

ST. MARY QUEEN OF ANGELS



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Fr. Daryl Olmstead

November 9, 2025

PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Beverly Nichols, Chairperson, Dave Zachman, Vice Chairman,
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Tammi Buhrl, Nathan Myers, & Deb Strobel

FINANCE COUNCIL:

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Jim Malone, & Mark Ptacek

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Marge Schulte, Liturgy
Merlin Ney, Cemetery Board
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Beverly Nichols, Stewardship
Dave Zachman, Respect Life

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Madi Wieger

PARISH STAFF:

Judy Larson—Administrative Assistant
Marcia Blundon—Bookkeeper
Bonita Ney—Religious Education Coordinator
Bruce Heier—Custodian
Curtis Sander--Music Coordinator

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Tues., Wed. 5:30 p.m.
Thurs., Fri. 7:30 a.m.

Holy Day

- as announced

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

We are happy to have you with us! Please call or stop by the parish office to register.

Welcome
To Our
Parish

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism—Personally contact the pastor prior to intended date.

Marriage—Personally contact the pastor at least six months prior to intended date.

Sick Calls/Anointing—Please call the parish office if someone is hospitalized or ill at home and would like us to visit with Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Sick.

Reconciliation — Saturday — 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

With Christ as our model,
St. Mary, Queen of Angels Catholic Church
Strives to be a welcoming community of faith,
United in our diversity,
Guided by the Holy Spirit,
Nurtured by the sacraments,
Centered around the Eucharist,
And inspired by the gospel message.

We devote our time, talent and treasures to build the Kingdom of God.
We love and serve the Lord by serving one another.

THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA, NOVEMBER 9TH, 2025

The Lord of hosts is with us. (Psalm 46:8)

The Basilica of St. John Lateran is named for the Lateran hill on which it stands. This cathedral church of Rome is dedicated to both John the Baptist and John the Evangelist and stands as a symbol of the persistence of the entire Church. Dedicated in AD 324, soon after Emperor Constantine allowed Christians to meet without persecution, the Lateran Basilica also reminds us of God's enduring faithfulness to his people. It has remained for more than seventeen hundred years as a sign that "the Lord of hosts is with us; our stronghold is the God of Jacob" (Psalm 46:8).

Consider the significance of this building. This was the first place where God's people could assemble publicly and testify to Jesus' presence in the celebration of the Eucharist. Here, and at every Mass, Jesus himself is present under the appearances of ordinary bread and wine. He comes to us in this humble way so that he can be with us in the ordinary circumstances of our everyday lives. This tremendous miracle is a consoling reality and a spiritual stronghold for each of us: Jesus is present, in lowly Eucharistic form, in every tabernacle in the world!

This is why we design churches to be beautiful sacred spaces: to mark them as fitting dwellings for Jesus and to remind us that he is always with us. He dwells among us and offers himself to us every day.

Today, let's thank God for all the astounding things he has done. But above all, let's rejoice in his constant faithful presence among us! And let's open our hearts to receive and adore him, present in the Eucharist.

"Thank you, Jesus, for the gift of your Body and Blood. You are my stronghold, Lord, and you will never leave me."
The Word Among Us

Date	Mass Intentions	Mass Readings
Saturday, Nov. 8 - 5:30 p.m.	Ruby Nowak	Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12, 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11,16-17, John 2:13-22
Sunday, November 9 -10:00 a.m.	For Our Parishioners	Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12, 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11,16-17, John 2:13-22
Monday, November 10	NO MASS	Wisdom 1:1-7, Luke 17:1-6
Tuesday, November 11-No Mass	Ray and Charles Strobel, Ann	Wisdom 2:23-3:9, Luke 17:7-10
Wednesday, November 12 No Mass	Spec. Intention Keith & Maureen Haberer	Wisdom 6:1-11, Luke 17:11-19
Thursday, November 13 -No Mass	Kevin Axelson	Wisdom 7:22b-8:1, Luke 17:20-25
Friday, November 14 - No Mass	Frank Ptacek	Wisdom 13:1-9, Luke 17:26-37
Saturday, November 15 - 5:30 p.m.	For Our Parishioners	Malachi 3:19-20a, 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12, Luke 21:5-19
Sunday, November 16 - 10:00 a.m.	Spec. Intention Clara Hilger	Malachi 3:19-20a, 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12, Luke 21:5-19

Gorham Mass Schedule

Sundays - 8:00 a.m.



Prayer Requests

Please pray for Arielle Dreiling, Helga Ziegler, Mary K (Andy Hurla's mother), George Sullivan (Tammy Ptacek's dad), Gary Flax, Sharon Marley, and all our friends and relatives who are ill or experiencing difficulties in their lives that they may know the healing presence of God.



Stewardship of Treasure

Contributions Weekend of November 1st thru November 2nd, 2025

Envelopes	\$ 1,505.00
Maintenance Fund	\$ 1,740.00
Loose Cash	\$ 576.00
Votive	\$ 68.00
All Saints Day	\$ 825.00
Online Giving (2 weeks)	\$ 2,070.00

TOTAL DEPOSIT \$6,784.00

CEMETERY \$ 50.00

QR Code for Online Giving



Stewardship of Time and Talent	
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Liturgical Ministers	Saturday, November 15th - 5:30 p.m.	Sunday, November 16th- 10:00 a.m.
Hospitality/Ushers/Gifts	Kelly Reddig & Kylie Reddig	3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Students
Lectors	Jeff Ochampaugh & Beverly Nichols	3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Students
Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Body: *Keith Haberer & Maureen Haberer Cup: Sandy Ochampaugh, Kristi Fisher & Cindy Balthazor	Body: *Tammi Buhrlé & Todd Buhrlé Cup: Deanna Myers, Kyle Farmer & Ashlyn Farmer
Altar Servers	Ava Cline, Scarlett Schneider & Fiona Dreiling	Karysn Hamlin & Kooper Hamlin
Organist/Instrumental/Cantors	Deb Zachman & Dave Zachman	Deb Zachman & Dave Zachman
Religious Ed. Teachers Preschool - First Grade	Sunday, November 9th Olivia Morgenstern & Reese Owens	Sunday, November 16th Peyton Sohm & Morgan Finkenbinder
Counters	Sunday, November 9th Bruce & Jeanine Heier	Sunday, November 16th Glen & Marcia Blundon

<u>Birthday Wishes to:</u> Sunday, November 9th Tuesday, November 11th Wednesday, November 12th Sunday, November 16th <u>Anniversary Wishes to:</u> Saturday, November 8th Wednesday, November 12th	Isabelle Hertel & Cage Ode Abigail Jewell & Wayne Grabbe Matt Nichols, Luke Keller, Vivian Dreiling, Dempsey Ptacek & Camden Dreher Kim Shumaker, Dustin Finkenbinder, Derek Becker & Clara Hilger John & Gail Ogle Andrew & Ally Ochampaugh	
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2025-2026		Religious Education News
		
Nov. 12	7:15 p.m.	-CCD Class-Practice for 3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Mass
Nov. 16	10:00 a.m.	-3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Mass
Nov. 19	7:15 p.m.	-CCD Class - Adoration
Nov. 26		-NO CLASS-Thanksgiving Break
Dec. 3	7:15 p.m.	-CCD Class - CYO -1st Reconciliation Students & Parents
Dec. 10	7:15 p.m.	-CCD Class - Penance Service 3rd through 11th grades
Dec. 17	7:15 p.m.	-CCD Class



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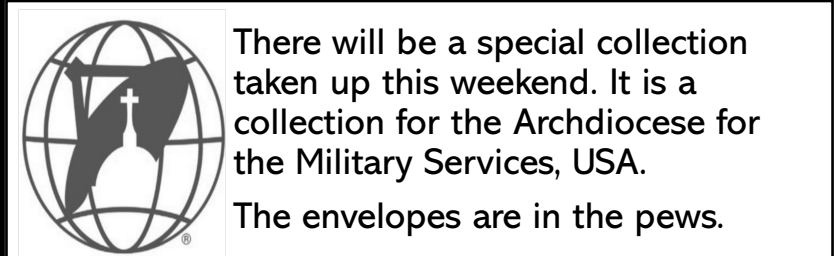
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**Knights of
Columbus**

The Knights of Columbus will hold their monthly meeting Monday, November 10th at 7:00 p.m.

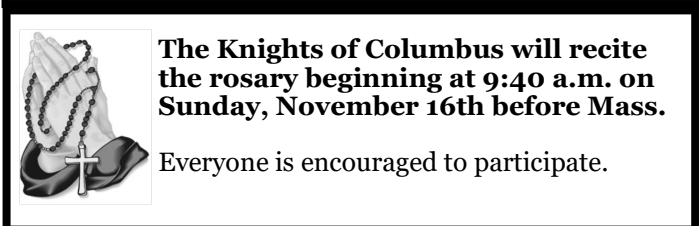
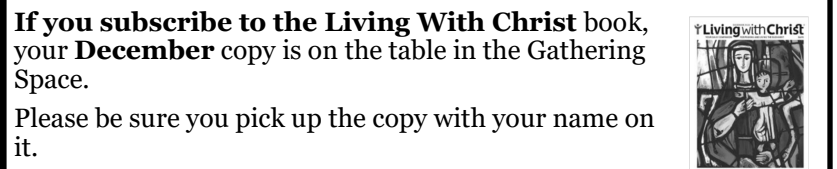


 There will be a special collection taken up this weekend. It is a collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA.

The envelopes are in the pews.

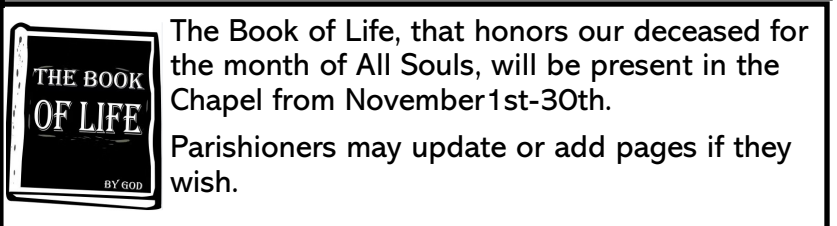
If you subscribe to the Living With Christ book,
your **December** copy is on the table in the Gathering
Space.

Please be sure you pick up the copy with your name on it.



The Knights of Columbus will recite the rosary beginning at 9:40 a.m. on Sunday, November 16th before Mass.

Everyone is encouraged to participate.



 The Book of Life, that honors our deceased for the month of All Souls, will be present in the Chapel from November 1st-30th.

Parishioners may update or add pages if they wish.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

November 10	7:00 p.m.	-Knights of Columbus Meeting
November 10-21		- NO WEEKDAY MASSES Father Daryl will be in Italy-will return on November 21
November 11		- VETERAN'S DAY
November 12	6:30 p.m.	-OCIA Youth Session
	7:15 p.m.	-OCIA Adult Session
	7:15 p.m.	-CCD Class-Practice 3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Mass - CYO
November 16	9:40 a.m.	-Knights of Columbus Rosary said Before Mass
	10:00 a.m.	-3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Mass
	2-3:30 p.m.	-Sunday Services Nursing Homes
November 26	9-10 a.m.	-Catholic Charities in Parking Lot
November 27	9:00 a.m.	- Happy Thanksgiving - MASS
	12:00 p.m.	-Community Thanksgiving Meal in Parish Hall



Our prayers and sympathy to Ronald and Glenna Letsch, family and friends of Dennis Letsch (Ronald's brother) who died on Sunday, October 26th.

A heartfelt THANK YOU to our parish family for the continued support of CYO! On November 20th-22nd, 20 youth and 14 sponsors will set off to Indianapolis to attend NCYC. It is a wonderful opportunity to help us learn and grow in our faith with Catholics across the country. It would not be possible without the support of our parish.



We are accepting donations to help offset the cost of meals, but most importantly, we appreciate your prayers!



MARCH FOR LIFE 2026

The Salina Diocese Respect Life Commission is planning a diocesan bus trip to Washington DC to take part in the March for Life on January 23, 2026.

Now is the time to register if interested. Registration forms must be printed, completed, notarized and returned to the Diocese of Salina by November 18, 2025.

You can find out more about this event by going to:

<https://salinadiocese.org/office/respect-life/march-for-life/>.



Catholic Charities 2025 Igniting Hope Annual Campaign

Thank you to everyone who has generously supported the Catholic Charities 2025 Igniting Hope Campaign. If you haven't had a chance to give, there's still time! Every dollar you donate will be doubled, up to \$150,000.

To give, use the pledge cards and remittance envelopes provided by your parish or visit www.ccnks.org/ignitinghope.

For questions or more information, contact Megan Augustine at 785-833-9380 or maugustine@ccnks.org.



Fr. Daryl will be in Italy from **Monday, November 10th** until **Friday, November 21st**.

There will be NO weekday Masses.

Mass Intentions scheduled during the time he is gone will be said everyday by Fr. Daryl while he is in Italy.

Fr. Reggie Urban will be here on **Saturday, November 15th** and **Sunday, November 16th** to say Mass.

Prayers to Fr. Daryl for safe travels.

Sunday Services at Senior Living Groups

Every Sunday afternoon, Russell area churches take turns delivering 20-minute services at:

Wheatland Nursing (2:00 p.m.)
Mainstreet Manor (2:30 p.m.)
Homestead (3:00 p.m.)



The St. Mary Sunday Services Ministry team will be offering the services on Sunday afternoon, **November 16th** and invite all parishioners to come and join in this time of faith sharing and fellowship.



A special Thank you to Fr. Daryl, Marge Schulte, Jim and Melinda Cross, Jeanie Munsch, Greg Coady, Mary Schulte, Bruce and Jeanine Heier and the Evangelist committee for the presentation and reception of the Memorial

Remembrance Service that was held on Sunday, November 2nd for All Soul's Day.

Save The Date!

A Christmas Present for Parents

St Mary Queen of Angels Parish Council will again offer free child care for any SMQOA parish family with children.

This event will be at the St. Mary Queen of Angels Hall on **Sunday, December 7 from 3:00-5:00 p.m.**

Please fill out the enclosed flyer in this weeks bulletin and return to the Parish Office as soon as possible or contact Dave Zachman at 785-483-4645 or at: zachmand5@gmail.com.



A Christmas Present for Parents

On behalf of the St Mary Queen of Angels Parish Council and the Respect Life commission, we would like to offer SMQOA parents free childcare for two hours in appreciation for all you do as parents! Childcare will be sponsored and supervised by the SMQOA Parish Council members. Snacks and refreshments will be provided. This event will be at the St. Mary Queen of Angels Hall on Sunday, December 7, 2025 from 3:00-5:00 p.m.

If you would like to participate, fill out the form below, cut it off and drop it in the collection basket or take a picture of the completed form and send it to Dave Zachman at 785-324-1760 or zachmand5@gmail.com by Friday, November 30th.

You can shop, wrap presents or take a nap, during that time, it's up to you!

SMQOA Parish Council

A Christmas Present for Parents

Parent Name _____

Parent contact information: Mother's Cell # _____

Father's Cell # _____

Child name _____ Age _____

Child name _____ Age _____

Child name _____ Age _____

Child name _____ Age _____

Child name _____ Age _____

May your child have fruit snacks, juice and Goldfish? YES NO

Comments: _____

Are there any allergies or medical conditions you want us to know about?