



St. John Parish

FEBRUARY 7 & 8, 2009

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE February 9 - 15

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	No Mass		
Tues.	8:30 a.m. PV	St. Scholastica	Bill Scheve
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV	Our Lady of Lourdes	Jim Knoeber
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV		D of I — Deceased
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV		Henry Schomaker
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat.	5:30 p.m.	6th Sunday Ordinary Time	Parishioners
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	6th Sunday Ordinary Time	Ted, Anna & Bill Bosman

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: Jan. 31 & Feb. 1:
Collection Total — \$3,880.91.

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**UPCOMING PARISH MISSION IN SPEARVILLE —
February 13th - 19th, 2009**

Brendan Case, nationally known Catholic Lay-missionary who has presented throughout the US will be conducting this Mission Week. Brendan, who is a dynamic, insightful bible teacher who moves in the prophetic and healing, has seen 1000's of New Testament-like outpourings of the Holy Spirit ranging from addicts instantly set free to barren woman conceiving to paraplegics walking to ministers converting to the Catholic Church.

A variety of events will be offered for both young and old with a variety of orthodox spiritual experiences from the wide tradition of the Church.

Plan on attending this life-changing Mission!

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WORD WORKING — We are forming word working groups for the Lenten Season and are looking for leaders for three or more groups. If you are interested, please call or email: Renelda Hornung, 385-2996; mshornung@gmail.com
Jolene Eberle, 385-2896; eberle@ucom.net
Stephanie Hornung, 385-2939; ackerman3@hotmail.com

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MISSION TRANSPORTATION — Please be mindful of those who have difficulty getting around. Invite your neighbors to come with you. Contact Renelda Hornung (385-2996), mshornung@gmail.com, if you need to arrange transportation to the parish mission.

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MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 14 & 15

Servers: (Sat.) Emily, Eric & Katelynn Slattery
(Sun.) Mary & Ray Nietling, Kaden Stein

Greeters: (Sat.) Tom & Cindy Hornung
(Sun.) Buckley Baker Family

Lectors: (Sat.) Connie Burkhart
(Sun.) LaWana VanNahmen

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Larry B. & Kenna Ackerman, Larry J. & Nancy Ackerman, Larry Hornung, Mark Strecker
(Sun.) John & Jeanette Gunkel, Rebecca Hornung, Frank Mages, Trisha Offerle, Kevin Stein

Keyboard: (Sat.) Amy Seachris
(Sun.) Judy Nietling

Songleaders: (Sat.) Ross Ackerman
(Sun.) Lorne Benish

Ushers: (Sat.) Ervin Burkhart, Glenn Helfrich
(Sun.) Keith Brack, Ron Hornung

Gifts: (Sat.) Melvin Stein Family
(Sun.) Val Stein Family

Rosary: (Sat.) Matt & Barb Schomaker
(Sun.) Glenn & Pat Torline

Collection: Ginny Werner

Collection Asst.: Vicky Scheve

Sacristans: Gerald & Marceda Schmidt

D OF I — meeting will be Feb. 9, at 7:30 p.m.

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PARISH PANCAKE & SAUSAGE BREAKFAST — will be Sunday, Feb. 8, from 8 a.m. until noon, at the Parish Center.

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CENTENNIAL PARISH SOCIAL — at Wright, will be Sunday, Feb. 15, at St. Andrew's Parish Center. Breakfast — 10 a.m. - noon; Quilt Auction — 11 a.m.; and Bingo — 10:30 - 11 a.m.

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ITV CLASS — THEO 4881 What is happening with Confirmation?

Fr. Frank Coady will teach the Pastoral Ministry Formation course, What is happening with Confirmation, via Interactive Television on four Wednesday evenings, Mar. 4, 11, 25, Apr. 1 from 6-9 p.m. This course will study the history, theology and practice of the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Particular attention will be given to pastoral practice and the traditional order of reception of these sacraments. Please visit www.dcdiocese.org Pastoral Ministry Formation page to find out more information or to fill out an interest form.

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WORD WORKING TRAINING SESSION — You are invited to a Word Working Training Session given over our diocesan ITV system from 7-9 p.m. on February 11. Bishop Gilmore will lead the diocese in Word Working during Lent. Word Working Groups will begin meeting the week of February 22. For more information, visit www.dcdiocese.org.

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RELIGION CLASSES FOR GRADES 9-11 — On February 11, Fr. Ted will be presenting a video course on chastity entitled, "Romance Without Regret" to grades 9-11. In order to cover the material in two class periods, those students will meet from 7-8:30 p.m. these evenings. We encourage parents to make arrangements to pick up any younger siblings at the regular time, however, if that is not possible, those students will be allowed to stay at the grade school until they are picked up at 8:30. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Gleason or Fr. Ted.

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HOSPICE OF THE PRAIRIE — has scheduled a hospice volunteer training for Saturday, Feb. 28, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The training is open to those interested in increasing their knowledge of the grieving process and working with the terminally ill. For more information to enroll, please contact Carolyn Eichman at 620-227-7209.

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE — is now available on the website www.stjohnspearville.com

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February 9 - 15 Birthdays

Feb. 9 Eileen Stegman - Nathan Slattery
Feb. 10 Ann Claussen - Shelly Hines
Feb. 11 Delores Scheve - Melissa Messino
Feb. 12 Karla Hines
Feb. 13 Lawrence Nietling - Shirley Schaller
Feb. 14 Weston Stein - Teaghen Elledge
Feb. 15 John Indiek - Fr. Jack Maes

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 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.

PVV: Mass on Friday at 8:30 a.m.

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

TO RENT THE PARISH CENTER call Ginny Werner, 385-2697 or after 5 p.m., at 385-2272.

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.

