



# Saint Andrew Parish

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## **SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...April 30 – May 7, 2017**

Sunday	9:00am	Peggy Schulte
Wednesday	8:00am	Jean Schawe
Thursday	8:00am	Al & Martha Tasset
Friday	8:00am	Leo & Marie Burke
Sunday	9:00am	Blaine & Rita Venters (Thanksgiving – Anniversary)

**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 well 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 these stocked.

**WE CELEBRATE HOLY BAPTISM...**for Abram Charles, the infant son of Jered and Brenna Helfrich, today with our 9am Mass. We are honored to welcome our new brother into the Body of Christ and we are privileged to pledge our support to Jared and Brenna in their ministry as Christian parents. Let us hold them in our prayer especially throughout this week.

**SPRING SOCIAL...**is today, April 30<sup>th</sup>, 10am to 12noon, in the Parish Center. Everyone is invited! Please stop by the Parish Center on your way home.

**ALTAR SOCIETY...**meets Monday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 6:30pm (please note time – not 7pm as usual), Parish Center with a salad supper. The retiring officers will be the hostesses. A new secretary and treasurer have come forward. But no president yet. All ladies of the Parish are members of the Altar Society and are welcome and invited to the meeting. We thank the Altar Society for all they do for our Parish.

**ROSARY...**will be prayed at 7:40am prior to 8am weekday masses during the month of May. We thank the Knights of Columbus for leading this prayer.

**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.

**IF IT IS YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW...**who is interested in discovering more about Jesus and placing one's trust in God, we invite you to join us at an Inquiry Session. Inquiry sessions do not assume a commitment to join the Catholic Church. Inquiry sessions are for those who wish to inquire, explore, and search for ways to grow in relationship with God, and consider the possibility of joining the Catholic Church. Inquiry for May is Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm, Saint Andrew Parish Center. For more information, please visit with Father Bob (227-3363 or 227-1555), Sara Smith (225-5542) or Sister Janice (225-1527).

**MAY CROWNING...** recognizes Mary as queen of heaven and earth. How many queens does one get a chance to meet in a lifetime, much less crown? We will celebrate our annual "May Crowning" next Sunday at the conclusion of Mass. We will process from mass out of church to the shrine of Our Lady of Farmers on the east lawn of church. There we will observe the brief ritual and "crown" the statue of Our Lady. Please plan on joining us for this once-as-year event.

**CONGRATULATIONS...**Rory Gamblin who received her first holy communion last Sunday. We thank her family who supported her and brought her to this moment in her journey of faith. We also thank Regina Lix who served as her catechist this year.

**DEACON JACOB SCHNEIDER & DEACON MARK BRANTLY...**will be ordained priests, 10am, Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, at the Cathedral. All are invited to the ordination mass. Let us keep Deacon Jacob and Deacon Mark in our prayer.

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREATS...**heal the pain of abortion. Next retreat is June 23<sup>rd</sup> -25<sup>th</sup>. 1-877-I-GRIEVE (1-877-447-4383); [rachelsvineyard@salinadiocese.org](mailto:rachelsvineyard@salinadiocese.org). Contacts are confidential.

**IF YOU WOULD WANT TO HELP WITH LAWN CARE...**for our Parish grounds and/or our Cemetery, please visit with Father Bob. Dustin Robben who helped Ruth Morton last year has assumed the position of Parish Groundskeeper. He would welcome help...either volunteer or paid. Must be over 18.

**AHEAD IN MAY...**

- ...May 8<sup>th</sup> – K of C meet, 7:45pm
- ...May 12<sup>th</sup> – Mass at Fort Dodge, 9am
- ...May 14<sup>th</sup> – Mother's Day, Graduates Mass, and Reception
- ...May 16<sup>th</sup> – Council Meetings
- ...May 21<sup>st</sup> – Commission Nominations  
Flock Notes Sign-Up  
Coffee and Rolls
- ...May 26<sup>th</sup> - Mass at Fort Dodge, 9am

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT...**for April 23<sup>rd</sup>: \$3,010.00 in envelopes; \$78.00 in loose; \$20.00 in electronic giving, \$40.00 for the Rice Bowl; \$1,270.00 for the Jean Schawe Memorial. Blessings on our faithful stewards and benefactors.

***LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, Fourth Sunday of Easter, May 7, 2017***

**Music Ministry:** Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Allen Morton

**Lectors:** Michael Phelps & Dave Strecker

**Servers:** Elise Helfrich & Shyanne Theis

**Gifts:** Josie Lix

**Communion:** Ken Stein, Maurice Bleumer, Hattie Stein, Sara Smith, & Sr. Jan Roberts

**Greeters:** Kate Helfrich & Maurice Bleumer

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

*Rosary: Gary Stein*

*Fort Dodge Transportation: John Roberts*

**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?**

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