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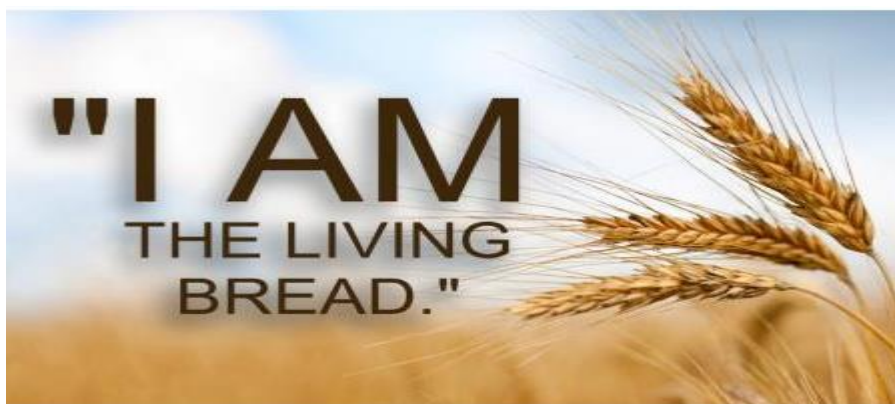
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The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

June 14, 2020



Mass Schedule and Intentions for the Week

14	Sun	8:30 am	(P)	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.....Special Intention Olga Jimenez
14	Sun	11:00 am	(M)	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.....Lost U. S. Military (Janet Cook)
14	Sun	1:30 pm	(P)	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.....(Spanish).....For the Parishioners
15	Mon	6:00 pm	(M)	The Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time.....+Ron Beckerman (Eric & Tammi Schultz)
16	Tue	6:00 pm	(M)	Week day in Ordinary Time.....+Lucille Gleason (Pat & Janet Gleason)
17	Wed	12:05 pm	(F)	Week day in Ordinary Time.....Ken's Birthday (Stillwaugh)
18	Thu	8:30 am	(P)	Week day in Ordinary Time.....For Art (Paula Vandenburg)
19	Fri	8:30 am	(P)	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.....John & Stephen Leis (David Leis)
19	Fri	6:00 pm	(P)	Most Sacred Heart of Jesus(Spanish)For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life
20	Sat	8:30 am	(M)	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary.....+Elsie Porter (Janet Cook)
20	Sat	5:30 pm	(F)	The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time.....Deceased Family (Rita Bergkamp)
21	Sun	8:30 am	(P)	The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time.....For an end to Religious Persecutions
21	Sun	10:30 am	(M)	The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time.....+Ted Wodruff (+Ron) & Barb Beckerman)
21	Sun	1:00 pm	(P)	The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time.....(Spanish).....For the Parishioners

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

45 minutes before Masses

HOMEBOUND If you would like Communion brought to you at home, or have someone in the hospital, please notify Father.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED IN OUR PARISH? If you are new, we welcome you and would like to get to know you.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please send any announcements you want put in the bulletin to the Fowler Rectory, or call the Dewells (646-5300), or email @stanthonyfowler@gmail.com no later than **THURSDAY** noon. Thanks!

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Couples anticipating marriage are asked to contact their parish priest as soon as possible so that preparation can begin. The dioceses of Kansas prefer at least 6 months notice; 4 months is required.

Liturgical and Other Ministers

FOWLER – Saturday, June 20th, 5:30 pm

LECTOR: Andra Cunningham, Laurie Devine

SERVERS: Kate C., Jacelyn H.

GREETERS: Larry & Cherie Knott

COLL. John Weber

NURSING HOME:

PLAINS – Sunday, June 21st, 8:30 am

LECTOR: Lucy Bromwell

SERVERS: Hayes S., Lucy V., & George E.

GREETERS: Nefro & Martha Saucedo Family

COLL. COUNTERS: Kathy Jacobs

MEADE – Sunday, June 21st, 10:30 am

LECTOR: Vince Koons

SERVERS: Camdyn F., Kemper F., Michael W.

GREETERS: Parker Family

COLL. COUNTERS: Gleason Family

PLAINS – Sunday, May 31st, 1:00 pm

EUCH MIN:

MUSIC MIN: Cathy H., Angie D./Jan Brock

USHERS: Fred Boyd & Myron Burns

ROSARY: Decina Heinz

EUCH. MIN:

MUSIC MIN: Suzanne Eakes

ROSARY: Kerri Vajnar

EUCH MIN:

MUSIC MIN: Gleason Family

GIFTS:

ROSARY: Flavin Family

~~ **IF YOU CANNOT FULFILL YOUR OBLIGATION, PLEASE FIND SOMEONE TO TAKE YOUR PLACE** ~~

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: The Scriptures today remind us that “we, many though we are, are one body for we all partake of the one loaf.” How are we using our gifts of time and talent to build up the body of Christ?

	<u>FOWLER</u>	<u>MEADE</u>	<u>PLAINS</u>
ENVELOPES:	\$1940.00	\$1,043.00	\$1,736.00
OFFERTORY:	\$2.00	\$5.00	\$05100
OTHER	\$40.00	\$360.00	\$0.00
BUILDING FD:	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$177.00
ONLINE	\$130.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
CANDLES:	<u>\$27.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$21.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$2,099.00	\$1,358.00	\$1,985.00
		\$1250.00	

MUSINGS OF FATHER JIM: Dear People of Communion,

I return for the second round to the second of the five pillars of the Pastoral plan of our diocese, the perennial need to “To catechize in the Catholic Faith with Dialogue-form all as faithful witnesses of Jesus Christ”. We joyfully will receive eight young children to the Eucharist this Sunday in a special Mass at 3:00 PM at St. Patrick in Plains. Their catechism has been hindered by the Covid-19 Virus, and yet we remained committed to our preparation of the children to enter this mystery throughout their lives. How we pray is how we believe! We are committed to a life-long “dialogue” with every baptized Catholic, indeed, every human person, and so these last three months, should not be lost, but have continued the dialogue in the home, the domestic Church.

It is time to begin to start planning how to engage again, in the fall, in our religious formation in the faith. Again, this is a life-long project. I hope, or maybe I should say, demand, all the parents of the children, including those who are making their First Communion, will commit to participate in the parish and on-line programs that are offered to continue their own and their children’s formation in the sacramental life of our Catholic Faith. There is a saying that an uncatechized Catholic is only a Protestant in the making, or worse, an agnostic in the coming to be.

Again, I need to promote the use of the explosion of on-line opportunities to become catechized and to give catechesis to our children, the most foundational is the tremendous work of the Augustine Institute in building and operating www.formed.org. Secondly, googling Word on Fire Ministries opens a wealth of rich resources, from Bishop Barron and his Institute. With Ascension Presents, Fr. Mike Schmidt and Fr. Josh Johnson offer brilliant podcasts for our enlightenment. In Spanish, Padre Angel Espinosa has a great humor, and for youthful enthusiasm, at Breaking in the Habit, Friar Casey Cole has a series of you-tube videos. Finally EWTN and Laudate have wonderful resources and apps for basic daily prayer for Catholics and all resources Catholic. Or for the more serious prayers, “iBreviary” is an easy source of the official Liturgy of the Hours to be prayed each day.

One more time on-line, go to www.formed.org, go to create a new account. Put “St. Anthony, Fowler, Kansas” in the search for my parish, not St. John or St. Patrick. Sign up with an email and password and you are into a world of the Catholic experience of God. Please give it a try and put to use our parish investment in this on-line service. It is all about communion of mind, body, and spirit with God through Jesus Christ, and in the Holy Spirit, the living Body of Christ. Can I get an “Amen”? Fr. Jim

CATHOLIC CHARITIES HELPLINE: 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@CatholicCharitiesSWKS.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.

Reminder: Mass time changes the first weekend in July, July 4-5. Meade’s Mass will be at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday. Fowler’s Mass will be at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday. Plains’ English Mass will be at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday. Plains’ Spanish Mass will be at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday.

VOCATION VIEWS: Those who feed on the Bread of Life shall live forever. How is your spirit nourished by the body and blood of Christ? Eucharist is at the heart of our Catholic faith. Come to the table! (John 6:51-58). If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Juan Salas at 620-227-1533 or vocations@dcdiocese.org.

NEED SOMETHING TO WATCH? HERE' S ONE: St. Anthony: Wonderworker of Padua is a full length movie about the life of St. Anthony available on Formed.org. In celebrating his feast day on June 13th, I invite you and encourage you to enjoy this beautiful portrayal of this favorite of patron saints. He is the patron of the most parishes in our diocese, Fowler, Lakin, Liberal, and Hanston. Only one year after his death, he was canonized for there was great devotion to the saint throughout Italy and Portugal, despite his short life of 41 years, because of his captivating holiness and miracles. St. Anthony pray for us. There is a link to the movie at www.MeadeCoCatholic.org.

WE'RE SORRY! After much discussion with the Golf Classic team and the recent hardship that the COVID-19 pandemic has placed on some of our sponsors, we have decided to cancel the 2020 golf tournament. This was not an easy decision to make as the funds raised are used to offset part of the cost of long-term care for our retired Priests from the diocese. However, Ford County and Dodge City in particular remains a "prime hotspot "for the COVID-19 virus within the state of Kansas and we do not want to inadvertently expose anyone to the virus. Please accept our apologies for canceling the tournament this year and God willing, we will be able to resume the tournament in 2021. If you would still like to donate to the Retired Priest Benefit, you may send your gift to: Retired Priest Benefit, c/o Dechant Foundation, P O Box 741, Dodge City, KS 67801. Sincerely, Mark W. Roth, Director of Development.

NEXT SUNDAY IS FATHER'S DAY.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR KANSANS FOR LIFE BABY BOTTLES!

Announcement for Plains

ONLINE GIVING: The website is now set up for online giving. Go to <https://meadecatholic.org>

UNREPORTED GIVING: Envelopes: \$5,245.00; Building Fund: \$1,690.00.

CONGRATULATIONS! To our First Communicants! They are Marie Puentes, Aylin Villarreal, Yaretsi Martinez, Yareli Martinez, Jose Martinez, Leidy Martinez, and Cesar Garcia. May God Bless You Abundantly!

CONGRATULATIONS! Also to our RCIA Candidates, Timber and Gerilynn Woods who are received into the Church this weekend! May God Also Bless You Abundantly!

Announcements for Meade

ONLINE GIVING: The website is now set up for online giving. Go to <https://meadecatholic.org>

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED! *If you thought of me, sent a lovely card, said a prayer for my illness, accident, surgery and recovery, God Bless You! I have a long road ahead but anxious to walk into Mass and worship traditionally. Thank You, Janet Cook*

Announcements for Fowler

PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY: On Monday, there will be rosary for our country at 5:00 p.m.

ONLINE GIVING: The website is now set up for online giving. Go to <https://meadecatholic.org>

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED! We would like to encourage more participation in our ministries. If you have any desire to be a Cantor, a Lector, Greeters, Lead the Rosary before Mass, be a Collection

Counter, be an Usher or Server...Please Think About it! We will be calling or asking you. Our parish would love your help!