

Saint Andrew Parish

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...September 28 ~ October 5, 2014

Sunday	9:00am	Intentions of Parishioners
Tuesday	8:00am	Marilyn Grasser
Wednesday	8:00am	Robert E. Butler
Thursday	8:00am	Ignatius Strecker
Friday	8:00am	Special Intention
Sunday	9:00am	Intentions of Parishioners

MANNA HOUSE...basket is in the vestibule by the east bulletin board. We may place non-perishable food items and other useful items such as toiletries in the basket. Manna House, dedicated to Christian service, proclaims the dignity and worth of each person and responds to their needs, striving to show them the compassion of Christ. We appreciate Mandy Phelps who sees to getting our donations from the basket to the Manna House.

PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES...have finally arrived. They are available in the vestibule.

THE ROSARY...will be led by the Knights before weekday masses during the month of October.

SAINT ANDREW SERVES FRIENDSHIP FEAST...Wednesday, October 1st. We appreciate Betty Burkhart, Blaine Venters, Marilyn Kolbeck, & Kathleen Lutz for representing St. Andrew in this corporal work of mercy, feed the hungry. Friendship Feast provides a noon meal Monday – Friday at the 1st Presbyterian Church, Dodge City. Saint Andrew serves the meal that has been prepared on the first Wednesday of each month. For more information contact Blaine Venters: 225-5520, blainerson@live.com.

RELIGIOUS FORMATION...for all ages gathers again this Wednesday, October 1st, 7pm, in the Parish Center. We begin with a meal and then gather in age groups. We will conclude at 8:30pm. Child care is provided. The meal this Wednesday is provided by the Knights of Columbus. Future meetings: October 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th; November 12th, 19th; and December 3rd & 10th. Remember this is for all ages. We all have something to learn and something to share. Child care is provided. You are invited! Please plan on being with us!

RCIA INQUIRY...meets weekly, Thursdays, 6:30pm, St. Augustine Room at the Cathedral. It's not too late to become part of Inquiry. More information: Fr. Bob, rschremmer@dcdiocese.org, 227-3363 or 227-1555 or Sister Janice, jgrochowsky@dcdiocese.org, 227-1527.

YOUTH GROUP...will do a 5k prayer run, today, Sunday, September 28th, starting at 6:30pm. Start at the Parish Center. You can walk, jog, run whatever you please while visiting the various mysteries of the rosary and their bible references. Sponsored by the Youth Group for the youth but everyone is invited to participate. Snacks and drinks at the Parish Center. Questions, call Erin King, 408-7657.

KEEPING OUR PARISH SAFE...is the goal of Protecting God's Children Awareness Sessions. Everyone working with children and youth are required to participate in a session. There are a few sessions coming up: October 4th, 3-6pm, Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, St. Monica Room. October 12th, 10am – 1pm, St. Anthony Parish Center, 411 4th St., Fowler. Also on October 4th, 9am – 12noon, St. Mary Parish Center, 509 St. John St., Garden City. No registration. No fee. Thank you for helping keep our Parish a safe and sacred place for children and youth and for all.

ALTAR SOCIETY...meets Monday, October 6th, 7pm, Parish Center. Hostesses are JoAnn Schaffer and Kate Helfrich. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend these meetings each month, but especially Commission Chairs and Social Chairs are encouraged to attend this particular meeting to learn more about their roles.

COLUMBUS DAY BREAKFAST...hosted by the Wright K of C will follow mass October 12th. The proceeds will go to assist people with intellectual disabilities. Everyone is welcome. Please plan on stopping by the Parish Center for breakfast following mass on the 12th. The Knights are once again selling Kansas Religious Education Fund raffle tickets. Only a limited number of tickets have been allocated to St. Andrew Council for sale. Contact Pete Weil to purchase a chance.

K OF C...meet Monday, October 13th, 7:45pm, Parish Center.

FINANCE COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, October 14th, 6pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

PASTORAL COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, October 14th, 7pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

2014 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS...will be celebrated Sunday, October, 19th, 3pm, at the Cathedral. Bishop Brungardt invites couples celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th and more years in 2014, and guests to this annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass and dinner. Please register by October 13th at www.dcdiocese.org (click on icon found on homepage).

ANNUAL SCRIPTURE DAY...Thursday, October 30th, 9:30am – 3:30pm. Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The Book of Job and Beyond – God and the Mystery of Human Suffering -- Father Robin Ryan, CP. Turning on the news, we are confronted with tragedy, pain, and suffering. Do you see the God of the Bible as one who suffers with a suffering people?

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION...is available 8:30am Sunday; following weekday masses; upon request whenever possible; and always by appointment.

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED...what to do with old religious articles that have been blessed: perhaps old crucifixes, broken rosaries, chipped statues, worn prayer books/bibles, etc.? There is a box in the vestibule of church where you may place such articles. Any that cannot be salvaged/repared and shared will be given a good proper burial. The box will be in place until the last Sunday of October. Hold on to your old blessed palms from Palm Sunday. We will collect those before Ash Wednesday.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT...for September 21st: \$1,695.00.00 in envelopes; \$72.00 in loose; \$125.00 electronically, \$150.00. Thank you to the generous, faithful and sacrificial stewards that support the life and ministry of Saint Andrew Parish, the Diocese of Dodge City, and the Universal Church. We also received \$210.00 for the Marilyn Grasser Memorial; \$25 for the Doris Salmans Memorial; and \$250 in memory of Joe McLaughlin..

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 5th, 2014

Music Ministry: Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Hattie Stein

Lectors: Ken Stein & Greg Lix

Servers: Alexandria Phelps & Audrey Phelps

Gifts: Pam McMillan

Communion: Regina Lix, Sara Smith, Diane Lix, Elaine Slattery, Maurice Bleumer

Greeters: Chuck & Carol Correll

Collection: Jason Sanko & Ruth Morton (*for October*)

Rosary: Gary Stein