



St. John Parish

SEPTEMBER 24 & 25, 2011

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE Sept. 26 - Oct. 2

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ss. Cosmas & Damian	Mike Dixon
Tues.	No Mass		
Wed.	No Mass		
Thurs.	No Mass		
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	St. Jerome	Eleanor Ackerman
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	5:30 p.m.	27th Sunday Ordinary	Lyle Laudick
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	27th Sunday Ordinary	Parishioners

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: September 17 & 18:
Collection Total — \$3,367.42.

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PANCAKE BREAKFAST: September 25, from 8 - noon, at
the Parish Center, sponsored by the NCYC youth group.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERS: Please remember
to RSVP by Oct. 1, for the Centennial celebration scheduled
for Oct. 9.

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A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS: study
program will be offered though the month of October.
This is the thing Fr. Ted was promoting with regard to the
up-coming new liturgy. The 4 sessions will be offered:

Wednesday, October 5, 12, 19 & 25 at the Senior Cen-
ter – 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 6, 13, 20 & 26 at the Parish Center
-7:00 p.m.

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ST. JOHN'S ANNUAL SOUP SUPPER AND FUN NIGHT:
is scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 23. Items are needed for the
raffle and door prizes. Please let Pat Sanko (385-0011)
or Berna Mae Stegman (385-2810) know if you have an
item for either. Thank you.

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R.C.I.A.: Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults — Anyone

MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 1 & 2

Servers: (Sat.) Katie Gleason, Ben Stegman
(Sun.) Kaden & Kyler Stein, Lane Tasset

Greeters: (Sat.) Greg & Ginny Werner
(Sun.) Kevin Stein Family

Lectors: (Sat.) John Stegman
(Sun.) Karen Minnis

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Larry B. & Kenna Ackerman, Philip
Gleason, Lynnette Hessman, Larry Hor-
nung, Deacon Dwaine Lampe
(Sun.) Jolene Eberle, Larry Schmidt, Mark
Strecker, Marylda Heskamp, Deacon
Dwaine & Louise Lampe

Keyboard: (Sat.) Dana Howerton
(Sun.) Gayla Kirmer

Songleaders: (Sat.) Pam Brack
(Sun.) Dawn Burke

Ushers: (Sat.) Kevin Mages, Greg Tepe
(Sun.) Ron Stein, Val Stein

Gifts: (Sat.) Ervin & Connie Burkhart
(Sun.) Danny Gleason Family

Rosary: (Sat.) Margaret Werner
(Sun.) Glenn & Pat Torline

Collection: Philip Gleason

Collection Asst.: Leland Stein

Sacristan: Philip Gleason

interested in entering the process of becoming Catholic
should call Fr. Ted at 620-385-2212.

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CHRISTMAS EVE CHOIR: It seems early to be thinking of
Christmas Eve choir, however, we have picked out some
great new music selections and need to start quite a
bit earlier than usual to prepare. Instead of beginning in
November, we are starting on Sunday, Oct. 2, from 7-8
p.m., at the church. We welcome high school age through
adult to come lend your talent to our group. Please
consider this opportunity to bring the beauty of the season
through music to our parish service. For more information,
call Gayla Kirmer at 385-2506.

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THE SECOND READING: calls us to “conduct yourselves
in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ”. The Worldwide
Marriage Encounter Weekend helps your marriage to be a
sign for the world. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter
Weekend is **Nov. 4-6 at the Capuchin Center for Spiritual
Life in Victoria.** Early registration is highly recommended.
For more information call Dave and Joan Dunn at 785-
628-1795 or e-mail at micromedia@ruraltel.net. Visit our
website at www.wwmesection9.org

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 2011:
Sunday, Oct. 16. Mass at 3 p.m., dinner following
Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, 3231 North 14th
Street, Dodge City. Bishop John B. Brungardt invites couples
throughout the diocese celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th,
40th, 50th and more years in 2011. Register online or email

Peggy at pschulte@dcdiocese.org by Monday, Oct. 3, 2011.

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SCRIPTURE DAY: Thurs., Oct. 20, 2011, 9:30 a.m. - 3:30
p.m., at Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, 3231 North
14th Street, Dodge City. Everything you wanted to know
about violence in the Old Testament but were afraid to
ask! Everyone always wants to know more about the Bible.
This is an opportunity to do just that! Through our Parish-
Diocese Stewardship Partnership, the Annual Scripture
Day has no registration fee. Register online or email Peggy
at pschulte@dcdiocese.org by Thurs., Oct. 6, 2011.

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D OF I MEMBERS: Coming Events — Oct. 11, meeting
beginning with pizza supper at 6:30 p.m.; Oct. 15, at noon,
Public Square Rosary Crusade; Oct. 23, Soup Supper; Nov.
13, Officer Installation at Kinsley; Nov. 14, meeting, bring
items to send to servicemen.

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September 26 - October 2 Birthdays

Sept. 26
Sept. 27
Sept. 28 Payton Strecker
Sept. 29
Sept. 30 Jill Hornung-Heeke
Oct. 1 Jack Burke - Terry Gleason
Blake Hornung - R. J. Meyer
Oct. 2 Brooke Offerle - Emily Tenbrink

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.

FACEBOOK YOUTH PAGE: Youth Commission would
like to invite parishioners with a Facebook account to
“like” the “Spearville St. John Youth” page. We are using
this as a means of promoting activities and scheduling
events in our parish and the Dodge City Diocese.

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.