

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE		
DATE	MASS READINGS	MASS INTENTION
Monday, January 11 <i>Weekday</i>	Hebrews 1:1-6 / Mark 1:14-20	Reparation for the Sins of our Nation
Tuesday, January 12 <i>Weekday</i>	Hebrews 2:5-12 / Mark 1:21-28	Priests of our Diocese
Wednesday, January 13 <i>Weekday</i>	Hebrews 2:14-18 / Mark 1:29-39	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Thursday, January 14 <i>Weekday</i>	Hebrews 3:7-14 / Mark 1:40-45	Int. of Mary Becker
Friday, January 15 <i>Weekday</i>	Hebrews 4:1-5, 11 / Mark 2:1-12	+Bob Faloney
Saturday, January 16 <i>Weekday</i>	Hebrews 4:12-16 / Mark 2:13-17	+Charles & Bernice Gilsdorf
Sunday, January 17 <i>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19 / 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20 / John 1:35-42	+Mary Shepler People of the Parish

WEEKEND MINISTER SCHEDULE			
	1/16 5:30 PM	1/17 8:00 AM	1/17 10:30 AM
ROSARY	Deb Pelz	Herman Seiter	Krista Allmond
EMHC	JP Brunke	Cris Schroeder	Geri Beatty
LECTOR	Madi Brunke	Jillian Lange	Hannah Allmond
SERVERS	John Gorges Samuel Gorges Aaron Gorges	Samuel Alvarez Julian Alvarez Vincent Alvarez	Emery Beatty
USHERS	Peter Gorges Michael Cowherd	Mark Smith Jordan Pauly	Dustin Goetz Aaron Schroeder
SACRISTAN	Rachel Hedrick	Elias Belton	Jennifer Blasi

JANUARY 10: ST. WILLIAM OF BOURGES



As a little boy, William didn't like to waste time fooling around; instead he spent time praying every day. When he got older he became a monk. William became Archbishop of Bourges. He was grateful to be a Bishop, but he wasn't happy because of all the attention got. He stayed humble by doing penance for his own soul and so that people would come to believe in God. He traveled all over, celebrating mass and teaching people about God. He spent a lot of time in prayer and was very close to God and God blessed him with lots of love while he prayed. He died while he was kneeling in prayer. He performed many miracles during his life and after his death.

WEEKLY CALENDAR
MONDAY, JANUARY 11
8am Adoration 8am Mass 11:55am & 2pm CGS 6pm Building Committee 7pm Walking With Purpose
TUESDAY, JANUARY 12
12am Adoration 8am Mass 6:30pm Finance Council
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13
2pm & 4pm CGS 6:30pm Mass 7pm RE
THURSDAY, JANUARY 14
8am Mass 7pm K of C @ Clonmel
FRIDAY, JANUARY 15
8am Mass 6:30pm Called & Gifted Workshop
SATURDAY, JANUARY 16
8:30am Called & Gifted Workshop 4:30pm Confessions 5:30pm Mass
SUNDAY, JANUARY 17
8am Mass 9:15am RE 10:30am Mass
COMING UP NEXT WEEK
1/19 Pastoral Council Meeting 1/24 First Reconciliation 1/24 Marian Movement of Priests



January 10, 2021

The Baptism of the Lord

January is dedicated to the Holy Name of Jesus.

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MASS SCHEDULE
WEEKEND • Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am

WEEKDAYS • Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:00 am
Wed. 6:30 pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE
WEEKDAYS • Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 7:30 - 7:55 am
Wed. 6 - 6:20 pm
WEEKEND • Saturday 4:30 - 5:15 pm

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HOLY FATHER'S JANUARY PRAYER INTENTION

May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

COMING AFTER ME

Today we remember the Baptism of Jesus, which sets the example for our own initiation into discipleship. Obviously, your Baptism was a step you made toward a lifelong relationship with God; it was the beginning of your FIAT. Have you ever considered, though, that God is also taking steps toward you? In today's gospel, John the Baptist says, "One mightier than I is coming after me." What he means is that the Christ will soon arrive on the scene, and He will change everything. But let's consider the phrase "coming after me" in another context. How often do you imagine God pursuing you? How comfortable are you with this idea? Are you inviting Him into your discipleship, or are you determined to do the work – even His work – on your own? In this passage, we hear the voice of God the Father at Jesus' baptism, and we see "the Spirit, like a dove, descending upon him." God is physically present! God draws near to us all in this way. FIAT means "let it be done"... it is time we submit ourselves to the will of God and live in confidence that God is coming after us!

CHRISTMAS DECORATION TAKE DOWN

The altar society will be taking down decorations after the 10:30am Mass on Sunday, January 10th and would greatly appreciate any and all help.

STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL

Thank you to all those who have participated in our Stewardship Renewal so far this year. We have gone up to 43% participation of our parish households since renewal started!

If you've not completed your Stewardship renewal forms and turned them in we invite you to do that before the end of the year. If you did not receive forms at Mass or in the mail, there are some extra forms that have been placed in the church gathering space for you, or you can download a PDF of the form from our parish website. Forms can be returned to the collection basket at each Mass or to the parish office.

STEWARDSHIP MINISTRY LISTS

Stewardship ministry lists from our recent Stewardship Renewal will be distributed out to our ministry leaders within the first couple of weeks of January. Ministry leaders will be contacted by members of the Stewardship Council with their lists and instructions to contact their stewards during the month of January. Please be on the lookout for this communication.

TASTE OF SPRING—CANCELLED

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the St. John Altar Society's annual Taste of Spring breakfast has been cancelled. We will continue to have the Raffle Prize Drawing. Since this is our only fundraiser for the year, all Ladies of the parish are challenged to sell as many chances as possible to make this a successful fundraiser. A letter and raffle tickets will be placed in the back of church later this month. Also, anyone wishing to donate and item to be placed in the raffle, please contact Michelle Gorges at 316-214-5856 or email imgorges@gmail.com or for any questions you may have.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

December 25, 2020.....\$10,545.00
 December 27, 2020.....\$7,057.05
 December 31, 2020.....\$13,435.00
 January 3, 2021.....\$19,866.00

Year to Date (July 1-Jan. 3).....\$264,415.74
 Thank you for your gift to St. John's Parish!

CHURCH CLEANING

1/16 Jessica Armour 316-200-6562
 Kelsey Perez 316-217-4546
 1/23 Jami Buck 316-641-0272
 Linda Rausch 316-617-4458

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for all those listed below:

Colton Smith, Shane Armour, Anna Mueller,
 Gary Klausmeyer, Ross Klausmeyer,
 Colton Horsch, Frances Johnson, Josh Buller,
 Marilyn Lies, Al Montanez, Joanne Flippin,
 David Oberley, Stephanie Faber, Donald Love,
 Jolene Schauf, Clarence Buhrman

Pray for those in the military:

John Ihrig, Matthew Youngers, Austin Peak,
 Travis Winningham, Megan Darke, Brandon
 Darke, Grant Martin

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

January 10 Vincent Alvarez
 Clayton Smith
 January 12 Sherrie Pelz
 Kayla Rausch
 January 14 Anna Flax

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

January 12 Jacob & Shelly McCosh

PARISH FAMILY AGREEMENT MEETINGS—CANCELED THIS WEEKEND

Meetings for this weekend (1/9-1/10) have been canceled. Please sign up for a new time if you were scheduled for this weekend. There has been an extra weekend added for your convenience. Meeting time slots are now set for January 16-17 and January 23-24. You can also call the office to schedule if these dates don't work for you. Students should attend with their parents. Please bring your family's stewardship forms with you if you have not already turned them in.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Paperwork Available Now
www.stpeterschulte.com/school
 Accepting Paperwork/Fees:
 Beginning January 11, 2021
 8:00-4:00 PM in the School Office
 Preschool enrollment is on a first come-first served basis.

Please bring along a birth certificate and a Baptism certificate (we will make copies)

2021-2022 Preschool Offerings:
 2 day (Tu/Th) 3 year old class 7:50-10:50 AM
 3 day (MWF) 4 year old class 7:50-10:50 AM
 5 day (M-F) Pre-Kindergarten Class (4 year olds) 12:20-3:15 PM

Call Brenda Hickok (316-524-6585) with questions.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BABY SHOWER

It is time once again for our annual Knights of Columbus Baby Shower. A year ago your generosity was a Godsend for the many young mothers who needed baby items but were unable to get them at stores whose shelves were bare. All baby items are appreciated but especially formula, wipes, diapers, sanitizers and other personal care items. Donations may be placed in the back of church. Monetary donations may be placed in an envelope labeled: "K of C Baby Shower"; and put in with the Sunday collection. Thank you in advance for your continued generosity and support of all things pro-life!

DRIVE THROUGH GERMAN SAUSAGE SUPPER

The West Sedgwick County Chapter of Right to Life of Kansas will have a drive through German Sausage Supper on Sunday, January 10th from 4:30 – 6:30pm at St. Mark's parish, 19230 West 29th St. N. They will serve sausage, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, green beans, hot apples, homemade bread, and desserts. A free will offering is requested.

YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

This year has been designated as the Year of St. Joseph by Pope Francis and by Bishop Kemme. We are planning several things to celebrate the year of St. Joseph here in our parish. We are requesting his protection and guidance as we continue to navigate the global pandemic, decisions we face as we continue work on our building project, and to assist us in growing in personal holiness.

CONSECRATION TO ST. JOSEPH

We are planning to participate in the Consecration to St. Joseph on his feast day, March 19th as a parish. The consecration prayers will begin on Monday, February 15th. The parish will provide the consecration book (1 per family) at no cost to you. We will need you to reserve a book by contacting the parish office or by signing up in the entrance of the church. The deadline for requesting a book will be January 24th.

ST. JOSEPH ART EXHIBIT

In celebration of St. Joseph, we are sponsoring an art exhibit of our parishioners. We plan to display these works of art on the Feast of St. Joseph and to bless them during the consecration Mass. Parishioners of all ages are invited to participate using the medium of your choice. These may include, but are not limited to, painting, water color, pencil drawing, graphic art, mosaic, stain glass, and sculpture. These art projects are due to the office by March 1st.

VOTIVE MASSES OF ST. JOSEPH

A votive Mass is a Mass offered with the intention of being united with the saint celebrated on days not normally ascribed to that saint. During this year of St. Joseph, bishop Kemme has designated one day each month to be a votive Mass of St. Joseph.

On the following days we will be celebrating votive Masses of St. Joseph:

- January 6
- February 3
- March 19 (The Solemnity of St. Joseph)
- April 14
- May 1
- June 2
- July 7
- August 18
- September 1
- October 6
- November 3

PLENARY INDULGENCE

During this year of St. Joseph you may be granted a plenary indulgence if you make a pilgrimage to one of the 9 parishes named for St. Joseph in our diocese. In order to gain the indulgence you need to pray in the church or attend Mass, invoke St. Joseph's prayers with and for you and your intention, go to confession, receive Holy Communion, and pray for the intentions of Pope Francis. You may also gain a partial indulgence by praying the Litany of St. Joseph and the prayer To You, O Blessed Joseph. You do not need to be in a church of St. Joseph to receive this partial indulgence.