

# St. John Parish

June 29 & 30, 2019

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<http://www.stjohnspearville.com>

Coordinator of Ministries  
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| Day    | Time      | Location | Celebration | Intention            |
|--------|-----------|----------|-------------|----------------------|
| Mon.   | No Mass   |          |             |                      |
| Tues.  | 8:30 a.m. | Parkview |             | Ed Durler            |
| Wed.   | 8:30 a.m. | Parkview |             | Willard & Ann Brack  |
| Thurs. | 8:30 a.m. | Parkview |             | Austin & Katie Kropp |
| Fri.   | 8:30 a.m. | Parkview |             | Jim Halling          |
| Sat.   | 3:00 p.m. | Church   | Confessions |                      |
|        | 4:00 p.m. |          |             | Gil Ackerman         |
| Sun.   | 8:00 a.m. | Church   |             | All Parishioners     |

**VOCATION VIEWS:** Will you choose to follow Jesus wherever he goes? To say "yes" without hesitation requires great trust. The reign of God needs servants to trust. (Luke 9:51-64). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at [www.dcdioocese.org/vocations](http://www.dcdioocese.org/vocations).

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — July 1 -7



### MINISTERS FOR July 6 - 7

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| <b>Servers:</b> (Sat.) Danica Halling, Mackenzie Preisner<br>(Sun.) Brooklyn and Gavin Schneweis, Ayden Ruiz  | <b>Keyboard:</b> (Sat.) Kiley Myers<br>(Sun.) Kiley Myers                              |
| <b>Greeters:</b> (Sat.) Butch Fagen<br>(Sun.) Shawn Tasset  | <b>Songleaders:</b> (Sat.) Gayla Kirmer<br>(Sun.) Janel Calvin                         |
| <b>Lectors:</b> (Sat.) John Stegman<br>(Sun.) Ashley Hubbell  | <b>Ushers:</b> (Sat.) Bernie Stegman, Kelly Stein<br>(Sun.) John Gunkel, Glen Helfrich |
| <b>Eucharistic:</b> (Sat.) Larry Tasset, Jolene Tasset, Tonya Hubbell, Mike Hubbell, Jill Heeke, Kenna Ackerman<br>(Sun.) John Calvin, Lori Burke, Connie Heskamp, Mary Schartz, Frank Mages, Larry Schmidt | <b>Gifts:</b> (Sat.) Cory Ackerman<br>(Sun.) Keith Brock                               |
|   | <b>Rosary Leader:</b> (Sat.) Shirley Stein<br>(Sun.) Volunteer                         |
|   | <b>Collection:</b> Rich Gleason  |
|   | <b>Collect. Asst.:</b> Kevin Stein   |
|   | <b>Sacristan:</b> (Sat.) Kevin Stein   |



**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](mailto: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](mailto:jeanettegunkel63@gmail.com) or 385-2799; or Cassie Sanko at [csanko@ksu.edu](mailto: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 OF TREASURES:** June 22 & 23: \$12,093.05.



### UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Totus Tuus ..... July 21 through July 26, 2019  
Parish Mission ..... November 16, 2019  
through November 21, 2019



**CONDOLENCES:** Fr. John Forkuoh's mother, Cecilia Fremah, died on June 7 in Ghana at the age of 73. The funeral vigil, Mass and burial will be the weekend of September 28-29. Fr. John will leave the third week of September and will be taking his vacation time as well. Fr. John asks for your prayers for his mother and the family.



**ST. JOHN PARISHIONERS:** Please take a minute and double check your phone number on the current guild list in the back of church. Due to switching of numbers and eliminating land lines, it has been difficult for guild leaders to reach everyone on their guild list. Please let any Church and Community Affairs committee member know of any changes or make changes on the form in the back of the church. The Church and Community Affairs Committee would like to thank everyone for helping make our parish run smoothly! If you have any questions please contact Trisha Sohm - 620-385-0147 or Gari-Ann Stein - 620-385-2746.



**ACTS RETREAT FOR MEN:** An ACTS retreat for men will be held November 21-24 at the Heartland Center for Spirituality in Great Bend. Registration forms are on the Diocesan website under "Retreats" or at [greatbendcatholic.com](http://greatbendcatholic.com). ACTS retreats are active, busy and community-building meant to bring us more fully into our faith and parish life. Many witness that their attendance at an ACTS retreat has been instrumental in changing their lives and leading them to become better friends, parents and spouses. These retreats are for adults of all ages. For more information, contact Paula Brozek at 620-703-8172 or Dan Thompson at 620-797-4685.



**THANK YOU:** The Daughters of Isabella wish to thank everyone who donated rosaries. We collected 164 rosaries. Rosaries will be given out world-wide by a mission group.

**COW FESTIVAL:** 5K and 1 Mile will be hosted by the NCYC Youth Group this July 13, 2019. Registration opens at 6:15 a.m., 5K starts at 7:15 and 1 Mile Predict race begins at 8:15. Find registration forms and more info online at <https://stjohnspearville.com> or pick up registration forms at the city office. Thanks for supporting our youth!



**ENJOY YOUR SUMMER VACATION!** Your absence will be felt greatly while you are away on your well-deserved summer vacation. Please don't forget your weekend contribution. Your support is a blessing to our parish. And while you are away you can make use of our online giving program. For more information contact Tena Gleason or see our website for easy instruction. Thank you



**WORD OF LIFE:** The purpose of freedom is that we might be servants of one another. Life in the Spirit is always oriented toward love and service for others." United States Conference of Catholic Bishops



**STEWARDSHIP:** 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time: In today's second reading, St. Paul provides a wonderful one-sentence summary of Christian stewardship: "Out of love, place yourselves at one another's service."

**THE POPE'S INTENTION FOR JULY:** 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. Let's join the Pope to pray in the month of July for:  
The Integrity of Justice: That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

### July 1 -7 Birthdays

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|--------|-------------------------------|
| July 2 | Sharon Droste                 |
| July 3 | Jeanette Gunkel               |
| July 4 | Kathy Knoeber                 |
| July 6 | Julie Knoeber                 |
| July 7 | Amanda Bittel, Wyatt Strecker |