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 Saint Gabriel, Fulda
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MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF SATURDAY OCTOBER 10 – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2020 – YEAR A

Saturday Evening _____	5:30	Oct 10	Parishioners _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Sunday Morning _____	8:00	Oct 11	Hank Lenards † _____	Saint Gabriel Church
Sunday Morning _____	10:00	Oct 11	Glen & Esther Horton † _____	Saint Anthony Church
Monday Morning _____		Oct 12	NO MASS	
Tuesday Morning _____	Private Mass	Oct 13	Ben & Lorraine Wisdorf † _____	Maple Lawn Nursing Home
Wednesday Morning _____	8:30	Oct 14	Greg Schoborg † _____	Saint Anthony Church
Thursday Morning _____	8:30	Oct 15	Loren & Lara Kaup † _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Friday Morning _____	8:30	Oct 16	Marcella Fury † _____	Saint Gabriel Church
Saturday Evening _____	5:30	Oct 17	Wayne Jensen † _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Sunday Morning _____	8:30	Oct 18	Bill Kunerth † _____	Saint Gabriel Church
Sunday Morning _____	10:30	Oct 18	Parishioners _____	Saint Anthony Church

FROM THE DESK OF MONSIGNOR HEITING

PREPARE WORTHILY FOR THE FEAST...

In Saint Matthew’s gospel for the 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Jesus tells the parable of the wedding banquet. Many guests were invited. Most of the invited guests found excuses not to come. Some of the guests were found not worthy to attend. The gospel concludes by saying: “Many are invited, but few are chosen.”

This parable is a metaphor for the banquet of the Eucharist. We must prepare worthily for this feast. We must confess mortal sins and make every attempt to keep the hour’s fast before communion. This is more than worth the effort. We are, after all, receiving the Real Presence of Jesus Christ himself every time we receive holy communion. Prepare worthily for the feast!

OUR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES...

Please pray for the 18 Confirmation candidates from Fulda, Currie, Slayton, Iona, and Lake Wilson who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation next weekend at Saint Gabriel Parish in Fulda. There are no Confirmation candidates from Westbrook this year. Due to the limitations of Covid-19, the Confirmation liturgy must be limited to family members only. May these young people experience a true outpouring of the Holy Spirit as they pledge to confirm – and to continue living out – their Catholic faith.

PARISH CLUSTER WISHES...

Our sympathy and prayers to the family of Barbara and William Drelan whose cremains were interred at Saint Gabriel Cemetery in Fulda on October 2, 2020. May their souls rest in peace.

TRI-PARISH WEBSITE...Go to: www.triparishcfw.org

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES and TRI-PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

THINKING OF ADOPTION: Thinking about adoption but not sure where to start? Catholic Charities offers free adoption information meetings to help you learn about the process to begin building your family. We have adoption social workers in Winona, Rochester, Mankato and Worthington who can walk you through the process of international or domestic infant adoption. Please email adoption@ccsomn.org or call 507-387-5586 ext. 2 to schedule an information meeting.

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Financial Support for Oct 3, 2020 Adult: \$650.00 Plate: \$167.00 Donations: \$75.00 Stipend Donations: \$50.00

Liturgical Roles for Oct. 17, 2020

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>
10/17	Abby Overman	Mike Schreier	Marcia Schreier	Joe Schreier

Jim 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 Kris Rignell (608-406-0224).

PARISH AREA CALENDAR: Romane Dold (763-3207)

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](tel:5078287930). Photos will be returned

FUNERAL LUNCHEONS: Contact Becky Luft (760-0052), Patti Dold (763-3207) or Deb Johnson (760-0990)

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.

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

ihmyouthcurrie@gmail.com or 612-554-5663 ****Follow us on Facebook at IHM Youth Ministry****

Faith Formation: Watch your email for update on the 2020-2021 classes

***** new students please email Dawn ASAP!**

Confirmation is Oct 18th!! Please keep our candidates in your prayers - Nicholas Ankrum, Emma Edwards, Caden Johnson, Sophie Larson, Ryanna Schreier, and Zach Schreier

Mission Trip/Heartwork camp- July 17-24 2021 Pittsburg PA - ask Dawn for more information!

ST. MARY'S CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS: Oct 2 - \$100 Neil & Linda Dolan; Oct. 9 – Hayley Ziegeldorf; \$500 Marathon – Greg Shaw

SPECIAL COLLECTION: Next weekend, Oct. 17th) there will be a 2nd collection for the Propagation of the Faith...World Mission Sunday. All Catholics are called to participate in the mission of the church, called to share their faith as missionaries. This collection supports programs and needs of more than 1150 mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, Pacific Islands, and remote regions of Latin America. There is a special envelope in your church support packet, which can be brought to Mass or mailed to 501 Mill St., Currie. Thank you for your generosity.

SOCK DONATION: The Catholic Daughters of court St. Theresa of IHM is collecting socks again this fall. During this difficult time many families are struggling. Donate a pair or package to help local families. The socks will be given to local food shelves for distribution. Baskets are placed in both entrances of the church for your convenience or contact any Catholic Daughter to donate. Thank you in advance for your generosity

IHM Youth GREENERY SALES: The IHM Youth will be selling greenery again this year. Below are the options, and you can place an order with any of the IHM youth or with Dawn Kopperud: 24" tradition wreath - \$22; 36" larger tradition wreath - \$58; 26" mixed wreath - \$30; Swag - \$21; Evergreen planter - \$26; Roping (25') - \$38; Cross wreath - \$26.

LAST DAY TO ORDER IS OCT. 18!!!

SAINT ANTHONY CHURCH

Financial Support for October 4, 2020: Adult: \$1675.00 Plate: \$15.00 Diocesan Appeal: \$5340 (\$540 over goal)

To submit an announcement to the bulletin, leave a message at St. Anthony's (274-5946) or Joyce Vortherms (507-822-4318) by Wednesday noon each week or submit via e-mail to triparish@live.com.

Liturgical Roles:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Eucharistic Minister</u>
Oct 11	Larry Kirchner	Nicki Peterson
Oct 9	Pat Merrick	Shelly Merrick

PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19: If you are not feeling well, please do not come to Mass. Symptoms can include shortness of breath, cough, fever, chills, headache, muscle pain, sore throat, loss of smell or taste.

PARISH CONNECTIONS: Check out our webpage for updates on parish events (www.triparishcfw.org/westbrook) and follow us on facebook, St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

COMMITMENT TO PRAYER: We receive strength we never knew we had when others are praying for us. Let your church family pray you through those times when it seems too much to bear alone, especially during Covid-19. Call Joyce to place your request on the parish prayer chain. (507-822-4318)

RENOVATION NEEDED: You may notice that the large cross on the south side of church is now gone. This distinctive feature was scheduled to be painted this past week, but upon closer inspection, we discovered that it was rotting from the inside out. For safety reasons, we removed the upper portion (down to the roof line of the entry) The rest of the painting was completed as scheduled. Thank you to the Finance Council for taking care of this project.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN: Once again we ask you to participate in Catholic Charities' Baby Bottle Campaign. Please take a baby bottle home and fill it with your loose change during the month of October, "Respect Life" month. This will go toward supporting women who are choosing adoption or parenting rather than abortion. Or you may mail in a donation to St. Anthony's (with memo – Baby Bottle) Thank you for your support.

OCTOBER THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY: We will be praying the Rosary together prior to Mass each Sunday during October, starting at 10:10am. Also join us on Zoom (address on webpage) each Wednesday at 6:30pm during October.

CONGRATULATIONS: We congratulate Brady and Sara Kruger on the birth of their son, Bennett Christopher, born on September 25th. We look forward to welcoming him to our church family.

CHURCH CLEANING: We will be gathering names of those in the parish who are willing to assist with church cleaning. Please call Joyce to put your name on for weekly vacuuming and dusting.