



Saint Andrew Parish

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...June 2 - 9, 2019

Sunday	9:00am	K of C Members Living & Deceased
Sunday	9:00am	Leonard Flax

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. We thank Mandy Phelps for taking our contributions to the Manna House.

WE WILL CELEBRATE THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK... following mass this morning. If you wish to be anointed or pray with those who do, please gather at the entrance on the sanctuary after mass.

PRIESTS OF THE DIOCESE... will be on retreat this week. Please remember the priests in your prayer that this might truly be an occasion for spiritual renewal. If needed, Fr. Bob may be contacted by calling 620-253-0344. If no answer, please leave a message with a number to return the call. In case of emergency, Fr. Wesley, who will be making retreat later, is available by calling the Cathedral, 225-4802.

SAINT ANDREW SERVES FRIENDSHIP FEAST... Wednesday, June 5th. There is a sign-up sheet on the shelf in the southeast corner of the church vestibule. Friendship Feast provides a noon meal Monday – Friday at the 1st Presbyterian Church, Dodge City. Saint Andrew serves the meal that has been prepared on the first Wednesday of each month. We thank those who have already signed up.



NEXT SUNDAY IS PENTECOST SUNDAY... the birthday of the Church. Perhaps you might want to wear red to help celebrate the Feast that brings to close our celebration of Easter 2019 and opens up the rest of the Church Year.

WE WILL CELEBRATE HOLY BAPTISM... for Emma Catherine, the infant daughter of Brenna and Jared Helfrich, next Sunday with our 9am Sunday Eucharist. We look forward to welcoming Emma into the Body of Christ, our community of faith, and to pledging our support to Brenna and Jared in their mission of Christian parenting. Let us keep them all in our prayer in special ways and they and we prepare for Emma's baptism.

PARISH NOMINATIONS FOR PARISH COMMISSIONS... will be with our Sunday Eucharist next Sunday, June 9th. We will then call forth parishioners for leadership and service on the commissions with our Sunday Eucharist, June 23rd. Perhaps we could be praying for guidance as to who we might nominate to serve and lead us in this coming year.

WE WILL NEED TO CHANGE THE TODAY'S MISSALS... next Sunday. Any who can stay following mass next Sunday to help with this change will be most welcome and appreciated.

BENEFIT BREAKFAST... for Julie and Brett Boatright who have incurred considerable medical expenses with Julie's recent illness will be offered by the Wright Knights of Columbus Council and the Dodge City Council. Sunday June 9th, 8am – 11:30am, at the Dodge City Knights Hall. Free Will Donations will be accepted. Menu includes biscuits, sausage gravy, scrambled eggs, bacon, and sausage.

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

STEWARDSHIP REPORT...for May 26th: \$2,110.00 in envelopes; \$216.00 in loose; \$130.00 in electronic giving; \$50.00 to the Helen Lix Memorial for the Cemetery Fund. Thank you and continued blessings upon all our faithful stewards who support the life and ministry of our Parish, Diocese, and Universal Church.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, Pentecost Sunday, June 9th, 2019

Music Ministry: Karen Rumford & Choir

Lectors: Maurice Bleumer & Marilyn Burke

Servers: Mason Phelps & Audrey Phelps

Gifts: Pete Weil

Communion: Josie Lix, Greg Lix, Ken Stein, Sheila McCarty, & Sara Smith

Greeters: Jim & Marilyn Burke

Collection: Melvin Stein & Jared Helfrich (for June)

Rosary: Maurice Bleumer

Fort Dodge Transportation: Ruth Morton



ASCENSION TO PENTECOST...is a season when the Church remembers the coming of the Holy Spirit to the Early Church after Jesus has ascended to be with God the Father, the Creator. The coming of the Holy Spirit as an advocate and guide is crucial in assisting the Church to engage with the mission of God and share the Good News. We pray that the Church again turns to prayer and evangelism.

Praying for others to know Jesus is one of the most powerful things we can do. Persistent prayer for others brings transformation to their lives. Choose three people you would regularly pray for. Write their names down on a list. If you're not sure who to pray for, ask God to guide you as you choose. Once you have settled on three names, commit to praying for them regularly by praying the following:

Loving Father,
in the face of Jesus Christ
your light and glory have blazed forth.
Send your Holy Spirit that I may share with my friends [here, name your friends]
the life of your Son and your love for all.
Strengthen me as a witness to that love
as I pledge to pray for them,
for your name's sake. Amen.

Suggestion:

Using the BLESS acrostic can help us to focus on all of the felt needs of those we are praying for:

- *Body – health, protection, energy*
- *Labor – employment/unemployment, retirement, adequate income*
- *Emotional – inner peace, joy, wisdom, insight, patience*
- *Social – healthy relationships between spouses, parents, children, friends, reconciliation; love*
- *Spiritual – forgiveness, generosity, gratitude, service*