

February 19 & 20, 2022

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — February 21 - 27					
Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention	
Mon.	No Mass				
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Pete & Anna Mae Ackerman	
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Sylvester & Louise VanNahmen	
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		LaVera Strecker	
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Bernice Mages	
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions		
Sat.	6:30 p.m.	Church		Mary Norma Schulte	
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Church		All Parishioners	



MINISTERS FOR February 26 & 27

Collection:	T.J. Ackerman	Eucharistic:	(Sat.) Ross Ackerman
Collect. Asst:	Ross Ackerman		(Sun.) Frank Mages
Sacristan:	(Sat.) Father John	Musician:	(Sat.) Julie Knoeber
	(Sun.) Father John		(Sun.) Julie Knoeber
Servers:	(Sat.) Brady and MacKenzie Preisner, Thomas Able	Song Leader:	(Sat.)
	(Sun.) Isabel, Clare and Madeline Bowman		(Sun.)
Lector:	(Sat.) Audrey Ackerman	Ushers:	(Sat.) Mike Hubbell Cory Ackerman
	(Sun.) Kelly Tasset		(Sun.) R.J. Meyer, Elliott Nold
		Gifts:	(Sat.) T.J. Ackerman
			(Sun.) R.J. Meyer



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.

VOCATIONAL VIEWS: Are you listening to Jesus, the Chosen One? What is he revealing to you? Let his message dwell in your heart. Are you considering a vocation to the priesthood? Contact Frs. Wesley and Juan Salas vocations@dcdiocese.org or 620-227-1533.

STEWARDSHIP: February 20, 2022 (7th Sunday in Ordinary Time) Today’s Gospel has encouraging words for good stewards – “Give and it shall be given to you. For the measure you measure with will be measured back to you.” What encouragement to give generously of the resources entrusted to our care!



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!



ASH-WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE (March 2nd):
7:00 a.m.Jetmore
5:00 p.m.Hanston
7:00 p.m.Spearville

NOTE: Mass is scheduled at 4:00 p.m., on Saturday, March 26, 2022, due to Prom.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST: Treat your family and yourself to our delicious pancake and sausage breakfast immediately following Mass on Sunday February 20, 2020 in the Parish Hall.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS: During Lent we are called by the church to repentance and sacrifice. We are also encouraged to be more prayerful. One of the traditional prayers the church encourages us to pray during lent is the Stations of the Cross.

To help all of us take part in this great spiritual exercise we are calling on all the groups in our parish community to lead one Friday prayer of the Stations of the Cross.

March 4.....Friday after Ash Wednesday
Fr. John
March 11..... Knight of Columbus
March 18..... Daughters of Isabella
March 25.....Faith Formation
April 1 Parish Council and Committee Members
April 8 High School and their teachers



PANDEMIC HELP: Catholic Charities staff members want to help if you are in need as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Call our helpline at 620-272-0010 or send us an email at COVID19help@CatholicCharities-SWKS.org. We can help with food assistance, non-food pantry items, tracking down your stimulus check, health insurance paperwork, basic taxes, housing, counseling and other basic living needs.



AN HOUR ADORATION WITH JESUS HELPS: Eucharistic adoration is one of the powerful means to help us get in touch with our inner selves and grow in love for Jesus. This one hour period to “watch and wait”, to remain “silent” in the Eucharist presence of Christ opens us up to the many Graces which flow from the Eucharist.

Your time spent with Jesus in adoration can be the most profound, meaningful, joyful, and peaceful and healing experience you could ever encounter.

Sign-up for adoration every Wednesday or pay a visit to Jesus every Wednesday at church. May our adoration never cease!!!



LENTEN REMINDERS—FAST & ABSTINENCE: Ash Wednesday, March 2, and Good Friday, April 15, are days of abstinence from meat and also days of fast, that is, limited to a single full meal. The other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years and older. The law of fasting binds all Catholics from their 18th birthday until their 59th birthday.



PRAYING WITH POPE FRANCIS: 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 intention each month. The intention for March: A Christian Response to Bioethical Challenges. We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

February 21 - 27 Birthdays	
Feb. 21	Ann Schawe, Melissa Barnett, Ted Minnis, Bob Peintner
Feb. 22	Mason Hubbell
Feb. 23	Tony Trenkamp, Dawson Huston
Feb. 24	Caleb Rich, Greg Werner
Feb. 26	Whitney Gleason, Lindsay Heskamp, Norbert Strecker
Feb. 28	Dorothy Trenkamp, Kelly Tasset, Mason Maud
Feb. 29	Shawn Stein