



St. John Parish

JULY 6 & 7, 2013

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LITURGICAL
SCHEDULE
July 8 - 14

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.		No Mass	
Tues.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ordinary Time	D of I — Living
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ordinary Time	Carol Schell
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ordinary Time	Norman Lee Giles
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ordinary Time	Melvin Stein
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	5:30 p.m.	15 th Sunday Ordinary	Special Intention
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	15 th Sunday Ordinary	Parishioners



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: June 29 & 30: Collection
Total — \$3,045.52.

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IT IS A GREAT BLESSING: and a privilege to be assigned
here at St. John the Baptist Church. With God’s guidance
and blessing, I will do my very best to serve here at your
wonderful parish.

— Fr. Rene

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PARISH MEETINGS: Thursday, July 11, 7 p.m. commissions
and 8 p.m. council.

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CATECHIST FORMATION FALL: September Sessions “Let
Prayer Teach” Presenters: Bishop Emeritus Gilmore
and Coleen Stein. The single most important factor in the
lives of a catechist and their children and teens is their
relationship with God. One name we give that relationship
is prayer. Some communication happens quite naturally, a
young child will learn communication skills by watching and
listening to others. But other communication skills need
to be taught, like reading and writing. The same can be
said for prayer. Yet, what we need more than anything else
is not textbooks, but text-people. That’s what a catechist

MINISTERS FOR JULY 13 & 14

Servers: (Sat.) Haley & Hannah Gleason
(Sun.) Carson Rich, Clinton & Levi Stein

Greeters: (Sat.) John & Berna Mae Stegman
(Sun.) Bridget Anderson

Lectors: (Sat.) Rich Gleason
(Sun.) Tonya Hubbell

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Deacon Dwaine Lampe, Dennis
Werner, Larry B. & Kenna Ackerman,
Philip Gleason, Lynnette Hessman
(Sun.) Deacon Dwaine & Louise Lampe,
Carl & Jane Hubbell, Frank Mages, Riley
Schmidt

Keyboard: (Sat.) Bryce Ackerman
(Sun.) Gayla Kirmer

Songleaders: (Sat.) Rakel Halling
(Sun.) Rosann Tasset

Ushers: (Sat.) Steve Ackerman, Erv Burkhart
(Sun.) Dennis Schawe, Ron Stein

Gifts: (Sat.) Jim Halling Family
(Sun.) Shawn Tasset Family

Rosary: (Sat.) Virginia Ryan
(Sun.) George & Marylda Heskamp

Collection: Anne Schawe
Collect. Asst.: Mike Hubbell
Sacristan: Virginia Ryan

is. Pope Paul VI called them witnesses. “Let Prayer
Teach” offers help to the catechist so s/he can help
their students grow in prayer...that is not just teaching
prayers. “If you want a life of prayer, the way to get it is
by praying.” Thomas Merton Wednesday, Sept. 4 - 6 p.m.
to 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 7 - 9 a.m. to 12 noon Sunday,
Sept. 8 - 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. (Spanish)
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NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: FAITH & SCIENCE:
Saturday, July 13, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Join us for a discussion
on the medical and moral sides of Natural Family
Planning, the vocation of marriage, and the hope for
couples struggling with infertility. Presentations given by
Fr. Wesley Schawe, Raquel Guzman-Vargas, FCP, Kate
Siegfried RN, BSN, FCP, and others! This is a unique
opportunity to ask questions and learn more about the
truth and science behind NFP. More information can be
found atwww.dcdiocese.org/nfp.
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14th MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE:
will be August 2-4, 2013, at Century II Convention
Center in Wichita. There will be outstanding speakers,
programs for all ages, outdoor Eucharistic procession,
music and much more. Please mark your calendars
and plan to attend. For more information go to www.
catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787 or
email: midwconf@cox.net.
Scholarships are available and there are a variety of
rates for registration: early bird, in advance and on site
registrations.
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LENDING LIBRARY: Our bookshelf is overflowing thanks
to your generosity! More books have recently been
added and some are taking advantage of this opportunity
to broaden and strengthen your faith. Please take a
look and check out any of the books or DVD’s that are
available!
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NEW LIGHTHOUSE CDS: Please stop by the Lighthouse
CD display in the body room to view three new CDs that

have been added to our collection. Feel free to take a copy,
listen, share and then return for others! Suggested donation
is \$3 per CD and can be put in the weekly collection basket.
**In God We Trust — Religious Liberty: Your First
Amendment Right** — Bishop David Malloy & Monsignor
Eric Barr. During these challenging times there is a critical
need to focus on maintaining our religious liberty as stated
in the First Amendment of the United States Constitution. In
these highly informative presentations, Bishop David Malloy
and Msgr. Eric Barr show us that protection of religious
freedom is fundamental for Catholics and also for people
of all faiths. This CD also includes a brief presentation by
Timothy Cardinal Dolan on faithful citizenship.
Get to Know the Mother of God — Chris Padgett (Great for
youth & young adults, too!). There’s a little bit about Mary in
scripture. We can glean a bit more from the Tradition of the
Church. But, where can we go to get the complete picture,
to find out about the whole Mary? In an engaging style, Chris
Padgett does just that as he walks us through what the Bible
has to say about the Mother of God. What has she meant to
the Church throughout the centuries, what have the saints
told us about her, and most importantly, what can we learn
from her ourselves? This CD also includes selections from
The Rosary Project, a unique celebration of prayer and song
from Chris Padgett.
Counting Your Blessings — Dr. Scott Hahn. From God’s
Word, Dr. Hahn explains the theology of Catholic family
life, and how to apply these principles to communication,
forgiveness and prudent stewardship of one’s material gifts.
He challenges us to be men and women of God who foster
a loving family life.
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July 8 - 14 Birthdays	
July 8	Trevor Albert - Katherine Steimel
July 9	Larry B. Ackerman
July 10	Xavier Calvin
July 11	Katie Rabe - Jo Peintner
July 12	Shawna Burke
July 13	Mike Hubbell - Mia Benjamin Dawson Seachris
July 14	Bill Claussen