Bernard's Catholic Church, Wamego
Please join us for a relaxed evening out with your spouse!

The event will include a catered meal, enrichment speakers, and childcare will be available.

We would love to see as many couples as possible!
Cost is \$25/Couple

Please RSVP to stbernard66547@gmail.com

Retrouvaille June Weekend
Registration Now Open

"No Marriage is Beyond HOPE!"

Registration for Retrouvaille's next KC weekend, June 21-23, is now open!

Retrouvaille is a Marriage program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship.

It is a Christian marriage program, Catholic in origin, where couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend. Presenters are not trained marriage counselors, but rather couples sharing their personal stories of marital struggles and the tools they used to rediscover their love. Seek the help and support that your marriage deserves today! Register Now!

https://www.helpourmarriage.org/communities/weekend_details.cfm?community=Kansas%5FCity%5FKansas&program_date=7288

PRAYER CHAIN INTENTIONS

Contacts:

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

Anne Herrington

Please pray for a good diagnosis & healing.

Kate Reese

Please pray for a successful foot surgery & speedy recovery.

Payton VandeVelde

(Granddaughter of Dan & Janice VandeVelde)

Please pray for the successful treatment of a serious head and eye injury.

David Dick

(Brother of Shirley Gustafson)

Please pray for the repose of his soul.

Jim DeSelms

Please pray for the repose of his soul.

Mary Dodson

Please pray for a diagnosis and improved health.

Delores

Please pray for grace of a happy & holy death.

Susan Gordon

Please pray for her healing.

Jim Mees

Please pray for his healing.

Cletus Legleiter

Please pray for his recovery.

Darlene (Werner) Elwood

Please pray for her. She has entered hospice due to cancer.

David Wilson

Prayers of thanksgiving for prayers answered for his health.

Vicky VandeVelde

(Mother of Amy Lett)

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

Anonymous Person

In thanksgiving for good test results.

Linda Bogue

Please pray for her healing.

Sharon Nelson

(Mother of Walt Nelson)

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

Anne & Her Family

Please pray for a special intention for them.

Therese Wood & Baby Agnes

Please pray for her healing of health issues and for her baby, Agnes.

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)
- Steve Denton
- John Simecka
- Claire Pearl
- Doyle Pearl

IC Pastoral Council Members

- Peggy Smith (Chair)
- Julie Homan
- Alex Johnson
- Tina Schindler
- Nicole Smith
- Mike Trausch
- Chris Smith
- April Huaracha

Cemetery Board

Alex Johnson, Paul Fiedler, Mike Piper



Knights of Columbus Council #657

- Grand Knight: Jason Henderson
- Knight of the Month: John Pauly
- Family of the Month: Steve & Kelly Denton
- 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.

SS Finance Council Members

- Kenton Erb
- Charlie Rottinghaus
- A.J. Heier
- Shelly Buhler
- Dan Fischer (Ex Officio)

SS Pastoral Council Members

- Joe Roth (Chair)
- Desiree McGrath
- Chris Hurla
- Bill DeDonder
- Sarah Sanders
- Connie Fischer (Ex Officio)
- Royce Muller (Ex Officio)

Knights of Columbus Council #10755

- Grand Knight: Mark Wilt
- Knight of the Month: Dan Fischer
- Family of the Month: Carroll Muller family
- Knight of the Year: Chris Hurla
- The Family of the Year: Steve & Shelly Buhler

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