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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — November 16 - 22					
Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention	
Mon.	8:30 a.m.	No Mass			
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Bernice Mages	
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Church		LaVera & Ignatius	
				Strecker	
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Gerald Schmidt	
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Church		George Heskamp	
Sat.	3:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions		
	4:00 p.m.	Church		Edna Schuette	
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Church		Rain	



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.



MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS:

11/21/20 Saturday: Drew Hubbell (EMC), Ashley Hubbell (Lector), Rich Gleason (Collection), Lori Burke (Collection Asst.)

11/22/20 Sunday: Mary Schartz (EMC), Kelly Tasset (Lector)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Please wear a mask and sanitize your hands then come forward at the Lamb of God. Receive the host, then remove your mask and consume it. Replace your mask and then sanitize your hands again. (Sanitizer is located on the credence table beside Father at the altar.) Father will then give you the paten with the hosts in it. Give out communion to the north side first, if anyone is seated there. Then proceed to the outer edge of the front step, near the hand sani-

VOCATION VIEWS: “No vocation is born of itself or lives for itself. A vocation flows from the heart of God and blossoms in the good soil of faithful people” (Pope Francis). If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Juan Salas at 620-227-1533 or vocations@dcdiocese.org

SCHEDULE FOR HOLIDAYS, ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SEASON:

December 8, Immaculate Conception, Mass Spearville, Monday, December 7 @ 7:00 p.m.

Penance Service:

There will be no communal type penance service this advent season, but Fr. John will hear confessions from 4 p.m.-5:30 p.m. every Sunday in December except Sunday, December 13, and every Wednesday in December from 7-8 p.m. Father John will hear confessions after each of the weekend Masses in December in Hanston and Jetmore.

Masses:

Thursday, December 245:00 p.m.
Friday, December 259:00 a.m.
Saturday, December 264:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 278:00 p.m.
Thursday, December 315:00 p.m.
Friday, January 1No Mass
Saturday, January 24:00 p.m.
Sunday, January 38:00 a.m.

Schedule for Jetmore and Hanston:

December 8, Jetmore - 6:30 p.m.

December 24, Hanston - 7 p.m. and Jetmore - 9 p.m.

January 1, Hanston - 9:00 a.m.



FORMED: Our Parish just purchased FORMED and below are the sign up instructions:

1. Visit FORMED.org
2. Click Sign Up
3. Select “Sign Up As A Parishioner”
4. Find St. John the Baptist by parish name, address, or zip code
5. Enter your email - and you’re in!

FORMED is a Catholic website where you can get thousands of movies, programs, audios and books to help you grow in understanding your Catholic faith.



MINISTRY LISTS: New Ministry Lists are available in the back of church or online. Since we are not fully open, it just lists one EMC, a lector and collection people. We are down to FOUR families who are willing to lead the rosary before Mass so that will become a volunteer position now. If you would like to lead the rosary, we ask that you begin 30 minutes before Mass so that there is time for some individual reflection and preparation before Mass begins. As always, please find a replacement if you are unable to fulfill your assignment. Thank you to all who have so graciously helped out the past few months.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Parents and students are reminded that masks are required at Religion each Wednesday. Please don’t forget them! Most students are doing a great job and we appreciate your cooperation! New Pfaum packets for Kindergarten, First Grade and those learning at home will be available in the back of church next weekend. Thanks!



STEWARDSHIP: November 15, 2020 (33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time) Good stewards are like the industrious and reliable servants in today’s Gospel, prudently using and multiplying the gifts entrusted to them by God.

ADORATION, ADORATION, ADORATION: “From the Eucharist comes strength to live the Christian life and zeal to share that life with others.” (Pope John Paul II). The Blessed Sacrament is exposed every Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. for adoration. Individuals are encouraged to sign-up for adoration. Please remember to observe the social distancing protocol.



WE ARE STILL NOT IN THE NORMAL TIMES: 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. We ask those who are sick and/or vulnerable to stay home during this time, remembering they are dispensed from the Sunday obligation. Please be sure to wear a face mask and plan to distance yourself from other participants. Experts expect a third spike of COVID cases and emphasized that masks, hand sanitizer and social distancing are still critically important.



EMPLOYMENT: The Diocese of Dodge City, Ks is accepting resumes for the position of CFO. The Chief Financial Officer directs and oversees all financial activities for the organization. Scope of work is the administration of the temporal goods of the diocese, budgeting, and financial reporting in accordance with Canon law.Additional oversight of staff and the administration of employee benefit programs, property and liability insurance, investment programs and accounting assistance to the 48 parishes located in the 28 southwest Kansas counties. This role is mandated by Canon law and is responsible for monthly financial reporting, providing competent analysis of reports and data, and providing counsel to the Bishop on finance related matters.

Position Requirements:

BS Accounting or Business Administration (CPA and/or MBA desired).

Minimum of five years of accounting and finance experience, with at least three years in an administrative role.

Expert level skills and experience in budget planning and analysis.

Ability to successfully manage multiple functions on a day to day basis.

Ability to supervise and collaborate with finance and ministry staff and to develop creative strategies to address budget planning challenges.

Excellent verbal and written communication skills.

Experience/knowledge of Catholic organizations and non-profits preferred.

Must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church.

To request a full job description or to ask questions about this opportunity, please email Tammy Lampe, HR Director at tlampe@dcdiocese.org. To apply, please submit a letter of application, resume and salary history. EOE

November 16 - 22 Birthdays

Nov. 18	Larry Friess, Jane Hubbell, Greg Scheve
Nov. 19	Bree Herrmann, Christopher Sohm
Nov. 20	John Gunkel, Michaela Hubbell, K.C. Preisner
Nov. 21	Angus Snyder