

St. John Parish

November 12 - 13, 2016

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — November 14 - 20					
Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention	
Mon.	7:00 p.m.	Church		Louise VanNahmen	
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	PV		Margaret Werner	
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	PV		Norman Lee Giles	
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	PV		Carol Hernandez	
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	PV		Chester Droste	
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Church	Confessions		
	5:30 p.m.	Church		Elizabeth Ackerman	
Sun.	9:30 a.m.	Church		All Parishioners	



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.

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

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.



MINISTERS FOR November 19 - 20

Servers: (Sat.) Haley, Hannah and Jenna Gleason
(Sun.) Alissa and Luke Heskamp, Nicholas Frasco

Greeters: (Sat.) D’Nelle Greenstreet
(Sun.) Kevin Stein

Lectors: (Sat.) Audrey Ackerman
(Sun.) Vicki Broz

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Larry Tasset, Jolene Tasset, Mark Strecker, Louise Lampe, Phil Gleason, Jill Vierthaler
(Sun.) Riley Schmidt, Lori Burke, John Gunekl, Jeannette Gunkel, Kurt Kirm-er, L’Jean Dixon

Keyboard: (Sat.) Bryce Ackerman
(Sun.) Julie Knoeber

Songleaders: (Sat.) Melanie Bryan
(Sun.) Janel Calvin

Ushers: (Sat.) Dennis Werner, Mike Hubbell
(Sun.) Leroy Mages, Shawn Rich

Gifts: (Sat.) John Stegman
(Sun.) Levi Benjamin

Rosary: (Sat.) Edith Mae Giessel
(Sun.) Glenn Torline

Collection: Jeff Hubbell

Collect. Asst.: Vicky Scheve

Sacristan: (Sat.) Kevin Stein

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: Claire Albert, 620-561-1339.

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

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 jeanettegunkel63@gmail.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.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: November 5 - 6: Collection Total — \$4,372.48.



CHRISTMAS EVE CHOIR: Please join us for the Christmas Eve choir! The schedule for practice is subject to change, but, will try to meet on November 6, 20, 27, December 4, 11, 18 and 21 beginning at 7 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact Gayla Kirmer at 385-0467. We will have practice CD’s available.



SERVER BOWLING: There will be a server appreciation bowling event on Sunday, November 13, from 3-5 p.m. Any server from high school, middle school, or the fifth grade is invited and encouraged to come and bring a server friend with him/her! We will meet at the Parish Center just prior to 3 p.m., for Spearville departure - please call or text Mary Benjamin to reserve a ride 385-0219. We will return in time to join the rest of the parish members for the Parish Mission starting Sunday as well!



PARISH MISSION: Our Parish Mission begins this weekend. Each night will begin with Eucharistic exposition, a few brief prayers and meditative silence, followed by the mission talk and benediction with the Blessed Sacrament. Conference starting at 7 p.m., and service lasts for one hour.

Thursday Evening: Begins with Holy Mass and with 30 minutes homily as the mission talk.

The subjects of the mission Conferences are:

God’s Mercy- Church or Spirituality?.....Sunday
Why do we do that as Catholics?.....Monday
Jesus the Divine Mercy.....Tuesday
Two Obstacles to healing.....Wednesday
How to pray the MassThursday
The Fathers of Mercy do not charge any set of fee for our parish mission but will take up a “**special collection**” on the last day of the Mission. This special collection will pay for all travel and related expenses associated with the parish mission, as well as pay the community for providing a missionary to the parish for the week. The Fathers of Mercy rely on Divine Providence and the generosity of the parishioners in this regard.

CATHOLIC TEES SENIOR CLASS PROJECT: The Senior Religion Class is selling Catholic themed t-shirts with all profits to go to Birthright in Dodge City. They will be available in the back of church after the Saturday and Sunday Masses this (12th & 13th) and next (19th & 20th) week, as well as at the Parish Mission on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. The cost is \$20 per shirt. Thank you for supporting the senior class to not only help expecting mothers but to share in the New Evangelization as well!



FALL SOCIAL: St Andrew, Wright, is hosting their Fall Social, Sunday, November 13th from 10:00am-12:00 noon. We will be serving breakfast and plan to have an outdoor fire pit for roasting S’mores treats. For indoor fun, we’ll have a Caramel Apple Creation Station, Bingo and a Candy Bar Walk. Please stop by. Free will donation. Thank you, have a good weekend. Paula Muetting.



WEEKLY ADORATION: The sacrament will be exposed for adoration on Wednesday, November 9, at 9:00 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. Please sign up for an hour to be with Jesus.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: There will be no Religious Education Classes on Wednesday, November 16, 2016, so the youth can attend the Parish Mission. See you there. On the same note all church activities during the week of the Parish Mission should be postponed so that all of us can attend. Thanks.

November 14 - 20 Birthdays

November 14 Ethel Schlereth, Brady Preisner
November 18 Larry Friess, Jane Hubbell, Greg Scheve
November 19 Bree Herrmann
November 20 John Gunkel, Michaela Hubbell, K.C. Preisner