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**Prepare for Mass**  
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**Confession**  
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**God Bless the First Holy Communicants**

**Rockwell City—April 23**  
Lillian Stewart

**Manson—April 24**  
Kendall Haberl  
Gavin Hoepfner  
Keelon O'Neill

**Lake City—April 24**  
Piper Bergquist  
William Carver  
Liam Gulbranson  
Conner Higgins  
Hannah Iler  
Ellie Kent  
Fredis Mejia-Carranza  
Emmanuel Mejia-Carranza  
Caroline Melody  
Brielle Merritt  
Elodie Sigmon  
Brenna Smith  
Kaleb Vote


Please keep all of our second graders in your prayers as they receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 23. in Rockwell City & Sunday, April 24, in Manson & Lake City. They have worked so hard and are so excited to receive this blessed sacrament.



Mass Intentions

	DATE	TIME	PLACE	CELEBRANT	
Monday	Apr. 25	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Kennedy Family
Tuesday	Apr. 26	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Living & Deceased Family Members Art & Regina Bruch
		8:00 am	Rockwell City	Fr. Boes	Wuebker Family Wilbert & Melvina
		5:30 pm	Lake City	Fr. Lynn	Linda Fryer
Wednesday	Apr. 27	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Lenz & Scheidt Families
Thursday	Apr. 28	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Elmer Seifried
		8:00 am	Rockwell City	Fr. Boes	Thomas Kirby Family
Friday	Apr. 29	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Mervin Schreier
		8:00 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn	Marie Schirck
Saturday	Apr. 30	5:00 pm	Rockwell City	Fr. Lynn	Ann Carmichael
		6:30 pm	Lake City	Fr. Lynn	For Favorable Weather
Sunday	May 1	8:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Gene Lynch
		10:30 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn	Ray & Ruth Brincks

Ministry Schedule							
	Lector	EMHC	Ushers	Altar Servers	Greeter	Gifts	Money Counters
Rockwell City Sat., Apr. 30 5:00 pm	Nick Loots	Peg Stoolman  Lowell Stoolman	Scott O’Tool  Maureen Hobart	Michelle Wilson  Cade Higgins	Scott O’Tool  Maureen Hobart	Erinn Wells	Pat McGinty  Merle Wuebker
Lake City Sat., Apr. 30 6:30 pm	Peggy Scanlan	Judy Handlos  Rick Handlos	Jacob Peed  Michael Berger  Trevor Gulbranson	Joey Peed  Kate Hildreth	Jean Blum	Jessica Daniel	
Manson Sun., May 1 8:30 am	Betty Sweet	Joann Waller  Randy Waller	Marie Kaufman  Randy Waller	Brody Bush  Brayden Bush	Marie Kaufman  Randy Waller	Betty Sweet	Linda Schuttler  Linda Sigler
Lake City Sun., May 1 10:30 am	Linda Iler	Ryan Hildreth  Diane Wernimont	Gary Reicks  Keith Lampe  Mel Pudenz	Jordan Wilson  David Melody	Norm Wernimont	Kari Grider	Marleta Smith  Casey Wetter



**We ask priests to offer Masses for many reasons—**


To have a Mass offered for the repose of the soul of someone who died or for a special intention, birthday, or anniversary is appropriate, beneficial, and appreciated.

Weekend of Apr. 16/17	Adult	Loose	Grain	Special Collection	St. Joe Lohrville	St. Mary Pomeroy	St. Mary Auburn
Rockwell City	3473.00	566.00		690.00			
Manson	1615.00	595.00		2455.00			
Lake City	2107.00	592.51		800.00			

The contributions to the 2021-2022 Together As One Campaign as of 04/22/2022		
	Contributions	Parish Goal
Rockwell City:	\$10,608.00	\$14,000.00
Manson:	\$8,080.00	\$12,000.00
Lake City	\$8,665.00	\$15,000.00
Remember, anything over the goal returns to us. Thank you for the support.		

Stewardship

It’s all about gratitude.  
It’s all about giving back.  
It’s all about God.



Parish Events

On the weekend of April 23/24, there will be a special collection for the Sister Parish at St. Francis and St. Thomas.

FINANCE MEETING  
Manson: Tuesday, April 26 at 7 pm.

Mother & Daughter Brunch  
Sunday, May 1, 2022 following 10:30 am Mass, St. Mary, Lake City  
Adults—\$8.00 Children (10 under) - \$5.00  
There is a sign up sheet in the entrance of the church.

Knights of Columbus #13507 will meet following the 5:30 pm Mass in St. Mary’s parish hall in Lake City on Tues., May 3.


Brew & Brotherhood Meeting - St. Thomas Church hall  
Thurs., May 5 at 6:30 a.m.

Manson Knights of Columbus meeting on Tues., May 10 after the 6:15 pm Mass

YOUTH SERVICE TRIP FUNDRAISER  
The St. Mary’s Religious Education Students will be having a Car Wash on Saturday morning, May 14, 2022, in the parish center parking lot from 9 am to 12 noon. Also, available that morning will be cinnamon rolls. This fundraiser will be a “Free Will Donation.”  
The “Stay Grounded Caffe” turquoise house (a mobile coffee shop) from Rockwell City will be on site selling their coffee & smoothies, as well.  
So come join the fun—enjoy a great breakfast & drive home in a clean vehicle.

Adoration: St. Francis Church in Rockwell City will have adoration every Monday from 5 to 6 p.m.

Holy Hour — St. Thomas Church in Manson has adoration every Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

 BINGO at St. Mary Catholic Church, Auburn, every 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month.

KUEMPER NEWS

Sat., April 30—38th Annual Kuemper Ball at the Fieldhouse

**JOB OPENINGS:**  
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Date	Manson	Lake City
April 23		First Communion—Rockwell City
April 24	First Communion—Manson	First Communion—Lake City
April 27	Conf & HS	Grades K-12 Last Class/ Teacher Meeting
May 4	Last meeting of FF/Teacher Mtg	No Classes

If you have questions, please contact Sandra Hildreth, calhouncatholic@gmail.com

WEEKLY UPDATE ON OUR RELIGIOUS ED

This year we added a Youth Night to Manson’s K-6 program and an Early Out afternoon to the Lake City K-5 program. Both opportunities provided a chance for kids to come to church and learn about their faith outside the classroom or mass setting; adding in music, games & art experiences. We would love more volunteers next year if this once a month event interests you.

EVENING MEAL FOR CCD CLASSES AT ST. MARY’S -- LAKE CITY

Wednesday, April 27—The evening meal for the Religious Ed classes will be furnished by the teachers.

Wednesday, May 4—No evening meal for the Religious ED classes.

THANK YOU

Want to thank all of you who helped out with the music ministry during Holy Week, especially Holy Saturday. We had MANY compliments about the music, whether there were 5 or 15 singing. It sounded beautiful! And a HUGE “Thank You” to Fran for playing each night, after just having knee replacement surgery. God has truly blessed our parishes!

Community News

Christian Women United May Fellowship Day on May 6 at 9:30 am

Rockwell City United Methodist Church

Bring food items for Family Development Center

LOCAL FOOD PANTRY INFORMATION

Lake City Food Pantry — Please call ahead: 712-297-4473 to schedule an appointment at the Woodlawn Christian Church (200 N. Woodlawn Ave.) on Tuesdays & Thursdays, 2-4 p.m.

**Food Pantry needs this week: flour tortillas & taco shells**

**DONATIONS ARE WELCOME.**

OPEN AA MEETINGS — St. Thomas Catholic Church, Manson,

holds AA/Al-Anon meetings on **Mondays at 7 p.m.**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter - a Catholic faith-based marriage enrichment program that has been providing couples with better communication skills & tools for over 50 years. Find out what you’ve been missing by attending an upcoming program: **April 23-24** in Epworth. **For more information/to register:** iowa-wwme.org; call 563-608-3305.

St. Serra Club of Siouxland holds an Hour of Adoration at the Divine Mercy Chapel at Trinity Heights every third Saturday of the month, 8-9 a.m. to pray especially for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. ALL are welcome to come and pray with us! A short program to build up the faith at the Marian Center follows the Holy Hour to which all are also invited! Would you please consider taking time for this? Questions? Call Betty Pratt 712-490-3550.