

VOCATION VIEWS: Through the power of the Spirit Jesus proclaimed his mission. How are you carrying on that mission today? Ponder the possibility of being a priest or sister. (Luke 1:1, 4:14-21). Contact Frs. Wesley and Juan Salas vocations@dcdiocese.org or 620-227-1533.

January 22 & 23, 2022

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — January 24 - 30					
Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention	
Mon.	No Mass				
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Ron Hornung	
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Wm. & Helen Temaat	
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Jack & Trisha Burke	
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Deceased & Living Members of D of I	
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions		
Sat.	6:30 p.m.	Church		Verl Shean	
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Church		Jim Sanko	



MINISTERS FOR January 29 & 30

Collection:	Kaden Stein	Eucharistic:	(Sat.) Jill Heeke
Collect. Asst:	Kevin Rabe		(Sun.) Levi Benjamin
Sacristan:	(Sat.) Theresa Konrade	Musician:	(Sat.) Jenny Schmidt
	(Sun.) Phil Gleason		(Sun.) Jenny Schmidt
Servers:	(Sat.) Hallie, Cheyanne and Faith Ackerman	Song Leader:	(Sat.)
	(Sun.) Mia and Evan Benjamin, Quentin Tasset		(Sun.)
Lector:	(Sat.) J.T. Horacek	Ushers:	(Sat.) Kevin Rabe, Rich Gleason
	(Sun.) Kelly Tasset		(Sun.) Phil Gleason, Ron Temaat
		Gifts:	(Sat.) T.J. Ackerman
			(Sun.) Craig 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: January 23, 2022 (3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time) The US bishops’ pastoral on stewardship reinforces today’s reading from I Corinthians: “Because its individual members do collectively make up the Body of Christ, that body’s health and well-being are the responsibility of the members – the personal responsibility of each one of us. We all are stewards of the Church.”



OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: Offertory Envelopes are available at the back of church. You can pick them up at your earliest convenience.



THANK YOU: A big Thank You to all those who helped set up and took down the Christmas crib and décor. Many hands, willing hearts (and strong backs) make the job go quickly! Special shout out to the high school religion class for their help and the ladies on the liturgy commission for graciously lending their time and talents!



UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS:

February 20 Pancake & Sausage Breakfast
March 2..... Ash Wednesday
March 20..... Penance Service
April 17 Easter Sunday



FAITH FORMATION: Faith formation meets every third Sunday of each month to discuss a topic of faith or watch a video and discuss the content. Eucharistic adoration is held from 9:00 a.m. -9:00 p.m. on the same day. We are all invited to take part in the meeting and adoration. The dates are: January 23, February 20, March 20, April 24, and May 15.



FORGOT ABOUT FORMED? Don’t forget about our parish subscription to Formed and all the streaming and listening opportunities you have to learn more about the Church and our faith. With Lent around the corner, it may be good to browse some options to dive deeper into your faith!



UPCOMING DIOCESAN EVENTS:

February 24, 2022Pre-Lenten Day of Recollection
March 6, 2022..... Rite of Election
April 7 or 12..... Chrism Mass
April 25-27, 2022..... Priests Spring Assembly



FAITH FORMATION INVITES YOU: Join us for Faith Formation on Sunday, January 23, after the 8 a.m. Mass. We are learning about The Creed through Bishop Robert Barron’s teachings! All are welcome for a pot-luck brunch and video and discussion.

We will have 12 extra hours of Adoration as well that day, from 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. We’re all in need of some extra prayer right now, so please stop in or commit to an hour.



RESPECT: Respect for the Dignity of persons is a Principle of Catholic Social Teaching and one ignored by traffickers who treat persons as commodities. Join us in abolishing this horrific crime. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking is a 501c (3) organization, 2039 N Geyer Road, St. Louis, MO 63131 (sistersagainsttrafficking.org)



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 Thursdays 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.



January 24 - 30 Birthdays	
Jan. 24	Scott Ackerman
Jan. 25	Wendy Sanko, Jakob Benjamin
Jan. 26	Ehlaina Hartman, Wesley Gleason
Jan. 27	Quinn Ackerman
Jan. 28	Virginia Ryan, Clyde Schmidt
Jan. 29	Denny Schawe
Jan. 30	Sue Ann Hampton, Rita Stein