

# Catholic Churches of Barber County, Kansas

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June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Tenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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## Thoughts on Today's Liturgy

**Reading 1:** Genesis 3:9-15 "I will put enmity between your offspring and her offspring."

**Reading 2:** 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 "We too believe and therefore we speak."

**Gospel:** Mark 3:20-35 "It is the end of Satan."

## Mass Schedule and Intentions

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|-----------|----|------------|----|---------------------------------------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------------------|
| Saturday  | 08 | 5:00 p.m.  | ML | For an increase in Religious Vocations in the Diocese of Dodge City |   | Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time                |
| Sunday    | 09 | 8:30 a.m.  | KW | Conrad & Hilda Fischer                                              | ✠ | Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time                |
| Sunday    | 09 | 10:30 a.m. | SH | Ron Noland                                                          | ✠ | Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time                |
| Tuesday   | 11 | 8:30 a.m.  | ML | Ruth Blick                                                          | ✠ | Tuesday of Tenth the Week of Ordinary Time   |
| Wednesday | 12 | 6:00 p.m.  | ML | John Dohm                                                           | ✠ | Wednesday of the Tenth Week of Ordinary Time |
| Thursday  | 13 | 8:30 a.m.  | KW | Helen Eck                                                           | ✠ | Thursday of the Tenth Week of Ordinary Time  |
| Friday    | 14 | 8:30 a.m.  | SH | Sandy Ricke                                                         | ✠ | Friday of the Tenth Week of Ordinary Time    |
| Saturday  | 15 | 5:00 p.m.  | ML | Ruth Ann Simon                                                      | ✠ | Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time             |
| Sunday    | 16 | 8:30 a.m.  | KW | Londa Fischer                                                       | ✠ | Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time             |
| Sunday    | 16 | 10:30 a.m. | SH | Robert Thieme                                                       | ✠ | Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time             |

## Sacrament of Reconciliation is available 30 Minutes Before Each Mass

In our gospel reading of the day, we encounter Jesus who came home with his disciples to bring the word of life to his people. Even though the crowd gathered around him, they didn't allow themselves to be permeated by the Spirit of God and be fed with and by the Word of Jesus who was in their midst. All they could do was to find fault with him, accusing him of being possessed by Beelzebul, the prince of demons. By their own pronouncement, they brought curses upon themselves. Jesus said to them, **"Amen, I say to you, all sins and blasphemes that people utter will be forgiven them. But whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will never have forgiveness, but is guilty of everlasting sin."**

What is our reaction towards the good deeds of others? How often do we not speak ill of people who genuinely come in the name of God to bring us the good news? Do we listen and accept the message of God with open hearts for our lives to be transformed, or do we pass judgment on men of God? We may call ourselves Christians but our true Christian identity lies in accepting the word of God in true hearts and allowing them to bear fruit in us in good deeds. That is the only way we can prove our relationship with Jesus. Jesus said to the crowd, "Who is my mother and my brothers?" And looking around at those seated in the circle he said, "Here are is mother and my brothers. For whoever does the will of God is my brother and my sister and my mother." Are you truly related to Jesus? How do you treat his words? Are you just one of the crowds who gather around him? Let us be aware that Mary became his mother by accepting the word of God spoken to her by the angel and allowing the word of God to become flesh in her womb. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God in him. -Father Emmanuel

## CHURCH NEWS

- **Totus Tuus:** Totus Tuus, the parish summer catechetical program, will return to Sharon this summer. Plans are being made for the session at St. Boniface to be held on July 7-12. Students from all three parishes who are entering grades 1st through 12th are invited to attend. Mark your calendars and save those dates. Join us for some summer catechetical fun!!! Further information to follow!!!
- **Diocesan Eucharistic Congress:** All are invited to attend the Diocesan Eucharistic Congress (bilingual) September 13-15, 2024 at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Dodge City. The weekend will include prayer, adoration, witness talks, the Holy Mass, an outdoor Eucharistic Procession and more. There will be a special youth event as well. For more information or to register, please visit <https://www.dcdiocese.org/40hours>
- **Dechant Foundation Golf Classic for Priest Retirement.** Join us at Mariah Hills Golf Course in Dodge City. This 4-person scramble will be Friday September 6, with shotgun start at 10:30 am. Not a golfer? There are sponsorship opportunities, learn more at [dcdiocese.org/dechant](https://dcdiocese.org/dechant) or email [ehaselhorst@dcdiocese.org](mailto:ehaselhorst@dcdiocese.org)

## PRAYER INTENTIONS

### For the Sick and Shut-Ins:

Edna Swayden, Karma Redgate, Isaac Venters, Theo Miller, Rayann Rucker, Ken Ricke, Jim Pulliam, Kelli Young, Lennes Rankin, Adalynn Amerin, Ralph & Myra Dick, Eileen Schmidt, John Eck, Juanita Ricke, Hugh Rankin, and Mary Eck.

### For the Faithful Departed:

Bill Nittler, Beatrice Ricke, Ruth Blick, John Dohm, Ruth Ann Simon, Randy Ricke, Roger Ringer, Helen Eck, Sandy Ricke, Kelly Capansky and all the souls in Purgatory. May they rest in perfect peace.

### For the Military:

Triston Boor, Austin Stull, Jackson Petit, Christopher Coggins, Dylan Allison, Sheldon Hart, Luke Fisher, Michael Castaneda.

## **Ministry Schedule for June 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>**

| Week 3                | St. Boniface                    | St. John the Apostle                                   | Holy Rosary                                      |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Lector 1              | Marilyn Traffas                 | Bev Miller                                             | John Hagood                                      |
| Cantor                | Choir                           | Choir                                                  | Cheri Dohrmann                                   |
| Lector 2              | Randie Landwehr                 | Danny Archuleta                                        | John Hagood                                      |
| General Intercessions | Lane Crenner/Mason Eck          | Danny Archuleta                                        | Volunteer                                        |
| Eucharistic Ministers | Anne Schreiner<br>Karin Traffas | Marlene Kruckenberg<br>Rick Hitchcock<br>Cindy Summers | Brandon Warner<br>Barbara Hagood<br>Jerome Ricke |
| Servers               | Dexton Schmidt<br>Lane Crenner  | Volunteer                                              | Jhayla Alojacin                                  |
| Musician              | Kathy Dohm                      | Nikki Brattin                                          | Kathy Dohm                                       |
| Greeters              |                                 |                                                        | Roger and Twila Angell                           |
| Sacristan             | Lawrence Smith                  | Bev Miller                                             | Brandon Warner/Volunteer                         |
| Rosary                | Shirley Ditgen                  |                                                        | Jerome Ricke                                     |

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