

OUTSIDE OUR PARISH:

For Two – Couple Prayer – starts **January 8, 2016**, it's the perfect gift to your beloved and family for generations to come! "The couple prayer has not only helped me bring my relationship closer to God, but my relationship with my beloved, its opened my eyes in so many ways." –wife in couple prayer. Fridays 7-9 pm St. Hyacinth's, Saturdays in Hereford **For more info call us 806.383.2243 ext 129**

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Would you like to receive this bulletin by email? If so, please email Sunday.bulletin@hotmail.com to request.

Did you know? Weekly Bulletins can be found on our website, <http://StMarysUmbarger.com>

FOR BULLETIN NOTICES – Bulletin Deadline: Thursday @ noon. Please contact Lana Bracken cell: 806.640.4672; email: LanaSueBracken@gmail.com

St. Mary's Prayer Warriors! If you would like to receive the prayer line, send your email addresses to: suzyhicks@midplains.coop All are welcome to St. Mary's Prayer Warriors!

Please pray for all the sick in our parish family: Kyle Reinart, Mary Kolac, Gene Schenk, Gary Yosten, John Wilson, Bill Stocker, Kyle Henderson, Donna Kuhnert, Severo Gomez, Jose Sanchez, Ashlee Trevino (Jose's & Ali's granddaughter), Audree Rose Gomez (Jeff & Faunette Stocker's granddaughter), Patsy Huseman, Mike Smith, Oscar Olvera, Collier Friemel, Mike Wegman, Marcella Brandt.

If you wish to have your name removed, please contact Lana Bracken.

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If you plan to use or rent the church or parish hall, please contact Fr. Christopher or Debbie Batenhorst at least 3 months before the event. Thank you for your consideration.

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Sunday January 3, 2016– The Epiphany of the Lord

Monday, January 4 – St Elizabeth Ann Seton

NO MASS

Tuesday, January 5– St John Neumann

7:00 p.m. – Mass for Pat & Savannah Benoit

Wednesday, January 6 – St Andre Bessette

8:00 a.m. – Mass for Edna Wieck

Thursday, January 7 – St Raymond of Penafort

8:00 a.m. – Mass for Mike Dorsey

Friday, January 8 –

8:00 a.m. – Mass for Knights of Columbus

Saturday, January 9 –

5:00 p.m. – Mass for Edna Wieck

(Anointing of the Sick following Mass)

Sunday, January 10 – The Baptism of the Lord

8:30 a.m. – Mass For Parish Family

9:45 a.m. – RCIA Class

10:00 a.m. – Faith Formation Classes

10:00 a.m. – Q/A with Father Christopher

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR Saturday, January 9

Lector: Melvin Wieck

Altar Servers: Volunteers

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Suzy Hicks & Regina Keller

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR Sunday, January 10

Lector: Roger Batenhorst

Altar Servers: Chance Butcher, April Artho,
Charles Russell

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Andrea Snead & Lesann Hartman

Anointing of the Sick: Second Saturday after Mass

Question and Answer Sessions with Fr. Christopher: Second Sunday in the Hall starting at 10:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays at 4:30 pm and Sundays at 8:00 am or by appointment.

Baptism or Wedding in your or a loved one's future? Please contact Fr. Christopher at least 1 month in advance for baptisms and 6 months advance for weddings.

FOR MASS INTENTIONS please call Father Christopher or leave the intention in the collection basket.

ST. MARY'S PARISH FELLOWSHIP NOTES:

*New Directory

The photographer will be here January 20-23th. Please go to our parish website to secure a timeslot. If you need help, please call Mary Beth Sayers @ 806.655.1260.

*Help feed the hungry, bring a canned food item to your photo session and receive \$5 off your picture purchase.

*Pictures for the new Directory

Please email any pictures of Parish activities from the past two years to Mary Beth Sayers at sayersspecial@gmail.com. A few examples of activities and groups would be Sausage Festival, Fruhlingsfest, Faith Formation, Christmas Pageant, and Christian Mothers. She would love to use them in our new church directory. She has 5-10 pages that she would love to fill up. Questions, contact **Mary Beth Sayers @ 806.655.1260**

*Faith Formation (CCD) Classes: There will not be classes on Sunday, December 27th or Sunday, January 3rd. We will resume classes on Sunday, January 10th.

Weekly Bible Study, Apologetics and Social Group will resume on January 7th, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at Bill & Frances Dorsey's house, 23360 Brown Rd, Canyon, 806.656.0766.

Just a reminder – Scheduled breakfasts after Sunday Mass. 1st Sunday is KC's; 2nd Sunday is Christian Mothers; 3rd Sunday is CYO; 4th and 5th Sunday is Parish cookie Sundays.

Christian Mothers:

The next Christian Mother's Breakfast Sunday is January 10th. Ladies that have volunteered to bring food are Gloria Gomez, Karen Artho, Joan Stocker, and Lea Ann Handing.

Next Christian Mother's mass and meeting will be Tuesday, January 19th at 7 pm.