



APRIL 9 & 10, 2016

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VOCATIONAL VIEWS: Jesus asks us, “Do you love me?” Show your love for Jesus in the way that you live. (John 21:1-19) If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Wesley Schawe at 620-227-1533 or vocations@dcdiocese.org.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — April 11 - 17

Day	Time	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	No Mass		
Tues.	8:30 a.m. PV		Carol Hernandez
Wed.	8:30 a.m. PV		Sydney Tann
Thurs.	8:30 a.m. PV		Charlotte Hines
Fri.	8:30 a.m. PV		Bernard Schulte
Sat.	4:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	5:30 p.m.		Parishioners
Sun.	9:30 a.m.		Pat & Melvin Habiger (Thanksgiving)

SCHUDULE April 10 Mass

1st Holy Communion for 2nd graders 9:30 a.m. Mass



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.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: Claire Albert, 620-561-1339.

HOMEBOUND: Call the pastor if you would like to receive Holy Communion on Thursday mornings.

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 jeanettgunkel63@gmail.com or 385-2799; or Berna Mae Stegman at 385-2810.

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.

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 Lyza Frasco at 316-371-5678 or elizabethfrasco@aol.com.



MINISTERS FOR — APRIL 16 & 17

Servers: (Sat.) Ethan Halling, Karson Halling
(Sun.) Catherine Bowman, Nathan Bowman

Greeters: (Sat.) Lynnette Hessman
(Sun.) Deb Rodda

Lectors: (Sat.) Cindy Hubbell
(Sun.) Vicki Broz

Eucharistic: (Sat.) Larry B. Ackerman, Kenna Ackerman, Jill Vierthaler, Phil Gleason, Lynnette Hessman, Steve Hubbell
(Sun.) LynAnn Bowman, Lori Burke, LaWana VanNahmen, Tony Frasco, Toni Aistrup, Mary Benjamin

Keyboard: (Sat.) Bryce Ackerman
(Sun.) Gayla Kirmer

Songleaders: (Sat.) Melanie Bryan
(Sun.) Lorne Benish

Ushers: (Sat.) Kevin Rabe, Bernie Stegman
(Sun.) LeRoy Mages, Shawn Rich

Gifts: (Sat.) Renelda Hornung
(Sun.) Melvin Habiger

Rosary: (Sat.) Shirley Stein
(Sun.) Charles Kissling

Collection: Greg Werner

Collect. Asst.: Lynnette Hessman

Sacristan: Kevin Stein

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: April 2 and 3:
Collection Total — \$5,118.03; Building Projects Fund: \$16,450.04.



TECHNICAL POSITION: Divine Mercy Radio in Hays, Kansas, seeks a full-time Technical Engineer to perform all technical aspects of running a radio station. For a complete job description email donetta@dvmrcy.com. To apply, send a resume, including references, to: Donetta Robben, Executive Director, 108 E. 12th St., Hays, KS 67601.



CONGRATULATIONS: To our dear kids who are making their 1st Communion on Sunday, April 10, 2016. We are grateful to their PSR teachers for preparing them. And we are also thankful to their parents for being excellent 1st teacher of their children. As a Church Community, let us support, mentor and pray for these children and their parents as they receive their first communion today and beyond.

The list of our kids and their parents:

Cheyenne Ackerman	Cory & Audrey Ackerman
Emma Ackerman	Scott & Heidi Ackerman
Damaris Alcala	Miguel & Adelina Alcala
Isabel Bowman	Craig & LynAnn Bowman
Karlee Evans	Jason & Heather Evans
Aubrey Huston	Matt & Erin Huston
Cheyenne Jones	Sarah Jones
Makenzie Preisner	K C & Kayla Preisner
Layson Wheaton	Jacob & Ashley Wheaton
Dereck Alcala	Miguel & Adelina Alcala



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: The Spearville KofC now has two scholarships up for grabs. If you will be enrolled as a full-time college student for the 2016-2017 school year, and are a member or the son/daughter of a member of Council #1539, please apply! All applicants need a 3.0 GPA, while priority will be given to those with church and community involvement. High school seniors and current college students who meet the requirements are encouraged to apply. Please check the Spearville KofC Facebook Page or ask Riley Schmidt for more details.

April Knight of the Month: Marcus Schmidt

April Family of the Month: Scott & Dawn Burke Family
Want to Join the Knights? The Spearville K of C will be

April 11 - 17 Birthdays

April 12	Elizabeth Ackerman - Lindsay Dvorak
April 13	Bob Hattrup - Dana Rich
April 15	Steve Hubbell
April 16	Tom Hornung
April 17	Naomi Tenbrink - Natalie Tenbrink - Marcella Griffin

hosting a Major Degree this Sunday, April 10th, starting at 11 a.m. Any Catholic male over the age of 18 is eligible to join. Please contact Riley Schmidt, 620-385-0203, for more details.



THINKING ABOUT ADOPTING? Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas is hosting an Open Adoption Workshop on Saturday, April 16, 2016 in Dodge City, Kansas from 9:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m. This workshop is tailored towards couples who are ready to take the next step towards adopting a child. The workshop will address fears of adopting and prepare the couples for their adoption journey. The cost for the workshop is \$500 which is applied toward your adoption expenses. Lunch is included. Preregistration is required. Please contact Lori Titsworth at 620-792-1393 for additional information.



GOLFING: The Second Annual Dechant Foundation Golf Tournament benefiting the retired Priests of the Catholic Diocese of Dodge City will be held Friday, June 24, 2016, at The Golf Club at Southwind, 77 Grandview Dr., Garden City, KS. The day will begin with registration at 11 a.m. with a 12 noon box lunch provided at the clubhouse, 1 p.m. shotgun start golf tourney, followed by 6 p.m. banquet. For more information, contact Mark Roth at: mroth@dcdiocese.org . 620-227-1535. \$500 for four-person team. Cost includes green fees, cart rental, lunch, banquet and hole prizes. All parishes in the diocese are challenged to enter a team for this fun and rewarding event!



PARISH SOCIAL: Saint Andrew Parish in Wright will be having their Parish Social on April 24, 2016. Everyone is invited to attend. Serving from 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. The menu is ham and cheesy potatoes, vegetable, salads and cakes. There will be fun and games for the kids. There is a “racing” theme for the social. There will be race cars belonging to local drivers on display that the kids will be able to have their pictures taken in or by, so bring your cameras and take advantage of this photo op.



BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism was celebrated for Passion Lynn Bittel on March 26, 2016, Mason Dean Hubbell and Landree Jade Hubbell on April 3, 2016. We welcome them into our faith Community. And we thank Amanda Bittel and family, Jeff and Uriah Hubbell, and Andrew and Ashley Hubbell for the gifts of their children.



DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA: Meeting April 11, at 7:30 a.m.