

**HOISINGTON MASS SCHEDULE FOR MAR. 17th—MAR. 22nd:**

Tuesday	Mar. 17th	5:00pm	+Ann Urban
Wednesday	Mar. 18th	10:00am	+Warren Moore <u>(at Country Place Living)</u>
Thursday	Mar. 19th	10:00am	+Calista Stuart
Friday	Mar. 20th	10:00am	+Julius Prosser
Saturday	Mar. 21st	5:00pm	+Gary Dreiling
Sunday	Mar. 22nd	10:00am	People and needs of the Parishes

**HOISINGTON MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:**

**5:00pm Sat.**

Servers: Xavier & Chase Robinson  
 Ushers: Pat & Lana Kephart  
 Lectors: Jim Schneweis & Madonna Oborny  
 Extra. Min.: Madonna Oborny & Martha Wondra, and one Volunteer

**10:00am Sun.**

Jaci & Alex Schremmer and Nolan Wilborn  
 Paul & Brenda Axman  
 Brian Wilborn and Madie Wilborn  
 Jerry Stoss, Leonard & Linda Moeder

**Counters:** Leonard & Linda Moeder

**COLLECTION FOR LAST WEEKEND:**

65 Envelopes.....	\$ 2,919.00
Offertory.....	\$ 649.02
Total .....	\$ 3,568.02
Altar Society dues .....	\$ 10.00
Cemetery Fence Income.....	\$ 625.00
Rectory Renovation.....	\$ 125.00

**FEBRUARY SUMMARY:**

Income.....	\$ 16,388.71
Expenses.....	\$ 14,959.70
Total.....	+ \$ 1,429.01

**YEAR-to-DATE SUMMARY:**

Income.....	\$ 165,956.65
Expenses.....	\$ 143,127.41
Total.....	+ \$ 22,829.24

**STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE FOR MARCH 15th:**

The blind man in today's Gospel was willing to let Jesus minister to him and willingly did all Jesus asked of him. The Pharisees were more resistant to His message, spending their time & energy to disprove the miracle. Which am I more like, the man born blind or the Pharisees?

**LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE:**

Sun., March 15th at 7:00pm—in Hoisington  
Wed., March 25th at 7:00pm—in Olmitz

**RCIA:** Every Wednesday during Lent, we will attend the Stations of the Cross. Class will follow for the remainder of time .... Prepare for Third Scrutiny.

**FISH FRY:** Everyone's invited to an "all you can eat" Fish Fry on **March March 27th from 5:30—7:30pm** at the Hoisington K-of-C Hall (114 N. Main St.) They will be serving Alaskan Pollock fish, scalloped potatoes, cole slaw and drinks. Cost is \$8.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children ages 4—11 and under 4 eat free. All proceeds support area charities.



**ANNUAL STEAK NIGHT:** The Odin K-of-C will hold their Annual Steak Night the evening of Sat., March 21st and at noon on Sunday, March 22nd at the Odin Gym. All are welcome!



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:**

Wed., Mar. 18th-7:00pm—at Hoisington—Led by RCIA  
 Wed., Mar. 18th -7:00pm—at Olmitz - Led by the Religious Ed. Catechists



**OLMITZ MASS SCHEDULE FOR MAR. 18th—22nd:**

Wed., March 18th	6:30pm	+Monica Schneider (Stations following Mass)
Friday, March 20th	8:30am	Living & +Deceased members of ICC D-of-I
Saturday, March 21st	7:00pm	+Milton Yarmer
Sunday, March 22nd	8:00am	+Alice K. Mauler

**OLMITZ MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:**

**7:00pm Sat.**

Servers: Demi & Danica Bartonek  
 Lectors: Camie Hlavaty & Tina Steinert  
 Collectors: John Schneider & Kevin Bahr  
 Offertory: Jim & Dee Bartonek  
 Extraordinary Ministers: Lisa Starr, Lynn Stos, and Cindy Sohm

**8:00am Sun.**

Hunter Haselhorst & Cayla Steinert  
 Bob Schneider & Chelsea Pechanec  
 Caleb Maneth & Edward Maneth  
 Gary & Kay Straub  
 Lee Axman and Ed & Kelly Maneth

**OLMITZ COLLECTION REPORT FOR LAST WEEKEND:**

Envelopes.....	\$ 1,546.01
Offertory .....	\$ 247.00
Votives.....	\$ 60.00
<b>TOTAL: .....</b>	<b>\$ 1,853.01</b>

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**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:**

**PALM SUNDAY,** March 29th:

- 8:00am in Olmitz
- 10:00am in Hoisington



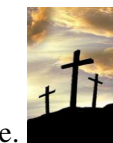
**HOLY THURSDAY,** April 2nd:

- 7:00pm in Hoisington only



**GOOD FRIDAY,** April 3rd:

- Stations at 6:00pm in Olmitz and Good Friday Service at **6:45pm**
- Stations only at 3:00pm in Hoisington. No service here.



**HOLY SATURDAY,** April 4th:

- 8:00pm Mass in Olmitz
- 8:00pm Mass in Hoisington



**EASTER SUNDAY,** April 5th:

- 8:00am Mass in Olmitz
- 10:00am Mass in Hoisington



**ST. ANN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES:**

Sun., March 15th-no class, TEC at Garden City. Classes will be held on Sunday, March 22nd. The K-of-C Hall is open for parents during class time.

**An Old Irish Blessing:**

*May the road rise up to meet you.  
 May the wind always be at your back.  
 May the sunshine warm upon your face,  
 and rains fall softly upon your fields.  
 And until we meet again,  
 May God hold you in the palm of his hand.*



**HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY TUESDAY!**

**OLMITZ K-of-C MEETING:**

We will meet on Thursday, March 19th at 7:00pm in the K-of-C Hall.

**REMEMBER.....**

**Fr. Eke's 50th Birthday Party & St. Patrick's Day Party on Sun., March 15th at 12:00pm at the K-of-C Hall.**



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**RELIGIOUS ED:** No sessions Wed., March 18th due to Spring Break. Classes will resume on Wednesday, March 25th.

**PIZZA SALES:** The youth attending the Diocesan Summer Camp will be taking orders for Little Caesar's Pizzas between now and April 1st. Call Pam at the Parish Office if you'd like to place an order.



**JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH RALLY:** The theme is: Prayer...Just Pray It. Sunday, March 29th from 10am—5:30pm at the Dodge City Community College. Breakout sessions: Guardians of Faith and Prayer-Grace From God. Special presenter is Anna Scally, of Cornerstone Media, Inc. She presents popular music with a positive message, using music to grow in our faith. Registration begins at 10:00am. Cost is \$15 for meal & facility rental. T-shirt cost is \$10.00 (optional). Call Pam Willis at the Parish Office (653-2963) *before Tuesday, March 17th* if you are interested in attending.

**PRAYER IN ACTION:** There has been an interest in doing local mission work in our diocese. Prayer in Action has been formed and will include 30 High School age participants in a group, doing mission work in communities in our diocese. For more information or to sign up, contact Pam Willis as she does have information on it now.

**ADORATION:** Will be held after the 5pm Mass on Tuesdays in the Parish Center Chapel.



**BIBLE STUDY:** We will meet on Thursday, March 19th at 1:30pm in the Parish Center.

**SIGN UP NOW! PLEASE SIGN-UP:** There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule for Holy Week ministers. Please note that on Good Friday, there will be NO service in Hoisington, but we are still in need of one server and one lector to minister at Olmitz.

**MEALS ON WHEELS:** If you'd like to be a substitute for Meals on Wheels, stop by the Parish Office to fill out the form. They are in need of substitutes.

**HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT:** Clara Barton Hospital & Ellinwood District Hospital will be holding a community meeting to discuss the survey results & the healthcare needs in Barton County on *Thursday, March 19th from 5:30—7:00pm* at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall, 310 Main St. in Clafin. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

**KCFL:** The Kansas Coalition for Life, is in need of more people willing to take part in prayer, sign-holding, & side-walk counseling at the gate of the South Wind Abortion Facility in Wichita, & at the Planned Parenthood Abortion Facility in Overland Park, KS. Shifts are normally one or two hours weekly, but once-per-month, or even once-per-year shifts are also welcome. The point is to have people on-site at all times when the facility is killing unborn children. This clinic has gone from having 2 working abortionists with one that worked only part time, 2 or 3 days a week, to now having SIX abortionists on staff with more than one being on-site most of the time, offering abortions 5 or 6 days a week. Prayers are needed!

**VISITS:** If you have a family member or know of someone in the community who is homebound or in a nursing/assisted living home that would like a visit, call the Parish Office. There are a few parishioners who would like to visit them on a regular basis.

**THIS SUNDAY IS THE DEADLINE TO SIGN UP FOR FATHER'S PARTY!**

St. John's Parish will hold a birthday party for Fr. Eke's birthday (which is on March 18th) on *Sunday, March 22nd in the Parish Hall at 12:00pm*. There's a sign-up sheet in the vestibule for you to sign up if you plan to attend this dinner/party.



# St. John the Evangelist Parish & St. Ann Parish

5th & Main Streets ~ Hoisington, KS

115 Cleveland—Olmitz, KS

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**Office Hours:** Tuesday—Thursday, 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.  
Fridays: 8:00am—2:00pm

**Bulletin Announcements:** Due by noon on Wednesday

**Fourth Sunday of Lent  
March 15th, 2015—Year B**

**Pastor: Fr. Anselm C. Eke, MSP**

Parish Secretary: Loretta Kinman

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

Pastoral Council Pres.: Becky Demel (Hoisington) ; Bob Schneider (Olmitz)

Weekend Masses: Saturday, 5:00pm (Hoisington) ; 7:00pm (Olmitz)

Sunday, 8:00am (Olmitz); 10:00am (Hoisington)

Sacrament of Penance: 4:00p.m to 4:30pm on Saturdays (Hoisington)

6:25pm to 6:55pm on Saturdays (Olmitz)

*There will be no confessions on days that there is a wedding in our church.*

Sacrament of Baptism: Call rectory to schedule an appointment for the  
Baptismal Class.

Sacrament of Marriage: Contact 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.

**CHANGE?** If you have had a change of address, telephone number or email address in the last year or so and we don't have record of that, would you please call the parish office (653-2963) and let us know.

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

In the late 1990's & 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 within the Catholic Diocese of Dodge City. Participation in the program will not only support our seminarians, but we will provide you a plaque or yard sign as a reminder to others to pray for vocations, & 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 620-227-1535 or email him at mroth@dcdiocese.org

**COMPOST 101:**

- Heartland Farm presents: Compost 101. Explore the basics of making your own compost. Build soil fertility naturally & grow a better garden! Want to get a head-start in your garden and save money? Join us Thursday, April 23rd from 6:30-8:30pm. Go home with a bag of aged compost from their alpacas.
- This year, learn to start some of your favorite garden plants indoors and get a jump on the season! Join us on Thursday, March 19th from 6:30-8:30pm.
- Attend either class for \$20 or \$30 for both.
- Make your reservation at 620-923-4585 or email them at hfarm@gbta.net

**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 5pm.
- If there is a funeral in Olmitz on a Thursday or Friday, there will be **NO** daily Mass.
- If there is a Funeral in Olmitz on a Tuesday, there **WILL** still be a Mass in Hoisington at 5:00pm.

**MASS STIPENDS:** Just a reminder that as of May 1, 2014, donations for Mass intentions are now \$10.00.

**Checks are to be made to:** *St. John's Stipend Fund*, even if Masses are to be said in Olmitz.