



# St. John Parish

**JANUARY 2 & 3, 2010**

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## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE January 4 - 10

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	8:30 a.m. PV	Elizabeth Ann Seton	Carl & Leona Lampe
Tues.	No Mass		
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV		Ruth Temaat
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV	Raymond Penafort	Jim Knoeber
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV		D of I — Deceased
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	5:30 p.m.	Baptism of the Lord	Vince Stegman
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	Baptism of the Lord	Parishioners



**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES:** December 26 & 27:  
Collection Total — \$5,623.25.

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**BRENDAN CASE IS BACK:** This time he is coming to Dodge City January 8-14. Everyone is welcome to participate in any part of the week. We do ask that you RSVP for any of the Weekend Activities to the Cathedral 620-225-4802. For the weekday activities... just show up!

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**SPEARVILLE K OF C:** meeting will be Jan. 4, at 8 p.m.

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**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

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**NEXT FAMILY FORMATION:** happens Sunday, January 17. 5:30 p.m., Pot-Luck. 6:30 p.m. (ish), We will most likely re-cap Brendan Case's mission in Dodge City and begin a new Scripture series on Genesis. 8:00 p.m., Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 8:00 p.m. on Monday.

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**CHANGE OF PARISH CENTER "GO TO" PERSON:** For many years Ginny Werner has unselfishly given her time and energy scheduling the many activities at the parish center. Ginny has asked to be relieved of this duty. We are very grateful. Nice Job Ginny.

We are also grateful for Rosann Tasset's willingness to take on the responsibility of scheduling the parish center.

## MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 9 & 10

**Servers:** (Sat.) Katie & Nikki Rabe, Natalie Tenbrink (Sun.) Clayton, Clinton & Elizabeth Stein

**Greeters:** (Sat.) Dennis & Dorothy Duesing (Sun.) Helen MacBride

**Lectors:** (Sat.) Judy Gleason (Sun.) Connie Burkhart

**Eucharistic:** (Sat.) Philip Gleason, Lynnette Hessman, Larry Hornung, John & Berna Mae Stegman, Dennis Werner (Sun.) Jolene Eberle, Rebecca Hornung, Louise Lampe, Shirley Moritz, Bobbie Schuette, Eleanor Strecker

**Keyboard:** (Sat.) Kiley Myers (Sun.) Judy Nietling

**Songleaders:** (Sat.) Rakel Halling (Sun.) Lorne Benish

**Ushers:** (Sat.) Tom Hornung, Michael Hubbell (Sun.) Kevin Mages, Dennis Schawe

**Gifts:** (Sat.) Dorothy Trenkamp (Sun.) Ervin & Connie Burkhart

**Rosary:** (Sat.) Virginia Ryan (Sun.) Margaret Werner

**Collection:** Nadine Lampe

**Collection Asst.:** Anne Schawe

**Sacristans:** Bernard & Eleanor Strecker

Beginning after January 10, please contact Rosann at her home phone number, 385-2487 to schedule an event or rent the parish center. Please leave a message for her and she will handle each request as she is able. Thanks Rosann and Dave!

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**PARISH MEETINGS:** will be Thursday, Jan. 7.

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**NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK:** The festive season of Christmas will conclude next week with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Jesus' baptism is a significant moment in his public ministry. As we celebrate this feast we recall our own baptism and renew our baptismal commitment. It is fitting that this feast marks the beginning of National Vocation Awareness Week.

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## PASTORAL MINISTRY FORMATION CLASSES:

### Believe, Celebrate, Live the Eucharist

Instructor: Fr. Robert Schremmer, Fr. John Strasser, Fr. Frank Coady

Believe, Celebrate, Live the Eucharist helps parish communities to realize the core teaching of the Second Vatican Council: that our weekly celebration of the Eucharist is, for our Christian lives, the source of all our other activities and the summit of them as well. It will focus on Adoration, Mission, Sacrifice and Offertory. This course will also explore the revised wording from the new English translation of the Roman Missal.

Class Times: Wednesday evenings – 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.  
Jan. 20 – Adoration, Missal update, (Fr. Robert Schremmer)

Jan. 27 – Mission, Missal update, (Fr. John Strasser & Fr. Robert Schremmer)

Feb. 3 – Sacrifice, Missal update, (Fr. Frank Coady & Fr. Robert Schremmer)

Feb. 10 – Offertory, Missal update, (Fr. Frank Coady & Fr. Robert Schremmer)

Cost:  
Credit – \$50.00  
Personal enrichment – \$25.00  
Textbook: \$3.00

## Introduction to Old Testament

Instructor: Fr. Henry Hildebrandt  
Participants will study the law, prophets, historical books, and wisdom literature of the Old Testament.

Class Times: Jan. 30 – Mar. 27 Saturday mornings – 8:30 to 12:00 noon

Cost:  
Credit - \$150.00  
Personal enrichment - \$75.00  
Textbook: Understanding the Old Testament, by Bernhard W. Anderson - \$25.00

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## January 4 - 10 Birthdays

Jan. 4	
Jan. 5	Eric Slattery
Jan. 6	
Jan. 7	
Jan. 8	
Jan. 9	Scheon Elledge - Isabel Bowman
Jan. 10	Eleanor Linnebur - Madison Tasset Roberta Kiehl - Bill Hornung



**A WARM WELCOME** to new parishioners! Please introduce yourself to the pastor after Mass. There are family information cards located in the back of church. Feel free to fill out and drop in the collection basket to register.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION:** Engaged couples, please contact the pastor at least four months in advance to allow sufficient time for necessary marriage preparation. A wedding is tentative until this is completed.

**INFANT BAPTISMS:** Parents should be registered in the parish. For baptismal preparation, please contact the pastor at 385-2212.

**PVV:** Mass on Friday at 8:30 a.m.

**HOMEBOUND:** Call the pastor if you would like to receive Holy Communion on Thursday mornings.

**TO RENT THE PARISH CENTER** call Ginny Werner, 385-2697 or after 5 p.m., at 385-2272.

**ST. JOHN'S PRAYER CHAIN:** If you have an intention you would like us to pray for, please contact Darlene Gleason at 385-2522. If you would like to become a member of the prayer chain, contact Judy Gleason at 385-2881.