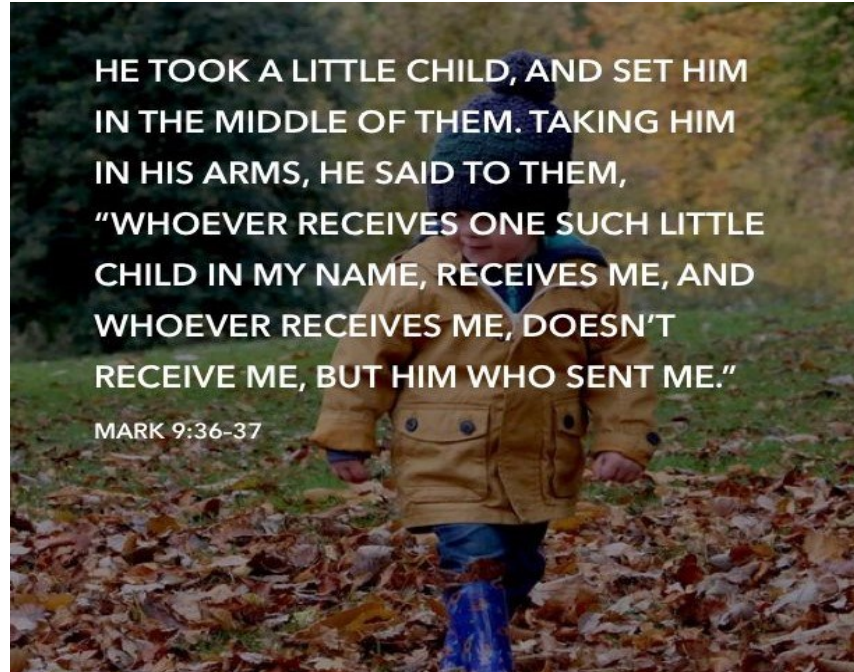


**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH
SAINT STANISLAUS PARISH**



**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 22, 2024**

Father Edward Ahn

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Immaculate Conception

Church

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St. Marys, KS 66536
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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. Ahn

FEATURED



Family Holy Hour with Vespers
Sunday, September 22nd 5:00pm
Servers: Claire Erb, Adrianna Gerber

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**There will be *\*\* NO MASS \*\** this week on**  
**Tuesday, September 24th, and**  
**Wednesday, September 25th.**

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

|       |      |         |    |                                      |
|-------|------|---------|----|--------------------------------------|
| Sat.  | 9-21 | 5:00pm  | IC | IC & SS Parishioners                 |
| Sun.  | 9-22 | 9:00am  | SS | Dec. Mem. Knights of Columbus #10755 |
|       |      | 11:00am | IC | Marie-Noelle Bordelon (+)            |
| Tues. | 9-24 | 8:00am  | IC | **** NO MASS ****                    |
| Wed.  | 9-25 | 8:00am  | SS | **** NO MASS ****                    |
| Thur. | 9-26 | 6:30pm  | IC | Paul Drippe (+)                      |
| Fri.  | 9-27 | 6:15am  | IC | Jim Toplikar & Family                |
| Sat.  | 9-28 | 5:00pm  | IC | Frank & Marsha DeDonder (++)         |
| Sun.  | 9-29 | 9:00am  | SS | Angela DeDonder Richardson (+)       |
|       |      | 11:00am | IC | IC & SS Parishioners                 |

*In Preparation for October—Respect Life Month....*

## DAILY RESOLUTIONS FOR Respect Life Month



What does it mean to be "pro-life"? It means being against abortion, assisted suicide, embryonic stem-cell research, human cloning, and any other practice that is an affront to the dignity of the human person. But being pro-life isn't just about being against things. Being pro-life means being for something. It means loving God's gift of life, and acting on that love.

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| 01<br>Join 40 Days for Life and pray outside an abortion clinic.                                            | 02<br>Spiritually adopt a life threatened by abortion or euthanasia and pray for this person daily.                                                     | 03<br>Pick up a package of diapers or wipes to donate to a pregnancy clinic.                                                              | 04<br>Find out if there are any foster families in your parish and pray for them by name.                                       |
| 05<br>Send a thank you card to the workers in a local Pregnancy Clinic and pray for them today.             | 06<br>Offer your Communion for a mother contemplating abortion.                                                                                         | 07<br>Love and delight in your OWN family today, smile, bite your tongue and listen to them.                                              | 08<br>Make a meal, or even bring snacks to a new mom or an overwhelmed, experienced mom.                                        |
| 09<br>Give encouragement to a struggling parent, whether they are dealing with toddler or teenage tantrums. | 10<br>Offer childcare or material help to a parish family in need (hint - we all have needs!)                                                           | 11<br>If you go to a Pro-Life doctor, leave a positive Google review for them. If you don't consider switching. Pray for all docs.        | 12<br>Prayerfully read the Church's teaching on contraception and it's link to abortion.                                        |
| 13<br>Offer your Communion for the conversion of an abortion worker.                                        | 14<br>Sacrifice a coffee or treat and donate thata money to a pro-life organization instead.                                                            | 15<br>Stay informed on current life issues, including human trafficking, through <a href="http://lifesitenews.com">lifesitenews.com</a> . | 16<br>Raise awareness of human trafficking by sharing on social media. Visit <a href="http://ourrescue.org">ourrescue.org</a> . |
| 17<br>Pray for those entrapped in human trafficking. Offer some sacrifice for them today.                   | 18<br>Prayerfully consider getting involved in our youth programs: trusted mentors help youth make better choices.                                      | 19<br>Watch a pro-life movie such as "Sound of Freedom", "Unplanned", "Sound of Hope".                                                    | 20<br>Offer your Communion for those entrapped by human trafficking.                                                            |
| 21<br>Send a card or flowers to someone in a nursing home who has no one to visit them.                     | 22<br>Make a special effort to be warm and genial to people who make you feel uncomfortable: the physically or mentally disabled, the obviously lonely. | 23<br>Visit a nursing home.                                                                                                               | 24<br>Pray a rosary for those doctors who promote or assist with euthanasia.                                                    |
| 25<br>Send a thank you card to the nurses and staff at a local nursing home/assisted living center.         | 26<br>Love all life you encounter today, from the whiny toddler to the irritating nosy neighbor. Be Christ to them.                                     | 27<br>Offer your Communion for ta change in laws to protect the vulnerable from exploitation.                                             | 28<br>Offer some fast, giving up a meal, meat, or other physical comfort for those who are forgotten and neglected.             |
| 29<br>Pray the Divine Mercy chaplet for those who will die today.                                           | 30<br>Give life. Check out the Archdiocesan Foster Care Ministry to see how you can help. <a href="http://archkcks.com/foster">archkcks.com/foster</a>  | 31<br>Have a Mass said for the Souls in Purgatory.                                                                                        |                                            |

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

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**SAINT STANISLAUS**

ssparish1899@gmail.com

**ALL PARISHES**

**September 15**

General: \$2,591  
Plate: \$607  
Poor & Needy: \$76  
Leaven: \$535  
Catholic Univ: \$60  
Total: \$3,869

Mt. Calvary Headstone Repairs: \$1,460

**September Faith Direct**

General: \$4,710  
Catholic Univ: \$75  
Leaven: \$175  
Total FD: \$4,960  
FD Fees: \$182.81-  
Net Sept FD: \$4,777.19

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**Saturday, September 28**

Ushers: Alex Johnson, John Pauly  
Servers: Lexie Carlson,  
Kaycee SinghDhillon  
Lector: Rich Schoenfeld  
Musicians: Mary's Choir

**Sunday, September 29**

Ushers: Gary Roth, Mike Drippe  
Servers: Ethan & Fulton Downey,  
Josiah & Jude Bowes  
Lector: Michelle Lett  
Musicians: Emma  
Homebound Minister: Jerry Tanking

**IC Team Cleaning**

Team D, Sept. 22nd -Sept. 28th

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**NO MASS or Coffee & Donuts  
this Tuesday, September 24th**

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**4th Quarter Minister Lists are on the  
back tables**

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**Day of Prayer for the Health and  
Wellness of Clergy and Men  
and Women Religious**

The second Day of Prayer for the Health and Wellness of Clergy and Men and Women Religious will be held on October 18, 2024. Organized by Saint John Vianney Center, a behavioral health and addictions treatment center in the United States for clergy and men and women religious, the day is designed to provide spiritual support to our church ministers who tirelessly serve our Church and the people of God. The day will also serve as a powerful reminder of the significance of self-care, healing, maintaining a strong spiritual foundation, and promoting a supportive environment for men and women who serve us through their vocations. For more information on how you can participate in the Day of Prayer and to download a prayer card with a **Prayer for Clergy and Religious in English and Spanish**, please visit [www.sjvcenter.org/dayofprayer/](http://www.sjvcenter.org/dayofprayer/).

**September 15**

General: \$1,055  
Plate: \$34  
Poor & Needy: \$100  
The Leaven: \$177  
Mass Stipend: \$30  
Maint. Fund: \$200  
Total: \$1,596

**September Faith Direct**

General: \$3,320  
Maint. Fund: \$570  
Leaven: \$156  
Catholic Univ: \$41  
Total FD: \$4,087  
FD Fees: \$125.85-  
Net Sept FD: \$3,961.15

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**Family Holy Hour with Vespers**

**Sunday, September 22nd 5:00pm**

**Servers: Claire Erb, Adrianna Gerber**

**Sunday, September 29**

Ushers: Charlie Rottinghaus, AJ Heier,  
Don Davis, Dan Fischer  
Servers: Caleb Heier, Owen, Elias, and  
Isaac Rottinghaus

Lector: Mary Ann Davis  
Ex Ord Min: Calvin Lytle  
Music: Bridget, Carrie  
Sacristan: Mary Ann Davis  
Homebound Minister: C & H Lytle

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**NO MASS**

**this Wednesday, September 25th**

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**Daughters of Isabella-  
Little Flower Circle**

The next meeting will be held on  
**September 22, 2024 in Yadrich Hall at  
Christ the King Church in Topeka.**  
A Rosary will be said at 12:40pm followed  
by the business meeting and social time.  
If anyone knows of a member or family  
member of Daughters of Isabella in need  
of prayers, please call Shirley Gustafson  
785-554-3028, or  
Chancellor Gen Orozco 785-230-2473

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~Congratulations~  
To the O'Neill and Aaronson  
families on the celebration of  
the Sacrament of Matrimony  
between  
Declan O'Neill and  
Jennifer Aaronson  
on Saturday, September 14th  
at St. Stanislaus.

**OPEN IC ADORATION HOURS**

**Sunday: 4:00am, 4:00pm,  
10:00am (temporary sub needed indefinitely)**  
**Monday: 2:00am, 4:00am**  
**Wednesday: 12:00am (Tuesday midnight)-  
every other week**  
**Thursday: 12:00pm (noon)**  
**Saturday: 1:00pm, 6:00pm, 9:00pm**

*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.*

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**OCIA (formerly RCIA) Class**

**The OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)  
class meets weekly on Thursdays at  
Immaculate Conception in the  
Parish Office/School Building (Room 3)  
from 7:20pm-8:45pm.**

**Please call Jean at IC: 785-437-2408  
or Kathi at SS: 785-584-6612 to sign up for the class  
so we can order materials. Thank you!**

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**Archbishop Naumann to be honored at  
The Gaudemus Gala**

Join the Catholic Education Foundation for the 22nd  
annual Gaudemus gala on Saturday, October 12, 2024  
at the Overland Park Convention Center. This year's  
event will honor Archbishop Joseph F. Naumann for his  
incredible legacy of support for Catholic education.  
Please help us honor Archbishop Naumann and raise  
critical funds to provide scholarships to students in  
need at Catholic schools throughout the archdiocese.  
Reserve a table, make a meaningful gift to support  
scholarships and learn more at <https://www.cefgala.org>

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**Presentation on St. Teresa of Calcutta**

You are invited to a presentation by  
Fr. Brian Kolodiejchuk, postulator of the Cause of  
Beatification and Canonization of Mother Teresa of  
Calcutta and director of the Mother Teresa Center.  
He edited and wrote the commentary for the book  
*Mother Teresa: Come Be My Light*, published in 2007.  
Fr. Kolodiejchuk's 20-year association with Mother  
Teresa began in 1977 when he joined a new group of  
contemplative brothers she was then starting. The  
presentation will be on Sunday, October 6, 2024 at  
St. Michael the Archangel Parish, 14251 Nall Ave.,  
Leawood 66223 at 7:00 p.m. Presentation Donations  
accepted - please write out to Mother Teresa Center.

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**10th Annual Rome Sweet Home Italian Festival**

**Saturday, September 28th  
Christ the King Church,  
25th & Wanamaker in Topeka**

5K Run at 8am, Rosary in our Rosary Garden at  
3:30pm, Indoor Mass at 4:30pm. After Mass, enjoy  
LaRocca's Italian Dinner, food trucks, kid's activi-  
ties, beer & wine gardens, and live music. Fire-  
works at dusk, raffle and sweepstakes. **For more  
information and tickets, visit [cktopeka.org](http://cktopeka.org)**

**PRAYER CHAIN INTENTIONS**

**Contacts:**

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

**Hank**

Please pray for the repose of his soul and consolation upon his family.  
May he rest in peace

**Ben Bussard**

Please pray for his healing from the sudden onset of a serious illness.

**17 yr old Young Lady**

Please pray for a 17 yr old young lady who had surgery for a brain tumor this week.  
Pray for her recovery and for her family.

**Don Sack**

**(Husband of Marlene)**

Please pray for the repose of his soul and for consolation upon his family.  
May he rest in peace.

**Anonymous College Student**

Please pray for an anonymous college student who is suffering from emotional distress.

**Mark Poell**

Please pray for healing after an accident.

**Dr. Daryl Rhoades**

Please pray for proper diagnosis and healing.

**Dani Stallbaumer**

Please pray for good test results and diagnosis from blood test and CT scan and for healing.

**Don Brunin**

Please pray for his healing.

**Michael Bann**

**(Brother-in-law of John & Ron Pauly)**

Please pray for his healing.

**David Figge**

**(Husband of Janet,**

**Father of Brenda Sommars & Nathan Figge)**

Please pray for the repose of his soul and for consolation upon his family.

**Marcel Drippe**

**(Son of Mike & Maria Drippe)**

Please pray for his healing & recovery from surgery and for his family.

**Terry Rewerts**

**( Father of Nathan Rewerts)**

Please pray for the repose of his soul.

**Anonymous Young Mother**

Please pray for an anonymous young mother going through mental issues.

**Charlotte Morley**

Please pray for her healing.

**Mary Fangman**

**(Mother of David Fangman)**

Please pray for the repose of her 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!**

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**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
- Michael Taylor

**Cemetery Board**

Alex Johnson, Paul Fiedler, Mike Piper



**Knights of Columbus Council #657**

Grand Knight: Alex Johnson  
Knight of the Month: Rick Budden  
Family of the Month: Rick & Diane Budden  
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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**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: Joe Roth  
Knight of the Month: Arlan Niehues  
Family of the Month: Brad & Jennifer Womack  
Knight of the Year: Chris Hurla  
The Family of the Year: Steve & Shelly Buhler

**Office Hours: Monday — Friday, 9:00am to 3:00pm**  
Immaculate Conception Office Number: (785) 437-2408  
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|                      | <b>Steve Mees</b>               |                               |                |
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| SS Youth Ministry:   | <b>Bridget Heier</b>            | bridget.heier@gmail.com       | (785) 341-5536 |
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