



St. John Parish

DECEMBER 5 & 6, 2009

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE December 7 - 13

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	8:30 a.m. PV	St. Ambrose	Willard Brack
Tues.	7:00 p.m.	Immaculate Conception	Bus Kirmer
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV	St. Juan Diego	Earnest Demuth
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV		Richard Giessel
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	St. Damascus I	D of I — Living
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	5:30 p.m.	3rd Sunday of Advent	Jody Konda
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	3rd Sunday of Advent	Parishioners

MINISTERS FOR DECEMBER 8 7:00 P.M.

Servers: Luke & Lindsay Heskamp, Caleb Rich

Greeters: Lester & Peggy Schulte

Lector: Richard Gleason

Eucharistic: Lynnette Hessman, Joyce Rogers, Larry
& Jolene Tasset, Elaine Trenkamp, Jill
Vierthaler

Keyboard: Carol Hernandez

Songleader: Rakel Halling

Ushers: Ryan Seachris, Val Stein

Gifts: Nathaniel Slattery Family

Rosary: Anthony & Joan Indiek

Collection: Michelle Lampe

Collection Asst.: Kevin Rabe

Sacristan: Julie Hines

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: November 28 & 29:
Collection Total — \$3,039.40.

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SPEARVILLE K OF C: meeting will be Dec. 7, at 8 p.m.

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PLEASE REMEMBER: December 8th is the solemnity of
the Immaculate Conception. This is a Holy Day of Obligation.
Mass will be at 7 p.m., at St. John the Baptist Church.

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MINISTERS FOR DECEMBER 12 & 13

Servers: (Sat.) Katie & William Gleason, Ben Steg-
man

(Sun.) Jacob & Zachary Broz, Taylor Of-
ferle

Greeters: (Sat.) Joyce Schulte
(Sun.) Shawn Rich Family

Lectors: (Sat.) Judy Gleason
(Sun.) Richard Broz

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Philip Gleason, Larry Hornung, Anne
Schawe, John & Berna Mae Stegman,
Norbert Strecker
(Sun.) Carl & Jane Hubbell, Louise Lampe,
Trisha Offerle, Larry Schmidt, Mark
Strecker

Keyboard: (Sat.) Julie Knoeber
(Sun.) Judy Nietling

Songleaders: (Sat.) Rosann Tasset
(Sun.) Lorne Benish

Ushers: (Sat.) Bernard Stegman, Melvin Strecker
(Sun.) Ron Stein, Ron Temaat

Gifts: (Sat.) Roberta Kiehl
(Sun.) Jeff Schulte Family

Rosary: (Sat.) Edith Mae Giessel
(Sun.) Glenn & Pat Torline

Collection: Dana Rich

Collection Asst.: Vicky Scheve

Sacristans: Dan & Vicki Konrade

NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULES: are available in the back of
church and online on the parish website. We are using a
new scheduler, so please be patient. It has a few glitches to
be worked out. With almost two hundred names to enter,
it takes a while to get everything in and coordinated. Once I
get the bugs out, things should go more smoothly.
Thanks for your understanding. Judy

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PENANCE SERVICES: will be on Sunday, Dec. 13, this year;
at 2 p.m., at St. Joseph in Offerle, 4 p.m., at St. John the
Baptist in Spearville, and 7 p.m., at St. Andrew in Wright.

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NCYC DRAWSTRING BACKPACKS: We have a few extra
backpacks from the NCYC trip. They are blue and black
and have the logo the NCYC group used for their t-shirts
on the trip on it. We will sell them after the masses this
weekend on a first come, first serve basis until they are
gone. They are \$5 each.

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DCCC CHRISTMAS CONCERT: will be on Sunday, Dec. 6, at
3 p.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Windthorst.

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CHRISTMAS CHOIR PRACTICES: will be Dec. 9, 16 & 21,
at 8 p.m.

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WANTED: Someone to remove snow from St. John's
Church and Rectory. This is a paid position. If interested,
please call 620-385-2376.

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LET'S GO CAROLING: Jr. High students (6, 7 & 8th) and
Parents are invited to go caroling on Sunday, Dec. 13. Meet
at the Parish Center shortly before 6 p.m. Caroling around
town is from 6 - 7 p.m. Dress warmly! Bring a blanket, a
flashlight and your friends, your parents and your friends'
parents! There will be snacks and hot chocolate at the Oak
Room from 7 - 8 p.m. Please refer any questions to the
Youth Commission members.

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December 7 - 13 Birthdays

Dec. 7 Drennon Hawkins

Dec. 8 Kyler Stein

Dec. 9 Hoyt Fry

Dec. 10 Dennis Nietling

Dec. 11 Caleb Stein

Dec. 12 Haley Gleason - Cindy Hubbell

Dec. 13 Paige Stegman - Amanda Israel

Chad Barnett - Quincy Donovan

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 prepara-
tion. 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.

PVV: Mass on Friday at 8:30 a.m.

HOMEBOUND: Call the pastor if you would like to re-
ceive 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.