

## HOISINGTON MASS SCHEDULE FOR OCT. 10th—OCT. 15th:

Tuesday, Oct. 10th	5:00pm	+Frances Hoch
Wednesday, Oct. 11th	10:00am	+Willard & +Blanche Doonan (at CPL)
Thursday, Oct. 12th	10:00am	+Jeanne Glaeser
Friday, Oct. 13th	10:00am	+Willard & +Blanche Doonan
Saturday, Oct. 14th	5:00pm	+Ryan Merlau
Sunday, October 15th	9:00am	+Earl & +Mary Brown and Family

### HOISINGTON MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

#### 5:00pm Saturday

Servers: Chase & Legend Robinson  
Ushers: Shawn & Janet Jonas  
Lectors: Francis Demel & Jim Schneweis  
Euch. Min.: Patty Quade, J. & L.A. Morgenstern

**COUNTERS:** Gloria Larkin & Darleen Demel

#### COLLECTION FOR LAST WEEK:

67 Envelopes.....	\$ 3,423.00
Offertory.....	\$ 721.85
On-Line Giving.....	\$ 0.00
Total:.....	\$ 4,144.85

Thank  
You!

#### DIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY MASS:

Sun., Oct. 15th at 3:00pm at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, 3231 N. 14th St.—Dodge City, KS. Bishop John Brungardt invites all couples celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, and more years of matrimony in 2017. To register, please call Loretta at **620-786-9310** BY NOON this MONDAY, OCT. 9th.

#### K-of-C TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE!

Support your local Knights at their Tootsie Roll Drive on the weekend of Oct. 14-15. Proceeds will go to individuals with Intellectual Disabilities.

#### 2017 DIOCESAN SCRIPTURE DAY:

Thursday, October 26th at the Cathedral in Dodge City. Time is 10am—3pm, “Sex in the Bible”, presented by Fr. Raymond Collins. Please email Gayla Kirmer at [gkirmer@dcdioocese.org](mailto:gkirmer@dcdioocese.org) if you plan to attend.

#### FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTION:

This is a traditional devotion in the Church. With Fatima’s apparitions 100th anniversary, we begin a regional effort to have the 5 First Saturdays devotion—starting Nov. 4th at St. Stanislaus in Ingalls. It begins at 8:30am with confessions & rosary. 9:00am Mass with Bishop John as celebrant. Confessions, meditation, & refreshments after Mass. All are invited.

#### 9:00am Sunday

Jace Riese & Chandler Blackwell  
Eldon Reif & Rob Unrein  
Miranda Shives & Alyssa Johnson  
Annie Riese, B. & J. Morgenstern

**RCIA:** Inquiry will be held Thursday, October 12th at 7:00pm in the Parish Center.

#### MOVIES WITH A MESSAGE:

These movies begin at 6:15pm in the auditorium of the Motherhouse of the Dominican Sisters of Peace in Great Bend. Movies to be shown: Friday, Oct. 20—Winged Migration Tuesday, Nov. 14—The Queen of Katwe Tuesday, Dec. 5—90 Minutes in Heaven A free-will offering will be accepted to offset the cost of refreshments.

#### FISH FRY: Mark your calendars!

The Hoisington K-of-C will hold a Fish Fry at the K-of-C Hall on **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13th** from 5:00—7:00pm. Cost is \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children ages 4-12. Serving Pollock fish, scalloped potatoes, cole slaw and drinks.



**D-of-I:** We’ll hold our meeting on Monday, Oct. 9th at 7:00pm at St. Patrick’s Parish Center, Great Bend. JoAnn Roth & Pat Straub are hostesses.

**ACTS:** A 3 day/3 night Catholic lay retreat for men will be held at the Heartland Center in Great Bend Nov. 16-19, 2017. Talks & activities during the retreat focus on Adoration, Community, Theology & Service. Cost is \$175, includes all meals & accommodations for the weekend. Registration deadline is Nov. 10th. You may go to: <http://greatbendcatholic.com> to register.

## OLMITZ MASS SCHEDULE FOR OCT. 15th:

Oct. 15th—10:30am People & needs of St. Ann’s and St. John’s parishioners

### MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

Servers: Molly & Clayton Schneider  
Lectors: Raymond Gallegos & Chelsea Pechanec  
Collectors: Joe Axman & Jim Bartonek  
Offertory: Jason Wagner Family  
Eucharistic Min.: Janice Moore, Janet Pechanec, Dan Frieb

### OLMITZ COLLECTION FOR LAST WEEK:

35 Envelopes.....	\$ 1,175.00
Offertory.....	\$ 33.00
Votives.....	\$ 0.00
TOTAL.....	\$ 1,208.00
Window Restoration.....	\$ 100.00 (already pledged)
Total Window Restor.	\$ 138,979.43

Thank  
You!

**OLMITZ MINISTERS:** Please stop in the back of

### STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE FOR OCT. 8th:

In the Gospel today, the owner of the vineyard sent messengers to collect his share of the harvest from the tenant farmers; but there was not a single good steward on the property! God is the owner, we are the tenants. What sort of stewards are we?

### TURKEY DINNER IN ST. JOHN, KS:

Sun., Oct. 15th at the Catholic Witt Center—609 E. 4th St.—St. John, KS. \$10 for adults, \$5 for kids K-8, 5 and under eat for free. Serving turkey & all the trimmings, dessert & beverage. Bring a non-perishable food item for food bank & receive a free ticket for the Altar Society Raffle.

### TEXAS HOLD ‘EM POKER TOURNAMENT:

Saturday, Oct. 7th at 7:30pm in the Hoisington K-of-C Hall. Everyone 21 & older are welcome to join us!

### JOB OPPORTUNITY:

The Catholic Diocese of Dodge City is seeking a Director of the Matrimony, Family Life, & Natural Family Planning office (MFLNFP). The Director shall guide the mission of the office through collaboration with pastors & parishes and ensure that the programs operate in accordance with the teachings of the Catholic Church & the mission outlined by the Diocese. The MFLNFP office is responsible for programs for the Diocese in these areas & is responsible for organizing & directing efforts to involve volunteers in programs and services within the Diocese including 48 parishes in 28 counties. Initial efforts will be focused on the Cathedral Parish & regional workshops/meetings/listening sessions. The Director oversees internal & external communications & outreach for the Diocese with the use of print, web, and other media forms. Prefer Bachelor’s Degree in related area, proficient verbal & written communication skills, bilingual (English/Spanish) preferred. To request additional information on position specifications & requirements and/or to apply: Email cover letter to [tlampe@dcdioocese.org](mailto:tlampe@dcdioocese.org) or mail to Catholic Diocese of Dodge City, Attn: Human Resources, 910 Central, Dodge City, KS 67801

### RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES:

We’ll have class at 9:15am on Sun., Oct. 8th (H.S. Youth Mass) & Oct. 15th (Living Rosary)

### PARISH DIRECTORIES:

Olmitz will be making a new Parish Directory. Pictures will be taken **Nov. 18th—25th** and sign-up will be **Oct. 8th—Nov. 12th**.

### ROSARY RALLY:

St. Ann’s & St. John’s parishes are hosting a Rosary Rally at the corner of Main & 9th (Cardinal Pharmacy Parking Lot) in Hoisington. We invite you to join us in reciting the rosary as we celebrate the 100th Anniversary of our Lady of Fatima’s appearance to the 3 shepherd children. We’ll meet at 12:00pm noon on Saturday, Oct. 14th. Please come & pray for world peace. Bring your chairs and families, as our Lady pleads with us to pray the rosary for the conversion of America.

### HAMBURGER & HOT DOG FEED:

The Olmitz Knights will host a hamburger and hot dog feed after the Youth Mass on **Sunday, Oct. 8th**. Youth eat for free and a free-will offering will be accepted from others.

### SIGN-UP!

Sunday, Oct. 8th, we’ll begin our Sign-Up for having Directory pictures taken. Please be a part of our new Parish Directory and take a moment to sign up.

### OLMITZ K-of-C MEETING:

Thursday, Oct. 19th at the K-of-C Hall.

## HOISINGTON NOTES:

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES:** We will hold classes on Wed., Oct. 11th in the Parish Center. Grades K-5.....4:00-5:00pm and grades 6-12....7:00-8:00pm.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION MEETING:** Second grade youth & parents will meet at 6:00pm in the Parish Center on Wednesday, Oct. 11th.

**ALTAR SOCIETY**.....Mark your calendars for Thursday, October 19th. We will have a Soup Supper (in the Parish Center) with a White Elephant Bingo. We ask that each member also bring \$5.00 that we can send to the Hurricane victims. There will be a sign-up sheet in church this weekend.



**ALTAR SERVERS APPRECIATION PARTY:** All St. John's Altar Servers are invited to join us for an appreciation party at Cardinal Lanes on **Sunday, October 22nd at 5:00pm.** We'll be serving hot dogs, nachos, drinks and cookies. Come bowl, (or play games) eat, and have a good time! This is sponsored by our local Knights of Columbus members.



**FINANCE COUNCIL:** We will meet on Thursday, October 12th at 6:30pm in the Parish Center.



**HUNTER SAFETY CLASS:** There will be a hunter safety class offered at the Odin Store meeting room starting on Tuesday, October 10th at 7:00pm. Classes will be held on Tuesday Oct. 10th from 7:00-9:30pm, Saturday, Oct. 14th from 1:00-5:00pm, Sunday, Oct. 15th from 1:00-5:00pm, and Tuesday, October 17th from 7:00-9:30pm. Students must be at least 11 years old and attend ALL classes to be eligible for certification. There is no charge for the class. For more information, please contact one of the following persons: John Bogner at 620-587-3317, Mark Bogner at 620-7886-6967, Jim Steiner at 620-653-4293 or Jerry Steiner at 620-587-3972.

**THANK YOU!** *I want to thank everyone for your thoughts, prayers and acts of kindness during my recent accident. May God bless you all! - Debbie Finn*

**HOISINGTON K-of-C MEETING:** We'll meet at 7:30pm on Mon., October 9th - K-of-C Hall.



*For thou didst form my inward parts; Thou didst knit me together in my mother's womb. Psalm 139:13*

**MARCH FOR LIFE!** Prince of Peace in Great Bend is sponsoring a bus trip to the March for Life in Washington, DC, **Jan. 17-21, 2018.** The trip includes bus fare, hotel for 2 nights, Mass, the March for Life, National Shrine of the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, sightseeing, & the Life is VERY Good Rally. (information at [www.arlingtondiocese.org/youth/lifeisverygood.aspx](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/youth/lifeisverygood.aspx)) Cost is \$375 per person. Registration is available from the parish office. There's a \$50 non-refundable reservation fee due at time of registration, deadline Oct. 2nd. Final payment is due Dec. 11th. For more information, contact Jaelyn Brown, 620-792-1396.

**HOMEMADE TURKEY DINNER:** Join St. Joseph's Parish of Dorrance, KS for a homemade turkey dinner on Sunday, Oct. 15th at the Catholic Parish Hall in WILSON, KS. Dinner is served from 5:00—7:00pm, Bingo begins at 7:00pm, and there will be a Raffle drawing, as well as cake wheel and games for kids beginning at 5:30pm.

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST**  
5th & Main Streets  
Hoisington, KS 67544

**ST. ANN'S CHURCH**  
115 Cleveland St.  
Olmitz, KS 67564

~ **Father Anselm Eke, MSP, Pastor** ~

**Parish Center Office:**  
122 E. 5th St. - Hoisington, KS 67544  
**Parish Center Phone:**  
(620) 653-2963  
Website: [stjohnevangelistparish.com](http://stjohnevangelistparish.com)

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108 E. 5th St.—Hoisington, KS 67544  
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For Relig. Ed: [stjohnreligious@dc.kscoxmail.com](mailto:stjohnreligious@dc.kscoxmail.com)

**27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—Year A**  
**OCTOBER 8th, 2017**

**OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday—Thursday, 9:00am—12:00pm and 1:00pm—4:00pm  
Fridays: 8:00am—2:00pm

**Bulletin Announcements:** Due by noon on Wednesday. May be submitted by email at the above address

**Parish Secretary:** Loretta Kinman

**Director of Religious Education:** Pam Willis (Hoisington); Lisa Starr (Olmitz)

**Pastoral Council Pres.:** Cindy Wilborn (Hoisington); Bob Schneider (Olmitz)

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday, 5:00pm (Hoisington)

Sunday, 9:00am (Hoisington); 10:30am (Olmitz)

- **Sacrament of Penance:** 4:15pm—4:45pm on Saturdays (Hoisington)  
First Sunday of the Month after Mass until Noon (Olmitz)  
Reconciliation is also available by appointment.
- **Sacrament of Baptism:** Call rectory to schedule an appointment for the Baptismal Class.
- **Sacrament of Marriage:** Contact the pastor 4 to 6 months prior to proposed date of marriage.
- **Sacrament of Sick:** Call rectory in case of emergency or prior to medical procedures or hospital stay
- **PRAYER NETWORK:** To call a prayer intention in to our Prayer Network, call Nancy Kirmer at 653-2466 or Margaret Ann Ney from 653-2917.



**DID YOU KNOW?** Did you know that some employers will donate to your church or non-profit organization by matching donations that you give? There is usually a limit on how much per year they will match per employee. There are some area businesses that will do this. Ask your employer and “get more bang for your giving buck” as well as helping out your church and/or favorite non-profit organization.



**HELP IS AVAILABLE:** Help is available for people experiencing a financial hardship due to cancer diagnosis and treatments. Apply online for a grant to assist with: shelter, utilities, or medical supplies. Golden Belt Community Foundation—222.goldenbeltcf.org Heartland Cancer Patient Care & Support Fund—Individuals must reside in Barton, Pawnee, Rush, or Stafford County, KS.

**FRUIT OF THE VINE—WORK OF HUMAN HANDS:**

In the late 1990’s and early 2000’s, the Diocese sponsored a program called “God’s Little Green Acre”, a program to support seminarian education in the Diocese of Dodge City. The program has recently been resurrected, but with a few more options. The program is now called “Fruit of the Vine—Work of Human Hands” and offers two ways to participate.

*Fruit of the Vine* is for individuals who would like to pledge profits from their earthly labors, such as profits from crop production, sale of livestock, oil production, wind generation profits...etc.

*Work of Human Hands* is designed for individuals or businesses who would like to pledge a portion of their business profits, annual income or simply give a cash donation to support our seminarians, but we will provide you with a plaque or yard sign as a reminder to others to pray for vocations, and will encourage others to participate as well. For more information about this, please contact Mark W. Roth, Dir. Of Development-Diocese of Dodge City—P.O. Box 137—Dodge City, KS 67801 or call 620-227-1535 or you may email him at [mroth@dcdiocese.org](mailto:mroth@dcdiocese.org).

**PRAYER FOR THE MILITARY:** Lord Jesus Christ, please hold our troops in Your loving arms. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts that they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen!

**GOT QUESTIONS?** We’ve got Catholic Answers. Tune in weekdays from 5:00-7:00pm or call in with your question at 1-888-31-TRUTH, Divine Mercy Radio 88.1. Listen on your radio, our app, or on [dvmercy.com](http://dvmercy.com)!

**DAILY MASS:**

Just a reminder about daily Masses:

- If there is a funeral in Hoisington on Tuesday—Friday, there will be **NO** Mass at 10am or 5:00pm.
- If there is a funeral in Olmitz on First Friday, there will be **NO** 8:30am Mass that day.
- If there is a funeral in Olmitz on a Tuesday, there **WILL** still be a Mass in Hoisington at 5:00pm.

**WINNERS & DONORS OF NCCY RAFFLE AND PARISH PICNIC PRIZES:**

Thanks SO MUCH to all the following donors for the wonderful Parish Picnic prizes they donated. We appreciate your generosity!

**Cardinal Pharmacy (Gene & Marla Mooney), Hoisington Floral (Loretta & Jose’ Finger), Tap Room (Randy Polzin), Kaiser’s Total (Wayne & Delores Kaiser), Meitner Cabinet & Home Repair (Jim & Celeste Meitner), Leon & Lois Klug, Richard Neidhart, Ernie & Elsie Dreher, Melvin & Nancy Kaiser, Vic & Evelyn Hoffman, Karah Birzer, Sharla Schremmer, Clara Barton Hospital, Beaver Grain, Country Place Living, Fuller Brush, Hoisington Pizza Hut, The Hoisington Dispatch, Sonic of Hoisington & St. John’s Altar Society.**

Thank you to Jim & Celeste Meitner & Jay & Cheryl Steinert for donating the brats and to Jim Meitner, Jay Steinert & Dave McLeland for making the brats!

Congratulations to the following winners of the NCCY Raffle drawing: \$500.00—Peggy Stolzenburg, \$200.00—Karen Gammon, \$100.00—Julie Yarmer, \$50.00—Brent Beran and Pam Willis, \$20.00—Terry Riese, Kelly Brungardt, Eric Schneweis, Mary Jane Eastwood, & Crista Robinson

Congratulations to the following winners of the Parish Picnic Door Prizes: Paul Rziha, Chase, Xavier, and Legend Robinson, Rachel & Ashley Barleen, Annie Riese, Chandler Blackwell, Barbara Urban, Trevor Kaiser, Jakob Breit, Doris Straub, Elsie Dreher, Kenny Steiner, Lois Klug, Kenny Bieker, Cheryl Steinert, Kay Fitzsimmons, Milton Staudinger, Margaret Ann Ney, Marion Oborny, Patty Quade, Elaine Yanda, Darlene Stoss, Richard Lacey, Richard Neidhart, Scott Rziha, Dwight Nett, Nancy Kaiser, Jay Steinert, Ron Schremmer, Ron Goetz, Jerry Schremmer, Pat Redetzke, Dave McLeland, Anita Reif, Ben Schneider, Duane Polzin, Linda Bahr, Leon Klug, Kathy Schneider, Fr. Eke, Evelyn Hoffman, Donna Bates, Pat Proksch, Pat Haberman, Faye Doonan. Youth who were signed up to attend also received a prize.

Thanks so much to the SOCIAL COMMITTEE (Jim & Celeste Meitner, Brenda Unrein, Elsie Dreher, Pat Haberman, Toni Schneweis, Annie Riese, Jose’ & Loretta Finger Lois Klug, Richard Neidhart, and Mike Aylward Sr.) for all their hard work and many, many hours of planning this event. Thanks too, to Pam & Greg Willis with the High School youth that helped set up tables and chairs! It’s always a wonderful evening of good food, fun and fellowship!

**FINDING GOD IN NATURE:** Heartland Center for Spirituality will be hosting the retreat—Finding God in Nature, Oct. 20-21. This overnight retreat will begin Fr., night at 6:15pm with our Movie with a Message on “Winged Migration.” On Saturday, we’ll spend time in prayerful appreciation of God’s creativity in nature through times of quiet, nature walks, a trip to Cheyenne Bottoms, and other meditative exercises. If you’d like to bring a camera and find God in nature through the lens, there will be some contemplative photography exercises available as well. For more information or to register online, visit our website <https://heartlandspirituality.org> or call Ann Axman at 620-792-1232.

**JUST A REMINDER:** If you belong to St. Ann’s or St. John’s Parishes, feel free to drop your envelope in either church’s collection basket and know that you will receive credit for it from your parish as long as it is marked accordingly.

**HELP LINES:** Any woman who is pregnant and in need can turn for help to the pro-life movement. She never has to feel that abortion is the only option. People anywhere in the country can find assistance at the following numbers:  
Caret/Heartbeat.....1-800-395-HELP (4357) Birthright.....1-800-550-4900  
Crisis Pregnancy Helpline.....1-888-4-OPTIONS National Life Center.....1-800-848-LOVE (5683)  
Bethany Christian Services.....1-800-238-4269

**WINE TASTING EVENT:** The 2018 Wine Tasting Event will be at the Great Bend Event Center on Friday, April 20th., 2018. Mark your calendars now & plan on coming for a good time and a good cause!

**SUPPORT & LISTEN TO CATHOLIC RADIO:** Tune in to Divine Mercy Radio.....  
88.1 KVDM-Hays & KRIT-Great Bend

