



St. John Parish

APRIL 3 & 4, 2010

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE April 5 - 11

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	8:30 a.m. PV	Octave of Easter	Ruth Temaat
Tues.	No Mass		
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV	Octave of Easter	D of I — Living
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV	Octave of Easter	Sr. Ruth Klein
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	Octave of Easter	Descendants of Henry Knoeber Sr.
Sat.	5:30 p.m.	Divine Mercy	Parishioners
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	Divine Mercy	Ignatius & Beatrice Slattery



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: March 27 & 28:
Collection Total — \$3,307.17.

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PARISH MEETINGS: will be Thursday night. Commissions at 7 p.m., and Council at 8 p.m. Also, the parish meetings will be moved to the second Thursday of May, instead of the first.

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YOUTH COMMISSION NOTES:

All High School Students — be watching the white board in the back of church for announcements. There will be sign-up sheets for:
Newman University Service Camp (full week in June)
Friendship Feast Volunteers (single half day, all summer months)

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SPEARVILLE K OF C: meeting will be April 5, at 8 p.m.

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MINISTRY SCHEDULES FOR APRIL AND MAY: are now available in the back of church or online at www.stjohnspearville.com.

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BENEFIT FOR BYRUM: The Spearville Lions Club is

sponsoring a benefit Calf Fry on April 10, to raise money to send Byrum Bittel to the "Victory Junction Gang Camp" this summer. The camp itself is free and funds will be used to pay for travel expenses to North Carolina. Serving calf fries, sloppy joes, baked beans, pasta salad, bread and beverage, 5-7:30 p.m., at the Parish Center. If you wish to make a donation, but cannot attend, mail checks to Spearville Lions, Spearville, KS, or leave at Werner Plbg., Spearville News, or First National Bank.

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THE CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICE CHARITY WINE TASTING EVENT: on April 16, 2010, at the Club at Stone Ridge, features a Wine 101 Seminar by Roger Fowler of Standard Beverage, and a chance to sample wines from all over the world. Enjoy some wonderful hors d-oeuvres, and live entertainment by classical guitarist, Richard J. Falcon, as you browse the enticing array of live and silent auction items. Tickets for this Catholic Charity Centennial Celebration are \$25, and guests from out of town can make it a leisurely trip with an overnight stay at the Best Western Angus Inn. Proceeds support Catholic Social Service programs in the Diocese of Dodge City. For more information, visit www.catholicsocialservice.org, or call 620-792-1393.

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MARRIAGE ENCOUNTERED COUPLES: Share Group Forming!

When: **Sunday, April 11**, from 6-7 p.m.

Where: St. Andrew Parish Center

Contact KC & Kayla Preisner with questions at 620-804-1750.

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April 5 - 11 Birthdays

Apr. 5 John Groth

Apr. 6

Apr. 7 Allison Halling

Apr. 8

Apr. 9

Apr. 10 Gayla Kirmer - Sonja Strecker

Apr. 11



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 preparation. 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.

ENCOUNTER WITH GOD'S CALL: April 17-19, at Conception Seminary College, is a discernment retreat for young men 16 and older who are considering the vocation to Priesthood. This visit is free and transportation is provided by the Diocese of Dodge City. To register, call Becky Hessman at 620.227.1530 or email bhessman@dcdiocese.org. This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it. Hear talks by seminarians, pray with the monks, experience seminary life, and enjoy time with others who are seeking God's will in their life.

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MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE: Mark your calendars! August 6-8, 2010. Century II Convention Center, Wichita, Kansas. For more information check out www.catholicfamilyconference.org

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

HOMEBOUND: Call the pastor if you would like to receive Holy Communion on Thursday mornings.

TO RENT THE PARISH CENTER: call Rosann Tasset, 385-2487.

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.