

Saint Andrew Parish

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...May 17 ~ May 24, 2015

Sunday	9:00am	Norbert & Clara Irsik
Sunday	9:00am	Vernon Lix

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 thank Mandy Phelps for seeing that our donations get to the Manna House.

GRADUATES... Mass is today. We are grateful for this opportunity to pray with and for our graduates as we congratulate them on their accomplishment and bless them and their future endeavors. Congratulations to and blessings upon Reegan Kliesen, Brian Downey, Melanie Alvarez, and Isabella Guerrero!

A RECEPTION FOR THE GRADUATES... follows Mass this morning. Please stop by the Parish Center on your way home to congratulate our graduates and share fellowship and refreshment. We thank the Youth Commission for providing this opportunity for us.

TENDING THE TALENTS TEAM... will meet this morning in the Parish Center following the reception.

NEXT SUNDAY... is Pentecost Sunday and the Sunday we nominate parishioners to consider offering their name to the Parish to serve on various commissions of the Parish. One may also nominate one's self to serve. Let us continue to ask the Spirit's guidance.

SUMMER CAMPS... provide four days of fun with friends and time to focus on your Catholic faith. Registration fee is \$220.00 which includes a T-shirt, 8 meals, lodging and all the program activities. The first camp is June 1-4 for 5th and 6th grade students for the past 2014-2015 school term. The second camp will be for 7th & 8th graders for the 2014-2015 school term, June 15-18. All camps will be held in Scott City at Camp Lakeside. Registration forms: www.dcdioocese.org/youth. Registration deadline is May 22nd for the first session and June 5th for the second. For more information contact Steven Polley, 620-408-8342, spolley@dcdioocese.org.

JUAN SALAS... is a seminarian for our diocese. Juan will be ordained Deacon in the Cathedral on Saturday, May 30th, 10am. All are invited to the Ordination Mass and the fiesta that follows in the Cathedral Social Hall. Let us keep Juan in our prayer.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AND COLLEGE TRANSFER STUDENTS... get connected with the Catholic community at your new college home this Fall. No matter where you're going (community college, Catholic college, state university), give your new parish or Catholic Center a "heads up" so you can be invited to continue and enrich your Catholic life. High school seniors, transfer students, parents, grandparents, godparents can complete the online College Connection form at www.dcdioocese.org/vocations. Deadline is June 1st. Some of the greatest activity in the Catholic Church today is centered on college campuses.

BOYS ENTERING 6th, 7th, 8th GRADES... are invited to an unforgettable weekend at Companion Camp 2015! Learn about your faith, play games, meet seminarians and monks at a Benedictine monastery at Conception, Mo. When: June 19-21 Cost: \$100. The Diocese will have transportation for 17 boys. Register with the Vocations Office at 620-227-1530 by June 1st.

SERVER TRAINING...for those interested serving at the altar during mass will follow the Sunday Mass June 7th and 21st. Veteran Servers are welcome and encouraged to participate as well.

SAINT ANDREW WILL NOT SERVE FRIENDSHIP FEAST...on Wednesday, June 3rd. There is a youth group who will be serving that Wednesday. St. Andrew will resume serving the first Wednesday of each month in July.

NCYC YOUTH...are having a garage sale in June. If you have anything to donate please contact the families listed here, they will be happy to pick up your items. Davis-620-682-5917, Phelps-620-253-1100, Sanchez-620-253-0230, Strecker-620-357-5286, Askew-620-682-5497.

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

STEWARDSHIP REPORT...for May 10th: \$2, 645.00 in envelopes; \$149.00 in loose; \$600.00 in electronic giving; \$25.00 to Saint Bonaventure Mission and School. Thank you to all our faithful stewards who share of their resources generously and sacrificially to support the life and mission of the Church, here in our parish, in our diocese, and throughout the world.

I will be away from the Parish Monday – Friday. During my absence, Father Rene Labrador of Spearville has agreed to be available for any emergencies, including funerals, which may arise. You may contact him at the Spearville Rectory, 620-385-2212. In the eventuality of a funeral arising, Hattie Stein (227-2607) and Sister Janice (227-1527) are available to help prepare and coordinate. --- Father Bob

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, Pentecost Sunday, May 24, 2015

Music Ministry: Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Choir

Lectors: Jean Downey & Maurice Bluemer

Servers: Reegan Kliesen & Taige Kliesen

Gifts: Maurice Bleumer

Communion: Ken Stein, Mindy Stegman, Ray Theis, Elaine Slattery, Sheila McCarty

Greeters: Jay & Kim Theis

Collection: William Helfrich & Jim Burke (*for May*)

Rosary: Ray Theis

Fort Dodge Transportation: Rick & Joann Schafer

May God's blessing follow you,
Reegan, Brian, Melanie, and Isabella,
as you find new journeys to travel.
May you walk safely along the pathways of your dreams.
May the Lord's gentle hand guide the decisions you will make
and the passions that you follow.
May your hearts and lives always reflect God's love.
May faith always be a comfort for you and a challenge to you.
May hope be a light within you that you carry into each new day.

**As members of St. Andrew Parish
we desire to live in faithful relationship with God and each other.**

**Our mission is to provide a supportive faith community
where the message of the Lord unfolds and takes root within and among us
...as we celebrate the sacraments of God's love as a worshipping community;
...as we grow in knowledge and understanding of the Word and Church Teaching;
...as our Christian concern branches out in service to others.**