



St. John Parish

NOVEMBER 17 & 18, 2012

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

November 19 - 25

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	8:30 a.m. PV	Weekday Ordinary	D of I — Living
Tues.	No Mass		
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV	Presentation of Mary	Don Demuth
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Saint Cecilia	Ryan Family
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	Weekday Ordinary	Jeanie Schulte
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	5:30 p.m.	Christ the King	Parishioners
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	Christ the King	Ignatius & LaVera Strecker Anniversary



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: November 10 & 11:
Collection Total — \$4,467.21.

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PLEASE NOTE: Thanksgiving Day Mass will be at St. John the Baptist Church.

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SINGERS NEEDED FOR CHRISTMAS CHOIR: So far, we haven't had a very good turnout for the Christmas Choir. This past Sunday, we had 2 people. Time is running out to get this put together. It is not too late to join. We have practice CD's for everyone, so if you would like one so you can get started on learning the music, contact Gayla Kirmer. Please consider lending your time and talent to this group. If we don't start having a better turnout, we will have to make the decision to cancel it for this year, which would be the first time in many, many years that we didn't have a Christmas choir. The next practice is Nov. 18, at 7 p.m., at the church.

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THANK YOU: for all the work and donations for the Soup Supper. It was well supported and attended. The final figures are not yet in, but it looks good.

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MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 24 & 25

Servers: (Sat.) Wyatt Hessman, William Gleason
(Sun.) Lane & Madison Tasset, Kyler Stein

Greeters: (Sat.) Gil & Sandy Ackerman
(Sun.) Leland & Annette Stein

Lectors: (Sat.) Rich Gleason
(Sun.) R.J. Meyer

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Larry & Jolene Tasset, Elaine Trenkamp, Jill Vierthaler, Dennis Werner, Deacon Dwaine Lampe
(Sun.) Norbert Strecker, Riley Schmidt, L'Jean Dixon, Lori Burke, Deacon Dwaine & Louise Lampe

Keyboard: (Sat.) Kiley Myers
(Sun.) Julie Knoeber

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

Ushers: (Sat.) Phil Gleason
(Sun.) Kevin Rabe

Gifts: (Sat.) Tom & Lori Burke
(Sun.) Verl Shean

Rosary: (Sat.) Shirley Stein
(Sun.) LeRoy & Bernice Mages

Collection: Larry Tasset

Collection Asst.: Leland Stein

Sacristan: Debbie Wood

NCYC MEETING: Those who signed up for the next NCYC trip will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 8 p.m., at the parish center following Religion classes. We will give out the trash bag order info and have a short meeting. The first \$50 deposit will be due at that time.

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BULLETIN FOR NOV. 24 & 25: will be printed on Wednesday, Nov. 21. Please have your information to Fr. Ted or the Spearville News before Wednesday. Thank you.

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FAMILY FORMATION: Please join us Sunday, Nov. 18, at 5:30 p.m., for a covered dish meal followed by our 6:30 p.m. Catholicism showing of "Word Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven — The Mystery of the Church's Sacrament and Worship." Father Barron explores the ancient practices of the Church's worship that endure to this very day and the notion that "all value is summed up in the liturgy, the supreme act by which we commune with God." Considered by the Catholic Faith to be "the source and summit" of its identity and mission, the Eucharist is the central practice of the church's culture. Father Barron describes all the parts of the Mass and shows how the Sacred Liturgy embodies the whole of the faith in such diverse places as Jerusalem, Rome, Chicago, Orvieto and Mexico City.

If you are unable to attend the meal, we would still love

to see you for the presentation at 6:30 p.m.! Adoration will follow from 8 p.m. Sunday until 8 p.m. Monday. Sign up sheets will be available in the back of church or Sunday evening at the Parish Center. Please join us for a fun, faith-filled evening with your family!

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CHOIR PRACTICE: for our Christmas Eve celebration will be on Nov. 18, 25 and Dec. 2, 9, 16 and 19. All will begin at 7 p.m. Schedule is subject to change. We have added a few new selections. Seventh grade through adult are welcome. Please consider taking part in the choir this year. We need a lot of voices. For more information, contact Gayla Kirmer at 385-2506.

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November 19 - 25 Birthdays

Nov. 19	
Nov. 20	John Gunkel - Michaela Hubbell K C Preisner
Nov. 21	Angus Snyder
Nov. 22	
Nov. 23	
Nov. 24	Richard Broz - Michael Brown
Nov. 25	Tonya Hubbell



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.

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.

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.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: Claire Albert, 620-225-6576.

INFANT BAPTISMS: Parents should be registered in the parish. For baptismal preparation, please contact the pastor at 385-2212.

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.

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.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA: If you would like to know more about the D of I or are interested in joining, please contact Jeanette Gunkel at jeanettegunkel@hotmail.com or 385-2799; or Berna Mae Stegman at 385-2810.