



Immaculate Conception Parish, St. Marys
 Holy Cross Church, Emmett
 St. Stanislaus Parish, Delia/Rossville/Silver Lake



THIRD
 SUNDAY
 OF LENT

Reading 1

Ex 17: 3-7

In those days, in their thirst for water, the people grumbled against Moses, saying, "Why did you ever make us leave Egypt? Was it just to have us die here of thirst with our children and our livestock?" So Moses cried out to the Lord, "What shall I do with this people? A little more and they will stone me!" The Lord answered Moses, "Go over there in front of the people, along with some of the elders of Israel, holding in your hand, as you go, the staff with which you struck the river. I will be standing there in front of you on the rock in Horeb. Strike the rock, and the water will flow from it for the people to drink."

This Moses did, in the presence of the elders of Israel. The place was called Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarreled there and tested the Lord, saying "Is the Lord in our midst or not?"



**Third Sunday of Lent
 March 15, 2020**



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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
 Alternate Wednesdays 10:30am—Rossville Valley Manor
 Alternate Fridays 9:30am—St. Marys Manor

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday 8:00am Immaculate Conception
 Tuesday 12:10pm
 Wednesday-Friday 8:00am
 First Saturday -only 8:00am

Web Sites:

Immaculate Conception: <http://www.immaculateconceptionstmarys.com>

St. Stanislaus: www.ststansrossville.org

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION Saturdays 3:15pm—Immaculate Conception
 Sundays 7:30am—St. Stanislaus

BAPTISMS You must be registered in one of the above parishes or have the permission of the pastor where you live. Required preparation classes are held for both parents and godparents as scheduled by the DRE. They are encouraged to attend prior to the birth of the child. Please contact Fr. Ray at the office, 437-2408, for further information.

MARRIAGE Please call: Father May for an appointment to go over the marriage policy (437-2408)

Minister List for Immaculate Conception

Saturday, March 21, 5:00pm,

Lector: Marla Flanagan
Ex. Ord. Mins.: John & Marla Flanagan, Terri Stewart
Servers: Vivian, Atticus & Leo Martin
Gifts: Terri Stewart Family
Ushers: Volunteer
Musicians: No Music
After Mass: Lorraine Diederich

Sunday, March 22, 10:30am,

Lector: Bill Mulligan
Ex. Ord. Mins.: Doug Wietharn, Bill Mulligan, Betty Aubert, (Steve Mees)
Servers: Zachary Fox, Caleb Fox, Ethan Fox
Gifts: Kevin Fox Family
Ushers: Doug Wietharn, Volunteers
Musicians: Rick & Diane Budden
After Mass: Kevin Fox

Minister List for St. Stanislaus

Saturday, March 21, 7:00pm

Lector: Deana Cowan
Ex. Ord.: Volunteer
Servers: Deacon Zordel, Grady Bergmann
Ushers: Brand Pletcher, Rod Cowan
Music: Lana, Ruth, Donna & Jen
Sacristan: Pletcher's

Sunday, March 22, 8:00am

Lector: Deidre Michael
Ex. Ord.: Phyllis Dolechek
Servers: Colby Hurla, Layne Hurla
Ushers: Harold Michael, Chris Hurla
Gifts: Hurla Family
Music: Helen, Carrie
Sacristan: Deidre Michael



**Weekly Mass Schedule
(March 15 to March 22)**

Sat.	03/14	5:00pm	IC	Milton & Madge Ronnau (+)
		7:00pm	SS	Catherine & Billy Jacobson (++)
Sun.	03/15	8:00am	SS	SS & IC Parishioners
		10:30am	IC	Marikay Fox (+)
Mon.	03/16	8:00am	IC	Fr's Intention
Tues.	03/17	12:10pm	IC	Rosemary Pauly (+)
Wed.	03/18	8:00am	IC	Pat Moylan, Sr. (+)
Thurs.	03/19	8:00am	IC	Delaine Kidney (+)
Fri.	03/20	8:00am	IC	Dr. Eugene McKenzie (+)
		9:30am	SMM	For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sat.	03/21	5:00pm	IC	Wilfred & Loretta Poell (++)
		7:00pm	SS	Catherine & Billy Jacobson (++)
Sun.	03/22	8:00am	SS	Maryjerrine Umscheid (+)
		10:30am	IC	IC & SS Parishioners



Up-Coming Events

Sun.	03/15		Third Sunday of Lent	
		9:15am	SS	No Rel. Ed.-Spring Break
Mon.	03/16	6:30pm	IC	Grief Share
Tues.	03/17	10:30am or 6:30pm	IC	Women's Group
		6:30pm	SS	Parish Council Mtg
		7:30pm	SS	Finance Council Mtg.
Wed.	03/18	6:15pm	IC	Rel. Ed. Food Drive
		7:00pm	SS	K of C Meeting
		7:00pm	SS	Youth Mtg.
		7:00pm	SS	Stations & Rosary
Thurs.	03/19	9:00am	IC	Faith Enrichment
		6:30pm	IC	Men's Group
Fri.	03/20	6:30pm	IC	Youth Study
		7:00pm	IC	Stations of the Cross
Sun.	03/22		Fourth Sunday of Lent	
		9:15am	SS	Rel. Ed.
		7:00pm	IC	Enflame of Hearts-Lenten Mission

Church Cleaning volunteers this week is Team-C Questions: Call John, 437-6123

RULES FOR FAST AND ABSTINENCE
FAST: Ages 18 years to not yet 60 years old.

ABSTINENCE-All Catholics, 14 years and older

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 10:00am to Noon and 1:00 -3:00pm
 Friday 9:30am to 11:30am and 12:30pm- 2:30 pm

Religious Ed. Office: Monday thru Thursday 9:00am to Noon and 1:00-3:00pm

Main Office Phone Number: 785-437-2408 Extension
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Kathi's Office Hours-Mon.-Thurs.-9:00am to 3:00pm

Immaculate Conception
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All Parishes

March 8, 2020 Contributions

Plate-\$143
Offering-\$1,348
Needy-\$120
Flower Donation-\$10
Black & Indian-\$20
Total-\$1,641
Feb. Faith Direct
Offering-\$1,853
Eastern Europe-\$35
Energy-\$100
Total-\$1,988

Lenten Youth Study: Fridays at 6:30pm, Rm. 3 for Jr. High and High School students. We'll have 1/2 hour study and then walk over for Stations together.

WOMEN'S GROUP
DURING LENT

It's not too late. Each Session is different and you can switch from morning to evening and vice versa. Choice of (2) sessions every Tuesday, 10:30am and 6:30pm. Sessions should last 45 minutes, Rm 3 for both sessions. We'll be reading and studying

REDISCOVER THE SAINTS.

Books available in back of church or library in office. Contact Alice if you have any questions. 437-2408 or aborddre@gmail.com

K of C Fish Fry: The K of C traditional fish fry set for March 13th, 5-7pm in the Centennial Bldg., will offer boiled shrimp (at a modest price) in addition to our normally tasty cod filets. So you can have cod, cod and shrimp or all shrimp-in addition to the normal baked potato, slaw, chips, drinks and dessert.

No Bells will be rung at Mass during Lent.

March 10th is Veronica

Grieshaber's Birthday: There will be a card shower for her. Her address is: % of St. Marys Manor, 206 Grand Avenue, St. Marys, KS 66536.

CBC Info: Your response to the appeal for the CBC is important and will be appreciated. There is at least one reply that should apply to every parishioner.

March 8, 2020 Contributions

General: \$705
Plate: \$89.50
Poor & Needy: \$30
Building Maint. Fund: \$200
Catholic Home Missions: \$10
Mass Stipend: \$10
Total: \$1,044.50

New Building Loan Balance Due: \$0

-PAID IN FULL-

Archdiocesan Assessments due by June 2020: \$5,002.82

Please call the office if you have questions about this annual expense.

Please Come Adore ~ The church will be open from 5am to 6am on Tues. & Thurs. for anyone who wishes to pray and rest in the presence of Jesus.

K of C Info: The Knights will be leading the Stations of the Cross and the Rosary on Wednesdays during Lent starting at 7pm.

The Knight of the Month for February is Ronald Cowan. The Knight of the Year is Joe Roth. The Family of the Year is Bill and Alexis Ebert.

Joe Roth was the winner of the attendance award (\$35) raffle which is awarded to anyone in attendance whose name is drawn at each meeting.

The ENTIRE Manhart family wishes to sincerely thank all of our wonderful friends for their many acts of kindness and support. The food, service, prayers, cards, and shared love are a tremendous blessing to us. Because of your generosity, more than \$2,000 was donated to Cletus' memorial and will go to our church and the Topeka Rescue Mission.

All College Bound St. Stanislaus Seniors ~ Please pick up a scholarship application from the narthex. Forms are due into the office on May 3rd.



Daughters of Isabella Little Flower Circle~

Will meet on March 22, 2020 at 7:39am at St. Matthew's Church, 1000 SE 28th St., Topeka for Corporate Communion Mass followed by an open meeting. If anyone knows of a member or family member of D of I in need of the Circle's prayers call Bobbie Graff-Hendrixson at 785-271-0145. If you are interested in or would like more info about Daughters of Isabella please call Cindy Keen at 785-228-9863.

DON'T STAY STUCK IN GRIEF ~ Grief Share is

meeting on Mondays at 6:30pm in Room 3 of the IC School. Topics for March are: (3/2) Challenges of Grief; (3/9) The Journey of Grief, Part 1 (3/16) The Journey of Grief-Part 2; (3/23) Grief and Your Relationships; (3/30) Why?. The format is: watch a video, Share or listen while others share about their grief journey, take home your personal workbook and complete the parts that seem helpful to you. As each session has a different topic, people come and go as their schedule permits. Contact are: Donna DeDonder (913-548-1169) or Peggy Smith (785-437-6164). THE HARDEST THING TO DO IS TO ATTEND THE FIRST TIME. You will receive a warm welcome from group members who have experienced the same thing: You're welcome to bring a friend.

Fish & Shrimp Supper-St. Joseph Catholic Church, Nortonville. Fridays during Lent, 5-7pm. Meal: Fried and Baked Fish, Fried Shrimp, Salad, Potato, Roll, Tea/Coffee, and choice of Dessert. \$12, Ages 11 & up; \$5, Ages 4-10; Free-Ages 0-3. Every Friday from Feb 28 thru April 3. No supper held on Good Friday, April 10th

HOLY WEEK COMBINED CHOIR for Holy Thursday and Saturday will have (3) choir practices. Tuesday, March 17th, Tuesday, March 31st and Tuesday, April 7th at 6:30pm. The practices will be held at Immaculate Conception Church in St. Marys. If you would like to sing, please join us at these practices. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Marty Ronnau at 437-6377 or June Burgett at 584-6080.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! March 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Parish Mission Speakers coming to I.C. Church! Every night has a different topic. Please join us in the Centennial Bldg. at 7pm. Snacks and beverages are provided.

4th Degree K of C Info ~ The Knights of Columbus Thomas A. McNeive Fourth Degree Assembly will hold a business meeting and election of officers Thursday, March 19th, 7:30pm, in the I.C. church basement meeting room. All members are encouraged to attend.

Sign of Peace and Precious Blood ~ Starting this week-end there will be no Sign of Peace nor will the Precious Blood be administered until further notice. This is because of the Corona virus.

Services Provided Parishes and Communities:

Perpetual Adoration: Please contact the office if you wish to participate in this beautiful and prayerful devotion.
Religious Education: Contact Connie Fischer (SS) [cfischer@amplus.com], 785-584-6262
Youth Group: Contact Angie Bittner (SS) 785.221-2644
St. Marys Food Pantry: Please contact Mary Poell @ 437-2448 or Tina Roth @785-584-6466 for assistance.
Ministry to the Sick: Parish contacts are: Betty Aubert, IC (437-6118) Janet Wehrly, HC (535-8021); Colette Peel, SS (582-5846).
Hall Rentals: 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)
Prayer Chain Coord.: Holy Cross-Janet Wehrly (535-8021), St. Stanislaus-Shirley Gustafson (554-3028),
SS Music Ministry: Immaculate Conception-Mary Ellen Reese (437-6163).
Community Care Ministries: (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



WILL YOU PLEASE HELP?

Adorers of the Holy Eucharist:

Sat. 12-1am; 1-2pm; 3-4pm; 9-10pm;
Sun. 2-3am
Mon. 10-11pm
Tues. 1-2am
Wed. 3-4am;
Thurs. (2-3am, need a third person to rotate with two other people who are doing it);
Fri. 1-2am; 12am to 1am (someone to alternate with April Huaracha); 8-9pm
Call Mary Ellen (437-6163) or Mary Alice (437-2408).

O, come let us adore Him,
Christ the Lord!

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

- Phil Bertels**: Healing of cancerous tumors.
- Cletus Manhart**: Please pray for the repose of Cletus's soul.
- Karen Lett**: Healing after open heart surgery
- Mark Poell**: Healing of successful shoulder replacement.
- Barbara Stockman Schulte**: Healing of a Stroke.
- Colleen Stegman**: For a healthy pregnancy, a healthy baby and a safe delivery.
- Julie Boone**: For Healing.
- 2 Week Old Baby Aarivanna**: Healing of RSV, another respiratory virus and pneumonia
- Please Pray for 11yrs old Zane Jacobs of Eudora** who has Duchesne Muscular Dystrophy. This is fast moving. He is the Great Grandson of Bernard and Marge Fiedler.
- Also, Please Pray for Margaret Jane Fiedler** to have a safe trip home from Italy. She is coming home because of the Coronavirus. She is the daughter of Larry and Shelle Fiedler. She attends Benedictine.
- Rodney Herrington**: Healing of broken bones in his foot.
- Jamie Klein, Father of 4**: Healing of cancer.
- Prayers for Unborn Baby Jocelyn**, whose blood tests show possible multiple problems with her.
- Please Pray for the Repose of the soul of Carmalite, Mother Marcella Schopper.**
- Please Pray for the repose of the soul of Martha Passman Evans.**
- Marcia Wagner**: For Healing.
- New Born Baby Levi Jahner**: Successful surgery and healing.

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.



CATHOLIC FACTS

Girls:

We have 5 decades in a Rosary: By Halie Kincaid, 6th Gr.

In the Old Testament there are 46 Books: By Sarah Lett, 8th Gr.

In the gospel of John, Chaper 6, Verse 66 is the only time in the Bible where Jesus loses disciples: By Veronica Hutley, 5th Gr.

Boys:

Noah made the Ark out of gopherwood: By Luke Trausch, 8th Gr.

Jesus died on the cross: By Tripp Worrel, 2nd Gr.

Jesus had no siblings: By Nate Hutley, 8th Gr.

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Men's Group Forming! Our new men's group meets on Thursdays at 6:30pm in Rm 3, unless there is a parish meeting. Then we will meet in the Youth Room. Questions? Call Gary Roth at 584-6466.

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'Eighth Annual Fish Fry!' ~ Friday, March 27th from 5:00-7:00pm ~ St. Theresa Catholic Church, 310 Oak Street ~Perry ~ Meal includes two kinds of fish, Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Macaroni and Cheese, Baked Beans, Bread, Homemade Desserts, Drinks. \$10.00, Adults, \$5.00 Ten and Under. Also, includes Basket Silent Auction and a Bake Sale.

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St. Patrick, Bishop

March

17th



Immaculate Conception

Finance Council Members:

Rick Reese (Chair.), Steve Denton, Steve Mees, and Pat Verschelden

Pastoral Council Members:

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

St. Stanislaus

Finance Council Members:

Nathan Bergman, (Chair.) Dan Fischer, Charlie Rottinghaus; and Kenton Erb



Pastoral Council Members:

Joe Roth (Chair.), Angie Bittner, Tyler Schuckman, Chris Hurla, Bill DeDonder, Brian O'Neill and Sarah Sanders.

Knights of Columbus



St. Marys Council #657:
Grand Knight: Keith Aubert

St. Stanislaus Council #10755:
Grand Knight: Harold Michael

Knights of Columbus

Family of the month for March:
Ray and Loretta Kovar and Family

Knight of the Month for March:
Ray Kovar

Congratulations to all.

Feast Days for the Week

Sunday, March 15, Third Sunday of Lent

Mon., March 16, Lenten Wk Day

Tues., March 17, St. Patrick, Bishop

Wed., March 18, St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

Thurs. March, 19, St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Fri. March, 20, Lenten Wk Day

Sat., March 21, Lenten Wk Day

Sunday, March 22, Fourth Sunday of Lent