

Saint Andrew Parish

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...June 28 ~ July 5, 2015

Sunday	9:00am	Angie Mages
Wednesday	8:00am	Peggy Theis
Thursday	8:00am	Doris Salmans
Friday	8:00am	Carmon Lix
Sunday	9:00am	Louise Downey

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.

SAINT ANDREW SERVES FRIENDSHIP FEAST...July 1st and August 5th. There is a sign-up sheet on the shelf in the southeast corner of the vestibule of church for more information contact Blaine Venters: 225-5520, blainerson@live.com.

READY FOR A RECHARGE...Does God really have a plan for your life...Is Catholicism still relevant...What does this mean for our relationships and our families? JOIN US to discuss these questions and many more! Adult religious formation is hosting a book study and discussion group using "Rediscovering Catholicism" by Matthew Kelly. Meetings will be held six **Wednesday nights, 7:30pm**, for one hour, **Parish Center, beginning July 1st**. Your individual copy of "Rediscovering Catholicism" will be provided. For more details and to register, please contact Mary Beth Helfrich at 620-255-3535. Be energized! Invite someone!

RCIA INQUIRY...will meet Thursday, July 2nd, 6:30pm, Parish Center.

TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST...is a spiritual movement for incoming sophomores through seniors in high school and young adults. A TEC will be held July 11th -13th, St. Dominic Church, Garden City. Register online at www.dcdiocese.org, click on "Youth" and look for the TEC form on the right side. Through lively discussion, fun activities and making new friends you will encounter Christ in a new and special way. For information, call Steven Polley, 225-1540. Deadline to register is Monday, July 6th.

COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL GUYS...join our seminarians for a round of Frisbee Golf, Saturday, July 18th, 10am – 12:30pm, Chilton Park, Dodge City (along Manor Drive). Lunch will be provided by the Dodge City Knights of Columbus.

A NEW ANNUAL PARISH DIRECTORY...will soon be in the making. If you have changes to your information that is in the present Directory, please submit them to Regina Lix, regina.lix@gmail.com.

WRIGHT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT...is looking for volunteers that would be willing to help elderly or chronically ill community members with their yard work or minor fixes when they are unable. If you would be available call Hattie Stein, 620-339-4543, and your name will be added to the list.

POPE FRANCIS...issued his encyclical, "On Care of Our Common Home" (Laudato Si). If you would like to see an overview, please visit <http://www.adw.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/06/2-Overview-of-Laudato-Si.pdf>. If you would like the whole encyclical, visit www.dcdiocese.org. Perhaps a good summary of the encyclical is found at the very end, where the Holy Father writes: *We must regain the conviction that we need one another, that we have a shared responsibility for others and the world, and that being good and decent are worth it.*

BISHOP HARTMAYER...of Savannah, Georgia presents the Church's position regarding the recent Supreme Court Decision: *The decision of the Supreme Court is primarily a declaration of civil rights and not a redefinition of marriage as the Church teaches. This judgment does not dispense either those who may approve or disapprove of this decision from the obligations of civility toward one another. Nor is it a license for more venomous language or vile behavior against those whose opinions differ from our own.*

The Church continues to hold to the unique meaning of marriage as the union of one man and one woman as inscribed in our bodies as male and female. The Church, prizing freedom of conscience and Constitutional guarantees of the free exercise of religion, will continue to teach this ideal and uphold it in our religious practices.

Families headed by same-sex couples are growing in number and visibility. These families deserve love, respect, compassion, sensitivity and, where appropriate, pastoral care from the Church. Respectful coexistence is possible with those with differing values. As far as the civil law is concerned, the courts have spoken. The Church continues to proclaim the ideal of sacramental marriage and to encourage people to be persons of good will toward all, rejecting persecution of any kind based on race, ethnicity, religious belief or non-belief, and differences in sexual orientation.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT...for June 21st: \$2,582.00 in envelopes; \$55.00 in loose; \$125.00 in electronic giving; \$20.00 to St. Bonaventure School & Mission; \$760.00 from the Youth Garage Sale Fundraiser; and \$2,582.00 for the Cemetery Project.

CALLED TO SERVE AS THEY LEAD...

Sunday June 14th we call forth these leaders to serve our Parish on our Commissions:

Liturgy Commission:	Kim Theis
Vocations Commission:	John Askew
Religious Formation Commission:	Mary Beth Helfrich
Youth Social Commission:	Mindy Downey
Property Commission:	Giles Issinghoff & Kevin Tieben

We thank Kim, John, Mary Beth, Mindy, Giles, and Kevin for being willing to serve and lead as commission members. Let us remember them in prayer asking God to bless them with vision, patience, and energy.

ALL THOSE GOING OFF, COMING ON, AND STAYING ON COMMISSIONS...will meet Wednesday, July 22nd, 6pm, in the Parish Center for dinner and then for short organizational meetings including organizing our Pastoral Council for 2015-2016.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 5, 2015

Music Ministry: Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Hattie Stein

Lectors: Gary Stein & Maurice Bleumer

Servers: Clay Weil & Couy Weil

Gifts: Chuck Correll

Communion: Mindy Stegman, Ray Theis, Elaine Slattery, Sheila McCarty, & Diane Lix

Greeters: Michael & Mandy Phelps & family

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

Rosary: Jay Theis

Fort Dodge Transportation: Jim Burke

“Rediscovering Catholicism” begins this Wednesday, July 1st, 7:30pm, for one hour, Parish Center. For more information and to register: contact Mary Beth Helfrich at 620-255-3535. Walk-ins welcome.