



Saint Andrew Parish

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...May 6 - 13, 2018

Sunday	9:00am	Alice & Paul Zurbuchen
Wednesday	8:00am	Pete Vogel
Thursday	8:00am	Richard Lutz
Friday	8:00am	Charles Helfirch
Sunday	9:00am	Sisters of Saint Joseph

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. Thank you for all your contributions and Mandy Phelps for taking them to Manna House.

MAY CROWNING...of our Blessed Mother will follow mass this morning. Please join in procession as we leave church and gather around the Shrine of Our Lady of Farmers on the east lawn of church. There we will celebrate a brief rite honoring Our Blessed Mother and asking her prayers on our behalf.

ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING...is 6:30pm, Monday, May 7th, Parish Center. Retiring officers will serve as hostesses.

WE CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION...next Sunday, May 13th. When we follow the Gospel of Luke, the Ascension of the Lord took place 40 days after the Resurrection. This year that date falls on Thursday, May 10th. We as the vast majority of dioceses in the country observe the feast celebrating the Risen Lord ascending into heaven on the Sunday that follows, Sunday, May 13th.

WE HONOR GRADUATES...next Sunday with our 9am Eucharist. We look forward to recognizing and congratulating them on this accomplishment; giving thanks with them for all that has brought them to this time in their life and blessing them for their future endeavors. A reception follows mass in the Parish Center. Please plan to stop by following mass to offer your personal congratulations and best wishes.

MOTHER'S DAY...is next Sunday. We will give thanks for moms and pray blessings upon them with our 9am Eucharist next Sunday.

K OF C MEETING...is Monday, May 14th, 7:45pm, Parish Center

FINANCE COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, May 15th, 6pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

PASTORAL COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, May 15th, 7pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

IF YOU HAVE BEEN CONSIDERING...being baptized and/or joining the Catholic Church, Inquiry might be for you. Inquiry Session for May is Thursday, May 17th, 6:30pm, in the Parish Center. Margo Morton, baptized this Easter, and Glenn Kerbs, received into the Church this Easter, wrote in their recent note of thanks in the Sunday Bulletin: *We encourage anyone who is interested in joining the Catholic Church to visit with us about our humbling and moving journey.*

PENTECOST...is Sunday, May 20th. Pentecost celebrates the gift of the Holy Spirit coming upon the Church at its very beginning. Sometimes it is referred to as the "birthday" of the Church.

Hospitable Community + Prayerful Worship + Formed by the Word + Generous in Service

WE WILL NOMINATE COMMISSION LEADERSHIP...Sunday, May 20th. Let us pray that the Lord will bring forward the leadership we will need for this coming year.

COFFEE AND ROLLS...will be served in the Parish Center following mass Sunday, May 20th.

WE PRAY THE ROSARY...throughout the month of May 20 minutes before weekday masses. Thank you, Knights, for leading these prayers.

THANK YOU...Mary Tenbrink for your care of the flower bed at the front of church.

THANK YOU...Marilyn Burke for touching up Mary's statue in preparation for today's May Crowning.

THANK YOU...to all those who worked to prepare for and to offer the Spring Social last Sunday.

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BENEFIT BREAKFAST...to help with medical expenses for the Roch Dvorak Family will be hosted by the Dodge City Knights of Columbus Sunday, May 13th, at their complex on HWY 50 Bypass, 7:30-11:30am. Free Will Donations accepted. For more information call 620-255-5834.

IF YOU HAVE BEEN WORSHIPPING WITH US...and joining us for other church events, we invite you to become a registered member of Saint Andrew Parish. If interested please contact Father Bob, 227-3363, 227-1555, rschremmer@dcdiocese.org to set up a time to visit and register.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION...is available 8:30am Sunday; following weekday masses; upon request whenever possible; and always by appointment.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT...for April 29th: \$5,555.00 in envelopes; \$124.00 in loose; \$110.00 in electronic giving; \$130.00 for Spring Social; \$20.00 for St. Bonaventure Mission & School. Thank you.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, Ascension Sunday, 13, 2017

Music Ministry: Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Choir

Lectors: Marilyn Burke & Sue Evans

Servers: Couy Weil & Brenna Strecker

Gifts: Jean Downey

Communion: Jim Burke, Josie Lix, Maurice Bleumer, Ken Stein, Lynn Buehne

Greeters: Rhonda & Pete Weil

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

Rosary: Mike Wagner

Fort Dodge Transportation: Sr. Jan 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?