



Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Church

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TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - OCTOBER 11, 2026

Mass Times

Daily: Monday-Saturday, 8:00 am

Saturday: 4:00 pm & 5:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am

Confessions:

Wednesdays: Noon

Saturdays: 2:45-3:45 pm

1st Saturdays: 7:00-7:45 am

Readings: IS 25:6-10A; PS 23:1-6; PHIL 4:12-14, 19-20; MT 22:1-14 or 22:1-10



Mary's CHOICES™
Baby Bottle Return Reminder

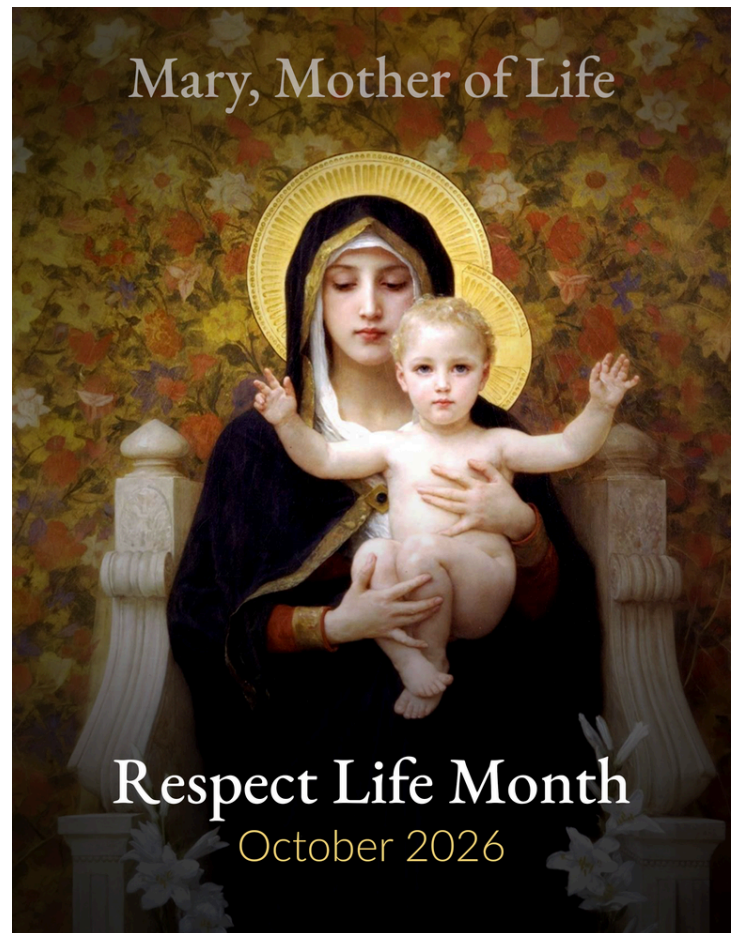
Supported by the Knights of Columbus

**Please return your baby bottles
after Mass over the next two weekends.**

DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

- Collection boxes at the North and South entrances
- Black tub in the narthex

Thank you for helping mothers and babies!



Mary, Mother of Life

Respect Life Month
October 2026



**MOST PURE HEART
OF MARY SCHOOL
INVITES YOU TO
HONOR OUR
VETERANS**

Wednesday, November 11

8:00 AM - Daily Mass in the Church

Not an all-school Mass

8:30 AM - Donuts & Coffee in O'Connor Hall

9:00 AM - Assembly in the gym

R.S.V.P by October 30

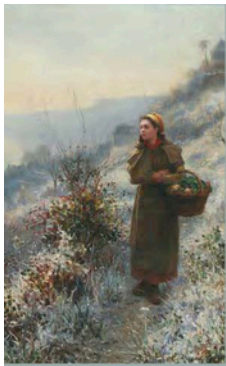
- Please send your attending veteran's photo and information to the school office or email emohwinkle@mphm.com.
- Photos are needed only for veterans attending.



**IMMEDIATE NEEDS
IN ADORATION:**

Scan the QR code and select
"Weekly Commitment."

THURSDAY 7:00 PM—8:00 PM
FRIDAY 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
SATURDAY 10:00 AM—11:00 AM



SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE

Praying for our parish clergy

SUBSTITUTES NEEDED

Join our substitute list to cover when a regular member is unavailable.

Weekly prayer members are also welcome! Commit to one hour of prayer each week for Fr. Dan, Fr. Tanti, or Deacon Doyle.

To join, contact Georgia DeVader:
petsitterg@att.net
785-249-2070



THE ROSE PROJECT

A rose for every joy, hope, and sorrow.

Choose a rose for your prayer intention:

- **Expecting a baby**
- **Birth, adoption or fostering**
- **Hoping to conceive or infertility**
- **Miscarriage or child loss**

Find roses and cards beside Our Lady of Fatima in the south transept. Place your rose in the vase and leave a completed card. Your name is optional.



An Evening with Fr. Tanti
Hear his vocation story

Monday, October 19
Christ the King, Topeka

5:30 PM: Prayer for vocations in the church

6:00 PM: Potluck supper and Fr. Tanti's vocation story in Yadrich Hall

Hosted by the Serra Club of Topeka.
All are welcome!
Questions or RSVP:
785-220-3824



**Knights of
Columbus**

Breakfast for the Pro-Life, Sunday, October 18
following the 7:30 am & 9:30 am Masses

Bulletin Submission Deadline

Please submit announcements at least **10 days before** the Sunday you would like them to appear in the bulletin. This allows time for editing, layout, and printing. Thank you for helping us keep our parish informed!

MOST PURE HEART OF MARY BOOK CLUB

WEDNESDAY, October 14
12:00 P.M.
CULHANE ROOM

Discussion: *Fahrenheit 451*
by Ray Bradbury



Coming in November:
***Love in the Ruins* by Walker Percy**

All are welcome. Questions may be directed to Mary Adkins
785-845-8566



Altar Server Training: Tuesday, October 13 at 6:30 pm, in the church. For current altar servers and any boys (parish school, public school, or homeschool) who wish to serve God at the altar. Please email Lucas Tappan at ltappan@mphm.com or simply show up to training.

DATING WELL LIVE



Clarity. Confidence. Connection.

A weekend workshop for young adults & college students ages 18–30 who are single, dating, or newly engaged.

Engaging talks • Small-group skill-building • Friday night swing dance lessons

NOVEMBER 6–7, 2026

Friday: 6:00–10:00 PM | Saturday: 8:00 AM–3:00 PM

MPHM • O'Connor Hall
1750 SW Stone Ave. • Topeka, KS 66621

SPECIAL OFFER: BRING A FRIEND!

\$30 FOR TWO REGISTRANTS

1. Add a second experience ticket. Your total will show \$60.
2. Select “Register another adult” and enter your friend’s information.
3. At checkout, use code **HALFOFF** to bring the total to \$30.

Reserve your spot today!

Register at communio.io/c/mostpureheart/e/datingwelllive

Community Open House!

Friday, October 23, 2026

245 SW MacVicar Ave • Topeka, KS 66606

Tour Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas'
new Family Support Center!

3:15 pm: Ribbon Cutting

3:30–6:30 pm: Tours and Refreshments

- Bring a nonperishable food item and tour the remodeled food pantry and updated clothing closet.
- Visit the dining hall for Corita's Daily Meal Service.
- Meet our staff and learn about programs and services.
- See how your support helps those in need in Topeka.



RSVP by October 15, 2026

Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas | catholiccharitiesks.org



FOOD DRIVE!

for Catholic Charities

Saturday, October 17 from 1-3 PM
In front of St. Vincent's
1800 SW Stone Ave.

Food Needs: Peanut Butter, Boxed Meals, Tuna, Rice, Canned Fruits, Canned Meats, Canned Soups, Pasta, Beans (dry or canned), Breakfast Foods, Baking Items, Condiments, Bottled Water	Hygiene Needs: Shampoo, Deodorant, Tooth Brushes, Tooth Paste, Small Kleenex Packs, Lip Balm, Combs/Brushes, Razors, Shaving Cream, Feminine Products
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NO GLASS PLEASE

October 13th

4:30-9p

NIGHT at the PAD

10% of all proceeds will be graciously donated to the Cor Christi Catholic Center at Washburn University!



Cor Christi
CATHOLIC CENTER

Widowed Women of Faith - Join us on Tuesday, October 20th for lunch and companionship from 11:00 am-1:00 pm in the back room at Perkins Restaurant, 1720 SW Wanamaker Rd, Topeka. No RSVP needed, just come. Please invite others. We meet every month on the 3rd Tuesday and will continue all through 2026.
Questions: WidowedWomenofFaith@gmail.com or call Julie at 913-558-0191.

The Cursillo group will meet Tuesday, October 13th at St. Joseph Church, Shawnee, at 7:00pm; enter the Parish Center thru the south doors. Cursillo's Annual Picnic is October 24th at 1001 NW Argosy Pkwy, Riverside, MO 64150, 11am – 2pm. Bring a dish to share. (Look for the blue Cursillo banner).

What is Cursillo? It is a movement within the Catholic Church designed to deepen your relationship with Christ and to keep your faith life fresh, vibrant, and growing!

For more information contact your parish representative: Mary Ellen Deters, 785-249-9073, larrydeters@sbcglobal.net OR www.cursillokcks.com

Stewardship of Treasure Update	
Fiscal Year July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027	
Weekly Total Sept. 30 - Oct. 6, 2026	
Envelopes	\$20,702
Electronic Giving	\$7,468
Plate/Loose Checks	\$3,806
Total	\$31,976
Maintenance and Improvement Fund	\$439

Seven Sisters Apostolate Retreat*"The Triple Hearts"*

Members and women interested in learning about the Apostolate are invited **Saturday, October 17, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.**, at St. Andrew the Apostle Church, 6415 NE Antioch Rd., Gladstone, MO.

Begin with Holy Mass, followed by talks from Fr. Eric Schneider, Fr. Kendall Ketterlin, and foundress Janette Howe. **Cost: \$25**, including light breakfast and lunch.

Register: sevensisterskcsj@gmail.com

Learn more: sevensistersapostolate.org



Mass with Prayers for Healing

Thursday, October 29 • 7:00 p.m.

Most Pure Heart of Mary Church
3601 SW 17th Street

Celebrant: Fr. Ratna Swamy

Pastor, Sacred Heart Parish
Newbury, KS (Paxico)

Confessions: 6:00-6:50 p.m.

The Sacrament of the Anointing
of the Sick will also be offered.

Sponsored by Glory to God Community
Questions? Allan or Vickie Holthaus
785-862-9738

INTENTIONS AT ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS

Kronum, Kumasi, Ghana
Fr. Michael Kantanka

Living & Deceased Members of the Ronnebaum & Welch Family • October 12, 2026 • 6:00 a.m.

† **Mary Triggs** • October 13, 2026 • 6:00 a.m.

Living & Deceased Members of the Appel & Crock families • October 14, 2026 • 6:00 a.m.

Amy McGivern • October 15, 2026 • 7:00 p.m.

Living & Deceased Members of the McGivern Family • October 16, 2026 • 6:00 a.m.

Ann Gapinski • October 18, 2026 • 6:30 a.m.

Luke Schuckman • October 19, 2026 • 8:30 a.m.

The family of Dorothy Funk-Daves wishes to thank all who planned, prepared and served the luncheon following her funeral Mass on September 11, 2026. Your kindness and generosity are truly appreciated. May God bless each of you abundantly.



Christian Widow and Widowers Organization

(open to all faiths) will have a pizza dinner in the Culhane Room on Thursday, October 22 at 5:00 pm. Pizza will be provided by the club. Bring a side dish or desert. Quarter Bingo will be played after dinner. For information, text Gen Orozco at 785-230-2473.



MASS INTENTIONS**Monday, October 12**

8:00 am (T): † Jack & Nadine Hammond

Tuesday, October 13

8:00 am (M): † John P. Byrne

Wednesday, October 14

8:00 am (T): Jack Dunshee

Thursday, October 15

8:00 am (M): † Anthony Wetter

Friday, October 16

8:00 am (T): † Ben Pfeifer

Saturday, October 17

8:00 am Collective Mass (T): Lavon Warner, † Eli

Devlin, † Emily Stueve, Ezreal Hinnant

4:00 pm (T): † Janine Mohan

5:30 pm (M): Mary Salazar

Sunday, October 18

7:30 am (T): † Rito Saenz, Sr.

9:30 am (M): † Barbara Berg

11:30 am(D): Most Pure Heart of Mary Parishioners

*Celebrants: Fr. Dan Morris (M); Fr. Tanti (T)**Celebrants are subject to last-minute changes*

Souls of Chuck Koss - brother of James Koss,
Bernard Trompeter - father of Angie Strecker, **Paul**
Bernica - husband of Shirley Bernica and all the
 faithful departed. May they rest in the peace of our
 Lord.

PRAYER CORNER**Prayers for Homebound and Health Issues**

Darrell Alexander
 Robbie Armentrout
 Mary Jo Bergkamp
 Edith Breithaupt
 Carolyn Brentlinger
 Beverly Brown
 Joe Burkhart
 Connie Burns
 Owen Burns
 Dory Bushong
 Marty Clark
 Steve Clifton
 Julie Combs
 Kelly Davis
 Darara Duran
 Carol Feagins
 Vincent Gish
 Robin Halbert
 Connie Hartley
 LeRoy Haug
 Michael Hogan
 Julane Hovorka
 Suzi Hubb
 Janice Johnson
 Sandy Klene
 Darryl Krape
 Patricia Kratina
 Steve LaGrone
 Lawrence Linto
 Jan Lippincott

Toni Lippincott
 Margaret Masilionis
 Jerri Matzke
 Neil McCullough
 Beth Mercer & Family
 Cathy Mies
 Brian Neal
 Jennifer Newcomer
 Andrea Diane Nienhuis
 Chris Noack
 Mike Nolen
 Sarah O'Loughlin
 Stephani Paletta
 Patricia Quinn
 Becky & Dorothy Reyer
 Teri Rogers
 Ford Ross
 Benno Schluterman
 Phyllis Shaw
 Maureen Smith
 Jane Spice
 Aiden, Donavon, Evan,
 Tiffany Spies
 Joe & Mary Tetuan
 Donna Thompson
 Adela Vargas
 LaVon Warner
 Nancy Weber
 Dianna Welliver

CONTACTS

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am-5:00 pm.

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