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# SAINT ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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# **Sunday, April 25, 2021**

Wednesday, April 28 - Noon Mass Mass intention - +Cissy McEwen

Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 2 - Mass at 11 AM

Mass intention - +Ken Krzyzaniak



### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. Andrew's Catholic Church is to carry on the ministry of Jesus Christ, as members of His living body, the Church, to bring the Kingdom of God into the world through evangelization, worship, religious education, and service in our families, in our parish, and in our community.

# You don't want to just warm a pew...



We NEED you! Musicians, Sacristans, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, Gift Bearers, Altar Servers, Ushers, Greeters, Nursing Home Visitors, Gathering Organizer. If you can serve in any of these ministries, even if you want to wait until Covid is done, please see or call Steve Triner at 870-321-2773. This is YOUR chance to serve the Lord joyfully and use your talents fully to praise God!

Please chat with Denise Jorgensen if you want to be a cantor to sing the antiphons and acclamations, if you

want to lead hymn singing, or if you have any other way you can bring musical joy to our worship. "Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ" (Ephesians 5:19-20).



# Please remember in your prayers...

Amber Appleby, Aunt Gina, Terri Baldrige, Bill Birch, Rhonda Bolen, the Carder Family, Abram Clark, Steve Crawford, Louise Eckroat, Frank Fasco, Pam & Jack Fortner, Pat Goulet, Natasha Grinder, Henry Gross, Edie Hampton, John Hartz, Vicki Hartz, Cindy & Dan Howard, Paul Hunt, Lesley & Vaughn Johnson, Patsy Johnson, Denise Jorgensen, the Kensinger Family, Fred and Jeannie Kernan, Bill Kirchens, John LaRochelle, Linda Lowe, Lisa, Carol Mueller, Joanne Mustion, Debi Myers, Catherine Myer, Beckham Newbanks, Nancy & Keith, Jim & Chris O'Sullivan, Terrence O'Sullivan, Bob Parent, Ardis Rastetter, Deacon Mark & Elizabeth Scouten, Marie Steagall, Tamara Steagall, Joe & Diane Stefans, Wade Strong, Jill Swanson, Steve Triner, Terry, Earldine "Dean" Viator, Justin Weeden, Alison Weyers, Don & Donna Wilkes, Bob Zurn.

Please pray for everyone injured and killed this past week in shootings, mass and single.

Please pray for victims of the COVID-19 and all who treat and care for them.

To add or delete names, please email standrewprayer@gmail.com or contact Denise Jorgensen at 870-445-4810

#### **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

Our Lady of the Holy Souls will offer a Grief Support Group via Zoom led by Dr. Mary Ann Stafford and Laura Humphries, C.T. The group will meet for 10 sessions, beginning on Wednesday, May 5, at 6:30 p.m. Support grouPsalm help grieving people by introducing them to others who have had similar experiences, thoughts, and feelings. They provide emotional, physical, and spiritual support in a safe, nonjudgmental environment. Allowing the mourner to explore their feelings and be compassionate with themselves. If you or someone you know is in need of support, please email <a href="mailto:lhumphries@holysouls.org">lhumphries@holysouls.org</a> or 2dings@sbcglobal.net (Mary Ann Stafford) or call the church office 501-663-8632 and register for the group. If you have any questions, please contact Laura in the church office 501-663-8632.

### **VIGIL CANDLES**

If you wish to light a 6-day vigil candle, a donation of at least \$3 is requested. This donation almost covers the cost of the candles. Thank you.

# CONTACTS, COMMITTEES, ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES

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# New to the Parish? Change of Information?

Please complete and return in collection

Name:
Spouse's Name:
Address:
City; Zip:
Home Phone:
Cell Phone:
E-Mail:
Previous Parish:
Parish Town:

( ) New In Parish

) Change of Address; Email; Phone

#### SAFETY FIRST

If you are in the church during the week, please make sure all lights you turned on are turned off and *all doors are securely closed and locked* before you leave.

### **GET IT IN THE BULLETIN**

If you have information, news, meetings you need parishioners to know about, please get it to Denise Jorgensen as soon as possible. The bulletin is assembled on Monday and Tuesday.

# What do I need to know about St. Andrew's Prayer List?

Ever wondered how sick someone needs to be to get on the prayer list or if you should be there? The answer is simple: if you need prayers for any reason, you can be on the list. If you are ill, facing surgery, have upheaval in your life, want prayers to find employment, or have another special intention, you can email it to standrewprayer@gmail.com When it arrives, your prayer request will be sent out on the email prayer line with as much *or as little* information as you wish to include. Then your name, or the person you'd like St. Andrew's to pray for, will be added to the list published in our weekly bulletin. We are a community, a family, and as such, we care and pray for one another.

We must restore hope to young people, help the old, be open to the future, spread love. Be poor among the poor. We need to include the excluded and preach peace. – Pope Francis

#### HOW CAN I LOVE MY NEIGHBOR?

- Do your neighbor a favor. Pick up the trash blowing through his/her yard or help with something the neighbor can't do alone.
- Bring treats to your local fire or police station.
- Write a letter to a good friend or to someone in the military, expressing appreciation for their role in your life.
- Give old blankets, sheets, and towels to the local animal shelter
- Add a positive comment to the conversation if the chatter at school or at work becomes negative.
- Pray for someone.
- Phone, text or email a friend, letting them know you appreciate them.
- Offer to help someone with a chore. This could be something as simple as carrying in groceries, doing the dishes when it's not your turn, or raking leaves.

If you pour yourself out for the hungry and satisfy the desire of the afflicted, then shall your light rise in the darkness and your gloom be as the noonday. – Isaiah 58:10



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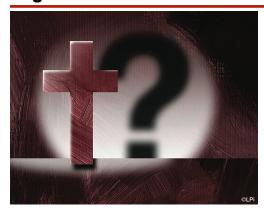
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## Prayer of St. Gertrude the Great

Our Lord told St. Gertrude the Great that the following prayer would release 1,000 Souls from Purgatory each time it is said. The prayer was later extended to include living sinners as well.

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church, those in my own home, and within my family. Amen.

We welcome all visitors to St. Andrew's Catholic Church this weekend. We hope you enjoy your stay in the Ozarks and may God protect you on your trip home.



# WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained:

**Question:** What are the requirements for being a confirmation sponsor?

**Answer:** Although many dioceses have specific requirements for who can be a sponsor for the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Code of Canon Law identifies certain requirements that are true for all dioceses and parishes. First, the sponsor should be chosen by the one to be confirmed (or, in some cases, by the parents or even the pastor). Second, a sponsor must be at least sixteen years old (unless the local bishop has chosen another age, or a special exception has been made). Third, the sponsor must be a Catholic who has been confirmed and who has already received the Sacrament of the Eucharist. Beyond this, they must lead "a life of faith in keeping with the function to be taken on." Fourth, they can have no sort of canonical penalty or impediment. Finally, they cannot be either the father or mother of the one to be confirmed (See Canons 893, §1 and 874, §1).

In some cultures, it is customary for one of the confirmand's godparents to act as sponsor, although this is not required by Church law.

To learn about the requirements for your parish or diocese, you can consult your pastor or your parish or diocesan director of religious education or the diocese's office liturgy and worship.

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### EMAIL ADDRESSES NEEDED

For all those with internet access, please send an e-mail to <a href="mailto-standrewprayer@gmail.com">standrewprayer@gmail.com</a> for special updates and prayer requests. Your address will not be given out. If you know someone who isn't receiving these e-mails but should, please have them notify Denise Jorgensen.

# **WEEKLY PRAYER**

### Readings for the week of April 25, 2021

**Sunday, April 25** - Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Psalm 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]; 1 John 2:1-5a; Luke 24:35-48

**Monday, April 26 -** Acts 6:8-15; Psalm 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]; John 6:22-29

**Tuesday, April 27 -** Acts 7:51 to 8:1a; Psalm 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]; John 6:30-35

**Wednesday, April 28 -** Acts 8:1b-8; Psalm 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]; John 6:35-40

**Thursday, April 29 -** Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; John 6:44-51 **Friday, April 30 -** Acts 9:1-20; Psalm 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]; John 6:52-59 **Saturday, May 1 -** Acts 9:31-42; Psalm 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]; John 6:60-69

**Sunday, May 2 -** Acts 4:8-12; Psalm 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 [22]; 1 John 3:1-2; John 10:11-18

## LIVE THE LITURGY —

### Inspiration for the week

The cornerstone is the first stone that is laid and the stone that not only determines how the other stones are placed but the position of the entire structure. As human beings, we need a cornerstone or reference point so that our lives can be properly placed and positioned. Our cornerstone determines not only how we see ourselves but who we will become. Without a cornerstone or reference point, we will be disconnected, disoriented, and poorly positioned for effective action in our world. In order to be the children of God we are, Jesus Christ needs to be our cornerstone and the reference point for all that we do. He alone is the Good Shepherd who can guide through life's questions and challenges, bringing us to proper pasture. Without this proper base, we can easily fall into the trap of self-aggrandizement and quickly lose our way. If that happens, then moral principles, proper conduct, justice, wisdom, and virtue will be difficult to find. We need to listen to the right voices and allow God to show us how to build our house well. Salvation only comes from God and only God will protect us, no matter the cost.

# **Celebrate!**

#### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

May 4: Dan & Nicole Storms May 6: Mike & Annie Fournier May 9: Jim & Mary Wisnieski May 22: Clyde & Lora Prastaro

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 1: Brian Gilliland	May 21: Domenic Goulet
May 9: George Gussy Jr.	May 25: Bill Van Cott
May 9: Bob Parent	May 26: Marvin Topf
May 11: Jim O'Sullivan	May 28: Pat Dagenais
May 12: Fr. Jim Fanrak	May 29: Anne Presley
May 12: Jeffrey Strong	May 29: Dee Supergan
May 14: Jayne Craker-Novak	May 30: Dennis Hassman