SEPTEMBER 21, 2025 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Catholic Communities of Meade County

St. John the Baptist Church
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PO Box 1207 · Meade, KS 67864 St. Anthony Church Catholic Radio, 88.3 FM P.O. Box 80 · Fowler, KS 67844 St. Patrick Church
Pastor: Fr. James Dieker, 620-575-5520 PO Box 247 · Plains, KS 67869

Date	Time	Loca- tion	Mass	Intention	Notes
Sun. 09/21	8:30 AM	Meade	The 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	+Roger Haberman (Cindy)	
Sun. 09/21	10:30 AM	Fowler	The 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Las Almas Mas Necesidades (Sonia Miramontes)	
Sun. 09/21	1:00 PM	Plains	The 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	For the Parishioners	Spanish
Mon. 09/22	No Mass		No Mass		
Tue. 09/23	6:00 PM	Meade	St. Pio of Pietrelcina, Priest	For an end to abortion	
Wed. 09/24	12:05 PM	Fowler	Week day in Ordinary Time	For the elderly in our Parish (Dee Dee Dewell)	
Thu. 09/25	8:30 AM	Plains	Week Day in Ordinary Time	+Edward Dorner (Ron & Rosemary Jirak)	
Thu. 09/25	3:30 PM	Lone Tree	Week Day in Ordinary Time	For World Peace	
Fri. 09/26	8:30 AM	Plains	Ss. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs	+Teresa Garza (Dolores Amerin)	
Fri. 09/26	6:00 PM	Plains	Ss. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs	For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life	Spanish
Sat. 09/27	8:30 AM	Meade	St. Vincent de Paul, Priest	+Bob Haberman (Ray & Jenny Amerin)	
Sat. 09/27	5:30 PM	Plains	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	For the Parishioners	
Sun 09/28	8:30 AM	Meade	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	+Jean McCulloch (Dick & Brenda Knott)	
Sun. 09/28	10:30 AM	Fowler	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	+Tim Beckerman (Rita Bergkamp)	
Sun. 09/28	1:00 PM	Plains	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Por las Almas Que Mas la Necesiten	Spanish

Sacrament of Reconciliation—30 minutes before Mass

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		PLAINS—SEPT. 27	MEADE—SEPT. 28	FOWLER—SEPT. 28		
	LECTOR	Ron	Andra C.	Sarah Lauppe, Judy Dewell		
	SERVERS	Juanluis, Penelope, Leslie	Michael W. (Adult Volunteer)	Molly Harris, John Milford		
	GREETERS	Jason & Kerri Vajnar	Koons Family	Grant & Tia Harris		
	EUCH MIN	Terry, Suzanne	Lisa K., Vince K.	Steve Dewell, Dave Weber		
	MUSIC	Martha	Terence M.	Karen McDowell, Cathy Heinz, Jan		
	USHERS			Grant Harris, Dustin Hamilton		
-	ROSARY	Bob	(Volunteer)	Randy Leis		
	COLLECTION	Kathy J.	Koons Family	Judy Dewell		

If you are unable to fulfill your obligation, please find someone to take your place.

HOMEBOUND: If you would like Communion brought to you at home, or have someone in the hospital, please notify Father at 620-575-5520.

<u>SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:</u> Couples anticipating marriage are asked to contact their parish priest as soon as possible so preparation can begin.

The dioceses of Kansas prefer at least 6 months notice; 4 months is required.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED IN OUR PARISH?: If you are new, we welcome you and would like to get to know you. You can register on our website.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please send any items for the bulletin to the Fowler Rectory, or stanthonyfowler@gmail.com no later than THURSDAY noon.

Parish News & Events

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell?

9-07-2025/ 9-14-2025						
	Fowler	Fowler Meade				
Envelopes	\$1370.00	\$675.00	\$690.00			
Offertory	\$185.00	\$137.05	\$267.00			
Youth	\$20.00	\$8.00	\$.00			
Bldg. Online	\$.00	\$.00	\$250.00			
Online	\$80.00	\$230.00	\$250.00			
Bldg. Fund	\$25.00	\$375.00	\$30.00			
Candles	\$.00	\$25.00	\$.00			
Rent:	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00			
memorial:	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00			
Assumption:	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00			
Total	\$1680.00	\$1455.05	\$1487.00			

The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 21, 2025 "No servant can serve two masters. You cannot serve God and mammon." (Luke 16:13)

A vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life is a call to single-hearted service to God. If you think you have a vocation to one of these, then talk to your priest or reach out the Vocation office at (620) 227-1535 or via email: vocations@dcdiocese.org

Diocesan Youth Ministry Fall Events:

What: Holy Fire, hosted by EQ Saints, NFCYM, and Diocese of Salina Who: **Middle School** (6th—8th grade) When: **November 1st** from 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM (includes weekend obligatory Mass.

Where: Hays, KS. Beach Schmidt Performing Arts Center. Cost: Early Bird pricing is \$59.90 per student (lunch included, transportation, not included). Price increase after October 8.

What: **Forte Catholic**, with Taylor Schroll Who: **High School** When: **November 5,** 7 PM—9PM Where: COLG

ENCOUNTER WITH GOD'S CALL: High School juniors through college age men are invited to attend at Conception Seminary College, November 14–16. It is an opportunity to experience life at a seminary. To register, please contact Father John Stang.

Protecting God's Children via Zoom-English on Sunday, September 28, 2025 from 2-5 PM. Contact Yolanda Perez 620-227-1500.

Parish APP: myParish app for "Meade County Catholic" and @Facebook @ "Catholic Churches of Meade County"

OCIA: Order of Catholic Initiation of Adults will be held on Sunday, September 21st, at 7:00 PM in the Forst Center in Meade.

The Holy Father continues to call for a cease fire and for aid to enter the territory, noting with great sorrow that 'Gaza is starving," and encouraged the bishops to consider the special collection in their dioceses at their earliest opportunity. Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio, president of the USCCB, said, "The situation in Gaza and across the Middle East cries out for the assistance of the Catholic community of the United States."

How to Help: Donate online — English Form: http://crs.org/gazacrisisDonate online — Spanish Form: https://www.crs.org/es/ crisis-gaza Donate by phone: 1-877-HELP-CRS

Donate by check: Catholic Relief Services, Holy Land Response, P.O. Box 5278, Tipton, IA 52772-0517

<u>MATRIMONY ANNIVERSARY MASS</u>—honoring those couples of the Diocese who are observing their 5th, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 50+ anniversaries at 3:00 PM on October 19 at COLG! A light meal follows the liturgy in the Holy Family Social Center. Please register by October 10th to attend the meal.

Announcements for Plains

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: There will be Adoration from 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM on Wednesday. PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY: Prayer for our Country will

be at 5:30 PM on Sunday.

Announcements for Meade

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: There will be Adoration from 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM on Friday.

PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY: Prayer for our Country is on Friday during Adoration.

PLEASE COME JOIN US! We will be having a picnic in the Meade City Park on Sunday, September 21! We will be gathering around 5:30 pm and eat hopefully by 6:00 PM-ish with hamburgers, hotdogs and homemade ice cream. Everything will be provided – just come enjoy an evening with our Church Family! We look forward to our gathering!

Announcements for Fowler

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Monday from **3:00** -5:30 PM.

PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY will be at 5:30 PM on Mon-

GET READY... St. Anthony Religious Education class enrollment is now open for students PreK-12th grade! If you would like your child to attend please text Pam Milford 620-385-0852 or email pamelaannmilford@gmail.com.

PreK-6th will begin Wednesday, October 15th.

7th-12th grade will be contacted by their teacher for their specific class dates. We can't wait to see you!

WOMENS BIBLE STUDY: Fall session, Monday, Oct. 6-Nov. 24, 6:30-8:00pm in the Parish Center. We will read and discuss the Acts of the Apostles using a study guide available for \$10 each. Women of all ages are invited. Sign up with Dee Dee Dewell at 316 -755-5633.