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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thoughts on Today's Liturgy

Reading 1: Do I draw the light I reflect from Jesus? Is Jesus the light of my life?

Reading 2: Do my loyalties and personal preferences draw me closer to Christ or set me at odds with Him?

Gospel: Reform and welcome the kingdom of heaven

Theme: Come. Follow me.

Sacrament of Reconciliation 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sat.	21	5:00 p.m.	SH	Deceased 4 th Degree K of C	Third Sun. in Ordinary Time
Sun	22	8:30 a.m.	KW	Parishioners	Third Sun. in Ordinary Time
Sun	22	10:30 a.m.	ML	Albert Blahut	Third Sun. in Ordinary Time
Tue	24	9:00 a.m.	ML	Art and Omaha Tatera	
Wed	25	8:30 a.m.	SH	Karol Ricke	
Thur.	26	8:30 a.m.	KW	Ernie & Connie Hoch	
Fri.	27	9:00 a.m.	ML	David Rausch	
Sat.	28	5:00 p.m.	SH	John Dohm	Fourth Sun. in Ordinary Time
Sun	29	8:30 a.m.	KW	Virgil & Allen Dean Unrein	Fourth Sun. in Ordinary Time
Sun	29	10:30 a.m.	ML	Parishioners	Fourth Sun. in Ordinary Time

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

January 28/29 – 5th Sunday

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SHARON 5:00 p.m.	KIOWA 8:30 a.m.	Medicine Lodge 10:30 a.m.
Marilyn Traffas	Danny Archuleta	Mary Ohl
Choir	Choir	Rodney Ringer
Karin Traffas	Anita Patterson	Laura Nittler
Margie Eck	Anita Patterson	Volunteer
Jacque Totty Scott Dohm Marilyn Traffas Eileen Schmidt Carol Ricke	Steve Inslee Yvonne Harbaugh John Forester	John Hagood Joe Hagood Chad Boyce Mike Rogers Barbara Hagood
Brandon Fischer Jacob Eck Mindy Wells	Allie Hoch	Kyla Alojacin Karlyle Alogacin Jhayla Alojacin
Ruth/Kathy	Donita Ragan	Ruth/Kathy
	Roberts Family	Herb/Norma Durant
Jacque Totty	Linda Puliam/ Danny Archuleta	John Hagood
John Hern		Jerome Ricke
	Carl Helfrich/ Paul Harbaugh	

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

February 4/5 – 1st Sunday

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	SHARON 5:00 p.m.	KIOWA 8:30 a.m.	Medicine Lodge 10:30 a.m.
Lector	Marilyn Traffas	Danny Archuleta	Mary Ohl
CANTOR	Choir	Choir	Rodney Ringer
Lector	Karin Traffas	Anita Patterson	Laura Nittler
GEN INT	Margie Eck	Anita Patterson	Volunteer
OEM	Jacque Totty Scott Dohm Marilyn Traffas Eileen Schmidt Carol Ricke	Steve Inslee Yvonne Harbaugh John Forester	John Hagood Joe Hagood Chad Boyce Mike Rogers Barbara Hagood
SERVERS	Brandon Fischer Jacob Eck Mindy Wells	Allie Hoch	Kyla Alojacin Karlyle Alogacin Jhayla Alojacin
MUSIC	Ruth/Kathy	Donita Ragan	Ruth/Kathy
GREETER		Roberts Family	Herb/Norma Durant
Sacristan	Jacque Totty	Linda Puliam/ Danny Archuleta	John Hagood
ROSARY	John Hern		Jerome Ricke
Collection		Carl Helfrich/ Paul Harbaugh	

Reflection: Prayer for our Country

The common good calls us together at this time.

As winter's dark hours reveal a new horizon of hope,

We gather to renew a shared purpose

And embark on a new beginning.

We are challenged to move beyond the differences and divisions

Of the past year, the past decades, even the past centuries.

It is time for a new beginning, a time to move into a new future.

Help us all, Lord, to glimpse the grace that marks this time.

Help us to touch the hope that springs from a deep source.

We ask your blessings on our new president & the new administration.

May they work with integrity, discernment and a united purpose.

You call us today to renew our vision of a hopeful future.

We ask your blessings on us all, that we may summon the will to live as a nation united, with consideration for every citizen, concern for the global community and care for God's Creation.

Guide us as we move forward grounded in care for the common good like a river moving from its source to green a parched & brittle land. We ask this of You, Source of All Being, Eternal Word & Holy Spirit. Amen. *Jane Deren*

Prayer Intentions for the Sick and Shut-Ins: Ella Rundle, Alice Burenheide, Edna Swayden, John Dohm, Elizabeth Terry, Lori (Hughes) Wilcox, Gary Noland, Raymond Schmidt, Pete Swingle, Daniel Traffas, Cindy Archuleta

Prayer Intentions: for the members of our parish family who are serving our country in the armed forces.

For the Faithful Departed: Dennis Hammersmith, Dwayne Kruckenberg, Luke Hendricks, Fern Beckerman, Omaha Tatera, Agnes Eck, Larry Traffas, William (Bill) Hitchcock, John Ditgen, Dave Rausch, Albert Blahut, Richard Jaso, Gene Garrett, Max Rynerson, Floyd Spade, Elizabeth Schreiner and the souls in Purgatory. May they rest in perfect peace, Amen

Parish News:

Website Sponsorships Available!

- In the weeks ahead, our parish representative from Solutio, Inc., will be setting up the advertising for our website for the year.
- Please consider participating in this effort since the revenue from the ads is what makes the website possible at **no cost** to the parish.
- It's a great way to get your name in front of the families in the parish. Advertisements may be purchased for a business, family memorial, or you can sponsor an ad supporting Catholic Charities, Knights of Columbus, Vocations, etc.
- Please give these ideas some thought. We need and appreciate your help! If you are interested or just

curious as to prices and want more information:
620.765.4361 or Sponsorship@SolutioSoftware.com.

K OF C FREE THROW CONTEST: January 22, Sunday, 1:00 p.m.: Sharon, at the Learning Center Gym; Medicine Lodge, at the high school gym.
2:00 p.m. at South Barber K-6 School. See website: www.barbercountycatholic.org. Regionals will be February 5 in Harper

VOCATION VIEWS: "We have found the Messiah!" After his encounter with Jesus, St. Andrew goes first to find his brother Peter to also bring him to Christ. Do not be afraid to bring others to Christ as well! (*John 1:41*). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at www.dcdiocese.org/vocations

THEO 4881 Music and Liturgy 1 hour course Jan 25, Feb 1, 8, 15 Instructors: Gerard Chiusano, Fr Frank Cody, Fr Bob Schremmer. **Register:** Contact cstein@dcdiocese.org

Parish School of Religion:

Holy Rosary: Class: January 25- 7:00 p.n.

St John the Apostle: January 22-Celebrate Confirmation

St Boniface: January 18 – 6:30 p.m. HS at 7:00 p.m.

AN INVITATION: The St. John Nepomuk Catholic Church and School, Yukon, OK, in the Oklahoma City, OK Archdiocese would like to invite members in the Dodge City Diocese to attend their 2017 Parish Mission. David Haas will be performing a concert on Friday, February 10th at 7pm and continuing with an all day mission on Saturday, February 11th from 9am - 8pm. Lunch will be provided with a \$10 cost. Please RSVP at www.sjnok.org or text mission2017 to 555888

"In our parish those who wish to receive Communion place a host in the ciborium at the entrance to the church (*which then gets taken up at offertory along with the wine*)" The core of Sunday Eucharist is the taking, blessing, breaking and sharing of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ in the bread and wine. This theological & liturgical understanding is most nourishing to mind, body & soul. "The Church's magisterium has several times expressed a strong preference for 'that more perfect form of participation in the Mass by which the faithful, after the priest's Communion, receive the Lord's Body from the same Sacrifice' (*see the General Instruction of the Roman Missal, No. 13*). Thus, insofar as possible the faithful should receive Communion from hosts consecrated during the Mass itself and not just receive from the tabernacle. "This practice requires a greater effort on the part of the priest and those who assist him in preparing the celebration. It is usually achievable after a while as the number of communicants at most parishes is fairly regular. "A sufficient number of hosts should be reserved in the tabernacle to ensure that none ever be deprived of Communion due to miscalculation. And it will be sometimes necessary to use the tabernacle in order to renew the reserved hosts." (*stolen & adapted from ewtn*)