



Saint Andrew Catholic Community Week of May 3, 2020

Office Hours by phone:

Monday - Thursday

8 AM to 12 PM 1 PM to 5 PM

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Calendar & Mass Intentions

Fourth Sunday of Easter, May 3, 2020

57th World Day of Prayer for Vocations

9:30 AM Mass*: **People of the Parish**

Monday, May 4, 2020

Tuesday, May 5, 2020

Wednesday, May 6, 2020

Private Mass: † **Esperanza Martinez**

Thursday, May 7, 2020

Private Mass: *Celebrant's Intention*

Friday, May 8, 2020

Saturday, May 9 2020

* Link to Sunday Mass on YouTube is also available on our website:
standrewbc.org

Staying Connected

To Mitigate the Coronavirus, the church and chapel will be closed to ALL services until further notice. In addition, the office door will remain locked with contact only by phone. If the phone goes to voicemail during the office hours, please leave a message. Your call is important to us; so rest assured we will get back to you as soon as we can.

We will continue to stay in constant contact with you through e-mails to keep you informed. If you are viewing this bulletin on the St. Andrew website, but haven't been receiving emails from us entitled *Staying Connected with Faith* please contact the parish office to update our records.

Reaching Out - Going the extra mile

We know that there are so many more of you who have gone the extra mile during this coronavirus pandemic and social distancing with creative ways to stay in touch with those who are most vulnerable and/or isolated and where

you (or someone you know) saw a need in the community to offer their gifts and talents (i.e., making masks for the healthcare workers). If you would like to share a story, please contact the parish office. We would love to hear how you are reaching out and going the extra mile to serve the community.

We are still looking for anyone who would like to write cards to the residents of the nursing homes or facilities. Please contact Linda Lysakowski at cylinda@cox.net or 702-580-1448 and she will see that they get distributed to the nursing homes or facilities that are allowing mail to be delivered or sent.

Scripture Readings - May 3, 2020

Sunday: Acts 2: 14a, 36-41/Psalm 23: 1-3a, 3b, 4-6/1 Peter 2: 20b-25/John 10: 1-10

Monday: Acts 11: 1-18/Psalm 42: 2-3; 43: 3, 4/John 10: 11-18

Tuesday: Acts 11: 19-26/Psalm 87: 1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/John 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12: 24—13:5a/Psalm 67: 2-3, 5, 6 & 8/John 12: 44-50

Thursday: Acts 13: 13-25/Psalm 89: 2-3, 21-22, 25 & 27/John 23: 26-20

Friday: Acts 13: 26-33/Psalm 2: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/John 14: 1-6

Saturday: Acts 13: 44-52/Psalm 98: 1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/John 14: 7-14

Sunday: Acts 6: 1-7/Psalm 33: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19/1Peter 2: 5-9/John 14: 1-2

Act of Spiritual Communion

We are a Eucharistic people, and as Catholic Christians our Eucharistic celebrations represent “the source and summit” of our life as a community.

Sadly, we can no longer gather physically for Mass, but we want to stay connected spiritually.

Here is an *Act of Spiritual Communion* for all of us to recite as we join in “Unity” the YouTube Mass at 9:30 AM recorded at St. Andrew:

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. As though you were already there, I embrace you and unite myself wholly to you; do not let me ever be separated from you. Amen.

Adapted from St. Alphonsus Maria de' Ligouri

Pray For

Ed Woodson, Joyce Cucullu

James Lingle, Richard Leskovac, Joe Corbett

Caroline Goreo

all those listed on our online PRAYER SITE list (www.standrewbc.org and select the PRAY FOR US tab), and all deployed military serving our country, and all those affected by the coronavirus physically, spiritually, and

economically and for the repose of the souls of those who have died around the world from COVID-19. We especially pray for all those in our community who have recently lost a loved one; especially, for the repose of the soul of **Patrick Corbett** and the Corbett and Hincks families on the loss of their family member.

Giving during Coronavirus Pandemic

During this time since we won't be able to "pass the basket" (*including for our Special Collections*) you may mail your envelopes or donations directly to St. Andrew Catholic Community (*1399 San Felipe Dr., Boulder City NV 89005*). **Another option is OnLine Giving.** It is convenient, secure, and confidential. It is flexible as you can start, stop and change your contributions at any time. It is also simple with no need to contact your bank or the parish office (*unless you have a question*). You can contribute using direct withdrawal or a credit card. **Go to our website: standrewbc.org and click on Donate** and create an account. Or, if you currently support our parish through Online Giving consider an additional gift or special collection gift offering to those listed by logging-in to your account with your username and password. Thank-you as always for your generosity.

Special Collections

Still available this Sunday for your gift or donations:

Catholic Home Missions Appeal and Black and Indian Missions for strengthening the Catholic Church in the United States (US) and its territories in the Caribbean and the Pacific where resources are thin and priests are few and supporting and strengthening evangelization programs to the Black, American Indian, Eskimo, and Aleut communities of the United States.

May 24th through May 31st Special Collection:

Catholic Communications Campaign/Catholic University of America for responding to the national and local communication needs of the Church. The collection is unique in that proceeds are split equally between each participating diocese and the national office for use in local communication projects. It also provides funding for academic scholarships at The Catholic University of America in Washington DC. Students are enrolled from all 50 states and almost 100 countries in 12 schools.

CSA

It is not too late to make a pledge and/or give a donation. Please send your pledge card and donation directly to the diocese using the envelope addressed to The Roman Catholic Bishop of Las Vegas, Catholic Stewardship Appeal, P O Box 26239, Las Vegas NV 89126-0239. Our name St. Andrew #12 is on the pledge card which will credit your contribution to our parish.

Our 2020 goal for St. Andrew is \$51, 673.00. Once we have reached this goal, all funds raised above and beyond that goal are rebated back to the parish 100%. **The total pledged as of April 16th is \$51,360.00 with \$34,460.00 funds received from 89 families. Thank-you! We appreciate your generosity and support.**

Food Pantry Outreach

Emergency Aid (600 Nevada Highway, Boulder City)

accepts non-perishable food donations:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday – 9 - 11:30 AM

(Their food pantry is NOT open on Sunday or Wednesday)

3 4 Pantry

Christian Center Church

571 Adams Blvd, Boulder City, NV 89005

Tuesday evenings -- 6 pm – 7 pm

Sundays -- 12 pm – 1 pm

If you cannot get your donations to a pantry, please contact Jenifer Jefferies at 702-809-6209 text/call, or e-mail her: jeniferj@cox.net.

If you would like to make a monetary donation to the 3 4 Pantry (*who works with Emergency Aid*), make checks payable to the **Christian Center Church** – put **food pantry** in memo field.

Breaking Open the Word

Fr. Ron will offer *Breaking Open the Word* again on **Wednesday, May 6th** using Zoom through an e-mail invite on your computer or mobile device. If you signed-up or participated in previous Zoom Meetings, you will be sent the link to join this week's session Monday afternoon. If you cannot join this week, please let the office know to open up space for someone who would like to join the meeting.

If you would like to join Breaking Open the Word through Zoom for the first time, please contact the **parish office at 702-293-7500 or standrewbc@gmail.com** to be sent the link, space permitting.

The Little White Books

We have a good supply left of **The Little White Books for six-minute reflections on the Sunday Gospels of Easter. Easter continues through the end of May;** so it is still not too late to spend some quiet time with the Lord taking the short Scripture passage each day from the pages of this book and simply letting God speak to you through the words.

The Little White Books are available for purchase at a cost of **\$2.00 regular and \$3.00 large print**, plus the cost of postage (about **.80 cents**). If you would like to purchase the Little White Book, please send your request along with

a check made payable to St. Andrew -- put **Little White Book** in the for/memo field. As the stay at home and social distancing guidelines remain in effect at least through May, we will mail your order to you.

Easter Sanctuary Flowers

Thank-you! to all those who contributed to

Easter Sanctuary Flowers with special intentions:

++ Donors & Intentions ++

DON & TERI BAER and LOTT FAMILY

In Memory of Joanne Baer and daughter, Patricia Sorvillo

JAMES & TINA BECVAR

In Memory of William & Anna Becvar and John & Helen Tyrka

MARY & JERRY BIGGS

In Memory all our deceased family members and Maria & Mel Stowell

DR. JOEL BOWER

In Loving Memory of Carol Bower

JAMES CONTRATTO

In Memory of Carol Contratto; Mrs Mildred Hicks; Kenneth Hicks; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Contratto; Richard Contratto; James Contratto, Jr.

PHILIP & MARIA DELANGIS

In Memory of Gina Marie Winiecki

BARBARA KWIATKOSKI

In Memory of Maj. Kenneth J. Kwiatkoski, USAF; Anthony Kwiatkoski's Family; Arthur & Alice Poirier and deceased family members; Arnold & Louise Seymour and deceased family members

JUDITH MCCOMB

For the intentions of Judith McComb

RITA MCKAY

in Memory of Paul McKay, my parents, my brother David, Kim & Shane Pletcher, and Kellis McDonald

JIM AND SHIRLEY REED

For the intentions of Jim and Shirley Reed

MARILYN SMITH

In Memory of Friends and Family

MARK & PATRICIA SUGDEN

For the intentions of Mark & Patricia Sugden

CHRIS WIESER

For the intentions of Chris Wieser

GARY & SUSAN ZUPANIC

In Memory of Linda S. Mueller and Elaine Delp

Mother's Day - May 10th

Spiritual Bouquet

If you would like to remember your living or deceased Mother, Wife, Grandmother, Mother-in-law, Godmother, Sister, Aunt, Daughter, Friend, or Other as a Spiritual Gift in a Mass offered in our church in observance of Mother's Day, please submit your request/s to the parish office this week. You can send your request by email (standrewbc@gmail.com) or by contacting the office at 702-293-7500 during office hours. Your Mother's Day Offering for this Spiritual Bouquet can be mailed to the parish office or your gift or offering can be given through OnLine Giving. If you would like a Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet Card for sending to your living Mother, Wife, etc., please include that with your request.. We will make every effort to get that mailed to you (or if you prefer to the one receiving the Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet).

This year with the Discontinuance Order remaining in effect and our Churches closed throughout the Month of May due to the coronavirus pandemic, we will list your name and intention (*e.g., in Honor of my mother, Jane Doe or in Memory of my mother, Mary Brown*) in the Mother's Day bulletin. For your convenience, you may [click here](#) to complete the required information.

If you prefer to send your own card to your loved one or friend, you may want to include: *As a Spiritual Gift, you will be remembered in the Masses offered in our church, St. Andrew's Catholic Community in observance of Mother's Day.*

Our Annual Mother's Day Baby Shower and Month of May Baby Bottle Drive benefiting First Choice Pregnancy Center was scheduled in the Month of May. Due to the coronavirus and our church remaining closed, it will be very difficult to have a baby shower or distribute and/or collect baby bottles. So, in an effort to continue our tradition of providing support for this non-profit Crisis Pregnancy Center in the heart of Las Vegas, we will be asking for a donation that can be used for the services that they provide (*and are still providing during this pandemic*) to educate and support young women in keeping their babies. So, instead of collecting baby items and baby bottles filled with change during the month of May, we are asking you to make a monetary donation and either mail a check, made out and mailed to St. Andrew or donate through Online Giving under the gift item of First Choice Pregnancy Center. Then, at the end of May, we will make one check to First Choice Pregnancy Center with all your contributions from checks received and donated through Online Giving.