



St. John Parish

MARCH 1 & 2, 2008

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE March 3-9

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	No Mass		
Tues.	8:30 a.m. PV	St. Casmir	Ignatius & Nellie Strecker
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV		Odilia Herrman
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV		Ray Heskamp
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	Sts. Perpetua & Felicity	Melvin Stramel
Fri.	6:00 p.m.	Holy Hour with Stations of the Cross	
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat.	5:30 p.m.	5th Sunday of Lent	Catherine Helfrich
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	5th Sunday of Lent	D of I - Living



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: February 23 & 24: Church Support — \$2,234.51; Votive Lights — \$7.25; Rice Bowl — \$18.52; Env. — 60.

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FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR FR. MAES — will be on Sat., March 1, at the Parish Center, after the 5:30 p.m. Mass. Everyone is invited.

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PARISH COUNCIL — meeting will be Thursday, March 6, at 8 p.m. Commissions will meet at 7 p.m. Father Ted will meet briefly with each commission.

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RECONCILIATION SERVICES — Sunday March 9th
Jetmore 2:00 p.m.
Spearville 4:00 p.m.
Wright 7:00 p.m.

(And, if you miss out on these, Dodge City has a service on March 16 from 3:30 until there are no more sinners left to forgive in Ford County.)

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MINISTERS FOR MARCH 8 & 9

Servers: (Sat.) Carson Konrade, Marcus Schmidt, Avonlea Tepe

(Sun.) Kaden Stein, Lindsay Heskamp, Jessica Lampe

Greeters: (Sat.) Lester Schulte Family

(Sun.) Rex Aistrup Family

Lectors: (Sat.) Connie Burkhart

(Sun.) Richard Broz

Eucharist: (Sat.) Jill Vierthaler, Mark Strecker, Shirley Moritz, Joyce Rogers, Dennis Werner, Shirley Stein

(Sun.) Toni Aistrup, LaWana VanNahmen, Kevin Stein, Jolene Eberle, Becky Hornung

Keyboard: (Sat.) Amy Seachris

(Sun.) Connie Heskamp

Songleader: (Sat.) Ross Ackerman

(Sun.) Melanie Scheve

Ushers: (Sat.) Bernie Stegman, Greg Tepe

(Sun.) Tom Burke, Scott Burke

Gifts: (Sat.) Tom Hornung Family

(Sun.) Larry Schmidt Family

Rosary: (Sat.) Leland & Annette Stein

(Sun.) Virginia Ryan

Collection: Lynnette Hessman

Sacristans: LeRoy & Bernice Mages

CHOIR PRACTICE — for Holy Saturday will be Wednesdays, March 5, 12 and 19, at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

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WORD WORKING – We have three different groups meeting. Anyone is still welcome to join of the groups.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. in the Religious Education room

Wednesday **No Word Working this week.**

Thursday after Mass at Parkview

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PARISH EASTER BAKE SALE — is Saturday, March 22, in the Oak Room of the Parish Center. Each family in the parish is asked to bring an item or two to be included in the bake sale.

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ST. ANTHONY CHURCH, HANSTON — is having a Fish Fry on Friday, March 14, beginning at 6 p.m. Menu will be fish, baked potato, bread, salad and dessert. A free-will offering will be accepted. Proceeds will go toward church/hall improvements in anticipation of the 100th anniversary celebration in July.

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION — Thank You to the generous people who donated TV sets! Thank you, also, to everyone who made the K-5 Youth Rally such a success last weekend!

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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.

RECONCILIATION — This Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. the second graders will experience their first Sacrament of Reconciliation. Parents and family members are encouraged to participate as well.

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HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY – will take place on the 15th and 16th of March. Registration forms were sent out through religion classes, but there are extra forms available in the back of the church. Or, anyone can find them on the diocesan web site: www.dcdiocese.org

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THE NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULE — (including Palm Sunday and Holy Week) are ready. Please remember to find someone to fill your responsibility if you cannot make it.

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March 3-9 Birthdays

Mar. 3	Tyler Schlereth
Mar. 4	Joey Benish - Kirk Konrade
Mar. 5	Vicky Scheve
Mar. 6	Scott Wadley - Danielle Pianalto
Mar. 7	Susie Ackerman
Mar. 8	Toni Aistrup - Patti Israel Glen Keller - Kali Stein Chaten Tasset
Mar. 9	Elizabeth Stein - Joan Temaat



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.