

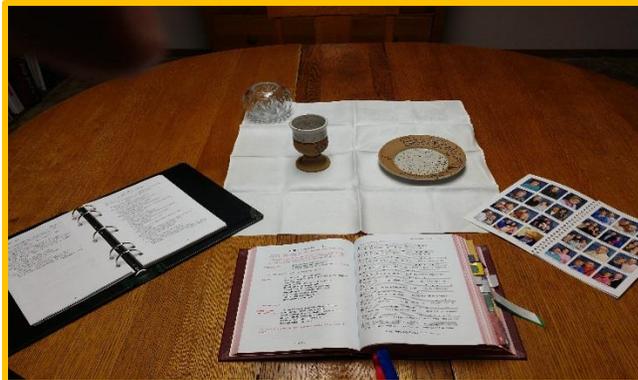
# ST ANDREW

**Sunday Bulletin**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
**April 19, 2020**

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## Mass

Priests continue to offer the Sacrifice of the Mass privately - praying for the intentions of the faithful. I am doing that – honoring specific intentions, as well as, all our intentions and the people and needs of Saint Andrew Parish.



**April 19 - 26, 2020**, in addition to offering Mass for the intentions of all our Parishioners on Sundays, I will remember in special intention:

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter: People of Saint Andrew Parish

Monday: Charles Stallings

Tuesday: Charles Helfrich

Wednesday: Deena Reed

Thursday: Rock Miller II

Friday: Glenn Shean

Saturday: Al Schremmer

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter: People of Saint Andrew Parish

**NOTE:** Bishop and Cathedral priests are live-streaming mass from the Chancery/Rectory Chapels. Go to [www.dcdiocese.org](http://www.dcdiocese.org) to see the schedule of times. To view click on the Facebook icon (you don't have to be on Facebook) in the upper right hand corner.

## **If you know someone...**

...who does not have internet access and may appreciate receiving our Sunday Bulletin and Sunday Homily, perhaps you might consider printing these off and mailing both to them. You could always let me know and I'll see that they receive them in the mail. [rschremmer@dcdioocese.org](mailto:rschremmer@dcdioocese.org) or 620-227-3363.

## **Praying at home**

Not being able to partake of the Church's liturgy at church does not mean we can't be part of the of the Church's liturgy at home. The Liturgy of the Hours is the official prayer of the Catholic Church. The liturgy consists of a collection of psalms, prayers, and readings prayed throughout the day at specific times (for example Morning and Evening Prayer). This form of worship is very flexible and you can pray individually or in a group. Amid coronavirus outbreak, Divine Office is opening registrations temporarily to allow people in the United States to join in prayer. We hope more people will find spiritual nourishment, strength and consolation in praying the Liturgy of the Hours as we all go through these difficult, uncertain times. You might want to consider this prayer. You may find out more and register by visiting: <http://DivineOffice.org>.

## **First Communion**

This Sunday was supposed to be First Communion Sunday. We, of course, cannot do that. We will have to see when it will be possible to reschedule.

## **Stewardship**

These are uncertain times for all us. This includes uncertainty about our financial stability. Families will have varying degrees of ability to support the mission and life of our parish, diocese, and world-wide Church especially during this crisis.

With no liturgies, there are ways you can continue to give your stewardship offerings:

If you have not done so, you may wish to sign up for online giving. A number of our parishioners have been giving this way for some time now.

It is simple and it provides various ways of making the payments:

<https://www.parishgiving.org/index>.

You may mail your offering: PO Box 125, Wright, KS 67882. You may drop it by the church. You may slip it under the door to the west sacristy. That's up front by the statues of Joseph and Mary. There's a sign on the door.

## **Stewardship Report**

Received since last Sunday's Bulletin Report: \$1,575.00 in envelopes; \$1,032.62 in electronic giving; \$45.00 for Saint Bonaventure Mission & School; \$100.00 for Rice Bowl, \$100.00 for Manna House. **Thank you to our faithful stewards** for supporting our parish, diocese, and world-wide Church especially at this trying time.

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Our Bishop's directives, as other bishops', are intriguing: Must be in the open, behind a screen, confessor and penitent six feet apart, music playing to ensure no one else hears the confession. It might be good to take note of the counsel of Bishop Francesco Beschi, the Bishop of Pope John XXIII's home diocese: "The Church says that if I intend to confess sacramentally as soon as possible, I have already received God's forgiveness. I want to remind the faithful of this possibility."

## **Let us continue praying for one another**

We remember Karen Stegman who died Easter Sunday. May she rest in peace as eternal light shines on her. May Ed and all their family receive the peace, comfort and solace the Lord alone can give.

Let us pray for Steve Zimmerman that his health continues to improve. Steve is in the hospital.

We hold our President, Governor, and all elected leaders in prayer that they receive wisdom and guidance in keeping people safe.

We ask blessing on all medical personnel and all involved in essential work. May they be protected.

We intercede for those who have been infected by the covid-19 virus, for their families, for all awaiting test results in Ford County and everywhere.

Let us continue to pray with and for Pam Kirkby as she continues to prepare for baptism.

We pray for all who are ill in our parish.

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