



# St. Mary's Catholic Church

**Fr. Matthew Benjamin**

330 N. Main St. • Nevada, Missouri

667-7517 (8 AM - 4 PM) or 667-5604 (Rectory)

## WEEKDAY MASSES

TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY

6:00 AM

WEDNESDAY 8:30 AM

## WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAYS - 5:30 PM

SUNDAYS - 10:30 AM

## RECONCILIATION

TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY

5:30 TO 5:55 AM

WEDNESDAY 8:00 TO 8:20 AM

SATURDAYS 4:30 PM to 5:20 PM

SUNDAYS 10:00 to 10:20 AM

# St. Bridget's Catholic Church

Rich Hill, Missouri

## WEEKEND MASSES

Sundays - 8:30 AM

## RECONCILIATION

Sundays - 8:00 AM to 8:20 AM



## GOD'S WORD

God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them. (1 John 4:16)

## HEROES' WORDS

"Our hearts were made for You, O Lord, and they are restless until they rest in you." □-St. Augustine

"The *fruits* of charity are joy, peace, and mercy; charity demands beneficence and fraternal correction; it is benevolence; it fosters reciprocity and remains disinterested and generous; it is friendship and communion: Love is itself the fulfillment of all our works. There is the goal; that is why we run: we run toward it, and once we reach it, in it we shall find rest. -St. Augustine

Charity brings to life again those who are spiritually dead. -St. Thomas Aquinas

Charity is the form, mover, mother, and root of all virtues. -St. Thomas Aquinas

All is made for charity, and charity for God. -St. Francis de Sales

Love God, serve God: everything is in that. — St. Clare of Assisi

## MEDITATION

By this power of the Spirit, God's children can bear much fruit. He who has grafted us onto the true vine will make us bear "the fruit of the Spirit: . . . love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control." "We live by the Spirit"; the more we renounce ourselves, the more we "walk by the Spirit." (CCC 736).

Fruit of Charity: Fruit of the Spirit and fullness of the Law, charity keeps the *commandments* of God and his Christ: "Abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love (CCC 1824).

**BY THY HOLY AND IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, OH MARY, DELIVER US FROM EVIL. AMEN – OUR LADY OF AMERICA**

## NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you! Please introduce yourself to the pastor and parishioners. Registration forms are available in the back of church.

## SACRAMENT OF INFANT BAPTISM

Call the office for parents' preparation session.

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Contact the pastor 9 to 12 months before wedding.

Wedding date may not be set until pre-nuptial preparation is completed.

## OFFICE HOURS

The office hours: 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday - Friday

For appointments, please call the office at 667-7517 or the rectory at 667-5604.

## WEB ADDRESS

[www.stmarysnevada.parishesonline.com](http://www.stmarysnevada.parishesonline.com)

[www.stmaryschoolnevada.com](http://www.stmaryschoolnevada.com)

## EMAIL ADDRESS

[stmarysnevada@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stmarysnevada@sbcglobal.net)

March 29, 2015

**St. Mary Church**

<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Feast Day</b>	<b>Mass Intentions</b>
Saturday	3-28-15	5:30 p.m.		†Alysun Panichi by Nuala Sperry
Sunday	3-29-15	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Palm Sunday	People of the Parish Leon Otter by Nuala Sperry
Monday	3-30-15			NO MASS
Tuesday	3-31-15	6:00 a.m.		Intentions of Celebrant
Wednesday	4-1-15	8:30 a.m.		†Peter Stonebraker by Betty Stonebraker
Thursday	4-2-15	7:00 p.m.		People of the Parish
Friday	4-3-15	7:00 p.m.		Good Friday Service
Saturday	4-4-15	8:00 p.m.	Easter Vigil	Barbara Wiseman by Nuala Sperry
Sunday	4-5-15	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Easter	People of the Parish—St. Bridget People of the Parish— St. Mary

**Parish Directory**

Parish Office (8am-4pm).....667-7517  
 Rectory .....667-5604  
 Emergency number.....(417)799-2318  
 Only call in an emergency

St. Mary School.....667-7517

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The Diocese of Kansas City– St. Joseph is committed to combating 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.)
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911,
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jennifer Valenti, at 816-812-2500 or [JenniferValenti@att.net](mailto:JenniferValenti@att.net), if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, or 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 Mary Bultmann at 816-714-2387 or [bultmann@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:bultmann@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

Project Rachel –Hope & Healing after Abortion- (816) 591-3804

**This Week**

Sat.,	3-28	4:30 p.m.	Reconciliation
		5:30 p.m.	Mass - St. Mary
Sun.,	3-29	8:30 a.m.	Mass - St. Bridget
		10:00 a.m.	Reconciliation
		10:30 a.m.	Mass - St. Mary
		11:30 a.m.	K of C 5th Sunday Brunch
Mon.,	3-30		NO MASS
Tues.,	3-31	5:30 a.m.	Reconciliation
		6:00 a.m.	Mass
Wed.,	4-1	8:00 a.m.	Reconciliation
		8:30 a.m.	School Mass
		7:00 p.m.	Adoration
Thur.,	4-2	7:00 p.m.	Holy Thursday Mass
Fri.,	4-3	7:00 p.m.	Good Friday Service
Sat.,	4-4	8:00 p.m.	Easter Vigil Mass – St. Mary
Sun.,	4-5	8:30 a.m.	Easter Mass - St. Bridget
		10:30 a.m.	Easter Mass— St. Mary

**Report of our Stewardship**

3-22-2015

Envelopes	\$2,458.00
Plate	\$345.00
Total this week	\$2,803.00
Month to date:	\$12,924.00
Budget:	\$16,250.00
St. Bridget	\$717.00

**Remember in our prayers:** All the sick, the shut-ins, and those in our nursing homes.



**St. John Bosco Library:** The library in our school is open to all parishioners. We have a selection of religious book for children and adults. If you would like to view our selection, stop by the school office.

**Holy Week Masses**

**Holy Thursday 7 p.m. St. Mary**  
**Good Friday Service 7 p.m. St. Mary**  
**Easter Vigil Mass 8 p.m. St. Mary**  
**Easter Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m. St. Bridget**  
**Easter Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m. St. Mary**

See bulletin insert for schedule

**March /April Religious Education  
(Preschool—Grade 5):**

Sun. March 29 Class 9:15—10:15 a.m.  
 Sun. April 5 No class—Happy Easter  
 Sun. April 12 Class 9:15—10:15 a.m.  
 Sun. April 19 Class 9:15—10:15 a.m.  
 Sun. April 26 Final Class 9:15—10:15 a.m.

Youth Ministry Grade 6 thru HS  
 Wednesdays, 6:00 p.m.

**St. Mary School**

The first grade has been learning how to add two-digit numbers with and without regrouping using dimes and pennies. They have also been learning about pronouns and verbs ending in ed; as well as working with long and short vowel Ii.

**St. Mary School Fundraisers:** The school is continuing to sell the popular yellow trash bags—(32 X 45 inches) at just \$12/roll and are available in the parish office.

**Casino Night and Silent Auction:** St. Mary School is planning our fundraiser for April 25. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year so plan on attending for a night of food, fun and some goodies from our silent and live auction. Buy your ticket now in the school office. We are also accepting donations for our silent and live auctions or gift baskets, if you would like to support St. Mary School.

**The Yellow Trashbags are back!!!:** St. Mary School's yellow trashbags (32 X 45 inches) are just \$12/roll and are available in the parish office.

**Abbey Guest Center Retreat  
 Palm Sunday RCIA Retreat**

Saturday morning—Sunday noon

Begin Holy Week with the monks and the seminarians. Retreat sessions will pull together the faith basics of the sacrament-based life of the Church. (Suggested offering for lodging, meals, conferences: \$100 per person) For more information, please call the Abbey Guest Center at 660-944-2809 or email us at [guests@conception.edu](mailto:guests@conception.edu).

**The Neighbors Center:** The center provides temporary relief for the caregiver of a person who is homebound, elderly, or who has a disability. We provide adult day care for participants. For more information visit the center at 329 E. Walnut or call 667-3990.



**Community Outreach and Ministerial Alliance:**

As a church family, we provide funds to these two organizations to help those in need. If you would like to help these organizations, please drop an envelope in the collection basket on Sunday.



**Mass Intentions:** You can request a Mass to be offered for an individual or family, living or deceased. The customary gift to the parish is \$10.00. Call the office for available dates.

**New to the Parish? Welcome!!** Registration forms are available at the entrances to the Church.



**Holy Land Pilgrimage with Fr. John Bolderson**

On April 13-21, 2015, Fr. John Bolderson, PhD. Church History, will lead his 15th and final pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Anastasis Tours. This is an incredible opportunity for anyone who has dreamed of making a Holy Land pilgrimage. Not only will you stay in the finest Christian-owned hotels in Nazareth and Bethlehem, you will see the countryside that surrounded Christ's ministry, touch the rocks on which He stood, and renew your baptismal vows in the Jordan River where He was baptized. Mass will be celebrated daily in a place of particular significance in the life and ministry of Jesus, such as Church of the Annunciation, Gethsemane, and Sea of Galilee. This once in a lifetime pilgrimage is only \$3590 per person for double occupancy. Your pilgrimage cost includes roundtrip airfare from Kansas City, accommodations, two meals a day, transportation, and local, well-educated tour guide. For information contact Ed Wills at [edwills@robertbellarmine.org](mailto:edwills@robertbellarmine.org) or call St. Robert Bellarmine Parish 816-229-5168.

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TRANSMISSION TIME

Tuesday 4:00

SUNDAY

March 29, 2015

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS