

2023 - JANUARY 28TH & 29TH

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

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Meetings - 1st Thursdays @ 8 PM



DofI Meetings
2nd Mondays
7:00 PM
Oak Room



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ST. LEONARD'S COUNCIL #1539

KofC Meetings
1st Mondays
7:45 PM Rosary
Meeting Follows



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**We thank Fr. Ted Skalsky for celebrating our masses this weekend.
We will welcome Fr. Bob Schremmer the next 2 weekends.*

MASS MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 4TH & 5TH		
Collection: LaWana VanNahmen		Collection Asst: Ross Ackerman
	SATURDAY - 6:30 PM	SUNDAY - 8:00 AM
Sacristans:	Jenny Schmidt	LynAnn Bowman
Servers:	AJ Herrmann, Caleb Herrmann, Erika Fry	Quentin Tasset, Andrew Bowman, Isabel Bowman
Lectors:	Ashley Hubbell	Kelly Tasset
Eucharistic Ministers:	Ross Ackerman, Jolene Tasset, Larry Tasset	LaWana VanNahmen, Mary Schartz, Mary Benjamin
Musician:	Kiley Myers	Kiley Myers
Song Leader:	Jenny Schmidt	Jenny Schmidt
Ushers:	Brian Myers, Rod Durler	Elliott Nold, Phil Gleason
Gifts:	Drew Hubbell Family	Craig Bowman Family

If you'd like to get more involved in the mass, please contact Jenny Schmidt to see where you'd like to contribute your time and talent. The liturgy takes all of us. 

Vocation Views: Jesus shares with us the great commands of the Beatitudes as He seeks to bless us in our faith.
-- If you're discerning the priesthood, contact **Fr. Wesley Schawe** at vocations@dcdiocese.org or **620-227-1533**--

Parish News & Events

EMERGENCY CONTACTS: While Fr. John is in Ghana, if there are any emergencies in which a priest is needed, please contact Fr. Ted Stoecklein at 620-227-3363 or Jenny Schmidt at 620-357-4198. If the emergency is time-sensitive and after hours, please call the Cathedral's emergency line at 620-471-2040.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:
Blessed are they who are what they are and do what they do for the sake of the kingdom! The Gospel today assures good stewards that their suffering and their service on behalf of the Kingdom will be rewarded.

TITHING REPORT for JAN. 21st & 22nd
Church Collection: \$1654.75
Online Contributions: \$1070.00

TEACHERS NEEDED: If you have any interest in teaching a religious education class next year, please contact Jenny Schmidt or Judy Gleason. We will be looking to fill a few spots.

SOUND SYSTEM: We are aware that the sound system in church is progressively getting worse. We are working with McClelland Sound for solutions, as we believe lightning damage may be the culprit.



We pray for the following students receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation soon: Faith Ackerman, Mia Benjamin, Andrew Bowman, Xavier Calvin, Austin Hornung, Michaela Hubbell, and Aydin Ruiz.

All-powerful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, by water and the Holy Spirit you freed your sons and daughters from sin and gave them new life. Send your Holy Spirit upon them to be their Helper and Guide. Give them the spirit of wisdom & understanding, the spirit of right judgment & courage, the spirit of knowledge & reverence. Fill them with the spirit of wonder and awe in your presence. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Please make note of these upcoming events!
FEBRUARY 12th: *Annual Pancake Breakfast 8-11 AM*
FEBRUARY 11th: *Confirmation Mass @ 10 AM*
FEBRUARY 22nd: *Ash Wednesday Mass @ 7 PM*
FRIDAYS IN LENT: *Stations of the Cross @ 7 PM*

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, February 12th
8 am - 11 am

All Are Welcome!



FORMED:

Don't forget about our parish subscription to Formed! This app has amazing Catholic content for all ages. As we gear up for Lent, it would be a great time to log in and peruse the content for a way to increase your prayer life during the penitential season. It would also be a great resource for families this coming Wednesday, Feb. 1st since there's no religion.

Diocesan News & Events

SUMMER MISSIONS NEED LEADERS:

If you know a college student looking for a summer-time gig, the Diocese is looking for team leaders for Camp Cristo Rey, Prayer & Action, and Totus Tuus. Training and compensation are provided for a summer of fun and impacting the lives of the youth in our diocese. Any interested individuals should contact Gentry Heimerman at (620)227-1550 or go to www.dcdiocese.org/employment-opportunities to fill out an application.

January 30 - February 5 Birthdays	
Jan. 30	Sue Ann Hampton, Rita Stein
Jan. 31	Spencer Eberle
Feb. 1	Shawn Stein
Feb. 2	Debbie Schmidt, Alan Halling, Cory Ackerman
Feb. 3	Ben Stegman, Justin Schulte
Feb. 4	Kraig Lindsay, Kenny Schulte, Cammack Dvorak

