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30 minutes prior to Mass

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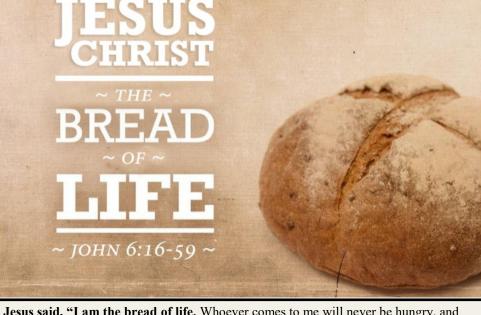
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Praying from Within—A Retreat on Prayer will be held Sat., April 27, at St. Thomas Parish Hall in Manson from 9 am to 12 noon. This retreat is open to all, is hosted by lay men and women, and guided by Fr. Feller. It is preceded by a light breakfast and followed by a lunch.

Register at the door or ahead of time by emailing Fr. Feller at CatholicPassage@gmail.com or by calling the parish office, 712-464-3395. \$50 Retreat that is offered to you for free.



Manson

Apr 17 Youth Night (K-6), Conf/HS

Early Out K-5th, 6th-12th K-5th, 6th-12th

Apr 24 K-7, Conf/HS May 1 All Teacher Meeting in Rockwell City for Manson & Lake City Teachers (Potluck Dinner)

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

EVENING MEAL FOR RELIGIOUS ED CLASSES

St. MARY'S-LAKE CITY Religious Ed Teachers

No Meal

Wednesday April 17 Wednesday April 24 ST. THOMAS—MANSON **Betty Sweet & Paul Schreier All Family Cook Out** Men's & Women's Group

(Religious Ed will meet at the Capri Movie Theatre in Lake City on Wednesday, April 24 at 6:30 p.m.)

MASS INTENTIONS

	DAT	E	TIME	PLACE	CELEBRANT		
Monday	Apr	15	No Mass	Manson	Fr. Jim		
Tuesday	Apr	16	No Mass	Rockwell City	Fr. Boes		
			5:30 pm	Lake City	Fr. Lynn / Fr. Feller	Linda Hardy	
			6:15 pm	Manson	Fr. Jim	In Gratitude & Thanksgiving	
Wednesday	Apr	17	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Chris & Liam Casey	
			8:00 am	Rockwell City	Fr. Feller	Jerry Brown	
			2:15 pm	Lake City	Fr. Lynn		
Thursday	Apr	18	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Gordon Loots	
			8:00 am	Rockwell City	Fr. Feller	Paul Kehoe	
			5:30 pm	Prison	Fr. Lynn	Father Steve Brodersen	
Friday	Apr	19	7:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Jack Pierick	
			8:00 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn / Fr. Feller	Living & Deceased Members of the Richard Clausen Family	
			10:30 am	Accura Care	Fr. Lynn / Fr. Feller	Lyle Schleisman	
Saturday	Apr	20	5:30 pm	Rockwell City	Fr. Feller	Lambert Klocke	
Sunday	Apr	21	8:30 am	Manson	Fr. Jim	Thelma Wernimont	
			10:30 am	Lake City	Fr. Lynn	Beth Vanderheiden	

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

	Lector	ЕМНС	Ushers	Altar Servers	Greeter	Gifts	Money	
							Counters	
Rockwell City Sat., April 20 5:30 pm	Kristy Vogel	Paula Klocke	Joel Wuebker	Katie Vogel	Joel Wuebker	Rhonda Meyer	Joel Wuebker	
		Doug Klocke	David King	Kaitlyn O'Neill	David King		Linda Rokes	
Manson Sun., April 21	Denise Besch	Laurie Barrett Mike Barrett	Tony Bradley	Elliott Droste	Tony Bradley	Sheila Bradley	Michael Waller	
8:30 am		Kent Nolting Jennifer Nolting Betty Sweet	Michael Waller	Peyton Davis	Michael Waller		Betty Sweet	
Lake City Sun., April 21 10:30 am	1st Communion Class	Sara Block Carla Morrow Judy Miller	1st Communion Class	Brinkley Block Ouinn Hildreth		1st Communion Class	Beth McCarter Casey Wetter	
		Debra Daniel		Quini Interetii			Casey Wetter	

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. The position provides secretarial, clerical support, day-to-day financial and operational services, and computer input/output services for the parish office operations. Need to communicate an atmosphere of welcome and demonstrate good communication skills in dealing with people. Should be capable of utilizing a supporting role in helping achieve the mission of the parishes/pastor. Health insurance and 401K are available. Job description is available upon request. Please send resume to Fr. Brian Feller, PO Box 131, Lake City, IA 51449 or email to calhounfeller@gmail.com.



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 6/7	Adult	Loose	Grain	Special Collection	St. Joe Lohrville	St. Mary Pomeroy	St. Mary Auburn
Rockwell City	2065.00	147.00		230.00			
Manson	2200.00	286.00		250.00		780.00	
Lake City	4034.00	217.00		55.00			

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 B, Fr. Brian Feller, 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

St. Thomas Women's Guild will have a meeting in the parish hall after the 8:30 am Mass on **Sunday, April 14.** Goodies & coffee will be provided for those who attend.

Knights of Columbus #14494 will meet on Tues., April 16, after the 6:15 pm Mass at St. Thomas in Manson.

Knights of Columbus Council #14494 is pleased to recognize Benjamin Lenz as its Knight of the Month and the Tim and Nancy Sullivan family as the Family of the Month. Congratulations!



Brew & Brotherhood Meeting at St. Thomas Church Hall Thurs., April 18, at 6:30 a.m.

FINANCE MEETING: St. Thomas in Manson on Tuesday, April 23, at 7:00 pm.

WinGS meeting on Tuesday, April 23 at 6 pm in the parish hall at St. Mary in Lake City. Please plan to attend.

Ladies Taco Salad Supper at St. Francis Catholic Church parish hall on Wednesday, May 1st at 6:00 pm. Everyone is welcome! Please bring a food or paper product to donate to New Opportunities.

WinGS Mother/Daughter Brunch will be Sun., May 5th after the 10:30 am Mass at St. Mary in Lake City. Sign-up sheets are in the entrance of the church.

Knights of Columbus #13507 will meet at 6:00 pm at St. Mary's in Lake City on Tues., May 7.

ADORATION: St. Mary Church in Lake City on **Tuesday, April 16,** from 4:30 to 5:30 pm.

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

ADORATION: St. Thomas Church, Manson, every Wednesday from 9:00 to 10:30 am.

Another adoration at St. Thomas, Manson, is every Monday evening from

5 to 7 pm. Sign-up sheet in the entrance of the church (two guardians are needed.)



KUEMPER NEWS:

Wed., April 17:7-12 Grades Mass @ 2:15 pm Sat., April 20: Prom

Job Openings:

Looking for substitute teachers and substitute teacher associates, substitute secretaries, and 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.

2024 Kuemper Ball

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.

As we reflect on four decades of the Kuemper Ball, we celebrate the lasting impact our community has had on the school and its students. The Kuemper Ball has been instrumental in providing resources to enhance educational experiences and opportunities for our students. To donate or purchase your tickets please visit Kuemper.org/ball or call 712-792-2212.

TOGETHER AS ONE: Together As One (TAO) is an opportunity for all Catholics in our diocese to express unity in carrying out our mission in support of the work of Christ in our lives today. Join us today in support of TAO with a gift or pledge through a brochure that will be mailed to you next week or by giving online at scdiocese.org/tao.

The contributions to the 2023-2024 Together As One Campaign as of 04/11/2024:

Contributions **Diocesan Support Goal** Shortfall \$8,548.00 \$5.240.00 St. Francis \$13,788.00 \$7,755.00 \$3,742.00 St. Thomas \$11,497.00 St. Mary \$12,045.00 \$11,837.00 \$ (208.00) Remember, anything over the goal returns to us. Thank you.

Kids' Choir will be singing for the First Communion Mass on Sunday, April 21, at 10:30 am at St. Mary in Lake City. This is open to kids in kindergarten through 6th grade. Practice is expected to last from 5:00 to 5:15 pm each week. Practice dates will be April 17. All practices start at 5pm. The Kids' Choir will sit with their family during Mass on Sunday, April 21 and Diane

Sommerfeld will call them up to sing during the Offertory.

National Eucharistic Congress 2024 will be held in Indianapolis on Wednesday, July 17 thru Sunday, July 21. A Eucharistic Congress is an especially powerful manifestation of the unity of the Church, where a large number of Catholics gather to worship Our Lord in the Eucharist through the Communal celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. The United States has not held a Eucharistic Congress at the national level since before WWII. If you are interested in joining our group, please call the parish office.

Community News

The Calhoun County Opioid Settlement Committee is sponsoring three Opioid Information/Narcan trainings in Calhoun County in April. The Narcan Trainings are Wed., April 17 at 5 pm at the Manson City Hall; Wed., April 24 at 5:30 pm at the Rockwell City Public Health (501 Court St.); and Mon., April 29 at 8:45 am at the Lake City Drive-In. Refreshments and snacks will be provided at all three sessions. Narcan will be available at the sessions to take after completion of the training. Any questions, call Barb Riley at 712-297-8323 or Cathy Voith at 712-297-8121.

A physical Therapy student looking for housing from June 3 to August 9 for a clinical experience he will have at Stewart Memorial. If you are willing to provide housing during part of or all of this time frame, please contact Branden Roberts, Manager of Rehab Services at SMCH at 712-464-4196.

Manson Ministerial Food Pantry is open Fridays from 9 am to 12 pm.
Donations may be sent to:

Max Dodds, 1401 Main St., Manson IA 50563. Checks need to be made out to the Manson Ministerial Association.

Donations can be also dropped off at St. Thomas Catholic Church; boxes are located in the entrance of the Church.

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: breakfast cereal & canned luncheon meat.
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.**