

## Saint Andrew Parish

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## SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND INTENTIONS...October 15 - 22, 2017

Sunday 9:00am Flora Ricke

Wednesday 8:00am Thanksgiving (Stein)

Thursday 8:00am Betty Lutz
Friday 8:00am Pete Heeke
Sunday 9:00am K of C

## TO DONATE TO DISASTER RELIEF... Catholic Charities USA: https://catholiccharitiesusa.org/.

**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. We thank those who keep the basket full to overflowing and Mandy Phelps for taking them to Manna House.

**ROSARY...** will be prayed by the Knights of Columbus 20 minutes before daily Mass. We thank the Knights for leading this prayer during October, the Month of the Rosary.

**HOLY BAPTISM...**is celebrated this morning for Logan Alan Stegman, the infant son of Jared and Amanda Stegman. We welcome Logan into the Body of Christ, our community of faith, and pledge our support to Jared and Amanda in their mission as Christian parents. Let us hold them all in our prayer.

**TOOTSIE ROLL SUNDAY...**is today. Knights of Columbus are sharing tootsie rolls in exchange for donations used to support programs geared to improve the quality of life for people with disabilities.

**COFFEE AND ROLLS...**are served in the Parish Center following Mass this morning. Please stop by the Parish Center on your way home for light refreshment and visiting. We thank the Altar Society for making this opportunity for community to be available to us and for us.

**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS...** is celebrated today, 3pm, at the Cathedral. All are invited to the Mass. Previous reservations are needed for the dinner and for couples to be recognized.

**FINANCE COUNCIL...** meets Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 6pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

PASTORAL COUNCIL...meets Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

**RELIGIOUS FORMATION...**meets Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. We gather with all ages at 6:30pm in the Parish Center, beginning with a meal and then gathering in age groups. We conclude at 8:00pm. Child care is provided. The meal on the 18<sup>th</sup> will be provided by the Youth Social Commission. Remember this is for all ages. We all have something to learn and something to share. Youth and Adults are invited to the ITV Room at Hennessey Hall on the St Mary Campus for the session on the Reformation, 6-9pm. As an alternative, Sara Smith will lead a special series on ministry at the Parish Center in the usual time format (6:30-8pm). For more information, please contact Regina Lix, our parish DRE, 227-4542, **regina.lix@gmail.com**. You are invited!

**RCIA INQUIRY...**6:30-8pm, Thursdays, St. Augustine Room. Cathedral. For more information, please visit with Father Bob, Sara Smith (225-5542) or Sister Janice (227-1527).

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

**ZOMBIE PAINTBALL...**is the youth fun activity for October. All 3<sup>rd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to attend Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>. Transportation provided. Meet in the church parking lot at 6:30pm. Students are welcome to invite friends to this event! Contact Deena Hamilton at 620-255-2551, **deena hamilton@hotmail.com** to reserve your spot.

**WE ARE INVITED...**by St. John of Spearville to the Annual Soup Supper on Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 5-7pm, Parish Center (100 S. Main). Chicken noodle soup & chili, sandwiches, pies, games, raffles, door prizes. Free will donations gladly accepted.

**MEN'S TAILGATE SUPPER...**is hosted by Hospice of the Prairie October 24<sup>th</sup>, 7pm for men who have experienced the death of someone close to them. Grief specialist Jerry Hodges will present information on the unique components of men's grief. A hearty supper will be served. Call 227-7209 for information and to reserve a place.

**SEX IN HE BIBLE...**is the topic for the 2017 Diocesan Scripture Day, Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 10am – 3pm, Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Presenter is Fr. Raymond Collins, SJ. Through our Parish-Diocese Stewardship Partnership, the Annual Scripture Day has no registration fee. Please inform Gayla Kirmer that you are coming so we can have an accurate meal count: **gkirmer@dcdiocese.org**.

**SENIOR CITIZENS COVERED DISH SUPPER...**is Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 6pm, Wright Senior Center, 10891 Main Street, Wright. Please bring a meat dish, salad vegetable or dessert. Invite a friend.

**ST. ANDREW SERVES FRIENDSHIP FEAST...**Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. There is a sign-up sheet on the shelf in the southeast corner of the vestibule of church.

**NOVEMBER 1<sup>st</sup>...**is the Feast of All Saints. It is a holy day of obligation. Mass is 5:30pm. Following Mass, dinner will be served in the Parish Center with a short video about Blessed Stanley Rother, the Oklahoma priest, martyred in Guatemala, and recently beatified.

**NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>...**we will have our annual commemoration of the faithful departed with our 9am mass. Our annual Cemetery Visit will follow mass. At 5pm, we will have our annual K of C memorial Vespers.

THANK YOU...to all those who made the Fall Social a good time and a great success!

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

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT...** for October 8<sup>th</sup>: \$1,670.00 in envelopes; \$94.00 in loose; \$1,490.00 in electronic giving. Thank you.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for 9:00am, 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 22, 2017

Music Ministry: Sr. Janice Grochowsky & Choir

**Lectors:** Alan Vogel & Jean Downey

Servers: Audrey Phelps & Brandon Robben

**Gifts:** Stan Slattery

<u>Communion</u>: Ray Theis, Hattie Stein, Lynn Buehne, Josie Lix, Jim Burke

Greeters: Don & Sherry Nau

**Collection**: Jared Helfrich & Mel Stein (for October)

Rosary: Mike Wagner

Fort Dodge Transportation: Rick & Joan Schaffer

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?