

VOCATION VIEWS: How do you welcome others into your heart? Are you willing to give of yourself for others? Let your heart lead you to follow Jesus. (Matthew 10: 37-42). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at www.dcdiocese.org/vocations

June 27 & 28, 2020		LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — June 29 - July 5			
Father John Forkuoh 385-2212 http://www.stjohnspearville.com Coordinator of Ministries Judy Gleason, 385-2881	Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention
	Mon.	No Mass			
	Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Nick and Rosaline Schaller
	Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Living and Deceased Members of D of I
	Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Austin and Katie Kropp
	Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Church		George Heskamp
	Sat.	3:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions	
		4:00 p.m.	Church		Leo and Alice Sanko
	Sun.	8:00 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.

June 29 - July 5 Birthdays	
June 29	Russell Wood, Norbert Linnebur, Logan Sherraden
June 30	Chase Howerton, Emmett Wheaton, Brandon Shipley
July 2	Sharon Droste
July 3p	Jeannette Gunkel

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: June 20 & 21: N/A
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CATHOLICS VOTE: A key tenet of Catholic life is faithful citizenship. We ALL have a responsibility to exercise that citizenship by voting. The Kansas Catholic Conference is helping by initiating a statewide nonpartisan voter registration drive. Please go to www.KansasCatholic.org and click the link for VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION. The deadline to register in the important summer primary IS July 14. Please register TODAY and vote your Catholic values.



MASS IS BACK: We resumed public Holy Masses on Wednesday, June 17, 2020, at church at 8:30 a.m.

The number of new coronavirus cases per day has decreased dramatically in Ford County in the last three weeks. After much consulting, pondering, and praying, the bishop believes we can safely resume our liturgical life in the entire diocese now, within the guidelines published on May 20, 2020.

There will be Morning Masses from Tuesday through Friday.

Time for Weekday Masses: 8:30 a.m.

Venue: At Church

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m

Procedure as you come to Church:

Doors will be opened so you will not be touching any of this area

Sanitize your hands upon entering

Follow the usher’s direction for seating on Weekend Masses

Procedure for receiving the Eucharist:

Follow the guidance and direction of the usher.

Remove your face mask before receiving Eucharist

Return your face mask to its position after receiving

Return to the pew

Procedure for leaving Church

Follow the guidance and direction of ushers.

Ushers will be present to assist and will give directions as we come together again.

Please remember that the faithful have been dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass, for the foreseeable future. Those who wish to participate in Mass and receive Holy Communion can do so by attending Mass any day of the week. If you are able to come to a Mass during the week, we appreciate it.

We ask those who are sick and/or vulnerable to stay home during this time, remembering they are dispensed from the Sunday obligation. We will be observing appropriate social distancing and other precautions as required or suggested by public health authorities and the diocese. Please be sure to wear a face mask and plan to distance yourself from other participants. We appreciate you entering from main entrance.

WORD OF LIFE: We often assume parenthood happens easily after ‘I do,’ but for many married couples, it does not. For some, the joy of conception never happens. Others suffer repeated miscarriages. Still others experience secondary infertility: after giving birth to one or more children, they are unable to have another... If you experience difficulty bringing a child into your family, know that you are not alone. God is with you, and his Church desires to walk with you. “USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities “Seven Considerations While Navigating Infertility”



POPE FRANCIS’ JUNE INTENTIONS: 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: Our Families We pray that today’s families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.



PRAYER FOR HEALING VICTIMS OF ABUSE

God of endless love,
ever caring, ever strong,
always present, always just:
You gave your only Son
to save us by the blood of his cross.
Gentle Jesus, shepherd of peace,
join to your own suffering
the pain of all who have been hurt
in body, mind, and spirit
by those who betrayed the trust placed in them.
Hear the cries of our brothers and sisters
who have been gravely harmed,
and the cries of those who love them.
Soothe their restless hearts with hope,
steady their shaken spirits with faith.
Grant them justice for their cause,
enlightened by your truth.
Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts,
heal your people’s wounds
and transform brokenness into wholeness.
Grant us the courage and wisdom,
humility and grace, to act with justice.
Breathe wisdom into our prayers and labors.
Grant that all harmed by abuse may find peace in justice.
We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



JUNE 28, 2020 (13th Sunday in Ordinary Time):
Both the first reading and the Gospel today speak of hospitality and welcome. Our ministers of hospitality are a most visible example of using one’s time and talents to welcome the people of God. But the Gospel assures us that all who give even just “a cup of cold water” to one of His lowliest ones will be rewarded.



WORD OF HOPE: “Do not be afraid, do not yield to fear over coronavirus, be messengers of life in a time of death” (Pope Francis)