

HOISINGTON MASS SCHEDULE FOR May 8th—May 13th:

Tuesday, May 8th	5:00pm	+Leo Schneweis
Wednesday, May 9th	10:00am	Mary Schmeidler Intention (at CPL)
Thursday, May 10th	10:00am	+Bernard Kirmmer
Friday, May 11th	10:00am	+Willard and +Blanche Doonan
Saturday, May 12th	5:00pm	+Sherie Esfeld
Sunday, May 13th	9:00am	+Herman Zecha

Tuesday,
Thursday &
Friday Masses
are held in the
Parish Center

HOISINGTON MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND :

5:00pm Saturday

Servers: Jace & Tori Riese
Ushers: Shawn & Janet Jonas
Lectors: Calie Doze & Teri Doze
Euch. Min.: Annie Riese, Kenton & Teri Doze

9:00am Sunday

Steven Demel & Nolan Wilborn
Tyler & Trenton Schremmer
John Moshier & Diana Zecha
Leon Steiner, Paul & Brenda Axman

COUNTERS: Gloria Larkin & Darleen Demel

COLLECTION FOR LAST WEEK:

67 Envelopes.....\$ 2,874.00
Offertory.....\$ 1,062.36
On-Line Giving.....\$ 0.00
Total:.....\$ 3,936.36

PeaceCamp at Heartland Farm 2018:

June 4-8 for boys & girls 8-11 years old.
Call 620-923-4585 if interested.

JOURNEY TO THE HEART...Falling in Love With Earth:

A retreat day with the Eco-Justice Committee Sat., May 19 from 9am—3pm at the Heartland Center for Spirituality-3600 Broadway in Great Bend. There is no charge, but please register by May 15th. If you wish to eat lunch, it's \$10. Please register for that by May 9th, or you may bring your lunch. 620-792-1232.

D-of-I MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

is Monday, May 14th at 6:30pm in the St. Patrick Parish Center. Meat for the meal will be provided, members are asked to bring a salad or dessert. The Living Rosary will follow the meal as well as a shower for Birthright. Hostesses are Jane Bahr & Diana Drake.

BISHOP JOHN STOWE of Lexington, KY:

jstowe@cdlex.org

This is the email address to which you can email Fr. Jim Sichko's Bishop.

MOVIES WITH A MESSAGE:

On Tuesday, May 8th, the movie, Edith Stein: The Seventh Chamber, will be showing at the Heartland Center for Spirituality for the spring series of "Movies with a Message."

This is a moving, artistic portrayal of the life of Jewish Philosopher, Catholic convert and Carmelite martyr, Edith Stein, capturing the interior struggles of this extraordinary woman, as well as the great conflicts from her decision to convert to Catholicism. Deeply influenced by the writings of St. Teresa of Avila, she joined the Carmelites and took the name of Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, and was put to death in Auschwitz in 1942, and canonized by John Paul II in 1998. This film shows how two worlds were united within her, the Jew and the Christian, in absolute coherence in her search for truth. She has become one of the most beautiful symbols in a horrifying period of history who sought to transform her sufferings under the Nazis into a journey through the "interior castle" as the way to mystical union with God. One phrase, "Love Conquers Fear" embodies her philosophy of life. Shot in a kind of a rich expressionist realism, it's backed by poignant chant music that makes every frame haunting and alive. The movie begins at 6:15pm in the Auditorium of the Motherhouse of the Dominican Sisters of Peace.

STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE FOR MAY 6th:

Jesus' commandment is that His disciples love one another, even to the point of laying down their lives, if necessary. What gifts of myself—my skills & talents, my time & resources—will best demonstrate my love for God's people?

SPORTING CLAYS TOURNAMENT:

The Kansas State K-of-C Sporting Clays Tournament will be held in Columbus, KS on **Saturday, May 12th**. All Kansas Knights of Columbus members are invited to compete. If you are interested in attending, call Jerry Morgenstern at 653-4913 for additional information or for a registration form.

OLMITZ MASS SCHEDULE May 13th:

Sunday, May 13th 10:30am People & Needs of St. Ann & St. John's Parishes

MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

Servers: Ray & Katie Kuhlman
Lectors: Jenna Hlavaty & Molly Schneider
Collectors: John Schneider & Kevin Bahr
Offertory: Otis-Bison Graduates
Euch. Min.: Sr. Jane, Cammie Hlavaty, Dan Frieb

OLMITZ COLLECTION FOR LAST WEEK:

45 Envelopes.....\$ 1,679.97
Offertory.....\$ 154.00
Votives.....\$ 80.00
TOTAL.....\$ 1,913.97
Window donation\$ 0.00
Total Window Restor....\$142,256.63

**Thank
You!**

DIRECTOR of FINANCE and ADMINISTRATION:

The Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe is seeking a Director of Finance and Administration. This leadership position is the steward of the finances of Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe to include managing and developing resources for the benefit of the ministries of the parish. The Director will have responsibility for the Administrator of the Office and Facilities. Working collaboratively to provide accurate and timely information to the parish, school, and other agencies, in regard to effective reporting & processing of financial reporting, compliance, and internal control systems. Additionally, this position serves the Church and its related entities with expertise in financial affairs that include payroll processing, accounting, data systems, risk management, operational efficiency, real estate matters and various legal matters and financial analysis of the financial condition of the parish and the operational controls related to each parish entity. Prefer Bachelor's Degree in related area, proficient verbal and written communication skills. Demonstrated leadership abilities and 5 or more years of experience in business management and financial management are required. Candidate must have demonstrated fidelity and understanding of the Catholic Church. To request additional information on position specifications and requirements and/or to apply: Email cover letter, resume and salary history to Tlampe@dcdioocese.org or mail to Catholic Diocese of Dodge City, Attn: Human Resources, 910 Central, Dodge City, KS 67801 (620-227-1534)

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES & COLORGUARD:

Monday, May 28th, 2018
7:45am—Odin Cemetery
8:30am—Dubuque Cemetery
9:15am—Beaver Cemetery
10:00am—Hoisington Cemetery
10:30am—St. John's Catholic Cemetery, Hoisington

OLMITZ NOTES:

ROSARY & CHAPLET: The St. Ann's Altar Society, starting this week, will say a rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet in church before Mass every Sunday at 10:00am. Everyone is encouraged and invited! Also, the Altar Society has donated prayer books in the pew for your use! If anyone would like their own to take home, you can sign a sheet of paper on the tables in the back of church.

OLMITZ K-of-C MEETING: We will meet on Thursday, May 17th at 7:00pm in the K-of-C Hall.

PRAYER and ACTION: This is a 5-day mission trip that takes place within Southwest Kansas. Participants stay at the host parish in simple accommodations; prepare their own meals; join the parish for daily Mass; and serve local families that are in need. Typical services include painting, minor repairs, house and yard cleaning, etc. and is carried out for Catholics and non-Catholics alike.

If you are an individual who is interested in helping out with this important mission, please check out our website for more information and the on-line registration forms (www.dcyouth.org/prayer-action). Participants - college students, high school students, and adult chaperones—grow by putting their faith directly into action, and practice the Christian lifestyle of "pray without ceasing" (1 Thessalonians 5:17)

VMA UPDATE:

Hoisington: Actual \$149,686.00—52% of GOAL, 45% Participation

Olmitz: Actual \$71,299.00—48% of GOAL, 42% Participation



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HOISINGTON NOTES:

VBS: “A Wilderness Adventure Through the Sacraments” will be the theme this year for our VBS that will be held May 21st—May 25th from 9:30am—12:00 noon. This is for grades K-5 (from the 2017-18 school year). There is no cost for parishioners. Non parishioners: \$10.00. A daily offering of money and/or personal care items, such as shampoo, toothpaste/brushes, soaps, deoderants, etc. will be taken during the week for the Food Bank. Middle School & High School youth are invited to sign up and be helpers and leaders.

Thank you!

Thank you for the wonderful opportunity to work for you these past 20 years. The Religious Education of our families is an important part of our parish life. The reception and gifts were much appreciated and will be enjoyed! - Pam Willis, DRE

- **FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING:** Tuesday, May 8th at 6:30pm in the Parish Center.
- **PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING:** Thursday, May 10th at 6:30pm in the Parish Center
- **HOISINGTON K-of-C MEETING:** This will be Mon., May 14th at 7:30pm in the K-of-C Hall.

LECTORS TRAINING: There will be a short training for the new lectors of our parish on Wednesday, May 9th at 7:00pm. The current lectors are welcome to attend as well.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS TRAINING: There will be a training for the new Eucharistic Ministers on Wednesday, May 16th at 7:00pm in the church. Current Eucharistic Ministers are welcome to attend as well.



THANK YOU NURSES! For National Nurses day, we will be thanking our parish nurses who have helped taking blood pressures at our monthly coffee and rolls. We thank you all for your dedication in serving our parish in this capacity! **Lori Lane, Pat Radke, Debbie Finn and Elaine Yanda.**

COFFEE & ROLLS: Please join us for coffee, rolls, cake and blood pressure checks after the 9:00am Mass next Sunday, May 6th. We will also be honoring the High School graduates from our parish.



PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: St. John's Parish extends our sympathy to **Michele, Jim, Ethan & Taylor Hitschmann** at the loss of **Janice Dyer**, their mother and grandmother. Prayers & sympathy are also extended to **Don Reif, Jr.** at the loss of his father, **Don Reif, Sr.** Please keep Don & Janice and their families in your prayers and may they rest in peace.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: A grief support group is offered to any interested person. The purpose is to offer help & encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. These sessions will involve fellowship, sharing and prayer. No counseling will be offered and confidentiality will be respected. You are welcome to begin at any point. Each session is “self-contained”, so you don't have to attend in sequence. The group will meet on **Tuesday, May 15th at 7:00pm** at St. John's Parish Hall in Hoisington (122 E. 5th St.)

ACTS RETREATS: 2018 Men's and Women's ACTS Retreats: Women's Retreat: October 25-28, 2018; Men's retreat: November 15-18, 2018. Both retreats will be held at the Heartland Center for Spirituality in Great Bend. For more information, contact Paula Brozek at 620-793-8172 or Mel Waite at 620-564-2518.

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ST. ANN'S CHURCH
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~ **Father Anselm Eke, MSP, Pastor** ~

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Sixth Sunday of Easter—YEAR B
May 6th, 2018

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 preparations.
- **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.

Congratulations 2018 Graduates of St. John the Evangelist Parish

Eric Barrett

Aurora Ingram

Kaiden Jeffrey

Alyssa Johnson

A.J. Moshier

Brooke Reif



Alexis Rubio

Jaci Schremmer

Sean Urban

Katherine Warnken

Jack Williams



*“For I know well the Plans I have in mind for you,” declares the LORD, “plans for **Your** welfare and not for woe, so as to give you a future of Hope.”*

Jeremiah 29:11

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



PRAYER TO ST. ANTHONY FOR THE RETURN OF CATHOLICS TO THE CHURCH:

Almighty Father, You desire not the death of sinners, but that they may be converted and live. Pour out upon us Your mercy and hear the prayers of Your servants. Through the intercession of St. Anthony of Padua, who through his bold and powerful preaching, inspired so many “Careless Catholics” to return to the Church, soften the hearts of those we pray for who have strayed from the faith into which they were baptized. They are now forgetful of their duties as Catholics and pursue other ways. Grant that they may quickly return to the practice of the faith they once professed, so that their lives may again shine with the integrity of belief, the fervor of piety, and the ardor of charity. Restore them to Your sacraments & to the life of Your grace. We pray this in the name of Your Son Jesus and in union with St. Anthony and all the saints. Amen!

NEED HELP? No one needs to go through life’s most difficult challenges alone. Catholic Charities of Southwest Kansas is offering free professional counseling services in Dodge City, Garden City and Great Bend for adults, children, couples, families and seniors, regardless of race, religion or socioeconomic status. Contact Amy Falcon at 620-227-1590 or afalcon@CatholicCharitiesSWKS.org for more information and/or to schedule an appointment.

NEW? Are you new in our parish? Please take a few minutes to call or email us at the parish office to fill out a Census form so we can enter you in our computer and welcome you into our parish!

GOLF: Make plans now & organize your team for the 2018 Dechant Foundation Annual Golf Class, Friday, Sept. 7th at Mariah Hills Golf Course. For more information & to register a team, contact Mark Roth at 620-227-1535 or email: mroth@dcdioocese.org. Proceeds benefit the Retired Priest’s Fund of the Dodge City Diocese.

A PRAYER FOR THE FAMILY - Composed by St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Heavenly Father, You have given us the model of life in the Holy Family of Nazareth. Help us, O Loving Father, to make our family another Nazareth where love, peace & joy reign.

May it be deeply contemplative, intensely Eucharistic, revived with joy. Help us to stay together in joy & sorrow in family prayer. Teach us to see Jesus in the members of our families, especially in their distressing disguise.

May the Eucharistic heart of Jesus make our hearts humble like His and help us to carry out our family duties in a holy way.

May we love one another as God loves each one of us, more and more each day, and forgive each other’s faults as You forgive our sins. Help us, O Loving Father, to take whatever You give and give whatever You take with a big smile.

Immaculate Heart of Mary, cause of our joy, pray for us. St. Joseph, pray for us. Holy Guardian Angels, guide and protect us. Amen

HUMAN TRAFFICKING: This is one of the great human rights challenges of this century. Millions of men, women, and children are enslaved and treated as commodities—bought, sold, shared, abused, and discarded. Ending SLAVERY is EVERYONE’S WORK. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking. www.wistersagainstrafficking.org