



Stewardship Moment — “Lectoring at Mass has been a joy for me because it gives you the opportunity to sit down before hand to read God’s word and then pray about how God wants you to proclaim the passages at Mass. I am touched each time by reading the Bible and I hope my lectoring can do the same for others.”

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — November 17 - 23

NOVEMBER 15 & 16, 2014

Father Rene Labrador 385-2212
<http://www.stjohnspearville.com>

Coordinator of Ministries
Judy Gleason 385-2881

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	No Mass		
Tues.	8:30 a.m. PV	Sts. Peter & Paul Basilicas	Curly Hessman
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ordinary Time	Richard Kohlmeier
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV	Ordinary Time	Louise Hornung
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV	Presentation — BVM	Elaine Trenkamp
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confession	
	5:30 p.m.	Christ the King	Parishioners
Sun.	9:30 a.m.	Christ the King	Ignatius Strecker

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.

ST. JOHN’S PRAYER CHAIN: If you have someone you would like to have on our prayer chain, please call Lynnette Hessman at 620-408-8582 or email her at nettemae1984@yahoo.com. You may also request to be added to the calling tree or email list.

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.

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

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

ADORATION: Every second and fourth Wednesday of the month, we will have an hour of adoration, starting at 6:30 p.m. and ending before 8 p.m. The priest will be available for confession during that time. You are most welcome at this hour of prayer.

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

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.

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.

MEALS FOR NEW MOMS: If you have recently had a baby, or know a parishioner who has, and would like to receive meals celebrating this new addition, please contact Lyza Frasco at 316-371-5678 or elizabethfrasco@aol.com.

MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 22 - 23

Servers: (Sat.) Kate Steimel, Candace Fry (Sun.) Anna & Nathan Stein, Chaten Tasset	(Sun.) Gayla Kirmer
Greeters: (Sat.) Dennis & Dorothy Duesing (Sun.) Deb Rodda Family	Songleaders: (Sat.) Rakel Halling (Sun.) Lorne Benish
Lectors: (Sat.) Tonya Hubbell (Sun.) R.J. Meyer	Ushers: (Sat.) Ryan Seachris, Melvin Strecker (Sun.) Ron Stein, Val Stein
Eucharistic: (Sat.) Deacon Dwaine Lampe, Shirley Moritz, Joyce Rogers, Virginia Ryan, Anne Schawe, Jenette Schuette (Sun.) Deacon Dwaine Lampe, Trisha Kolbeck, Frank Mages, Larry Schmidt, Paula Schneweis, Kevin Stein	Gifts: (Sat.) Larry B. & Kenna Ackerman (Sun.) Melvin & Pat Habiger
Keyboard: (Sat.) Julie Knoeber	Rosary: (Sat.) Tony & Joan Indiek (Sun.) LeRoy Mages
	Collection: Larry Tasset
	Collect. Asst.: Leland Stein
	Sacristan: (Sat.) Philip Gleason (Sun.) Levi Benjamin

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: November 8 & 9: Collection Total — \$9,239.31; Oct. Income — \$22,128.28; Expenses — \$23,805.24; Deficit — \$1,676.96.

THANK YOU: everyone for participating in the poster contest. We really enjoyed seeing all your great posters! Thank you for your hard work. We have prizes for all those who participated in the cross room, so please come and pick up yours, along with your poster.

FAMILY FORMATION: will begin at 5:30 p.m., on Sunday, Nov. 16. Please bring a side dish to enjoy with the bierocks that will be provided. Then at 6:30, take advantage of the opportunity to ask our panel any questions you may have about your faith and let us know what you would like to learn more about. Place your questions in the box in the back of church or bring them with you.

ADORATION: will begin at 8 p.m., Sunday night and go until 8 p.m., Monday night. Sign up sheet is in the back of church. Please consider spending an hour with our Lord in worship and thanksgiving for our many blessings.

OOOPS!: The ministry schedule for Nov. 29 - 30, was omitted from the printed copies. The corrected copy is on the parish website and will be printed in the bulletin the week before. Sorry for the inconvenience!

CHRISTMAS EVE CHOIR: Practices are Sundays, at 7 p.m. For more information, contact Gayla Kirmer at 385-2506.

LANCER TEENS: Grades 7 - 12 — Come join your friends for fun and games in a Christian based environment while learning everyday life skills that will prepare you for the future. Topics like Manners, Interview Skills, Dance Lessons, Money Management and Cooking are still on the agenda. The next lesson will be Sunday, Nov. 23, at 6:30 p.m., at the Parish Center.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY: Nov. 22 - 23, at the Dodge House Hotel/Convention Center!

FUND-RAISER: From Oct. 30 - Nov. 29, Sacred Heart Cathedral School in Dodge City, is doing a pro life fundraiser through Schwans and a portion of the proceeds go to a pro life billboard — 20% of all sales and 40% of gift cards! You can shop online at Schwans.com or call 1-855- 870-7208. Enter the campaign ID 15883. If you have any questions, contact Tony Frasco.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICE: Please join us for a special 50th Anniversary Mass and Luncheon on Saturday, Dec. 6, at 11 a.m., at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, 3231 N. 14th, in Dodge City. Bishop John B. Brungardt will be the Principal Celebrant for this homecoming event and everyone is invited regardless of whether

you have adopted a child or have received other services through our agency, or you donate, volunteer and support our mission in other ways. Please RSVP by Nov. 26, online at www.catholicsocialservice.org, by phone at 620-792-1393, or by email at rford@catholicsocialservice.org.

RCIA RETREAT: “Journeys to Conversion”, will be Jan. 31, 2015, 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m., at Our Lady of Guadalupe Cathedral, in Dodge City, [English and Spanish] and Feb. 7, 2015, at Heartland Center for Spirituality, in Great Bend [English only]. Registration is between 8:45 and 9:15 a.m. Registration fee is \$55 per parish and \$15 per person.

Please register for the Dodge City Retreat by Jan. 23, and Great Bend, by Jan. 30. Contact Ann Axman at the Heartland Center for Spirituality by phone: 620-792-1232; FAX: 620-792-1746; or email: office@heartlandspirituality.org

PARISH WIDE EVENT: After Mass, on Dec. 7, in the basement, there will be an introductory meeting about the all new “Little Flower” Girl’s and “Blue Knights” Boy’s clubs that will begin soon for all ages of children. It’s a “check it out” meeting (it’s free). It’s like Girl/Boy Scouts only pro-life, pro-family and pro-faith. We are wanting to team-up with any and all members of the parish to help build up the youth in this awesome and faith-inspiring program. Who knows, there will probably be donuts and coffee there!

PRESENTS WITH A MISSION: You might have noticed a random Christmas tree in the Holy Cross room that is sporting odd-looking Christmas ornaments. Those ornaments are to take and fulfill the request on the back and return to under the tree. They will be mailed to our sister parish in New Mexico, to help them raise funds and help out needy families by allowing them to buy the gifts at a fraction of the cost or to buy with service hours. Take a flyer for more information and get into the spirit of giving this Advent season. Thanks from the Youth Commission.

K OF C: will have a Christmas party following the meeting on Dec. 1. All Windthorst and Spearville Knights are invited!

DONUTS & COFFEE: downstairs after Sunday Mass.

November 17 - 23 Birthdays

Nov. 17	
Nov. 18	Larry Friess - Jane Hubbell Greg Scheve
Nov. 19	Bree Herrmann
Nov. 20	John Gunkel - Michaela Hubbell K C Preisner
Nov. 21	Angus Snyder
Nov. 22	
Nov. 23	Carl Strecker

“Stewardship of Hospitality”: Be hospitable to one another without complaining. As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God’s varied grace.” (1 Peter 4:9 - 10)