# Our Lady of the Plains November 3, 2024

Churches of St. Mary (Lake City), St. Thomas (Manson), St. Francis (Rockwell City)

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#### Prepare for Mass

with the daily Mass readings; also available by audio at www.usccb.or/bible/readings.

#### Confession

30 minutes prior to Mass

#### Prayer Chain:

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#### Fr. Feller's Corner

You may have heard me say that the emotion of sadness comes about when we miss the ones we love. We can also feel sad when our desire for things to work out a certain way is unfulfilled. We might feel sad when our favorite team does not win the game, we do not receive a good result from a medical exam, or we cannot find a new job. The emotion of anger can be involved too. Anger can move us to overcome the obstacles to what we desire. For example, after losing a game, anger moves me to practice harder so that I win the next football game. When or how do you experience the emotions of sadness and anger?

Some of the toughest sorrows come from missing our beloved friends and family members.

The sorrows can grow deeper and more persistent when no amount of anger or action can reunite us with the ones we love. Emotions are neither right nor wrong, they just are. But sometimes, we can feel tied up in knots with no place to go. As we approach the holidays, grief often intensifies as our hearts are filled with fond memories and desires for what-had-once-been. Jesus is with you and feels your sadness and anger. We have hope because God exists and has a plan to rescue our relationships from death.

Our love for our deceased beloved does not end. November begins with All Saints Day and all Souls Day. It is a month of praying for the faithfully departed. We can love those who have passed by prayers of intercessions for any purification of mind, body, or soul they may need. Also, relationships do not end with death because when we are in union with Jesus in the Eucharist, we are in union with all those deceased who are in union with Jesus. God's mercy is bigger than we can imagine, and His mercy leads to resurrection. Lastly, just as God blessed us through these special relationships, God has more blessings to share in other ways.

Each of us is called to be avenues of our Father's blessings. You might just be the new blessing God wants to share with a grieving person. Please say yes. Lastly, I want to invite you to come to Our Lady of the Plains grief support meetings at St. Mary in Lake City. Details are in the bulletin. God loves you.





Dynamic study to help you connect with parishioners, as you fall deeper in love with our Lord & immerse yourself in the beauty of faith.

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Session 5	11/3, 9:15 am	<del></del>		
Session 6 Session 7	11/10, 9:15 am 11/17, 9:15 am	11/5, 6 pm *11/19, 6 pm	11/6, 11 am 11/13, 11 am	*Note this skips a week due to Memorial Mass.

**Rockwell City** 

Lake City

## **Prayer for the United States**

We pray to God, our Father, and the Giver of Life, to watch over and guide our nation. God is the foundational rock of our nation and source of our fundamental rights. We ask for God's presence to be restored, and we seek His guidance for our nation's leaders, urging them to value human life, uphold the responsibilities of freedom, and make wise decisions that move our country in the



right direction. Living in uncertain times, you are a certain God. You are the peace in us. -Amen

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

	DATE	TIME	PLACE	
Monday	Nov. 4	NO MASS		
Tuesday	Nov. 5	7:30 am	Manson	Teresa Sexton & Patsy Fitzgerald Whitlatch
		8:00 am	Rockwell City	Wilbert & Melvina Wuebker Family
		5:30 pm	Lake City	Larry Munstenteiger
Wednesday	Nov. 6	6:00 pm	Manson	Jack Pierick
		NO MASS	Rockwell City	
Thursday	Nov. 7	7:30 am	Manson	In Gratitude & Thanksgiving
		8:00 am	Rockwell City	Peter & Mary Jane Reichenauer
		5:30 pm	Prison	Father Dennis Meinen
Friday	Nov. 8	7:30 am	Manson	Ralph Heisterkamp
		8:00 am	Lake City	In Thanksgiving of Ed & Lorraine Hoffman's 67th
			_	Wedding Anniversary
		NO MASS	Accura Care	
Saturday	Nov. 9	5:30 pm	Rockwell City	Dale, Cory, & Kevin Wagner
Sunday	Nov. 10	8:30 am	Manson	Father Bob Aubrey
		10:30 am	Lake City	Joe & Pat Koster

#### **ADORATION & CONFESSION:**



ADORATION
\*St. Mary Church,
Lake City, every
Tuesday (unless no
Mass) from
4:30-5:30 pm.
—CONFESSION

(Fr. Feller) when adoration: 4:45-5:15pm

\*ADORATION: St. Francis Church, Rockwell City, every Monday: 5-6pm

\*ADORATION: St. Thomas Church,
Manson, every Wednesday, 9-10:30 am.
—CONFESSION (Fr. Jim or Fr. Feller) from
9:15-9:45am. (Another adoration time at
St. Thomas, every Monday: 5-7 pm.)
Sign-up sheet in the entrance of the church
(two guardians are needed.)

#### **MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

	Lector	ЕМНС	Altar Servers	Ushers	Gifts	Greeters	Money Counters
Rockwell City Sat., Nov. 9	Nick Loots	Maureen Hobart Merle Wubker	Caleb Gaffney Joey Wetter	Maureen Hobart Kevin Machovec	Rhonda Meyer	Maureen Hobart Kevin Machovec	Kevin Monahan Linda Rokes
Manson Sun., Nov. 10 8:30 am	Randy Waller	Tim & Deb Troshynski Joann Waller Betty Sweet Mark & Janine Lynch	Chase Lamphier Christian Lamphier	Tony Bradley Wesly Lamphier	Sheila Bradley	, ,	Laurie Barrett Linda Schuttler
Lake City Sun., Nov. 10 10:30 am	Kris Fields	Deb Daniel Luann Ludwig Luanne Redenius Richard Vanderheiden	Makinlee Hingeley Nicholas Wernimont	Keith Lampe Gary Redenius Mark Schrad	Kendra Davis	Melissa Buss	Lois Smith Marleta Smith

**TOGETHER AS ONE:** Jesus calls us to be alert to the opportunities to be His disciples, His witnesses and share His love. Your participation in Together as One is an extension of our call to discipleship in our parish. Every gift matters.

#### **DIOCESAN SUPPORT GOALS:**

St. Francis - \$13,099 St. Thomas - \$12,342 St. Mary - \$11,245

St. Francis: Contributions \$2,172; shortfall \$10,297 | St. Thomas: Contributions \$3,015; shortfall \$9,327 | St. Mary: Contributions \$5,975; shortfall \$5,270

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION								
Date Manson		M Snack	Lake City	LC Snack	LC Bus Duty			
		M Meal		LC Meal				
Nov. 6	Mass K-7, Conf/ HS	Troshynski Family Bush Family	K-5th, 6th-12th	Melissa Kinney Laura Smith & Kathryn Pogeler	Volunteer Needed			
Nov. 13	K-7-skating Conf/HS class	XXX Sweet/Schreier	K-6 Skating 7-12th Class	XXX Trish Wanat	XXX			
Nov. 20	K-7, Conf/HS	XXX Ramthun/Ollinger Family	Mass K-5, 6th-12th	Tiffany Blair Dee Blair	Volunteer Needed			

There will be a second collection Sunday
Nov. 16, at St. Mary in Lake City for the
Lake City Ministerial Association.
This collection is for the needy in our
community. Please be generous.

<b>Upcoming Fellowship</b>
Soun & Annetizers at St. Mary

after 10:30 am Mass, **Nov. 3**.

Hosted by 10th grade class.

AND

Coffee & Rolls at St. Thomas, Manson, on **Nov. 10**, after 8:30am Mass. Co-Chairs are Linda Hock & Kathy Zierke.

Weekend of	Adult	Loose	Grain	Special	St. Joe	St. Mary	St. Mary
Oct. 26/27				Collection	Lohrville	Pomeroy	Auburn
Rockwell City	1838.00	144.00		350.00			
Manson	2375.00	395.00		399.75		60.00	
Lake City	1703.00	246.00					375.00

## **Parish Events**

The Church is seeking your help with Adult Formation. Please scan QR code to fill out a quick survey to help our team serve our parish.





Knights of Columbus & Women's Guild at St. Thomas in Manson will be praying the Patriotic Rosary at the church, Sunday, Nov. 3rd—2:00 p.m. Patriotic Rosary dedicates one Hail Mary in the traditional Catholic Rosary to each state of the United States and asks God's protection and guidance for peace in America and for the election.



Knights of Columbus #13507 meets Tuesday, Nov. 5th, after 5:30pm Mass at St. Mary, Lake City parish hall.

Mark your calendars for the annual Memorial Mass on Nov. 12 at 6:30 pm at St. Francis Rockwell City.

Brew & Brotherhood will meet at 6:30am, at St. Thomas Parish Hall on Nov. 14 and 28. All are welcome to join.

Lake City Holy Name meeting will host a social hour at 6:00 and meeting at 7pm on Thursday, Nov. 14 at the parish hall. Cooks are Jim Feld, Mark Morrow, Lucas Vote & Rick Handlos. All men are welcome.

Turkey Bingo Saturday, November 16, St. Joseph's Fellowship Hall in Lohrville from 5:30-7:00pm. \$1 for 2 cards. Maidrites, chips, and bars available. Sponsored by God Squad and people of St. Joseph.



Our Lady of the Plains Parish is starting a new grief support group that will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 19th at 12 noon. Meetings will be held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at St. Mary in Lake City.



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

Our Lady of the Plains Finance Council Meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 21st at 7:00 pm at St. Francis Parish Hall in Rockwell City.

#### St. Edmond Catholic School 3- & 4-Year-Old Preschool Registration **REGISTER NOW**



Nov. 15: Current/Non-Catholic Families

Dec. 1: Open to Public Families



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For job openings, email tlgarringer@kuemper.org Substitute nurses (RN required) needed. To complete an application: kuemper.org/employment-opportunities.



**Kuemper's Important Upcoming Dates:** 

- Wednesday, Nov. 6 Soph Retreat in Willey
- Friday, Nov. 8 Veterans Assembly Dedication of Vietnam Memorial in KHS (2:45 pm)
- Friday, Nov. 8 at 2:45pm in the high school gym: Vietnam Veterans Kuemper Alumni Memorial Service. All military veterans invited.

## **Community News**

Lake City Capri Theatre's Upcoming Showing Nov. 1-3: Beetlejuice Beetlejuice

Hours: Fridays & Saturdays at 7pm & Sundays at 2pm. ADMISSION is \$2.00.



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

Food donations are welcome. Monetary donations are appreciated. Mail to: Lake City Food Pantry, 200 N. Woodlawn Ave., Lake City, IA 51449

> **Pantry Hours:** Tues. 9:30-11:30 am & Thurs. 2-4 pm. Phone: 712-640-6413

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This week's pantry needs: Canned Beans (Great Northern, Red, Pinto, etc.) and saltines (in coordination with Lake City Food Center sale items to meet the needs of the Food Pantry).

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



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Tune into Faith in Action at 9 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 11, on Channel 88.1FM. Host Joanne Fox interviews Larry Harrington, Dr. Gerald McGowan, and Don Stevens about their experiences in Vietnam, in honor of Veterans' Day on Nov. 11. This program replays at 7 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 16. Faith in Action is brought to you by

Mary's Choice, a Sioux City Pregnancy Resource Center. Previous Faith in Action programs can be found at siouxlandcatholicradio.com, on YouTube, and on a number of other podcasting platforms.

## Miracles & Saints

2025 Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Italy



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Fall is a beautiful season full of color and crisp fresh air. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is like autumn because it's a weekend full of fresh air, new beginnings, and a time to rejoice in the beauty of your marriage. It's a great time to rekindle communication and enjoy some time away. For information, call Greg and Denise at 563-

608-3305 or register at wwme.org. Our upcoming weekend is Nov. 8-10 in Holstein, Iowa at the Cobblestone Inn, 2011 Indorf Avenue (right off Hwy 20).



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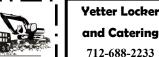
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