

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am-3:00pm | Friday Office Closed

600 N Liberty Street | Independence, MO 64050

Mass Times

Monday: 12 noon (OF)

Tuesday: 12 noon (OF)

Wednesday: 12 noon (EF)

Thursday: 6:00 pm (EF)

Friday: 12 noon (EF)

Saturday: 5:00 pm (OF)

Sunday:

8:00 am (OF)

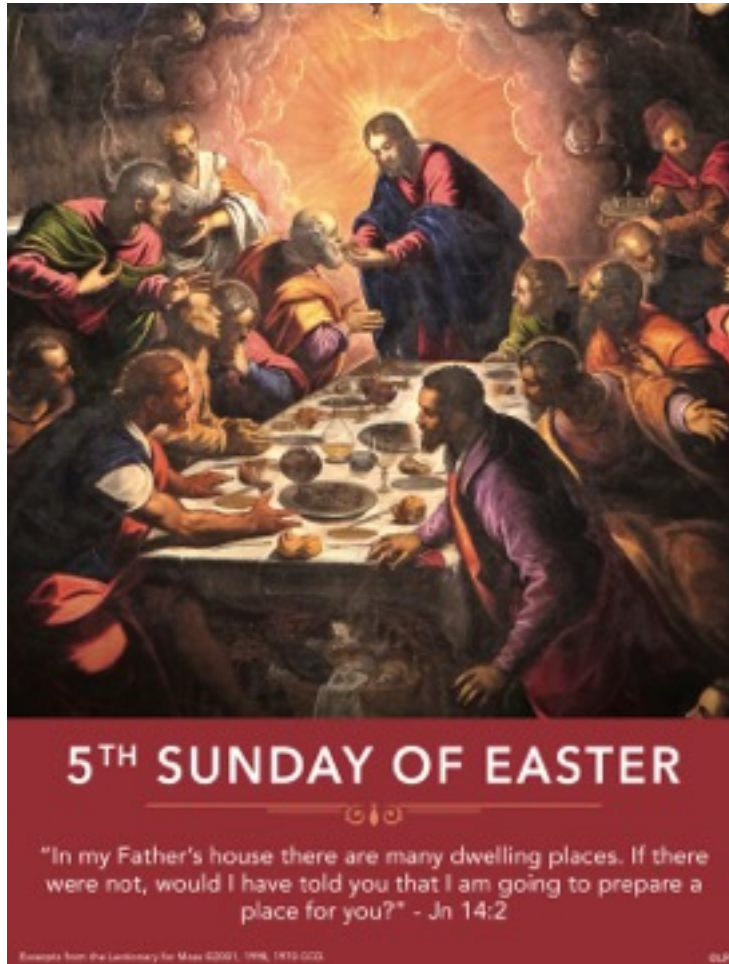
11:00 am (OF)

5:00 pm (EF)

OF - Ordinary Form

EF - Extraordinary Form

Confessions are 30 minutes
before every Mass



Outreach Agency

Food, Clothing and
Prescription
Medication Assistance

HOURS:

Wednesday &
Thursday 9:00am -
3:00pm

(816) 252-8649

**(Please call for an
appointment)**

*Donations of food &
clothing may be
brought to the Ministry
Center Monday -
Thursday by 12:00
noon

**May 10th, 2020: 5th Sunday of
Easter**

**ALL MASSES HAVE BEEN CANCELED
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

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PARISH CALENDAR

Saturday May 9

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab,
3cd-4 [3cd]/Jn 14:7-14

Mass Intention - (Robert
Altmann+)
6:30am -
4:30pm -
5:00pm -

Sunday May 10

5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19
[22]/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

Mass Intentions - (All Living and
Deceased Mothers of St. Marys,
Carol Cleeton+, Parishioners)
7:30am -
8:00am -
9:00am -
10:30am -
11:00am -
4:30pm -
5:00pm -

Monday May 11

Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4,
15-16 [1ab]/Jn 14:21-26

Mass Intention - (Luigi Nannini+)
11:30am -
12:00pm -
6:30pm -

Tuesday May 12

Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11,
12-13ab, 21 [cf. 12]/Jn 14:27-31a

Mass Intention - (Breeanne &
Thomas James Clark)
11:30am -
12:00pm -
6:30pm -
6:30pm -

Wednesday May 13

Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab,
4cd-5 [cf. 1]/Jn 15:1-8

Mass Intention - (Fr. Bartulica &
Priests of the Diocese)
11:30am -
12:00pm -

Thursday May 14

St. Matthias, Apostle

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2,
3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [8]/Jn 15:9-17

Mass Intention- (Living and
Deceased Family, Friends,
Benefactors, Male-factors of Sr.
Teresita)
10:00am -
5:30pm -
6:00pm -
7:00pm -

Friday May 15

Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and
12 [10a]/Jn 15:12-17

Mass Intention - (Ralph Miller)
11:30am -
12:00pm -
6:00pm -
6:40pm -

Saturday May 16

Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5
[2a]/Jn 15:18-21

Mass Intention - (Garrett Routh)
4:30pm -
5:00pm -

Next Sunday May 17

6th Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5,
6-7, 16, 20 [1]/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn
14:15-21

Mass Intentions - (Mr. & Mrs.
Verhulst+, Mary & Harold
Mitchell, Parishioners)
7:30am -
8:00am -
9:00am -
10:30am -
11:00am
12:15pm
4:30pm -
5:00pm -



Contact Information

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Formation, Respect Life, and Events
Coordinator
RespectLife@saintmarysparish.org
Events@saintmarysparish.org

Klaire Boutross - Church Custodian
(Please contact Klaire to volunteer for
cleaning on Saturdays)
klaireboutross8@gmail.com

WEEKLY READINGS for Ordinary Mass

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5,
18-19 [22]/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2,
3-4, 15-16 [1ab]/Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps
145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21 [cf. 12]/Jn
14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps
122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [cf. 1]/Jn
15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps
113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [8]/Jn
15:9-17

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9,
10 and 12 [10a]/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps
100:1b-2, 3, 5 [2a]/Jn 15:18-2

Next Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps
66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/1 Pt

PLEASE REMEMBER THESE PARISHIONERS and FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Elmer Albert, David Anderson, David Barrett, Liz Crosby, Augie Cruz, Bob DeSchepper, Brodie Gorbet, Jeffrey Klenklen, Joyce Klenklen, Harold Mitchell, Annie Moran, Ke Hun Ngo, Eric Palmer, Mary Pappas, Eric Parvin, Mark & Maryann Polina, Anthony Rizzi, Michelle Rohaus, Harold Stewart George Stone, Betty Underwood, Frank Velasquez, Peggy Vincent, Jean Wilcox

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY MEN & WOMEN:

SFC. Christopher Kinnaman - Wainwright, Fairbanks AL. (Grandson of Betty Kinnaman)
Fr. CPT. Brian Klingele - Kreech AFB & Nellis AFB, Nevada, (Nephew of Ken & Karen Klingele)
Rev. Joseph Reardon - Bahrain (Persian Gulf) Command Chaplain
SSGT Christopher Wood - Cherry Point, NC (Grandson of Jean Wilcox)
ICSN Josiah Smith - San Diego, CA. (Grandson of Mary Smith) & IC3 Christina Smith - Virginia (wife of Josiah)
CPT Eric Hoffman - US Air Force, Middle East (Nephew of Chuck & Karen Vlasin)

Altar Servers

5:00pm - J Collins, J Rider
8:00am - M & T Holden, A Rincon, T & T Spooner
11:00am - J Combs, M Deggendorf, E&J Diamond, T Gearke, R Howe, A Talato, L Uresti
5:00pm - N Leete, N Smith

Lectors

2nd Sunday (May 10)
5 PM:
8 AM:
11 AM:
3rd Sunday (May 17)
5 PM:
8 AM:
11 AM:

Please let Tami know at smoffice@saintmarysparish.org if your availability changes, or if you'd like to be added to the list of servers or lectors.

PASTORAL CARE MEALS COMMITTEE!

Have you recently had a baby, been in the hospital, been ill or are dealing with grief? We would like to help you by providing you with home cooked meals. If you or someone you know in the parish has a need for dinners on a short-term basis, **please contact Colleen Diamond at lourdesspring@gmail.com or 816-260-7322.** Also, if you are interested in helping to make meals on an as-needed basis we would love for you to join!

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I
embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit
me to be separated from You.
Amen.

Prayer During Coronavirus Pandemic

O clement, O Loving, O sweet Mother Mary,
We, your children of every nation,
Turn to you in this pandemic.
Our troubles are numerous; our fears are great.
Grand that we might deposit them at your feet,
Take refuge in your Immaculate Heart,
And obtain peace, healing, rescue,
And timely help in all our needs.
You are our Mother.
Pray for us to your Son.
Amen.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected *sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult* to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, 816.812.2500, or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph. The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011, or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

FEATURED CD OF THE MONTH

Resurrection & Mercy: Christ is Risen! He is Risen Indeed! Amid crisis, scandal, and confusion in the modern world, where does the good news of the Resurrection and God's endless mercy fit in? In these three homilies—on The Easter Vigil, Divine Mercy Sunday, and Pentecost—priest and pastor Fr. Brian Larkin shares stories and insights, including from G. K. Chesterton, George Weigel, St. John Paul II, St. Faustina Kowalska, and the Old and New Testaments, to proclaim the joy, hope, and mission of every Christian, to love and serve a God “who never tires of forgiving you”, and “who knows His way out of the grave.”

Please visit our CD kiosk at the front of the church. We have many great topics on CD about the Catholic faith. We ask for a nominal donation of \$3 for each CD.

Now would be a great time to use our Parish **Formed** account!

This is a free resource available to parishioners, containing unlimited access to Catholic movies, children's books, audio dramas and books...even Sacramental prep, Bible studies, documentaries, and so much more!!

Sign up by going to [Formed.org/signup](https://www.formed.org/signup). Select “I Belong to a Parish”, search for St. Mary's, then follow the remaining steps!



MAY, THE MONTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

We are delighted and consoled by this pious custom associated with the month of May, which pays honor to the Blessed Virgin and brings such rich benefits to the



Christian people. Since Mary is rightly to be regarded as the way by which we are led to Christ, the person who encounters Mary cannot help but encounter Christ likewise. For what other reason do we continually turn to Mary except to seek the Christ in her arms, to seek our Savior in her, through her, and with her?

May she who experienced the cares and hardships of earthly life, the weariness of daily toil, the hardships and trials of poverty, and the sorrows of Calvary, come to aid the needs of the Church and the human race. May she graciously lend an ear to the devout pleas of those all over the world who beg her for peace. May she enlighten the minds of those who rule nations. And finally, may she prevail on God, who rules the winds and storms, to calm the tempests in men's warring hearts and grant us peace in our day.

-Pope Paul VI, Encyclical 1965

Updated Liturgical Protocols from the Bishop's Office can be found at:
<https://kscatholic.org/coronavirus-updates/>

Weekly Contribution Income		Annual Contribution Income	
May 3			
Envelopes: \$	3940.00	May Actual: \$	4823.00
Plate: \$		May Budget: \$	27,500.00
Online: \$	883.00		\$ 22,677.00
Total Contributions: \$	4823.00	Year-to-Date Actual: \$	214,666.00
		Year-to-Date Budget: \$	242,000.00
			\$ 27,334.00

(Fiscal Year is July 1 through June 30)

Don't carry cash or checks? Contact Father to set up tithing through automatic direct deposit, or sign up for one-time or recurring donations on our website at the Online Giving tab at the top of the page

If you are able, please consider mailing your weekly contribution to the church office or send it via the church website under the Online Giving tab, as we continue to meet the operational needs of the parish during this challenging time. Thank you!



PRAYER FOR MOTHERS

Heavenly Father,
 from the beginning you have chosen to entrust
 the human person to mothers in a special way.
 We thank and praise you for the gift of mothers;
 for their tenderness, care, and compassion,
 for their intuition and encouragement,
 for commitment and sacrifice.
 Bless all mothers this day.
 Keep, strengthen, and refresh them
 in your loving care.
 May they be blessed by our open-hearted
 love and gratitude.
 Amen.

*St. Mary's
 Community Curbside
 Meal-May 10*

Pick up at 600 N Liberty St. Independence, MO 64056

<p>RSVP to receive your FREE FAMILY MEAL at St. Mary's Catholic Church to be picked up between 4-4:30pm on Sunday, May 10!</p> <p>Featuring a Mother's Day Brunch Menu: Garden Vegetable Breakfast Casserole - Crispy Breakfast Potatoes - Fresh Fruit Salad - Buttery Croissants</p>	<p>Please include in your RSVP email:</p> <p>-Subject line: May 10 Meal</p> <p>-Your first and last name</p> <p>-A contact phone number for you (and if text is ok)</p> <p>-Number of people in your family</p>
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RSVP TO MEALS@SAINTMARYSPARISH.ORG BY FRIDAY, MAY 8 AT 10PM

* Please note: These meals will be attempted weekly, as the need persists.