

2024 - MARCH 9TH & 10TH

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

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Fr. John Forkuoh, 385-2212
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Mike Hubbell
Meetings: 1st Thursdays @ 8PM

Parish Center Office Hours

Fr. John:
Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and
Fridays : 10 am—12 pm

Jenny:
Mondays—Fridays: 1 pm - 4:30pm
*Hours will remain flexible and
subject to change.*
Call: 620-385-2202
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MASS SCHEDULE: MARCH 11TH - 17TH			
DAY	TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
Mon. 3/11	-NO MASS ON MONDAYS-FATHER'S DAY OFF-		
Tues. 3/12	8:30 AM	Parkview	Bob Peintner
"	3:00 PM	Southwind	Marceda Schmidt
Wed. 3/13	8:30 AM	Parkview	NO MASS - Endres Funeral @ 10 AM
Thurs. 3/14	8:30 AM	Parkview	Junior Strecker
Fri. 3/15	8:30 AM	Parkview	Melvin Hines
Sat. 3/16	6:30 PM	Church	Connie Burkhart
Sun. 3/17	8:00 AM	Church	All Parishioners of St. John the Baptist
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 MARCH 16TH & 17TH		
Collection:	Carson Konrade	Collection Asst: Lynnette Hessman
	SATURDAY - 6:30 PM	SUNDAY - 8:00 AM
Sacristans	Teresa Konrade	Mary Benjamin
Servers	Xander Calvin, A.J. & Caleb Herrmann	Clare & Isabel Bowman, Lena Meyer
Lectors	Xavier Calvin	R.J. Meyer
EMCs	Ross Ackerman, Lynnette Hessman, Larry Schmidt	Mary Benjamin, LynAnn Bowman, Jeff Hubbell
Musician	Recorded	Recorded
Cantor	Janell Calvin	Janell Calvin
Ushers	Rod Durler, Louie Konrade	Kevin Mages, Vern Stein
Gifts	Ushers	Vern & Lorie Stein

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: To be cut off from the treasures of the Church is to be cast away from life itself. As the Israelites longed to rebuild the Temple of Jerusalem, so must we long to continue to build up the Church today. (Psalm 137)

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

Parish News

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:

All that we have and all that we are comes from the Lord.
"We are truly his handiwork," says St. Paul in the second
reading, "created in Christ Jesus to lead the life of good
deeds which God prepared for us in advance."

**TITHING REPORT for
MARCH 2nd & 3rd:**

Box Collection: \$ 9,700.00
Online Giving: \$ 570.00

**FEBRUARY 2024
MONTH-END TOTALS:**

Collections: \$24,548.16
Expenses: \$17,674.92
Net Total: **\$6,873.24**
(Below) Above

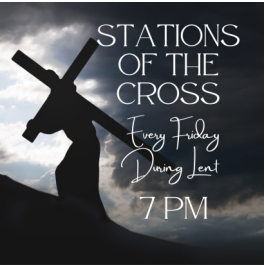


LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE:

THIS SUNDAY!
March 10th at 4 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

March 15th - Leader TBD
March 22nd - Led by KofC
March 29th - GOOD FRIDAY* 5 PM*



PRAYERS AND CONDOLENCES:

Our prayers go out to the family of David Endres who
recently passed away. His funeral will be Wednesday,
March 13th at 10 AM with burial to follow at St. John
Cemetery.. May his soul and all souls of the faithful
departed, rest in peace.

A WORD OF THANKS:

Miriam Komarek would like to extend a heartfelt "Thank
You" to all who sent her cards for her 90th Birthday.

"You prepare a table
before me in the
presence of my
enemies; You have
anointed my head
with oil;
My cup
overflows."
Psalm 23:5



DIOCESAN CHRISM MASS:

Our Parish can send 7 more
representatives to the Diocesan
Chrism Mass on Thursday,
March 21st at 11 AM with a
luncheon to follow. Please sign
up in the church entryway or
contact Jenny Schmidt as soon as
possible if you'd like to attend.

PARISH ROSARY CHALLENGE:

When you receive the statue, pray the rosary daily for a
week for your own intentions and the special intentions of
the month - **March:** May we recall St. Joseph's quiet and
humble service to God and His call. Let us pray for all
who lay down their lives for Christ - either through
vocation or martyrdom.

March 10th - 17th: Dave & Rosann Tasset

SPEARVILLE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ST. LEONARD'S COUNCIL #1539

FISH FRY

FRIDAY, MARCH 15TH @ 5 PM
ST. JOHN PARISH CENTER
FREE-WILL DONATION

LAST
CHANCE
to RSVP!

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Sign up in
the church
entry
or on the
Facebook
Event.

"Paschal
Painting Party"

JOIN US FOR AN EASTER-THEMED
PAINTING PARTY!
GUIDED BY KELLAN SHAVER WITH
"HIDDEN ARTIST CREATIONS"

Sunday, March 17th

2:00 - 5:00 PM
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH CENTER
SPONSORED BY FAITH FORMATION

COST IS \$20 AND INCLUDES ALL YOUR SUPPLIES!
SNACKS AND DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED.

SIGN UP AT CHURCH OR VIA THE FACEBOOK
EVENT BY MARCH 11TH TO SECURE YOUR SPOT.



Dofl FATHER-DAUGHTER DANCE:

Sunday, March 24th at 3 PM! \$15 per pair and
\$5 for each extra daughter.
Contact Amy Thompson for tickets:
620-408-8887.

EASTER BAKE SALE:

All parishioners are asked to consider donating baked
goods to the Parish Easter Bake Sale. Items donated in the
past have varied from breads to cinnamon rolls, cakes,
cookies, cupcakes, and even enchiladas. Donations can be
left in the church entry on Friday, March 29th or delivered
to the Oak Room first thing Saturday morning on March
30th. The bake sale will run from 8-11am or until sold out!



Birthdays March 11th - 17th

March 11th	Cindy Thomas
March 14th	Lorne Benish, Kim Durler, Mark Sanko
March 15th	Jackie Naasz
March 16th	Jackie Strecker, Dave Tasset
March 17th	Amy Indiek, Gari-Ann Stein