

# St. Andrew Parish

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## November 8, 2020

Mass time is Saturday at 4:30 pm.

We celebrate the **Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time** this weekend.

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### *Mass Ministries for Saturday, November 14, 2020*

	4:30 PM	
<i>Mass Intention</i>	People of St. Andrew Parish	
<i>Lectors</i>	Megan Kocal	
<i>Ushers</i>	Al and Deb Ehrecke	

We are open for **Mass** at 4:30 pm on Saturday's. We social distance, wear masks and disinfect after each gathering. We have about 30 to 40 attending each week. As soon as we can get the numbers built up more, we can start having our Sunday Mass again.

*Call me with questions, Deacon Terry – (563) 726-4852*

We will continue to live stream the 4:30 pm Mass on FaceBook throughout the pandemic.

<https://www.facebook.com/St-Andrew-Church-111666438870042>

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### **Our Annual Diocesan Appeal needs your help if you haven't pledged yet!**

We are at \$26,577, which is 77.15% of our assessment of \$34,447.

If you are able and have not yet, please get your pledge in soon.

**We still have \$7,870 to go! THANK YOU!!**

Let me know if you need an envelope. You also may pay on the website. Click on the Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA) icon and there are several options on how to pay!

Please see link: <https://www.davenportdiocese.org/annual-diocesan-appeal>

**Giving, is part of the sharing of resources good stewardship requires.**



We can now offer Communion in the home to those who are not able or should not be attending Mass because of the threat of COVID-19. Please contact me and I will assign someone to make a home visit. Deacon Terry.

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### PLC Corner

Please pray for these parishioners:

Vince Motto is still healing in Iowa City Hospital. He is not in ICU but a step down care. He is still retaining fluids and they need to get him in better shape before returning to rehab.

John Frank John is now over the COVID virus. He was moved on Thursday back to the therapy floor. He is back on the road to recovery! The Frank's thank You for all the prayers.

Roger Carlson, father of Matt Carlson and Rebecca Escalante passed away from cancer on Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at his home in Wisconsin. May the perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace.

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**TEAM RCIA** is going exceptionally well! Since it isn't practical to host any adult education presentations this year during the pandemic, we welcome to you sit in on any of our RCIA Zoom Sessions. Just ask Deacon Terry to send you an invite link. Here's a few of the upcoming sessions on **Monday evenings from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm:**

Nov. 9	Sabbath & Praying with Scripture (Mark 6:30-32)	<i>Pat Sheehey and Shirley Schmidt</i>
Nov. 16	The Liturgical Year – Advent & Christmas	<i>Jay &amp; Judy Matlock</i>
Nov. 23	Mary, Mother of God	<i>Tess McKenna and Shirley Schmidt</i>



### **Benet House Retreat Center at St. Mary Monastery**

Due to COVID-19, **Benet House Retreat Center will remain closed through March 2021.** We have developed several **virtual** retreats to provide spiritual and prayerful opportunities during this difficult time. These **virtual sessions are held via Zoom or Cisco WebEx.** Once registered, you will receive a link to join the retreat and access to materials. **For payment, checks may be made payable to the Sisters of St. Benedict or you may call Sr. Jackie Walsh at 309-283-2108 to provide credit card information.**

Henri Nouwen Reading Group: Materials from the [Henri Nouwen Society](#) will be used to enhance our reading. We are committed to reading all Henri's books. 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday each month. Next session: Tues. Dec. 1; 1:30-3 pm; Leaders: Sr. Bobbi Bussan, OSB and Linda Clewell, SMM Oblate.

Fee: \$15/session; purchase own book.