

St. John Parish

VOCATION VIEWS: “Why are you terrified? Why are you lacking in faith?” If God is calling you, don’t let fear stop you. (Mark 4:35-41). If you think God is calling you to be a priest, Call 620-227-1533 or visit vocations@dcdiocese.org

June 19 & 20, 2021
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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — June 21 - 27					
Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention	
Mon.	No Mass				
Tues.	No Mass				
Wed.	No Mass				
Thurs.	No Mass				
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Jim Sanko	
Sat.	3:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions		
	4:00 p.m.	Church		Gerald Schmidt	
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Church		Sylvester & Louise VanNahmen	

MASS AT PARKVIEW: Mass is celebrated at Parkview every Thursday morning at 8:30 a.m. It is still not opened to the public.



MINISTERS FOR June 26 and 27

Collection: Phil Knoeber	Lector: (Sat.) Audrey Ackerman
Collect. Asst: Jan Rabe	(Sun.) LaWana VanNahmen
Sacristan: (Sat.) Kevin Stein	Eucharistic: (Sat.) Mark Strecker
(Sun.) Mary Benjamin	(Sun.) Kevin Stein
Servers: (Sat.) Mackenzie and Brady	Musician: (Sat.) Julie Knoeber
Priesner, Jenna Gleason	(Sun.) Julie Knoeber
(Sun.) Andrew, Nathan and Clare	Song Leader: (Sat.) Jenny Schmidt
Bowman	(Sun.) Jenny Schmidt



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: June 20, 2021:12th Sunday in Ordinary Time: St. Paul reminds us in the second reading that Christ died “so that those who live might live no longer for themselves.”
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MASS TIME CHANGES IN JULY: Beginning from the weekend of July 3-4, 2021, Mass times changes for our three parishes of Spearville, Jetmore and Hanston.
Saturdays..... 4:00 p.m..... Jetmore/Hanston
Saturdays..... 6:30 p.m..... Spearville
Sundays 8:00 a.m..... Spearville
Sundays 10:30 a.m..... Jetmore/Hanston
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UPCOMING PARISH EVENT:
Totus Tuus July 25th –July 30th
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HAPPY FATHER’S DAY: On Father’s Day weekend, please join us in offering a spiritual bouquet to St. Joseph. As we celebrate the gift of fathers and honor St. Joseph, we also recognize that Father’s Day can be a difficult holiday for many. We hope this spiritual bouquet provides an opportunity to pray for the intentions brought to your heart by the occasion.
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THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH: This weekend, we welcome and thank Sr. Catherine Therese and the Bowman family as they talk to us about St Joseph. Pope Francis, in his new Apostolic Letter entitled Patris corde (“With a Father’s Heart) describes Saint Joseph as a beloved father, a tender and loving father, an obedient father, an accepting father; a father who is creatively courageous, a working father, and a father in the shadows.
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CEMETARY MOWING SCHEDULE:
Wednesday, June 30th
Wednesday, July 14th
Wednesday, July 28th
Wednesday, August 11th
Wednesday, August 25th
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June 21 - 27 Birthdays	
June 22	Kendra Meyer
June 24	Kent Schmidt
June 25	Scott Burke, Jarran Dvorak, Bailey Hartman
June 26	Tamra Craft
June 27	Teryn Fagen, Kurt Kirmer

TODAY IS WORLD REFUGEE DAY: Today, we pause and remember the 25 million people who have had to flee their countries in search of safety for their families. According to the 1951 Refugee Convention, a refugee is one who “owing to a well-founded fear of being persecuted for reasons of race, religion, nationality, membership of a particular social group or political opinion, is outside the country of his nationality, and is unable to, or owing to such fear, is unwilling to avail himself of the protection of that country.” The Catholic Church has for decades taken seriously the plight of these vulnerable refugees and through advocacy, education efforts, and service provision sought to provide increased protections for them. Visit www.Justiceforimmigrants.org to learn how you can assist the Church in this effort.
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SEMINARIAN’S SUMMER PROGRAM:
John Stang: June and July at St. Mary, Garden City (Diaconate Ordination June 19th, 10:00 am at COLG!)
Adam Urban: May 17-June 16 retreat; July at Sacred Heart, Larned and St. Bernard, Belpre
Esteban Hernandez: Totus Tuus Missionary
Josh Becker: May 17-June 16 retreat: July at Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Dodge City
Carson Haupt: June 1-25 Kenrick Seminary summer program; July at St. Anthony, Fowler, St. John the Baptist, Meade, and St. Patrick, Plains
Jonathan Lemus: Prayer and Action Missionary.
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KANSAS ROSARY CRUSADE: All Kansas Diocese have been asked by our State’s Bishops, including Bishop Brungardt, to join the Kansas Rosary Crusade. Each Thursday, we are asked to pray the Rosary for the passage of pro-life legislation here in Kansas. Thursday is the day when we normally pray the Luminous Mysteries, however the Kansas Rosary Crusade offers the “Mysteries of Life in the Womb” for your Thursday Rosary. You can log on to: <https://kansasrosarycrusade.org/> to get all of the information.

It was decided to move our Sunday Rosary Devotion (via Zoom Meeting) to Thursday’s at 8 p.m., in order to participate in this crusade. As usual, you will receive a Zoom Meeting invitation sometime on Thursday and participants can click on the meeting link to join at 8:00 p.m. If you have any questions or problems signing on, please don’t hesitate to contact Tom or Lisa Ridder at 620-874-0447 or 620-874-8599.

Everyone is encouraged to register your individual name or family name and commit to this devotion even if you can’t join on Thursdays via Zoom Meeting.
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