



Weddings: Please arrange at least 6 months prior to the desired date.
Baptisms: Please arrange no less than one month prior to desired date.

Reconciliation: Any time by appointment or Saturdays
 3 - 3:45 PM - St. Boniface Church Sacristy.

St. Therese Mass Schedule

Saturday	August 29, 2015	6:00 PM	Living & Deceased of the John & Anna Poss Family - Don & Nadine Poss
Tuesday	Sept. 01, 2015	8:30 AM	The John H. Roeckers Family - The Roeckers Family
Wednesday	Sept. 02, 2015	10:30 AM	All Living & Deceased Parishioners - at <i>Richmond Healthcare & Rehab</i>
Thursday	Sept. 03, 2015	8:30 AM	Christina Miller - Ron and Edna Foltz
Saturday	Sept. 05, 2015	6:00 PM	Dorothea Wheeler - Mike and Misty Wheeler

Assignments – 09/05/15

Stewardship

Lectors:

Dean Kueser, Karen Wolken

Offertory Collection: 22 August 2015

Eucharistic Ministers:

Dale and Sandra Kueser, Marlene Laird

A report from last weekend and this weekend will be in next week's Bulletin. Thanks for your patience!

Richmond Care Center:

Gerard Weber

Hospitality:

Marlene Laird

Counting Team: A

Church Cleaning:

Sandra Kueser, Marlene Laird

St. Boniface Mass Schedule

Sunday	August 30, 2015	9:00 AM	Lorene Strobel - Amy Mader
Monday	August 31, 2015	8:30 AM	Conrad Hermreck - The Milliken Family
Wednesday	Sept. 02, 2015	7:00 PM	All Living & Deceased Parishioners - at <i>Richmond Healthcare and Rehab</i>
Friday	Sept. 04, 2015	8:30 AM	Jack Sunderland - Roger and Norma Rockers
Sunday	Sept. 06, 2015	9:00 AM	Conrad and Ann Hermreck - Jerry and Ramona Hermreck

Assignments – 09/06/15

Stewardship

Lectors:

Margie Bunnel, Morgan Egidy

Offertory Collection - 23 August 2015

Eucharistic Ministers:

Glen and Cheryl Bures, Carol Lutz

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Servers:

Emma Schafer, Porter and Lane Richards

Richmond Care Center:

Gerard Weber

Counting Team: Vicki Mersman

I am filled with a jealous zeal for the Lord God of Hosts



Pastor's Notes

FR. JERRY AWAY - I will be back by late evening on Tuesday, September 1st. There will be no interruption of Mass times during my absence, and if there are any emergencies, please call the parish number and leave a message. Fr. Dave will check the machine frequently, and will be back in touch with you as soon as he can. For routine matters, however, please simply wait until I return. Thanks for the opportunity to get away for a break, and thanks to Fr. Dave for covering for me! I'll look forward to seeing everyone when I return.

ST. BONIFACE PASTORAL COUNCIL - There will be a meeting of the Council immediately following the 9 AM Mass in the Priory Dining Room. Please be in attendance as this is the final meeting before the Bazaar!

SECOND COLLECTION - There will be a second collection next weekend, September 5th & 6th, for the Catholic University of America. As always, thank you in advance for your customary generosity!

CCD NEWS - Plans are already well underway for the coming academic year - as well as for our CCD Program. There will be a Teachers' Meeting on Wednesday, September 2nd at 7:00 PM in the Priory Conference Room. All teachers are asked to be at that meeting. The first evening of CCD classes will be on Wednesday, September 9th and we will begin class nights in St. Boniface Church at 7:00 PM. If you are enrolling a child in the program for the first time - either as a 1st grade student, or as a student in a later grade or in the high school level - and if he or she was NOT Baptized at either St. Therese or St. Boniface, we will need a copy of his or her Baptismal Certificate. Please be prepared to bring the certificate in on the first evening, or drop it off at the Priory/Parish Office ahead of time. To contact Peg Mechnig regarding CCD: phone the parish office, or Peg at 785.448.8569 or e-mail at pmechnig@hotmail.com. To contact Kristy regarding the Carmelite *STARS* call 785.835.6687. **Also, please consider becoming a Prayer Partner to one of our CCD students. Take a look at the posters in each church, and sign up if you are interested. If you have questions, contact Peg Mechnig or Fr. Jerry. Thank you!**

BAZAAR TIME APPROACHES! - The St. Boniface Pastoral Council and the Altar Society have already begun the planning for the St. Boniface Bazaar (October 4th). One preliminary task is to gather items and donations for the raffle prizes. If you, or your employer or favorite merchant would like to make a donation of money or a prize, please send it or drop it off at the Priory, along with the name of the donor. Thanks for helping out in this important detail of preparation!

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS - Have you ever considered praying for an individual priest on every day of the week? Be assured - the prayers that are offered for priests are deeply appreciated by them, Fr. Dave and I included. A Prayer Calendar for Priests has been developed by John Saki. Go to www.ProLifeKC.com and scroll down to the link called Prayer Calendar for Priests. You can download and/or print the monthly prayer calendar from August 2015 through May 2016. We are all grateful for your prayer and loving concern!

VISION 2015 CONVOCATION - There will be a convocation on Friday, September 11th, from 9 AM - 3 PM at the Savior Pastoral Center to do this. It is open to parishioners - so if you are interested and able to attend, there is a flyer and registration information posted on the Bulletin Boards at each church. There is no cost, and the day includes Mass and lunch. If there are enough people who would like to go, perhaps we could car-pool!

ARCHDIOCESAN OFFERINGS - the final dates for our region's Marriage Encounter weekends for 2015 are October 2nd - 4th, and November 20th - 22nd. See the flyer on the bulletin boards for information and registration directions; Living in Love Retreat at Sacred Heart Parish - Emporia - **Please note that there has been a date change for this retreat! The rescheduled dates are October 10th and 11th. The posters on the Bulletin Boards at both churches reflect this change!** - see flyer on the Bulletin Boards;

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY - our parishes are blessed to have a couple who have been trained as leaders for this dynamic program of financial responsibility based on good, Christian principles. The course meets weekly for nine sessions - and will run from Thursday, September 17th through Thursday, November 12th. The cost of the program is \$100 per family. Registration materials will be out soon - but if interested, leave a message at the Parish Office, or contact Jeanine at 785.448.7737. Consider coming yourself, and pass the word on to family and friends!

HOME VISITS - I make home visits and bring Holy Communion to our homebound members on Wednesdays, following the Mass at Richmond Healthcare and my Communion calls at Long Term Care in Garnett. If you know of anyone who would like for me to stop and visit them on a regular basis or even an occasional visit, please let me know or have them call me. **There will be First Friday Mass at Golden Heights this week, on September 4th, at 10:00 AM in the Common Room inside the front entrance. All are welcome to join us at Mass that day!** Let's all keep our elderly, sick and homebound parishioners in our prayers!

PLEASE CONTINUE TO CHECK THE WEBSITE & BULLETIN BOARDS FOR MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS
St. Isidore, patron of farmers, intercede for us as we pray for safety and favorable weather!

For the past 5 weeks, the Gospel at our weekend celebrations of the Eucharist have focused on the Bread of Life discourse from the Gospel of John.

Hopefully, our awareness of the Presence of Christ in the Eucharist, and in our lives, has deepened as a result - and that the effects of our awareness will help us to strive to be more faithful and fruitful disciples of the Lord.



We now return to Mark's Gospel, and his writings on "the Messianic Secret". the Good News of Jesus, Messiah, Son of God - not only for a deeper understanding of Who Jesus is, but to unfold the implications for faith and discipleship. Mark emphasizes that a proper confession of Jesus should not be made on the basis of miracles, but only after following him to the cross. The first human in Mark's Gospel who correctly addresses Jesus as Son of God is the Centurion who professes his belief at the moment of Jesus' death on the cross.

John R. Donahue, S.J. - "Mark"

Have a blessed week! - Fr. Jerry