

St. John Parish

June 22 & 23, 2019

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VOCATION VIEWS: Jesus asked, “Why do you not give them something to eat yourselves?” What do you have to offer to the hungry world? (Luke 9:11-17). If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Juan Salas at 620-227-1533 or vocations@dcdiocese.org.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — June 24 - 30

Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	No Mass			
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Florence Hines
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Bernard Schulte
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Mary Norma Schulte
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Cecilia Fremah
Sat.	3:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions	
	4:00 p.m.		Body & Blood of Christ	Elmer Friess Family
Sun.	8:000 a.m.	Church	Body & Blood of Christ	All Parishioners



MINISTERS FOR June 29 & 30

Servers:	(Sat.) Hannah and Jenna Gleason, Aubrey Huston (Sun.) Nathan Bowman, Teaghen Elledge, Alissa Heskamp	Keyboard:	(Sat.) Bryce Ackerman (Sun.) Bryce Ackerman
Greeters:	(Sat.) Kyle Eberle (Sun.) Vern Stein	Songleaders:	(Sat.) Jenny Schmidt (Sun.) Jenny Schmidt
Lectors:	(Sat.) J.T. Horacek (Sun.) Vicki Broz	Ushers:	(Sat.) Rich Gleason, Kevin Rabe (Sun.) Scott Burke, Tom Burke
Eucharistic:	(Sat.) Shirley Moritz, Joyce Rogers, Ross Ackerman, John Stegman, Mark Strecker, Jill Vierthaler (Sun.) Norbert Strecker, LaWana VanNahmen, Steve Hubbell, Mary Benjamin, Levi Benjamin, LynAnn Bowman	Gifts:	(Sat.) Mike Hubbell (Sun.) Craig Bowman
		Rosary Leader:	(Sat.) Carolyn Gleason (Sun.) Levi Benjamin
		Collection:	Amanda Stein
		Collect. Asst.:	Ross Ackerman
		Sacristan:	(Sat.) Dwaine Lampe



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.

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 Cassie Sanko at csanko@ksu.edu.
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.
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 Sandy Ackerman at 385-2857.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: June 15 & 16: \$2,891.50.



UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:
Totus TuusJuly 21 through July 26, 2019
Parish Mission..... November 16, 2019 through November 21, 2019



CONDOLENCES: Fr. John Forkuoh’s mother, Cecilia Fremah, died on June 7 in Ghana at the age of 73. The funeral vigil, Mass and burial will be the weekend of September 28-29. Fr. John will leave the third week of September and will be taking his vacation time as well. Fr. John asks for your prayers for his mother and the family.



ST. JOHN PARISHIONERS: Please take a minute and double check your phone number on the current guild list in the back of church. Due to switching of numbers and eliminating land lines, it has been difficult for guild leaders to reach everyone on their guild list. Please let any Church and Community Affairs committee member know of any changes or make changes on the form in the back of the church. The Church and Community Affairs Committee would like to thank everyone for helping make our parish run smoothly! If you have any questions please contact Trisha Sohm - 620-385-0147 or Gari-Ann Stein - 620-385-2746.



MISSION COOP: Sister Christina Meyer, a Sister of St. Joseph of Concordia, Kansas, will speak to us at the Masses on July 6-7. She will speak on the ministry of their Sisters in Brazil. This is an opportunity for us to become more aware of the mission work of the Sisters of St. Joseph and to learn more about that ministry of the Church. The Church is universal and this is one way to support the Church and its mission in a foreign land. There is no special collection because by your weekly contribution you support the Mission of the Church.



ACTS RETREAT FOR MEN: An ACTS retreat for men will be held November 21-24 at the Heartland Center for Spirituality in Great Bend. Registration forms are on the Diocesan website under “Retreats” or at greatbendcatholic.com. ACTS retreats are active, busy and community-building meant to bring us more fully into our faith and parish life. Many witness that their attendance at an ACTS retreat has been instrumental in changing their lives and leading them to become better friends, parents and spouses. These retreats are for adults of all ages. For more information, contact Paula Brozek at 620-703-8172 or Dan Thompson at 620-797-4685.

WORD OF LIFE: Religious freedom gives us the space to carry out the mission that Jesus has entrusted to the Church. Religious freedom means that Catholics, and all people of goodwill, are free to seek the truth and to live in accordance with that truth, and so to strengthen our common life as a nation. United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.



STEWARDSHIP: June 23, 2019 (Body and Blood of Christ): In today’s Gospel, the disciples suggest that Jesus disperse the crowd so that they might individually seek food and lodging. The miracle of the feeding of the five thousand is Jesus’ powerful reminder that when we share our gifts in His name there is always more than enough!



ENJOY YOUR SUMMER VACATION! Your absence will be felt greatly while you are away on your well-deserved summer vacation. Please don’t forget your weekend contribution. Your support is a blessing to our parish. And while you are away you can make use of our online giving program. For more information contact Tena Gleason or see our website for easy instruction. Thank you



NCYC FUNDRAISER: COW Festival 5K and 1 Mile will be hosted by the NCYC Youth Group this July 13th, 2019. Registration opens at 6:15 a.m., 5K starts at 7:15 and 1 Mile Predict race begins at 8:15. Find registration forms and more info online at <https://stjohnspearville.com> or pick up registration forms at the city office. Thanks for supporting our youth!



ADORATION, ADORATION, ADORATION: Our monthly 12-hour adoration this week starts Sunday immediately following Mass (9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.). Your hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament will repair for evils of the world and bring about peace on earth. Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ — Corpus Christi, we reflect on what a precious gift we have in the Eucharist! God humbled himself to become flesh and blood, and we should be humbled to be able to share in his body and blood through the Eucharist. Let’s give God our prayer and thanksgiving through time in Adoration. “Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Jesus and ready to make reparation for the great evils of the world. Let your adoration never cease.” (Pope John Paul II, *Dominicae Cenae*).

June 24 - 30 Birthdays	
June 24	Kent Schmidt
June 25	Scott Burke, Jarran Dvorak, Bailey Hartman
June 26	Tamra Craft
June 27	Teryn Fagen, Kurt Kirmer
June 28	Ashley Bradley, Kenny Rueb
June 29	Russell Wood, Norbert Linnebur, Logan Sherraden
June 30	Chase Howerton, Emmett Wheaton, Brandon Shipley