



# Saint Andrew Parish

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## **SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...April 16 - 23, 2017**

Sunday	9:00am	Sharon Clemons
Wednesday	8:00am	Leon & Pat Vogel
Thursday	8:00am	Charles Stallings
Friday	9:00am	Jean Schawe [ <i>Halsey Hall ~ Fort Dodge</i> ]
Saturday	10:00am	Confirmandi & their families [ <i>Confirmation Mass</i> ]
Sunday	9:00am	Flora Ricke [ <i>First Communion Mass</i> ]

**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. Thanks to St. Andrew the Manna House is stocked with peanut butter. Now, we have been asked to focus on canned fruit (peach, pear, pineapple, mandarin oranges, cocktail) They have a difficult time keeping this stocked.

**AT EASTER VIGIL...**we had the privilege of renewing our baptismal promises with Amanda Stegman and celebrating confirmation with her and then welcoming her to the Lord's Table as together we celebrated Eucharist and received Easter Communion. We congratulate Amanda and welcome her.

**IF YOU WANT YOUR EASTER BASKET BLEST...**place it in front of the altar before this morning's Mass. Baskets will be blest at the final blessing and as part of the dismissal from Mass.

**YOU MAY RETURN YOUR RICE BOWL OFFERING...**through any Sunday offering. Please place your offering in an envelope. If you wish us to record your offering, please put your name and/or envelope number on the envelope. You may also return your offering online: [www.crsricebowl.org](http://www.crsricebowl.org).

**EASTER EGG HUNT...**follows immediately after Easter Sunday Morning Mass.

**FINANCE COUNCIL...**meets 6pm, Tuesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, Rectory Meeting Room.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL...**meets 7pm, Tuesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, Rectory Meeting Room.

**RELIGIOUS FORMATION...**meets this Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>. We gather with all ages at 6:30pm, in the Parish Center. We begin with a meal prepared by the Property Commission and then gather in age groups. We will conclude at 8pm. We continue our preparation for Confirmation and First Communion with those receiving these sacraments and as a parish community celebrating with them. Remember this is for all ages. We all have something to learn and something to share. You are invited!

**CONFIRMATION...**will be celebrated in our Parish by Bishop Brungardt for Michael Theis, Shyanne Theis, and Nathan Renner, Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10am. Let us keep Michael, Shyanne and Nathan in our prayer that they may share generously the gifts with which the Spirit will seal them in this sacrament. All are welcome, invited, and encouraged to participate in this very special celebration. Please see the enclosed invitation.

**FIRST COMMUNION...**for Rory Gamblin will be celebrated with our 9am Sunday Mass, April 23<sup>rd</sup>. We look forward to welcoming Rory to the Lord's Table for the first time. Let's keep her and her family in our prayer.

**COFFEE AND ROLLS...**will be served following Mass, April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please plan to stop by the Parish Center for visiting and light refreshment after Mass on the 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**THANK YOU...**to all those who helped prepare for our Triduum Liturgies and Celebrations and to all who participated in them!

**THANK YOU...**Joann Schaffer for serving as Amanda Stegman's sponsor.

**SENIOR/BOOMER EXPO...**is a celebration of the positive aspects of aging for older Kansans, individuals with disabilities, and caregivers. April 27<sup>th</sup>, 9:30am – 4pm, Dodge City Civic Center. Information booths, games, soda shop social, musical entertainment, food and door prizes all day. It's free. It's not another health fair. Come prepared to have some fun!

**SAINT ANDREW PARISH SERVES FRIENDSHIP FEAST...**Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>. There is a sign-up sheet on the shelf in the southeast corner of the church vestibule. Friendship Feast provides a prepared meal at noon Monday through Friday at the Presbyterian Church for any who may need it. For further information, please contact Blaine Venters, [blainerson@live.com](mailto:blainerson@live.com), 225-5520.

**DIVORCE RECOVERY...**is a process. Some realize God becomes evident when they hear others speak of their struggle and recovery. If you would like some time and help with an opportunity to share with others or know someone who might find a divorced support group helpful, contact Sister Rose Mary Stein, [rmstein@dodgecitycathedral.com](mailto:rmstein@dodgecitycathedral.com), 789-2101.

**FR. MARVIN REIF...**continues to be missing. Fr. Marvin suffers from severe depression. He walked away from the Nursing Home in Protection where he has lived for some time. Please remember him and his family in prayer.

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT...**for April 9<sup>th</sup>: \$2,700.00 in envelopes; \$72.00 in loose; \$1,463.00 in electronic giving, \$25.00 for Saint Bonaventure Mission & School. Blessings on our faithful stewards.

***LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 10:00am, Confirmation Mass, April 22, 2017***

**Music Ministry:** Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Choir

**Lectors:** Greg Lix & John Askew

**Servers:** Couy Weil & Brenna Strecker

**Gifts:** Confirmandi

**Communion:** Hattie Stein, Ken Stein, Sr. Jan Roberts, Greg Lix, & Fr. Bob

**Greeters:** David & Lynn Buehne

***LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, Second Sunday of Easter, April 23, 2017***

**Music Ministry:** Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Rachel Trombley

**Lectors:** Alan Vogel & Gary Stein

**Servers:** Jarrett Kliesen & Taige Kleisen

**Gifts:** Rory Gamblin's Family

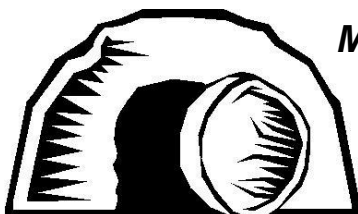
**Communion:** Maurice Bleumer, Lynn Buehne, Regina Lix, Elaine Slattery, & Sara Smith

**Greeters:** Chuck & Carol Correll

**Collection:** Bob Durler & Dave Strecker (*for April*)

*Rosary: Delbert Downey*

*Fort Dodge Transportation: Ruth Morton*



***May all know the joy of Easter and the peace  
the Risen Lord alone can give!***

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