

2023 - OCTOBER 7TH & 8TH

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

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Pastor

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Parish Council President

Mike Hubbell

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: OCTOBER 9TH-15TH

DAY	TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
Mon. 10/9	- NO MASS on MONDAYS-		
Tues. 10/10	8:30 AM	Parkview	Stanley Stramel
“	9:30 AM	Southwind	Carolyn Hendricks
Wed. 10/11	8:30 AM	Parkview	Living & Deceased Members of Dofl
Thurs. 10/12	8:30 AM	Parkview	Leland Stein
Fri. 10/13	8:30 AM	Parkview	Dan Friess
Sat. 10/14	6:30 PM	Church	Larry Ackerman
Sun. 10/15	8:00 AM	Church	All Parishioners

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



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



Dofl Meetings
2nd Mondays
7:00 PM
Oak Room



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 OCTOBER 14TH & 15TH

Collection: TJ Ackerman		Collection Asst: Phil Gleason
SATURDAY - 6:30 PM		SUNDAY - 8:00 AM
Sacristans	Jenny Schmidt	LynAnn Bowman
Servers	Faith, Cheyenne, and Hallie Ackerman	Andrew Bowman, Clare Bowman, Lena Gleason
Lectors	Audrey Ackerman	Craig Bowman
EM	Mike Hubbell, Tonya Hubbell, Jill Vierthaler	Levi Benjamin, LynAnn Bowman, Phil Gleason
Musician	Bryce Ackerman	Bryce Ackerman
Cantor	Jenny Schmidt	Jenny Schmidt
Ushers	TJ Ackerman, KC Preisner	Phil Gleason, Wesley Gleason
Gifts	TJ Ackerman Family	Wesley Gleason 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: “Have no anxiety at all, but make your requests known to God.

Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:6-7)

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

Parish News & Events

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:

In the Gospel today, the owner of the vineyard sent messengers to collect his share of the harvest from the tenant farmers; but there was not a single good steward on the property! God is the owner, we are the tenants. What sort of stewards are we?

TITHING REPORT

Sep. 30/Oct. 1:

Collections: \$4,177.00

Online Giving: \$570.00

SEPTEMBER

MONTH-END TOTALS:

Collections: \$18,884.85

Expenses: \$15,151.76

Net Total: \$ **3,733.09**

(Below) Above

UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS:

EVERY WEDNESDAY: Adoration from 9AM- 8PM

Sun. 10/8: “The Chosen: Watch & Study”—3:30 PM

Mon. 10/9: Dofl Meeting - 7 PM

Sun. 10/29: Parish Soup Supper

Tues. 11/7-Thurs.11/9: Parish Mission with Fr. Reggie Urban and Judy Spangler - “Sunday Eucharist: The Best and Most Important Hour of the Week”

Saint John Parish's Annual

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

Soup SUPPER

DOOR PRIZES

Ford County State Bank:
Donated the Hamburger for the Chili
Crustbuster:
Donated \$200 for the Event

RAFFLE PRIZE DONATIONS

First National Bank: Smart TV
Crustbuster: 3 - \$100
Iron Insurance Partners - RJ Meyer: 2 - \$50 Gift Certificate
Kinsley Food Pride: 2 - \$100 Gift Card
Jasmine Strecker Photography: 1/2 Hour Session
The Sweet Assist, Connie Heskamp, NuSkin Gift Basket
Victory Electric: \$50 Bill Credit
Offerle Coop: 3 - \$50
Spearville Truck Stop: 2 - \$50
Ag Alliance & Grain: 2 - 25 Bushels of Wheat
Victory Electric: \$50 Bill Credit
The Hair Asylum: Gift Basket
J&A Service: Pit Boss Tabletop Gas Griddle
Spearville Knights of Columbus: 5 - \$50 Windmill Gift Certificates
Lewis Automotive: Charcuterie Board, Dutch Oven, Carving Set, Pot Holder

EVERYONE IN THE COMMUNITY IS WELCOME!

COME JOIN US FOR CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP, CHILI, SANDWICHES, PIE, GAMES, AND FELLOWSHIP!

DINNER SERVED FROM: 5:00 P.M. - 6:45 P.M.

LOCATION: PARISH CENTER, MAIN STREET

*If you'd like to provide a door prize for the soup supper, please contact Jill Vierthaler.

PARISH ROSARY CHALLENGE:



When you receive the statue, pray the rosary daily for a week for your own intentions and those of the month - October: For parents and couples who have experienced miscarriage, stillbirth, infant loss, or infertility issues.

October 1st - 8th: Dave & Rosann Tasset

October 8th - 15th: Eleanor Strecker



The Chosen
Season 2 Episode 5- "Spirit"
Sunday, October 8th @ 3:30 pm



PARISHIONER RENEWAL:

“For as in one body we have many parts, and all the parts do not have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ and individually parts of one another.” -Romans 12:4-5

This succinctly tells us the importance of belonging to a community of believers. We appreciate our parishioners and the individual gifts each shares with our church.

In order to better function as a parish family, we desperately need to update contact information, parishioner files, and ministry duties. ALL current parishioners, new parishioners, or unregistered patrons should find a comprehensive form on the church website. Anyone who has this form finished before the Soup Supper will be entered into a prize drawing! Technical help or paper copies will be available at the Soup Supper. Go to <https://stjohnspearville.com/home/parishioner-registration> to fill out yours!

CEMETERY MOWING THIS WEDNESDAY:

This is potentially the last cemetery cleanup for the season! The January-April Guilds are in charge this time around. Guild leaders, please contact your members to help on Wednesday, October 11th.

*Loved ones' gravesites should be cleared of unattached items by Tuesday the 10th.

These items can be replaced on Thursday the 12th.

Thank you!



Birthdays October 9th - 15th

October 9th	Larry Ackerman
October 11th	Judy Fagen
October 13th	Callie Wadley
October 14th	Berna Mae Stegman, Kitrina Craft
October 15th	Passion Bittel, Jonathon Able