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Confession

30 minutes prior to Mass

Prayer Chain:

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St. Thomas in Manson will be serving two fish fry meals during the Lenten season. Dates are March 8 and March 22. Dine in or carry out. Cost is \$13.00 Menu: fish, cheesy potatoes, green beans, coleslaw & desserts.

2024 Men's Lenten Breakfast

February 24—Woodlawn Christian Church in Lake City March 2—Union Church in Lake City March 9—United Methodist Church in Lanesboro March 16—Pilgrim Lutheran Church in Lake City March 23—Knights of Columbus/St. Mary Church in Lake City All breakfasts will be served at 7:30 am. A freewill donation will be accepted. Call Mike Jacobs at 464-8103 with any questions.

2024 Women's Lenten Luncheon

February 26—Pilgrim Lutheran Church in Lake City—serving at 12:00 noon March 1—World Day of Prayer at 1:00 pm at the Pilgrim Lutheran Church in Lake City March 4—Woodlawn Church in Lake City—serving at 12:00 noon March 11—Union Church in Lake City—serving at 12:00 noon March 18—St. Mary in Lake City—serving at 12:00 noon

St. Francis in Rockwell City will have a soup supper & social on Saturday, March 2, after the 5:30 pm Mass. Cards & games to follow. All are welcome.

Bishop Nickless has approved Father Lynn's retirement and has named Father Feller as administrator of the Calhoun Catholic Parishes upon Father Lynn's retirement this summer. The official announcement is in the February 22nd edition of the Lumen..

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Manson **Lake City**

Mar 6 **Mass** K-7, Conf/HS Early Out, K-5th, 6th-12th

If you have questions, please contact Sandra Hildreth, calhouncatholic@gmail.com or 319-230-9227.

K-5th, 6th-12th

EVENING MEAL FOR CCD CLASSES

St. MARY'S—LAKE CITY Allison Kinney & Rita Stumpf **Heather Parker**

Feb 28 K-7, Conf/HS

Wednesday February 28 Wednesday March 6

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2024 Lenten Programs

Schedule for Religious Ed Programs on Wednesdays at St. Mary in Lake City Wed., Feb. 28th—4th Grade class will be doing the Stations of the Cross at 4:45 pm in the church. The public/parents are welcome

Wed., Feb 28th—11th Grade class at 7:30 pm in the church (Rosary)

Wed., March 6th—Father Feller at 7:30 pm in the parish center (Technology & Religion) Wed., March 13th—Reconciliation at Lake City & Manson

Wed., March 20th—Father Feller at 7:30 pm in the church (Adoration) Wed., March 27th—10th Grade class at 7:30 pm in the parish center (Seven Last Words &

> Sunday is Coming) **Everyone Is Welcome**

Mass Intentions

	DAT	E	TIME	PLACE	CELEBRANT	
Monday	Feb	26	No Mass	Manson	Fr. Jim	
Tuesday	Feb	27	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Adolph Pieffer
			8:00 am	Rockwell City	Fr. Boes	Vickie Stumpf
			5:30 pm	Lake City	Fr. Lynn / Fr. Feller	Linda Hardy
Wednesday	Feb	28	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Lisa Hudson
			8:00 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn / Fr. Feller	John Turza
Thursday	Feb	29	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Priests of the Diocese
			8:00 am	Rockwell City	Fr. Boes	Ed & Phyllis Bird
			8:00 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn/Fr. Feller	Living & Deceased Members of the Richard Clausen Family
			5:30 pm	Prison	Fr. Lynn/Fr. Feller	Bruce O'Hern
Friday	Mar	1	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Elmer Seifried
			8:00 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn/Fr. Feller	Joleen Wallace & Bertie Tigges
			10:30 am	Shady Oaks	Fr. Lynn/Fr. Feller	Fran Nutter
Saturday	Mar	2	5:30 pm	Rockwell City	Fr. Lynn	Diane O'Tool Bunnell
Sunday	Mar	3	8:30 am	Manson	Fr. Lynn	Jack Pierick
			10:30 am	Lake City	Fr. Feller	Dean Timmerman

Ministry Schedule

Willistry Schedule							
	Lector	ЕМНС	Ushers	Altar Servers	Greeter	Gifts	Money Counters
Rockwell City Sat., Mar. 2 5:30 pm	Michelle Dischler	Marcia Lynch Loren Wuebker	Kevin Monahan Maureen Hobart	Collin Hildreth Emmersyn Hildreth	Kevin Monahan Maureen Hobart	Michelle Dischler	Merle Wuebker Linda Rokes
Manson Sun., Mar. 3 8:30 am	Janine Lynch	Mark Lynch Jan Nelson Marilyn Pierick Jerry Chizek Janine Lynch Betty Sweet	Tom Ledford Pat Ledford	Elliott Droste	Tom Ledford Pat Ledford	Betty Sweet	Laurie Barrett Linda Schuttler
Lake City Sun., Mar. 3 10:30 am	6th Grade Class	Angela Richardson Jason Wernimont Richard Vanderheiden Joe Steig	6th Grade Class	6th Grade Class	6th Grade Class	6th Grade Class	Beth McCarter Lois Smith

HELP WANTED: PARISH BOOKKEEPER/SECRETARY

Full-time bookkeeper/secretary position available for Calhoun Catholic Parish: St. Mary, Lake City; St. Francis, Rockwell City; St. Thomas, Manson.

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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 Feb. 17/18	Adult	Loose	Grain	Special Collection	St. Joe Lohrville	St. Mary Pomeroy	St. Mary Auburn
Rockwell City	3983.00	140.00		300.00			
Manson	3061.00	90.00		50.00		50.00	
Lake City	3477.00	236.00		50.00	150.00		

THE SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK If you or a loved one is homebound and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact Fr. Lynn Bruch, Fr. Brian Feller, Fr. Clair Boes, or Fr. Jim Bruch. The time to call the priest for anointing is at the start of a serious illness—not at the very end—at the moment of death. Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven Catholic Sacraments and modes to experience God's grace.



Parish Events

FINANCE MEETING: St. Francis in Rockwell City on Tuesday, February 27th, at 7:00 pm.

There will be rolls & juice after the 8:00 am Mass at St. Francis in Rockwell City on Tuesday, February 27.

Coffee & rolls served in the parish hall at St. Thomas, Manson **Sunday, March 3,** after the 8:30 am Mass. Co-chairpersons: Pat Ledford & Nancy Sullivan

The 6th Grade Religious Ed class at St. Mary in Lake City will be serving coffee & rolls after the 10:30 am Mass on Sun., March 3.

Knights of Columbus #13507 will meet at 6:00 pm at St. Mary's in Lake City on **Tues.**, **March 5**.

Brew & Brotherhood Meeting at St. Thomas Church Hall Thurs., March 7, at 6:30 a.m.

Lake City Holy Name Men's Club will meet on Thurs., March 14 at 6 pm, in the parish hall. Cooks are Jerry Schleisman, Jerry Melody, Andy Melody, Marc Melody, and Jeff Johnson.

Knights of Columbus #14494 will meet on Tues., March 19, after the 6:15 pm Mass at St. Thomas in Manson.

Our Lenten journey has begun and once again **St. Francis is** requesting **voices for our choir!** We will sing Palm Sunday (Sat. night) & Holy Thursday evening. Please join us in the front rows by the piano.

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

St. Thomas Church in Manson has adoration every Wednesday from 9:00 to 10:30 am.

Another adoration time at St. Thomas in Manson is every Monday evening

from 5 to 7 pm. This adoration time is in

addition to the one already being held **Wednesday mornings.** A sign-up sheet can be found in the back of the church, as two guardians are needed in 30-minute intervals for the Monday evening adoration.

KUEMPER NEWS:

Wed., Feb. 28—Sophomore Retreat in Willey (8:45 to 1:30)

Job Openings:

Looking for substitute teachers and substitute teacher associates, substitute secretaries, full and part-time custodians. See and apply for all openings on our website: Kuemper,org, or call 712-792-3596. For more information on becoming a substitute teacher, go to iowasubstitute.com. Also, looking for bus drivers and substitute bus drivers. Contact Katie Riesberg at 712-792-3596 or kjriesberg@kuemper.org.

Looking to fill a full-time opening in the kitchen at Kuemper. Six hours a day with benefits. If interested, contact Sue Kennebeck at 712-792-3313 or

2024 Kuemper Ball

sakennebeck@kuemper.org.

We are excited to announce the 40th Kuemper Ball, a celebration of continuing a legacy, set to take place on April 27, 2024. This year's event promises to be a memorable evening filled with camaraderie and support for Kuemper Catholic School.

TOGETHER AS ONE: Together As One (TAO) supports the Parish Accounting office. The parish accounting office provides financial oversight & expertise, assistance with maintenance of financial records and controls in accordance with legal requirements of running a small business.

The contributions to the 2023-2024 Together As One Campaign as of 02/22/2024:

	Contributions	Diocesan Support Goal	Shortfall
St. Francis	\$8,548.00	\$13,788.00	\$5,240.00
St. Thomas	\$7,755.00	\$11,497.00	\$3,742.00
St. Mary	\$12,045.00	\$11,837.00	\$ (208.00)

Remember, anything over the goal returns to us. Thank you.

The 2024 Siouxland Catholic Radio Juried Youth Art Festival is coming! 1st through 12th grade students (enrolled in a Catholic school or a Catholic student enrolled in a public or home school) are invited to submit a two-dimensional or three-dimensional visual arts entry depicting this year's theme "The Saints." The submission deadline is 4 pm on March 14 at Siouxland Catholic Radio, 701 West 5th St., Sioux City, IA. All the art will be displayed during the art festival at the radio station, April 16-19. The winners will be honored during an awards ceremony on Thursday, April 18, at 3 pm. Festival details can be found at www.siouxlandcatholicradio.com/2024-juried—youth-art-festival. Brenna McCarter from St. Mary Parish in Lake City won 1st place as a 5th grader in the 2023 Juried Youth Art Festival. Her artwork will be featured in May 2024.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Annual Breakfast on Sunday, March 3rd.

Serving 8:30 am to 12:30 pm in the parish hall. Menu: pancakes, eggs & sausage. Adults—\$10 Kids (5 to 10 yrs) - \$5 4 yrs & under are free.

Community News

Rockwell City Blood Drive at St. Francis Catholic Church on Tuesday, February 27, from 1:30 to 5:30 pm. Address is 744 Main Street in Rockwell City.

Church Women United "World Day of Prayer" will be held on Friday,
March 1, at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Rockwell City at 9:30 am. Please
bring non-perishable food items for the Family Development Center.

Church Women United "World Day of Prayer" will be on Friday, March 1, at 1:00 pm at the Pilgrim Lutheran Church in Lake City. All women Are Invited.

Come join us at Shady Oaks in Lake City on Tuesday, March 12, at 1:30 pm for Easter bingo & prizes. Everyone is invited!

LAKE CITY LOCAL FOOD PANTRY INFORMATION

Due to the cost-of-living increase, more people are in need of food assistance.

The Lake City Food Pantry is in dire need. Food donations are welcome.

Monetary donations are appreciated. Send donations to Lake City Food Pantry,

200 N. Woodlawn Ave., Lake City, IA 51449

Drop off donations at the Lake City Public Library or the City office.

Pantry Hours: Tues. 9:30-11:30 am & Thurs. 2-4 pm. Phone: 712-297-4473.

This week's pantry needs: Rice-a-Roni, Chef Boyardee Pasta, and Saltines (in coordination with Lake City Food Center sale items to meet the needs of the Food Pantry). DONATIONS ARE WELCOME.

OPEN AA MEETINGS—St. Thomas Catholic Church, Manson holds AA/Al-Anon meetings on **Mondays at 7 p.m.**