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Saint Anthony, Westbrook  
 Immaculate Heart of Mary, Currie  
 Saint Gabriel, Fulda  
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MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2019 – MAY 5, 2019 – YEAR C

<b>Saturday Evening</b> _____	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Apr 27</b>	Duane Schreier † _____	<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b> _____	<b>8:30</b>	<b>Apr 28</b>	John Hanten † _____	<b>Saint Gabriel Church</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b> _____	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Apr 28</b>	Parishioners _____	<b>Saint Anthony Church</b>
Monday Morning _____		Apr 29	NO MASS	
Tuesday Morning _____	10:00	Apr 30	Rich & Dorothy Gilbertson † _____	Maple Lawn Nursing Home
Wednesday Morning _____	8:30	May 01	Raymond Quade† _____	Saint Anthony Church
Thursday Morning _____	8:30	May 02	Stan Clausen† _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Friday Morning _____	8:30	May 03	Doug Sturm† _____	Saint Gabriel Church
<b>Saturday Evening</b> _____	<b>5:30</b>	<b>May 04</b>	Wayne Jensen† _____	<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b> _____	<b>8:30</b>	<b>May 05</b>	Gary Holden† _____	<b>Saint Gabriel Church</b>
<b>Sunday Morning</b> _____	<b>10:30</b>	<b>May 05</b>	Parishioners _____	<b>Saint Anthony Church</b>

**FROM THE DESK OF MONSIGNOR HEITING**

**DOUBTING THOMAS AND DIVINE MERCY...**

In Saint John’s gospel for the 2nd Sunday of Easter, we see the very familiar story of doubting Thomas. Thomas did not believe that Jesus truly rose from the dead. In His divine mercy, our Lord let Thomas touch His five wounds as verification of this fact. As we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday this weekend, we come to realize that Jesus shows us mercy too when we tend to doubt our faith. Let us not fail to call upon that mercy, especially as we hear the Lord saying to us: “Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2019...**

How are we doing on achieving our Catholic Ministries Appeal goal for 2019? Have you made a contribution yet? If so...thank you! If not, please consider doing so. Every dollar contributed helps to support the work and ministry of our diocese, especially youth programs. Here are the goal amounts for our parish cluster: Saint Gabriel Parish, Fulda - \$12,500.00; Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Currie - \$8,790.00; Saint Anthony Parish, Westbrook - \$4,650.00.

**PARISH CLUSTER WISHES...**

Congratulations to Saint Gabriel parishioners Emil “Junior” and Betty Czepa who recently observed their 60th wedding anniversary. Junior and Betty renewed their marriage vows on April 9, 2019. Congratulations to Shawn Michael Girard and Rachel Ann (Gervais) Girard on the baptism of their son, Julian Thomas Girard, on April 20, 2019 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Currie. Congratulations to Saint Anthony parishioner Pat Merrick on being named the Westbrook-Walnut Grove Assistant Coach of the Year!

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**TRI-PARISH WEBSITE ...Go to: [www.triparishcfw.org](http://www.triparishcfw.org)**

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**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES and TRI-PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE DIOCESE** of Winona-Rochester seeks an Executive Director in its Winona MN office. This position is responsible for the overall design, implementation, and oversight of all social service and social justice programs for the 20 southern counties of Minnesota. Application deadline is April 30. For more information visit [www.ccsomn.org/executive-director/](http://www.ccsomn.org/executive-director/)

**CLASSES FOR PEOPLE NEW TO MEDICARE:** There are important decisions that need to be made when you become eligible for Medicare. Making the wrong decision can lead to not having any or enough health care coverage and financial penalties. The Senior LinkAge Line® through the Minnesota River Area Agency on Aging® (MNRAAA) is sponsoring two classes for people who will soon be eligible for Medicare. Participants will learn the basics of Medicare and their coverage options in Minnesota during the first class. They will also learn how to research these options using non-biased tools, such as the Medicare website and the Medicare Plan Finder Tool during the second class.

The classes will be held in Jackson at the Jackson Library, 311 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Jackson from **1:00 pm to 3:00 pm on Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup>**. Class size is limited, so call the Senior LinkAge Line® at 1-800-333-2433 to register.

**“Life and Dignity of the Human Person: Responding with Love in a Polarized Society”** -Presented by DOWR Parish Social Ministry Staff from Catholic Charities of Southern MN-Join us for a morning of conversation and prayer on topics such as Abortion, Immigration, Peacemaking, Racism, and the Politics of Church and Government on May 11 with Check in at 9:30 am and Programs begins at 10:00 am. At St. Gabriel Church in Fulda. We’ll discuss such phrases as seamless garment, All

Lives Matter, pro-life, culture of peace, mass shootings, comprehensive immigration reform, evangelization, Catholic Social Teaching and Social Concerns vs. Respect Life. And we'll do all this by "Responding with Love in a Polarized Society." The day includes coffee and fellowship during check-in, program and discussion with a light lunch to follow. There is no cost but there will be an opportunity for a free will offering. **RSVPs appreciated: Contact Nicole Henrichs by emailing [nhenrichs@ccsomm.org](mailto:nhenrichs@ccsomm.org) or call/text 401-500-3427**

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES:** "By blood, I am Albanian, by citizenship, I am Indian. By faith, I am a Catholic nun. As for my calling I belong to the world. As for my heart, I belong entirely to the heart of Jesus. (Mother Teresa-St. Teresa of Calcutta) Emulating Mother Teresa, at Catholic Charities, we serve all regardless of age, gender, ethnic background, or religious tradition. God bless you for transforming the lives of all in need. Your generosity and support make all the difference. Remember Catholic Charities Annual Appeal (Mother's Day weekend—May 11th and 12th)

**IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

**Financial Support for April 20, 2019:** Adult: \$1782.00 Plate: \$344.00 Donations:\$50.00 Holy Land:\$306.00 Easter:\$745.00 Rice Bowls: \$139.55

**Liturgical Roles for May 4, 2019**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>GIFT BEARERS</u>	<u>SONG LEADER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>
5/4	Zachery Ruppert Katelyn Ruppert	John & Kristin Hansen	LoAnn Hansen	Ken Schmitt	Jack & Sharon McClure Romane Dold

**Ushers:** Harold & Deb Lamb, Jim & LoAnn Hansen

**\*\*\*\*Note: If you are unable to attend Mass on your assigned date, please find your own replacement\*\*\*\***

**BULLETIN:** Lisa Sweetman (507-227-4344) or triparish@live.com **Announcements due by Thursday Noon**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN OUR PARISH?** Please contact Kim Olafson (763-3515).

**PARISH AREA CALENDAR:** Romane Dold (763-3207)

**Parish Nurse:** Darlene Mechtenberg (763-3185)

**PARISH PHOTO BULLETIN BOARD:** If you have a family member who has received the sacrament of Baptism, First Holy Communion or Matrimony and have a photo to share for the bulletin board please contact Mary Arnold at 507 828-7930. Photos will be returned

**FUNERAL LUNCHEONS:** Contact Patti Dold (763-3207) or Deb Johnson (763-3229) or Jackie Ruppert (763-3491)

**PRAYER CHAIN:** Contact Myrna Surprenant at (629-4344) to add a prayer request or to be a part of the prayer chain.

**COMMUNION FOR THE ILL, HOSPITALIZED, OR HOMEBOUND:** Contact Beverly Schreier (836-6073), Julie Hanson (763-3818), Marcia Schreier (763-3817) or Marianne Ankrum (629-3047) if you or someone you know would like to receive holy Eucharist.

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***FROM THE DESK OF Dawn Kopperud, DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS ED (DRE)***

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**\*\*Follow us on Facebook at IHM Youth Ministry\*\***

**Faith Formation: FIRST COMMUNION is May 10**

**Confirmation: May 8 Session at IHM**

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**Thought for the week:**

**ST. MARY'S SCHOOL RAFFLE WINNER:** St. Mary's Weekly Calendar Raffle Winner: April 19 - Alita Lenertz \$100; April 26-Tom & Julie Dolan

**2<sup>nd</sup> GRADERS:** Please keep the 2nd graders in your prayers as they prepare for their 1st Holy Communion on May 10th. Pray for Mesa Edwards, Addyson Jacobson, Corbin Peterson, and Isabel Wendorff!

**LUNCH AND LEARN:** Tuesday, April 30, from noon to 1:00 p.m. at Silverberg's in downtown Slayton: Dr. Joyce Tarbet will share common knee and shoulder problems that are painful and hinder routine, daily activities, options to repair and conserve the joint and knee and shoulder joint replacement surgeries. Come hungry! A complimentary lunch will be provided by the Plaid Moose. RVSP. 836-1239.

**SAINT ANTHONY CHURCH**

**Financial Support for April 7, 2019** Adult: \$585.00 Plate: \$162.63;**April 14, 2019** Adult: \$804.00 Plate: \$140.00 ;**April 21, 2019** Adult: \$965.00 Plate: \$170.25

**Liturgical Roles for May 5, 2019**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>GREETERS/USHERS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>	<u>CLEANING</u>
5/5		Jacob & Sophie Jenniges family	Pat Merrick	Larry Kirchner, Gene Olsem Joyce Vortherms	Judy Schoborg Kathy Schweim

**\*Note: If you are unable to attend Mass on your assigned date, please find your own replacement.\*\*\***

To submit an announcement to the bulletin, leave a message at St. Anthony's (274-5946) or Carole Quade at 507- 830-0203 by Wednesday noon each week or submit via e-mail to <a href="mailto:triparish@live.com">triparish@live.com</a> .
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**PRAYER CHAIN:** We are updating our prayer chain. As part of this ministry, you agree to pray for those who have contacted the team leader with a special request. These requests can be for a personal need or for a family or friend or a national or international concern. You may receive a text message or a phone call as you prefer. Please contact Joyce Vortherms for more information.

**COUNCIL ELECTIONS:** Finance and Pastoral Council Elections will Sunday, May 19th. The nomination ballots are being handed out this weekend. Please re-turn by Sunday, May 5th.

#### St. Anthony Liturgical Roles-May 2019

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>GREETERS/USHERS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>	<u>CLEANING</u>
5/5		Jacob & Sophie Jenniges family	Pat Merrick	Larry Kirchner, Gene Olsem Joyce Vortherms	Judy Schoborg Kathy Schweim
5/12		Cindy Jensen, Amy/Justin Swenson family	Chris Kuehl	Ann Jenniges, Shelly Merrick Joan Jorgenson	Amy Swenson Joyce Vortherms
5/19		Bruce & Joan Jorgenson	Carole Quade	Sophie Jenniges, Kathy Schweim Chris Kuehl	Dorothy Wagner Susan Ware
5/26		Maury & Chris Kuehl family	Gene Olsem	Joyce Vortherms, Dorothy Wagner Nicki Peterson	Jane Weis Kelly Weis

#### St. Anthony Liturgical Roles-June 2019

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>GREETERS/USHERS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>	<u>CLEANING</u>
6/2		Pat & Shelly Merrick family	Marsha Hansen	Ann Jenniges, Gene Olsem Larry Kirchner	Sheryl Woelber Anne Woelber
6/9		Steve & Cathy Kjorness	Anne Woelber	Shelly Merrick, Joan Jorgenson Sophie Jenniges	Angie Benson Deb Berg
6/16		Ed & Laurie Olsem	Shelly Merrick	Chris Kuehl, Joyce Vortherms Kathy Schweim	Nancy Boeck Nancy Burns
6/23		Gene & Carol Olsem	Carol Eisfeld	Ann Jenniges, Dorothy Wagner Nicki Peterson	Patty Carlson Carol Eisfeld
6/30		John & Jane Weis	Larry Kirchner	Joan Jorgenson, Gene Olsem Shelly Merrick	Carol Olsem Joan Olsem

### IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - May 2019

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5/4	Zachery Ruppert Katelyn Ruppert	John & Kristin Hansen	LoAnn Hansen	Ken Schmitt	Jack & Sharon McClure Romane Dold
5/11	Tyler Arnold Dawson Schreier	First Communion Class	Linnea Surprenant	Marcia Schreier	Francis & Loretta Gervais Kate Schmitt
5/18	Allison Edwards Emma Edwards	Senior Class	Matt Kopperud	Senior Class	George & Nancy Andert Dawn Kopperud
5/25	Abby Overman Aaron Overman	Jack & Sharon McClure	Dave LeClaire	Matt Kopperud	Kris & Tim Rignell Elaine Schlichte

Ushers: Harold & Deb Lamb, Jim & LoAnn Hansen

### IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - JUNE 2019

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>GIFT BEARERS</u>	<u>SONG LEADER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>
6/1	Nicholas Ankrum Jeret Ankrum	Randy & Sharon Bassett	Nico Doom	Francis Gervais	Joe & Marcia Schreier Pam Jacobson
6/8	Emma Edwards Allison Edwards	Mike Edwards Family	Linnea Surprenant	Joe Schreier	Francis & Loretta Gervais Elaine Schlichte
6/15	Abby Overman Tyler Arnold	Chuck Ankrum Family	LoAnn Hansen	Kris Rignell	Jack & Sharon McClure Dawn Kopperud
6/22	Megan Surprenant Levi Kopperud	Jim & LoAnn Hansen	Dave LeClaire	Jackie Ruppert	George & Nancy Andert Romane Dold
6/29	Dawson Schreier Travis Moline George Andert, Tim Rignell, John and Kris Hansen	Matt Kopperud Family	Alyssa Overman	Marcia Schreier	Shari Schreier Kris Rignell, Jackie Ruppert

Ushers: Hansen