

St. John Parish

VOCATION VIEWS: Simeon and Anna both recognize Christ as He appears in their midst, because they have both spent years in prayer to constantly connect with the Father. Time in prayer disposes us to hear His voice (Luke 2:22-40). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at www.dcdiocese.org/vocations

February 1 & 2, 2020		LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — February 3 - 9				
Father John Forkuoh 385-2212 http://www.stjohnspearville.com	Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention	
Coordinator of Ministries Judy Gleason, 385-2881	Mon.		No Mass			
	Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Pete and Anna Mae Ackerman	
	Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Msgr. Norbert Temaat	
	Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Langlois Family	
	Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Joan Indiek	
	Sat.	3:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions		
		4:00 p.m.	Church		All Parishioners	
	Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Church		Larry & Jolene Tasset	



MINISTERS FOR February 8 & 9

Servers:	(Sat.) Jaron and Kerter Lindsay, Kolten Bennett	Keyboard:	(Sat.) Bryce Ackerman
	(Sun.) Mia and Evan Benjamin, Xavier Calvin		(Sun.) Bryce Ackerman
Greeters:	(Sat.) D’Nelle Greenstreet	Songleaders:	(Sat.) Danica Halling / Michaela Hubbell
	(Sun.) Levi Benjamin		(Sun.) Gayla Kirmer
Lectors:	(Sat.) Rich Gleason	Ushers:	(Sat.) Mike Hubbell, Rich Gleason
	(Sun.) Richard Broz		(Sun.) R.J. Meyer, Elliott Nold
Eucharistic:	(Sat.) Ross Ackerman, John Stegman, Jill Vierthaler, Tonya Hubbell, Mike Hubbell, Trisha Sohm	Gifts:	(Sat.) Chris Sohm
	(Sun.) Mary Benjamin, Levi Benjamin, LynAnn Bowman, John Calvin, Norbert Strecker, LaWana VanNahmen		(Sun.) Dan Gleason
		Rosary Leader:	(Sat.) Shirley Stein
			(Sun.) Volunteer
		Collection:	Morgan Konrade
		Collect. Asst.:	Leland Stein
		Sacristan:	(Sat.) Bonnie Laudick
			(Sun.) LynAnn Bowman



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: January 25 & 26: \$3,164.50.



STEWARDSHIP: February 2, 2020 (The Presentation of the Lord)

As Mary and Joseph offered “two turtledoves or two young pigeons” in sacrifice, may each of us offer a sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to our Lord through our time ability and tithe/alms.



PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: The parish Council meets on Thursday, February 6, 2020, at 8:00 p.m. The PC meeting is preceded by Committees Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Thanks



LENT IS HERE: Ash-Wednesday begins on February 26 and schedule for Masses are as follows:

Jetmore.....	7:00 a.m.
Hanston	5:00 p.m.
Spearville.....	7:00 p.m.

Lenten Penance Services

March 29.....	Offerle @ 2:00 p.m.
	Spearville @ 4:00 p.m.
March 30.....	Kinsley @ 7:00 p.m.
April 1	Wright @ 7:00 p.m.



POPE’S MONTHLY INTENTIONS: February 2020: Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father’s request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this month’s intention:

Listen to the Migrants’ Cries

We pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.



QUEST 2020 FOR GIRL AND BOY SCOUTS: QUEST 2020 for all Girl and Boy Scouts who are 11 years old and want to work on their religious emblems will be held Feb. 15 & 16, Sacred Heart Cathedral School, Dodge City. For more information please contact Dave Geist at davegeist.dcks@gmail.com or (620) 430-2123, or go to www.dcdiocese.org/youth for a copy of the brochure and registration form.

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT: EXECUTIVE SECRETARY TO THE BISHOP

The Catholic Diocese of Dodge City is seeking an exceptional individual to serve as the Executive Secretary to the Bishop. Interested party must be highly motivated, a self-starter, service oriented and able to deal with multiple tasks and adhere to detail and deadlines and must maintain confidentiality.

This position will assist in the overall secretarial duties of the office. Candidates must be a practicing Catholic, have at least an Associate’s Degree in Office Technology or General Business with three to five years’ work experience. Proven experience in Microsoft Office products is required.

Interested applicants may submit resumes, references and salary requirements to: Tammy Lampe, Human Resources tlampe@dcdiocese.org by February 28, 2019. Or by mail to: Diocese of Dodge City, TAMMY LAMPE, P.O. Box 137, Dodge City, KS 67801



ESTATE PLANNING AND CHARITABLE GIVING SEMINARS:

Looking for ways to protect yourself or your heirs from unnecessary taxes on the sale of property at your death? Hoping to leave a legacy for your children or favorite charity but don’t know how to get started? Don’t miss one of these FREE educational seminars on Estate Planning and Charitable Giving. Featured speakers will be Tamara L. Davis of Davis & McCann, P. A., a boutique estate planning firm serving all of Western Kansas and Mark Roth, Director of Development for the Catholic Diocese of Dodge City. Topics covered will include Wills, Powers of Attorney, Living Wills, Revocable Trusts, Irrevocable Trusts, and Charitable Giving Trusts. Ample time will be allowed for Question and Answers. Seminars will be hosted at Scott City (St. Joseph’s Parish) February 4, 2020, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m., and Spearville (St. John the Baptist) March 26, 2020, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. These FREE educational seminars are brought to you courtesy of the Catholic Diocese of Dodge City.



CATHEDRAL OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE:

The Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Dodge City is seeking a Social Hall Coordinator. Please email resume to: jlix@dodgecitycathedral.com.

February 3 - 9 Birthdays	
Feb. 3	Janice Hornung, Ben Stegman, Justin Schulte
Feb. 4	Ron Hornung, Kraig Lindsay, Kenny Schulte, Cammack Dvorak
Feb. 6	Edna Schuette, L’Jean Dixon
Feb. 7	Theresa Barnett, LaWana VanNahmen
Feb. 8	Brian Myers
Feb. 9	Eileen Stegman, Nathan Slattery