

2023 - SEPTEMBER 23RD & 24TH

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

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Meetings: 1st Thursdays @ 8PM

Parish Center Office Hours

Fr. John:

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and
Fridays : 10 am—12 pm

Jenny:

Mondays—Fridays: 12:30—4 pm

Hours will remain flexible and
subject to change.

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MASS SCHEDULE: SEPTEMBER 25TH - OCTOBER 1ST

DAY	TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
Mon. 9/25	- NO MASS on MONDAYS-		
Tues. 9/26	8:30 AM	Parkview	Austin & Katie Kropp
“	9:30 AM	Southwind	Janice Hornung
Wed. 9/27	8:30 AM	Parkview	Sonja Strecker
Thurs. 9/28	8:30 AM	Parkview	Erma Schneweis
Fri. 9/29	8:30 AM	Parkview	Gil Ackerman
Sat. 9/30	6:30 PM	Church	Mark Downey
Sun. 10/1	8:00 AM	Church	All Parishioners

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



Knights of Columbus
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ST. LEONARD'S COUNCIL #1539

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



Dofl Meetings
2nd Mondays
7:00 PM
Oak Room



Scan to
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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 SEPTEMBER 30TH & OCTOBER 1ST

Collection: Kaden Stein		Collection Asst: Kevin Stein
SATURDAY - 6:30 PM		SUNDAY - 8:00 AM
Sacristans	Teresa Konrade	Dana Howerton
Servers	Kaleb & Kambre Konrade	Lena Meyer, Layson & Emmett Wheaton
Lectors	Chanda Schulte	RJ Meyer
EM	Steve Hubbell, Jolene Tasset, Larry Tasset	Mary Benjamin, Connie Heskamp, LaWana VanNahmen
Musician	Dana Howerton	Dana Howerton
Cantor	Chase Howerton	Chase Howerton
Ushers	Louie Konrade, Kevin Rabe	Blake Connelly, Jeff Heskamp
Gifts	Justin Schulte Family	Blake Connelly Family

If you are
willing to be
involved in Mass
Ministry, please
contact the
parish office. 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: The Kingdom of Heaven is built by mutual cooperation, not competition.
Work together to build the Kingdom, regardless of when God calls. (Matthew 20:1-16)

-- If you're discerning the priesthood, contact **Fr. Wesley Schawe** at vocations@dcdiocese.org or **620-227-1533**--

Parish News & Events

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:

Good stewards follow the advice of St. Paul and conduct themselves – by wise use of their time and talents – in a way worthy of the Gospel of Christ.

TITHING REPORT FOR SEP. 16TH & 17TH:

Collections: \$2,505.00

Online Giving: \$950.00

UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS:

EVERY WEDNESDAY: Adoration from 9AM- 8PM

Sun. 9/24: “The Chosen: Watch & Study”—3:30 PM

-Weekly Study Program—Details Below-

Mon. 9/25: Blood Mobile—2-6 PM

Mon. 10/2: KofC Meeting - 7:45 PM

Thurs. 10/5: Parish Council

Sun. 10/8: Youth Mass - K/1st & 6th/7th grades

Mon. 10/9: Dofl Meeting - 7 PM

Sun. 10/29: Parish Soup Supper



Watch & Discuss: *The Chosen* - s2.e3

Sunday, September 24th @ 3:30 pm

Childcare and snacks provided.

WHAT SHOULD I WATCH?

Did you get connected with the parish Formed account,
but are overwhelmed by all the options? Try this one:



Jesus and the Eucharist

Jesus and the Eucharist: A 7-week series with sessions being released weekly. Dive into scripture to better understand God's plan for the Eucharist.

MANNA HOUSE NEEDS:

Manna House in Dodge City is in need of several food items to help restock their shelves. The need is great and the Manna House has seen a big increase in those who are needing food assistance. You can drop off your food items at the Manna House Monday-Friday after 2pm, or you can leave them in the basket in the room off the entrance of the church and they will be picked up and delivered for you. All food items are needed as well as personal care items. Most needed items are 1 lb. bags of pinto beans, canned corn and other canned veggies.



PARISH ROSARY CHALLENGE:

When you receive the statue, pray the rosary daily for a week. September participants are asked to specifically pray for vocations as well as your own intentions!

September 17th-24th: Ross & Kali Ackerman

Sep. 24th - Oct. 1st: Levi & Mary Benjamin



All married couples celebrating a milestone anniversary in 2023 are invited to partake in the Anniversary Mass and Meal on Sunday, October 22nd at 3 pm at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Please go to www.dcdiocese.org/mflnfp to register by Oct. 9th.

DIOCESAN YOUTH SUMMIT - NOVEMBER 4TH

Formerly the Middle School Youth Rally, the Youth Summit is now a full day planned for the youth of our Diocese. High Schoolers are invited to attend a leadership retreat starting at 10 am that day, then possibly stay and help put on the Middle School Rally in the afternoon. Lunch would be provided. Interested individuals should go to <https://www.dcdiocese.org/youth-events> for more information.

The Middle School session begins at 1:30 pm and finishes around 4 pm. The day will be lead by music duo, *The Scally Brothers*, who will share their testimonies as young Catholics and perform their music. Games, prayer, and adoration included!

Students will have the opportunity to register for this event through their religion classes. Parents should look for more information, flyers, and medical release forms soon.



Birthdays September 25th - October 1st

September 25	Catherine Bowman
September 26	Robbie Meyer
September 30	Jill Hornung-Heeke, Tim Durler, Olivia Meyer
October 1	Terry Gleason, Blake Hornung, RJ Meyer, Paula Schneweis