



St. John Parish

March 19 & 20, 2022

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VOCATION VIEW: Moses heard God's call from a burning bush. What is your passion, your burning bush? Take time to know what God is sending you to do and be. (Exodus: 3:18, 13-15)

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — March 21 - 27

Day	Time	Location	Celebration	Intention
Mon.	No Mass			
Tues.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Ron Hornung
Wed.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Odilia Herrman
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	Parkview		Janice Hornung
Fri.	8:30 a.m.	Church		Agnes Rabe
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	Church	Confessions	
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Church		All Parishioners
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Church		Gaylord Moritz



MINISTERS FOR March 26 & 27

Collection: J.T. Horacek	Eucharistic: (Sat.) Jill Heeke
Collect. Asst: Elliott Nold	(Sun.) Drew Hubbell
Sacristan: (Sat.) Fr. John	Musician: (Sat.) Julie Knoeber
(Sun.) Fr. John	(Sun.) Julie Knoeber
Servers: (Sat.) Cooper Thompson, Kolten Ben-nett	Song Leader: (Sat.) Janell Calvin
(Sun.) Anna Stein, J.J. Chapman	(Sun.) Janell Calvin
Lector: (Sat.) CindyHubbell	Ushers: (Sat.) Cory Ackerman, Rod Durler
(Sun.) LaWana VanNahmen	(Sun.) Elliott Nold, Dennis Schawe
	Gifts: (Sat.) KC Preisner
	(Sun.) Shawn Tasset



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: March 13, 2022 (2nd Sunday of Lent) Peter, James and John wanted to build a "booth" for Jesus and just stay on the mountain where His transfiguration took place. But the Son of God, the Chosen One, knew that He must instead keep moving toward His Crucifixion. We, too, must rise from worship and do what we can to hasten the coming of the Kingdom.

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturday, March 26, 2022, Mass time changes to 4 p.m., due to Prom.

Fish Fry by K of C..... April 1, 2022

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS SCHEDULE FOR VARIOUS GROUPS, 7 p.m.:

March 25..... Faith Formation

April 1..... Parish Council and Committee Members

April 8..... High School and their teachers

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NEW HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

Holy Thursday Spearville @ 7:00 p.m.

Holy Friday..... Spearville @ 5:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday Spearville @ 8:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday Spearville @ 8:00 a.m.

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PENANCE SERVICES:

Sunday, April 3 Offerle @ 2:00 p.m.
Spearville @ 4:00 p.m.

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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 April: Health Care Workers: We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

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UPCOMING DIOCESAN EVENTS:

March 6..... Rite of Election

April 12..... Chrism Mass

April 25-27..... Priests Spring Assembly

June 11 Deacon John Stang's Priest Ordination

June 19-24 Priests Retreat

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FEBRUARY FINANCIALS:

Income.....\$22,860.74

Expenses\$17,698.24

Net.....\$5,162.50

FAITH FORMATION - MARCH 20TH: ALL parishioners are welcome to join our monthly gatherings for Faith Formation. We meet again after Mass on Sunday, March 20, at 9 a.m. We'll begin with a potluck brunch and continue learning about the Creed. 12-Hour Adoration will also coincide, so please sign up to spend an extra hour in prayer with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Thank you!

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SEARCHING FOR THE MARY STATUE: The Faith Formation committee has lost track of where the Mary statue and the rosary challenge has gone. There are so many prayer needs in our community and in our world during this time, so we just want to ensure that the challenge is still going and the statue is still traveling. If you have Mary, or have passed her on recently, please let us know so we can track her down! Thanks!

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SYNOD OF SYNODALITY:

Dear Cherish Parishioners, We are called by Pope Francis to participate in the Synod of Synodality, a process concentrated on listening to the needs of all people and finding ways in which the Catholic Church can meet those needs. The Lenten season seems to be a wonderful time to look at our church, our experience of church, and ways that our church can help us to live our faith even better.

The Pastoral Council is planning local opportunities to participate. Synod discussion questions will be mailed to all Parishioners for you to do at home or with friends. Meanwhile these questions will be discussed in groups like D of I, K of C, religion classes, Faith Formation, and residents at Parkview. If you answer the questions as individuals or family record your responses and either mail them to the church, or place them in the drop box at the back of church by Sunday, April 3rd. Feel free to also add pages as necessary or to type responses. No response is too lengthy. We thank you in advance for your participation. We look forward to these responses helping us improve our individual parish ministry, as well as helping the universal Church in this mission.

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ST. MARY'S 2ND ANNUAL LUNCH & AUCTION:

April 10 - 11:30 serving lunch - Auction at 1:00. Free will donation for lunch. St. Mary's Heritage Hall. Enlighten your day with friends and fun.

March 21 - 27 Birthdays

March 22	Luke Heskamp
March 23	Keith Brack
March 24	Susan Hines, Kayci Rogers
March 25	Ginny Werner, Kelly Barnett
March 27	Becky Downey, Grayson Halling