

Saint Andrew Parish

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...November 8 ~ 15, 2015

Sunday	9:00am	Louise Downey
Wednesday	8:00am	Leon Brady
Thursday	8:00am	Leon & Pat Vogel
Friday	9:00am	Special Intention [<i>Halsey Hall ~ Fort Dodge</i>]
Sunday	9:00am	Charles Helfrich

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.

2015-2016 PARISH DIRECTORY...is available in the vestibule of church. We thank Regina Lix and all who helped her prepare this very handy and useful gift. Every effort was made to have all information correct, but if there is a mistake, please let us know 227-3363 or rschremmer@dcdioocese.org.

THERE'S A GIFT FOR YOU....in east side of the vestibule: A copy of Matthew Kelley's "Rediscovering Catholicism". There is one for each registered family. If you cannot find yours, please let Father Bob know. The Religious Formation Commission trusts that we will find it rewarding reading. It will form the jumping off place for our Religious Formation in the new year.

LECTORS...may pick up their Lector's Workbook for the new liturgical year that begins on November 29th. The Workbooks are found on the table in the vesting room off the east side of the church vestibule. We thank you for your faithful proclamation of God's Word.

OUR BOOK OF THE DEAD...is in the vestibule of church in front of the processional cross. In this book, we may write the names of loved ones who have died this past year and in past years. In this way we call them to mind, remember them in prayer, and seek to be united with them in prayer. The book remains through November 22nd.

K OF C MEMORIAL VESPERS...is today, Sunday, November 8th, 5pm, in church. Lunch and time for visiting will follow in the parish center. Widows of deceased Knights and all Knights and their families are invited to attend. Please join us for this time to honor our deceased brother knights.

K OF C...meet Monday, November 9th, 7:45pm, Parish Center.

FINANCE COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, November 10th, 6pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

PASTORAL COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, November 10th, 7pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

RELIGIOUS FORMATION...resumes this Wednesday, November 11th, 7 – 8:30pm, Parish Center. We will have the first of a two-part family event: the Merciful Family. This is in preparation for Pope Francis' Year of Mercy which begins on December 8th. Please be with us for this "family event". Our meal to begin the evening will be provided by the K of C. Religious Formation is for all ages. Everyone has something to learn and something to share. To miss a little is to miss a lot. For more information, please contact Regina Lix, our parish DRE, 227-4542, grlix13@gmail.com. It is never too late to join in the activities of Religious Formation.

SENIOR CITIZENS THANKSGIVING MEAL...is Thursday Nov. 12th, 6pm, Wright Senior Center, 10891 Main. Turkey and the trimmings will be furnished. Please bring side dishes.

RCIA INQUIRY...continues meeting weekly on Thursdays, 6:30-8pm, Saint Augustine Room, Cathedral, 3231 N. 14th. For more information contact Coleen Stein, 227-1538, cstein@dcdiocese.org, or Sister Janice Grochowsky, 227-1527, jgrochowsky@dcdiocese.org.

WE CELEBRATE SAINT ANDREW...our Patron next Sunday, November 15th, with our 9am Sunday Mass. Andrew's Feast Day is November 30th. With the 22nd being the Feast of Christ the King and the 29th being the First Sunday of Advent, next Sunday is the closest "open" Sunday for us to celebrate our Patron. It is also appropriate that we will celebrate the Rite of Acceptance at the same time. Andrew was the first called by the Lord and the first one to bring another, his brother Simon, to the Lord.

WE CELEBRATE THE RITE OF ACCEPTANCE...next Sunday, November 15th, with our 9am Mass for Brandi Simon and her sons, Braeden and Quinlan. We look forward to welcoming Brandi, Braeden, and Quinlan into the catechumenate as they journey with us toward Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Let us hold them in our prayer throughout this week.

COFFEE AND ROLLS...are served in the Parish Center next Sunday, following mass.

SACRED HEART STUDENTS...will have a bake sale at our Coffee & Rolls next Sunday for their project to erect pro-life billboards around our diocese. Checks should be written to "Pro-Life Across America".

HOLIDAYS AND GRIEF...will be presented by Hospice of the Prairie, Monday, November 16th, 7pm, 200 Fourth Circle. Call Hospice of the Prairie, 227-7209, for more information. Free. No registration.

HAVE YOU EVER WANTED TO TALK...to someone about what is going on in your life and how God might be trying to speak to you? Perhaps visiting with a spiritual director/companion may be helpful. Contact Sister Janice, 227-1527, jgrochowsky@dcdiocese.org, to arrange a visit.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT...for November 1st: \$2, 945.00 in envelopes; \$99.00 in loose; \$400.00 in electronic giving; \$420.00 to Saint Bonaventure Mission. Thank you, faithful stewards, for your sacrificial support our Parish, our Diocese, and beyond.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 15, 2015

Music Ministry: Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Choir

Lectors: Marilyn Burke & Maurice Bleumer

Servers: Katherine Rostetter & Brian Groth

Gifts: George Hertel

Communion: Jim Burke, Regina Lix, Hattie Stein, Josie Lix, Sr. Jan Roberts

Greeters: Barbara & Delbert Downey

Collection: Giles Issinghoff & Kevin Tieben (*for November*)

Rosary: Greg Lix **Fort Dodge Transportation:** Pat Friess

What is the ONE THING that touched your heart today from the scripture readings, homily, music or prayers that inspires you to "Become the Best Version of Yourself" for this upcoming week?

Sometimes we need a little help in life. With that in mind, the Altar Society has assembled a list of parishioners willing to help others in the parish who might be experiencing a difficult time -- due to serious illness, death of a loved one, surgery, new baby, etc. -- by preparing a meal or meals for them. If you have not been contacted and wish to have your name added to the list of meal providers, please contact Mary Beth Helfrich, coordinator, 255-3535, or Julie Durler, Altar Society President, 255-5580. If you know of a parishioner who would benefit from temporary assistance with meals, please let Mary Beth, Julie or Fr. Bob know.