

SAINT ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday, January 16, 2022

This Week

Wednesday, January 19 - Mass at noon

Mass intention - +B.J. Stark

Sunday, January 23 - Mass at 11 AM

Mass intention - +Rosemary Orminski

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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.



See page 3 & the insert for more

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

"If every flower wanted to be a rose," wrote St. Therese of Lisieux, "spring would lose its loveliness."

Who is God asking you to be today? There is an obvious answer that springs to mind right out of the gate. God wants me to be a good person (a good father, a good husband) today; today, God wants me to be a saint.

But this answer fails to get to the heart of the question. We are all striving today to serve the same Spirit, but we are given different gifts to do so. The one who has the gift of knowledge may fail if today he decides he wants to be a healer. The one who has the gift of "varieties of tongues" might falter in the expression of wisdom.

Think about the wedding at Cana and the players in the scene: the servers, the guests, the bride and groom. They all have

a unique role to play, and though it is to the servers that Mary gives the instruction, "Do whatever he tells you," her words apply to all.

Today, are we called to be the servers — do we wait on God's instruction and carry it out, no matter how foolish or impossible it may seem to our human ears? Are we asked to be the disciples, to bear witness to a miracle and to give our testimony? Are we called to imitate the Blessed Mother herself and give encouragement to follow God's word?

Let us examine our gifts and listen in the silence of our hearts to the direction of the Spirit. Then and only then, let us do whatever He tells us.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

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New to the Parish? Change of Information?

Please complete and return in collection baskets

Spouse's Name:
Address:
City; Zip:
Home Phone:
Cell Phone:
E-Mail:
Previous Parish:
Parish Town:
() New In Parish
() Change of Address - Email - Phone

Please remember in your prayers...

Beth, Rose & Paul Cooper, Mike Crawford, Debbie, Chance Dodson, Dan Dorman, Louise Eckroat, Patty Eubanks, Audrene Goulet, Pat Goulet, Ruth Haley, Robin Haller, Bec Hartz, John Hartz, Vicki Hartz, Andy Haskell, Paul Hunt, Tricia Kensinger, Pat Kohl, John LaRochelle, Gloria Maffei, Gene McEwen, Joanne Mustion, Catherine Myer, Michael Nighbert, Terrence O'Sullivan, Bob Parent, Abbi Rafinski, Ardis Rastetter, Astrid Rastetter, Bev Rastetter, Sara Rastetter, Tony Rastetter, Joe Lee Regalado, Helen Schexnaider, Deacon Mark Scouten, Marie Steagall, Tamara Steagall, Joe & Diane Stefan, Dan & Nicole Storms, Wade Strong, Carl Stubenfoll, Dee Supergan, Jill Swanson, Stephen Triner, Keith Venable, Justin Weeden, Alison Weyers, Don & Donna Wilkes.

Please add prayers for all those who have fallen victim to the variants of the Covid virus. Please pray for people in war-torn lands, those being harmed because of their faith, victims of shootings and other violence, and those experiencing the effects of natural disasters.

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

HELP THE YELLVILLE FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry needs donations, and in January they would like to receive donations of soup, chili, and stew. They can always use canned meats (but not canned salmon), soups, and other foods. The box for donations is right by the front door. Please pop a couple of extra items into your cart for the pantry. Recent articles have informed us that Hamburger Helper and other kits may need perishable foods that recipients don't have or can't afford. See the paragraph below for guidelines from feedingamerica.org

Food banks accept dry and canned food donations. What does that mean? Basically, any food that is "shelf-stable" or nonperishable (like canned or powdered milk) – you can keep it in your pantry and it won't go bad. And remember, only donate food that hasn't reached its "sell-by" date yet. Specifically, food banks often need items like:

- Peanut butter
- Canned soup
- Canned fruit
- · Canned vegetables
- · Canned stew
- Canned fish
- · Canned beans
- · Pasta and rice

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

SYNOD PRAYER

We stand before You. Holy Spirit. as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what it right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son. forever and ever. Amen

"Each parish or deanery in the Diocese of Little Rock, led by a synod representative or team trained on how to conduct the process, will hold discussions through April 2022. They will then compile a report and turn it into the diocese. The diocesan team will summarize the parish reports into a 10-page document for the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. The USCCB will then write a report to the Vatican for the synod's general assembly in October 2023."

In today's bulletin, there is an insert with the questions that Father Jim would like us to address. You can write on the sheet, type up your own sheet, or email the answers to standrewprayer@gmail.com Please be sure to ask everyone in your family to express their opinion; extra sheets will be made available. The answers will be sent on to the Bishop. See the info from the diocese here - https://www.dolr.org/journeying-together-synod-2021-23

COUPONS & MORE COUPONS

A basket for donated coupons is in the hall along with a sheet that you can check next to items you'd especially like to be able to pick up coupons for. If you would like to donate grocery or restaurant coupons from the newspaper; mail that you won't use, please leave them in the coupon basket. If you need coupons, take them Please, no expired coupons. Any questions, call Dee Supergan at 706-9560.

ST. ANDREW'S CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

2021 St. Andrew's Contribution Statements have been mailed. If you do not receive your statement in the mail, please contact the church office. We appreciate your donation to the church. Luke 6:38 reminds us: "Give and it shall be given to you. ...For the measure you measure with will be measured back to you."

WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained:



Question: How can we pray for the dead throughout the year?

Answer: We commemorate the faithful departed on November 2nd each year. However, we can and should continue to pray for the dead. Our growth in Christian perfection takes a long time. At the time of our death, many of us might not be saints yet. But God, in His mercy, allows for those who love Him to experience purification after death. Our word for that state is Purgatory. It's the antechamber of heaven, so to speak. We know we're getting in the house, but we're not quite ready to go all the way in. There's rain to shake off our coats and dirt that's clogging our shoes.

Here on earth, we can pray for the souls in Purgatory. One way is to request that your parish offer a Mass for the intention of a specific loved one. We can also remember the departed in our daily prayers. Just as we have special intentions for family and friends here on earth, we can pray for those who have died. It's also a good act of Christian charity to pray for the forgotten, those who have no one else to pray for them. God knows who they are!

Questions of the Week

First Reading

The prophet Isaiah used marriage imagery (bride and groom) to describe the Lord's love for his people, Israel. What do you see as some implications of this marriage imagery?

Second Reading

Paul taught the Corinthians that the individual gifts of the Holy Spirit are meant to benefit and unify the community of faith. How do you use your spiritual gifts within your faith community?

Gospel Reading

Jesus turning water into wine at the wedding feast in Cana was one of the first public "signs" he performed revealing his divinity. It also showed Jesus' compassion, sparing the family shame at running short of wine. How do you imagine the family reacted to Jesus' intervention and rescue?

COLLECTION BASKETS

Our collections baskets are still on the tables in the back of the church. Please remember they are there and to put any cash donations for any second collections in the striped baskets.

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.

- Kids' Corner

SHARING THE GOSPEL

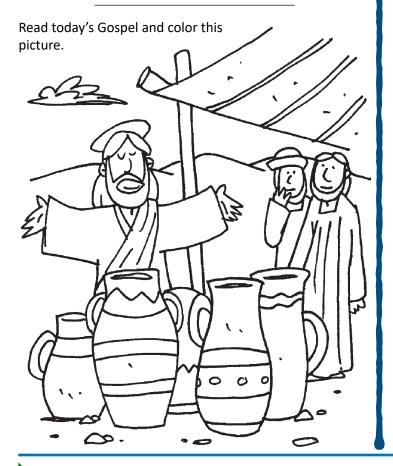
Mary had great faith in God. She also knew that God could do anything. So when the wedding servers ran out of wine, she knew Jesus could help. She said, "Do whatever Jesus tells you to do." That's the smartest thing any of us can do.

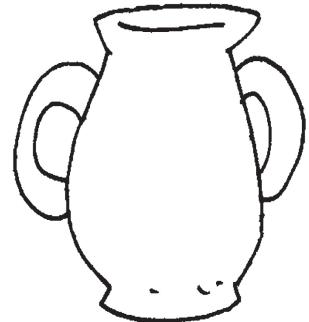
PRAYER

Dear God, help me to do everything you tell me to do. I know you can do anything.

MISSION FOR THE WEEK

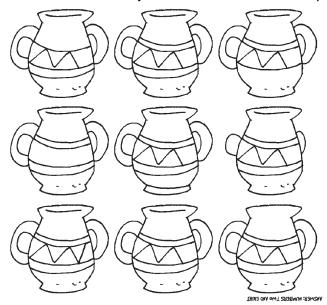
I will put all of my toys away neatly after I finish playing.





Draw a special design on this jar

Find the two identical jars. Color them the same way.



Readings for the week of January 16, 2022

Sunday, January 16 - Isaiah 62:1-5; Psalm 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]; 1 Corinthians 12:4-11; John 2:1-11

Monday, January 17 - 1 Samuel 15:16-23; Psalm 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mark 2:18-22

Tuesday, January 18 - 1 Samuel 16:1-13; Psalm 89:20, 21-22, 27-28; Mark 2:23-28

Wednesday, January 19 - 1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Psalm 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mark 3:1-6

Thursday, January 20 - 1 Samuel 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Psalm 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13; Mark 3:7-12

Friday, January 21 - 1 Samuel 24:3-21; Psalm 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11; Mark 3:13-19

Saturday, January 22 - 2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Psalm 80:2-3, 5-7; Mark 3:20-21

Sunday, January 23 - Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 15; 1 Corinthians 12:12-30

or 12:12-14, 27; Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21



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stions below and place this sheet, folded, in the collection baskets. Take

extra sheets for all members of your family, available in the vestibule, or photocopy this sheet. You do not have to add your name unless you want to.
1. What is your experience of Church; do you feel a part of the Church?
2. How can the Church make you feel more included?
3. When and how have you experienced the presence of the Holy Spirit in your life and the life of the Church?
4. What do you want Bishop Taylor and our Church to hear?
4. What do you want bishop rayior and our Church to near?