

2023 - AUGUST 12TH & 13TH

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

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Mike Hubbell
Meetings on 1st Thursdays @ 8PM
Next Meeting: August 3, 2023

Parish Office

Stop in, call 385-2202, or email
jschmidt@stjohnspearville.com with
any parish related business, parish
center rental inquiries, mass
intentions, bulletin additions,
parishioner registrations, meals for
new moms, etc.

Different School-Year Hours to
Come.

MASS SCHEDULE: AUGUST 14TH - 20TH			
DAY	TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
Mon. 8/14	Feast of the Assumption - 7 PM - Intention: All Parishioners		
Tues. 8/15	8:30 AM	Parkview	Keith Hammeke
“	9:30 AM	Southwind	Dan Friess
Wed. 8/16	8:30 AM	Parkview	Larry Tasset’s Birthday
Thurs. 8/17	8:30 AM	Parkview	Rick Indiek
Fri. 8/18	8:30 AM	Parkview	Harper Trumble’s Birthday
Sat. 8/19	6:30 PM	Church	Ryan & Stephanie Hagans’ Anniversary
Sun. 8/20	8:00 AM	Church	All Parishioners

Confessions: Saturdays at 5:45 PM or by appointment.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.
ST. LEONARD'S COUNCIL #1539

KofC Meetings
1st Mondays
7:45 PM Rosary
Meeting Follows



Dofl Meetings
2nd Mondays
7:00 PM
Oak Room

The Daughters of Isabella
St. Vincent de Paul #211



Scan to
find us on
Facebook!

If you’d like to be added to the email prayer chain
ministry, or have a prayer request to send out,
please contact :
Ginny Werner: ginny_werner@yahoo.com OR
Lynnette Hessman: nettemae1984@yahoo.com

MASS MINISTERS FOR AUGUST 19TH & 20TH		
Collection:	Carson Konrade	Collection Asst: Frank Mages
	SATURDAY - 6:30 PM	SUNDAY - 8:00 AM
Sacristans	Jenny Schmidt	Dana Howerton
Servers	Aydin, Austin, & Aubrey Ruiz	Quentin Tasset, Hailey Burke
Lectors	Connie Burkhart	Kelly Tasset
EM	Larry Tasset, Jolene Tasset, Larry Schmidt	Riley Schmidt, Frank Mages, Mary Benjamin
Musician	Dana Howerton	Dana Howerton
Cantor	Chase Howerton	Chase Howerton
Ushers	Kevin Rabe, Rod Durler	Shawn Tasset, Scott Burke
Gifts	Rod & Carol Durler	Whitney Gleason Family

If you are willing to
be involved in Mass
Ministry, please
contact the parish
office. The liturgy
jobs are much more
enjoyable when there
are more people who
share in the
ministries. We are all
called to partake in
the liturgy. A big
thank you to all who
have served and
continue to serve.
You are appreciated.

Vocation Views: “Take courage, it is I, do not be afraid.” By keeping our eyes set on Jesus,
we are able to do marvelous things. Trust that he will not allow you to stumble or fall. (Matthew 14:23)
-- If you’re discerning the priesthood, contact **Fr. Wesley Schawe** at vocations@dcdiocese.org or **620-227-1533**--

Parish News & Events

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:

Elijah recognized the voice of God not in the strong and heavy wind, not in the earthquake, and not in the fire, but in a tiny whispering sound. May we find enough quiet in our clamorous world to hear His voice and discern what He is calling us to do and be.

TITHING REPORT - AUGUST 5TH/6TH:

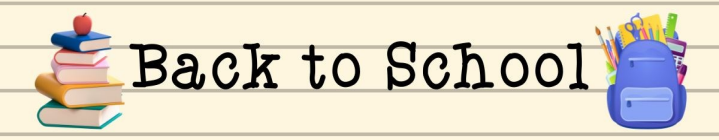
Collections: \$2,525.95
Online Giving: \$740.00

MASS OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY - HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION:

We will observe the Assumption in a vigil mass on Monday, August 14th at 7 PM. The regularly scheduled daily masses on Tuesday, August 15th will also celebrate the Feast of the Assumption. See below for the mass ministers for the vigil mass.



Sacristan: Dana Howerton
Servers: Chase Howerton & Hailey Burke
Lector: Larry Friess
Gifts: Levi Benjamin Family
EM: Larry Schmidt, Larry Tasset, Jolene Tasset
Musicians: Dana Howerton & Dawn Burke



Please keep all Spearville and St. John the Baptist’s students, teachers, paras, coaches, school staff, and catechists in your prayers as the school year begins!

*Heavenly Father,
We come to you, thankful for your wisdom and understanding, asking you to grant our community a safe and prosperous school year.*

We ask your guidance upon all adults in positions that teach and influence our youth. Help them to be models of patience, compassion, and integrity.

We ask for your protection over all students. Help them to listen, learn, and enjoy a school year of growth and understanding.

Help us as a community to be supportive and encouraging through all the school year brings.

We ask this through your son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS:

Mark your calendars or follow the church calendar on our website. Here are some notable upcoming events.

Mon. 8/14: Mass of the Assumption - 7 PM
Sat. 8/19: KofC Cash Giveaway - 5:30 PM
Sun. 8/20: Religion Teacher Meeting - 7 PM
Wed. 8/23: Religion Mass & Registration-7 PM
Thurs. 9/7: Parish Council Meeting - 8 PM

TUESDAYS WITH THE DIOCESE:

Join adults from the Dodge City and Salina Dioceses to learn more about The Second Vatican Council, Scripture, and Synod! Three evening classes at no cost to you, via Zoom. Join one, two, or all three! To sign up and receive the zoom links, go to www.dcdiocese.org/af.



Grow Deeper

Each class will run approximately from 6-8 pm.

October 3rd - The Second Vatican Council
The Relationship Between Scripture & Tradition
Presented by Fr. Frank Coady

October 24th - Scripture
How to Understand the Bible Better
Presented by Fr. Reggie Urban

November 14th - Synod
How Do You Spell “Synodality”?
Presented by Fr. Bob Schremmer

PRAYERS & SYMPATHIES:

Our deepest condolences go out to the loved ones of Chaten Tasset and Hadley Fisher, who recently passed in a fatal car accident. May our prayers be with them and provide the families comfort. We pray these two young men rest in peace.

FATHER’S OFFICE HOURS:

Father John will be available at the Parish Center Office on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from approximately 10am-12pm. If you ever have the need to visit with him in person, stop by the hall! He’s still available by phone throughout the day.

Birthdays August 14th - 20th	
August 14th	Dave Hernandez, Laura Stegman
August 15th	Judy Nietling
August 16th	Larry Tasset
August 17th	Travis Barnett
August 18th	Jan Rabe
August 20th	D’Nelle Greenstreet, Phyllis Indiek,