

MASS INTENTIONS ~ April 22 - 28

Intentions indicated by "+" are deceased; no notations are for living

MONDAY 7:30 am – Bertha Engle +
5:30 pm – John P. Thomas
TUESDAY 7:30 am – Margaret Fleming +
WEDNESDAY 7:30 am – Jerry & Therese Freese +
THURSDAY 7:30 am – Harold Weiland +
FRIDAY 7:30 am – William O. Campbell +
5th Sunday of Easter
SATURDAY 5:30 pm – Stan Petrik +
SUNDAY 9:00 am – Donna Baumgartner +
5:30 pm – Heather Unzer +

MASS INTENTIONS: Other than at St. Therese

Wednesday, April 24 Special Intention
By Fr. Zandri – Good Samaritan Center – 9:30 am
Thursday, April 25 Special Intention
By Fr. Zandri – West Hills Village South – 4 pm
Saturday, April 27 Ben & Barbara Schumacher +
By Fr. Sorensen – Martin, SD
Sunday, April 28 Special Intention
By Fr. Zandri – St. John's in New Underwood – 11 am
Sunday, April 28 William O. Campbell +
By Fr. Zandri – Ft. Meade VA – 2:30 pm

Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Acts 11:1-18 Pss 42:2-3; 43:3-4 Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday Acts 11:19-26 Ps 87:1-7 Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday Acts 12:24-13:5a Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8 Jn 12:44-50
Thursday 1 Pt 5:5b-14 Ps 89:2-3,6-7,16-17 Mt 16:15-20
Friday Acts 13:26-33 Ps 2:6-11 Jn 14:1-6
Saturday Acts 13:44-52 Ps 98:1-4 Jn 14:7-14
Sunday Acts 14:21b-27 Ps 145:8-13 Rv 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a,34-35

Faithful Citizenship

"Christ is the Church's Pastor, but his presence in history passes through the freedom of human beings; from their midst one is chosen to serve as his Vicar, the Successor of the Apostle Peter. Yet Christ remains the centre, not the Successor of Peter: Christ, Christ is the centre. Christ is the fundamental point of reference, the heart of the Church. Without him, Peter and the Church would not exist or have reason to exist. As Benedict XVI frequently reminded us, Christ is present in Church and guides her. In everything that has occurred, the principal agent has been, in the final analysis, the Holy Spirit. He prompted the decision of Benedict XVI for the good of the Church; he guided the Cardinals in prayer and in the election."

Pope Francis, Audience with representatives of the communications media, March 16, 2013. www.vatican.va (From Diocesan Social Justice Commission www.rapidcitydiocese.org/Ministries/SocialJustice.htm)

Liturgical Ministry Schedule – April 27 & 28

SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.: Diane Wilkinson, Marcia Zacher (S) Sheryl Allen, Jim Blackwell, Ivan & Darlene Davignon, Kim Keller **Lector:** Paula Bailie, Tim Shull **Ushers:** Vic Espinosa, Dan Shank, Fred & Paula Welsch **Gift Bearers:** Bill & Kathy Klemann **Altar Servers:** Daniel Espinosa, James Espinosa, Allison Schuch

SUN. 9 AM E.M.: Ray & Mary Wagner (S) Larry Cole, Ralph & Rita Dupres, Del & Joann Solano **Lector:** Katie French, Jean French **Ushers:** Joe Martin, Randy Rapp, John & Nadine Zeller **Gift Bearers:** John & Nadine Zeller **Altar Servers:** Joshua French, Rachael French, Connor Vernon, Abigail Popken

SUNDAY 5:30 pm E.M.: Diane Grahek (S) Chris VanCleave, Chuck Rausch **Lector:** Nancy Hurtig **Ushers:** Ralph Grahek, Justin Lefevre, Joyce Lorenzen, Greg Rausch **Gift Bearer:** Jerry & Lil Kaiser **Altar Server:** Paul Grahek, Corten Dobesh, Cailin Haiar

Please remember to find a substitute if needed.

If you have ANY information changes or CONFLICTS with THE MINISTRY schedule, call Gayle Martin at 718-4631.

WELCOME

TO THE Faith Community

Through The Waters of Baptism:

Abby GROHS, daughter of Nathan & Amanda

"The family of James Meyer would like to thank everyone for all your prayers during his battle with cancer.

Latest word is: He's Cancer Free!!

Oh the power of prayer!! Thank you."

-- Mike & Sally LaCroix

The "Z" Gram

Notes From Father Bill

On April 20 we had a retreat for those receiving their First Communion which was at the 5:30 pm Mass on April 20. Beth Sand, Chloe Sand and Haley Chiolis were very involved in the program and I want to give them a BIG "THANK YOU"! And Mr. & Mrs. Chuck & Theresa Rausch led the RCIA program. A huge "Thank You" to them. Our CCD program is coming to an end very soon. Many people are involved in that program. In appreciation for the hard work that the teachers and aides did I am taking them out to dinner on May 8. Our parish is very fortunate in having so many dedicated people.

WELCOME TO THE LORD'S TABLE

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

APRIL 20TH, 2013

AT ST. THERESA, THE LITTLE FLOWER

Olivia Ashley ~ Carissa Barrett ~ Cassidy Barrett
Jessica Chiolis ~ Logan Davis ~ Mauricio Espinoza ~ Madison Hewitt
James Hight ~ Summer Hight ~ Julianne Johnson ~ Lukas Kanta
Karsen Kirsch ~ Avigelle Macahilo ~ Anna Marcks ~ Riley Palmer
Lucy Rausch ~ Cooper Sand ~ Kayden Schutz ~ Larissa Serafin
Megan Stagner ~ Elena Tillett ~ Harley Tillett ~ Angel Torre
Cooper Totten ~ Olivia Totten ~ Abigayle Vifquain ~ Adriana Young



THE WEEKLY FUNNY... from Father Bill

Ole went to the Doctor because he was feeling a little sick. After a few tests the Doc told Ole, "I'm sorry to tell you that you have a rare disease that is incurable and you are going to die in 6 months. But to help you out I'm going to prescribe that you move in with your mother-in-law." Ole replied, "Criminy, dat's bad Doc, but vy should I move in vit my mudder-in-law?" The Doc said, "Because that will be the longest 6 months of your life."

Please add STEPHANIE TRAUTMAN, FERN KELLER, DENNIS KELLER, TIM ANGE & DICK FRASER to your prayers

Bulletin Prayer List:

Tim Ange, Jerry Bartholmay, Kellee Callender, Eleanor Clarich, Richard Cooper, Brandon Eastman, Kelli Eastman, Dick Fraser, Mary Hartinger, Sue Hayden, Jacob Heil, Margaret Johnson, Vera Jonas, Dennis Keller, Fern Keller, Shirley Kenoyer, Laura & unborn baby, Christie Leichtnam, Lynn Loomer, Anita Miller, Cody Murner, Bob Olson, Leo & Joyce Quinn, Dorothy Rapp, Ted & Judy Rapp, Theresa Rausch, Mary Rieb, Doyle Roseland, Leota Sidel, Tom Slattery, Carol Sumner, Jim Theis, Elizabeth Torp, Stephanie Trautman, Ronnie Weber, Al Winland

Names will be listed on the prayer list for 30 days.

Please call the office so we can update our list.

"We wish to thank the parishioners from St. Therese for their generous donations to our LIFE SAVER fund to fight abuse. Thank you – Thank you!!"

--Catholic Daughters Court St. Rita 916

FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

EVERYONE WELCOME!!

LOVE INC NEWS

Cases for Kids provide emergency filled bags with essentials for children going through a crisis. Currently they are in need of the following items:

Travel-size baby shampoo AND lotion, Kids sized combs and brushes



HAVE YOU LOOKED AT THE BACK PAGE?

These are advertisers that help support YOUR parish.

Please support them & THANK THEM!

Interested in advertising? Contact Mike Quasney at 718-0387.

Paul and Barnabas encountered both violent rejection and joyful acceptance of the message that they preached. We, too, may meet with mixed reactions when we use our gifts in the service of God. But, the Gospel assures us, the reward for those who follow faithfully is eternal life.

GENERAL FUND: Contributions last week

Envelopes	\$ 4829.00
Plate Collection	\$ 1530.25
Children's Collection	\$ 35.51
Easter	\$ 4.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 50.00
Copier Maintenance – KC's	\$ 50.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 53.50
TOTAL	\$ 6552.26

Amount needed per week: \$ 6805.00

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements	\$ 221.00
Spring Fling	\$ 1187.00

"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund	\$ 314.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 45.00

COLLECTIONS FOR APRIL:

Apr. 21: Seminarian Fund / General Fund

Apr. 28: Catholic Home Missions Appeal / General Fund

April showers bring May flowers and you can get yours while helping the church at no extra cost to you by purchasing 'We Care' gift cards before doing your garden shopping. Available for WalMart/Sam's Club, Don's Valley Market, Safeway and Family Thrift Center/Prairie Market. Come see us after Mass or in the parish office.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAYS: 8 am to 5:30 pm

Come rest in Me. If only for a little while.

ANOTHER WEEKLY FUNNY...from Father Bill

One particular Sunday Ole was lying back in the hammock and, having just returned from church with Lena, he was feeling a little religious. "God," said Ole, "Ven you made Lena, vy did you make her so nice and round and so pleasant ta hold?" Suddenly a voice from above said, "So you would love her, Ole." "Vell then vy, oh vy," asked Ole, "vy Lord did you make her so stupid?" "So she would love YOU," said the Lord.

CANNED MEAT, PASTA, SOUP, CRACKERS AND DEODORANTS ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE

Please place your items in box at either entrance! THANK YOU !!

PRAYER CHAIN

This is not the list in the bulletin.

If you would like prayers or would like to be a link in the prayer chain, please contact Anne Pozorski at 721-1229.



Please join us in praying for parish family members in the military....

A-1 Christopher Fraser, SRA. Brandon Eastman, Tsgt. Charles Henriksen, Ssgt. Ryan Emery, 2Lt. Zachery Feterl, Jake Rivers, SRA Amber Emery, Sfc. Scott Feterl, Pfc. Nick Weishaar, Ssgt. Jeff Weishaar, Pfc. Brian Berendse, Ryan Blindert-Willms, Tony LaCroix, Airman, Josh Sunstrom, Spec. Jessica Chandler, Maj. Marvin Wade, A1C Michael Fraser, Brandon Whitney, Tom O'Grady, Bob O'Grady, Father Dave Reinhardt, Eddie Byrns, SRA Terry Irvine, Spec 4 Anthony & Pfc Shaeyon Klemann, CW4 Michael Reindl, Sgt. Matthew Reindl, Pfc. Jacob Korzeniewski, Spc. Rachel Korzeniewski, Sgt. Chad Moore, SPC Raquel Carlin, A1C Kyrie M. Heintz-Travis, Lt. Levi Lee, Spec Travis Aschwege, Sgt. Sean Mulloy, Pfc. James Meyer, A1C Robert Martin, 1SGT. Shawn Klosterman, Ssgt. Jeremy Martin, A1C, Major Jeremy Wagner, Pfc. Ethen Shull, Navy; Capt. Cory W. Wallace

If you have a family member to add to this list, call the office at 342-1556.

Like the father in the Gospel, God welcomes us home in spite of our sinfulness, and calls us to a life of holiness. Where are you at home?

Are you being called to life as a priest or religious?

(Luke 15:1-3,11-32) **PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

SAVE YOUR EMPTY INK CARTRIDGES!

Just place your empties in the box in Parish Center.

Thank you for supporting St. Therese YOUTH!

MOMMY'S CLOSET Items in need are:

PLASTIC TOTES, & SPRING/SUMMER CLOTHING SIZES 2T to 5T

We greatly appreciate all your contributions.

Please place all items in the cradles at either entrance.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Grades PreK - 5th: SUNDAYS- 10:15 - 11:30 am

Apr. 21 Class (no 2nd grade)

Apr. 28 Last class (no 2nd grade)

Youth Connection: Grades 6 - 10: WEDNESDAYS- 6 – 7:30 pm

Apr. 17 Class

Apr. 24 Last class

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO!



ANNOUNCING A SILENT AUCTION

for Steubenville of the Rockies Retreat:

EXTENDED THRU May 5th !!!!!

Thank you to all who have donated these fabulous items--couldn't do it without ya! Happy biddin!

- 1) Citrus Orange Rosary Bracelet, HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 2) Honey Yellow Rosary Bracelet, HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 3) Sapphire Blue Heart Rosary Bracelet HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 4) White Iridescent Heart Rosary Bracelet HIGHEST BID: \$6
- 5) Crackle Glass Pomegranite Rosary Bracelet HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 6) Yellow Honey Gold Rosary HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 7) Green Sage Gold Rosary HIGHEST BID: \$20
- 8) Blue Sapphire Heart Silver Rosary HIGHEST BID: \$15
- 9) Yellow Lemon Facet Gold Rosary HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 10) Pink Pearl Necklace/Earring Set HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 11) Black Pearl Necklace/Earring Set HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 12) White Pearl Necklace/Earring Set, HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 13) Angel Necklace & Birdnest Box HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 14) White double Pear Pearl drop earrings HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 15) Genuine Garnet Marquise Necklace HIGHEST BID: \$25
- 16) Genuine Garnet Necklace HIGHEST BID: \$25
- 17) Genuine pink 8mm fresh water pearl necklace HIGHEST BID: \$7
- 18) Cross Necklace w/stainless steel chain HIGHEST BID: \$7
- 19) Goldtone WATCH HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 20) (2) Angel Keychains set HIGHEST BID: \$2
- 21) Bear and Heart Keychains HIGHEST BID: \$2
- 22) Elvis Presley Gift set HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 23) The King Christmas Gift Set HIGHEST BID: \$7
- 24) Double Organ – LOTS of FUN! Check it out in the game room downstairs! HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 25) Used Pool Table Check it out in the game room downstairs! HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 26) Wooden Basket HIGHEST BID: \$15
- 27) Dish set – 4 pc setting HIGHEST BID: \$6
- 28) Set of 4 pictures by Artist Jim Hansel HIGHEST BID: \$2
- 29) Elderly man and woman Figurines (2) HIGHEST BID: \$3
- 30) Wooden Wall Rosary HIGHEST BID: \$40
- 31) Children on Swing Figurine HIGHEST BID: \$3
- 32) Set of 6 Gold-rim Shot Glasses HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 33) White Rosary HIGHEST BID: \$25
- 34) Wooden Carved Cross HIGHEST BID: \$2
- 35) Wooden Carved Cross HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 36) "We Walk By Faith in Western South Dakota" by Sister Eleanor Salon HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 37) Plastic Foosball Game HIGHEST BID: \$35
- 38) 3 pc pine shelf HIGHEST BID: \$2
- 39) Sacred Heart of Jesus Plaque HIGHEST BID: \$2
- 40) Bount Jr. Construction Ship Model HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 41) Jumping Beans Game HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 42) Don't Break The Ice Game HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 43) "Frank" Fragrance Burner HIGHEST BID: \$7
- 44) Santa & Snowman Tealight Holder HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 45) "Snow" with snowmen Crockpot HIGHEST BID: \$3
- 46) Waffle Maker HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 47) Wooden Tool Box HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 48) Jedi Light Saber (TOY) HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 49) Frank Thomas #35 Chicago Red Sox HIGHEST BID: \$50
- 50) Large Nativity Porcelain Set HIGHEST BID: \$20
- 51) Antique Piano Stool HIGHEST BID: \$25
- 52) Foot Locker (New!) HIGHEST BID: \$15
- 53) Tuscany Candle Pumpkin Fragrance Warmer HIGHEST BID: \$6
- 54) Sarah Peyton Home Votive Candle Set HIGHEST BID: \$5
- 55) Xbox 360 Games: Kung Fu Panda/Indiana Jones HIGHEST BID: \$10
- 56) Star Quilt, beautiful! HIGHEST BID: \$15
- 57) Purple Cross Watch HIGHEST BID: \$20
- 58) Brown Calvin Hill Watch HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 59) Our Lady of Perpetual Help Picture 8x10 HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 60) 25th Silver Anniversary Hot Plate HIGHEST BID: \$0

- 61) White and Gold ROSARY HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 62) Handmade wooden frog pull toy, made by Don Lantz HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 63) Signed first edition book from Father Bill's private collection, "Gods of War" by John Toland HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 64) Signed first edition book from Father Bill's private collection, "The Songlines" by Bruce Chatwin HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 65) Signed first edition book from Father Bill's private collection, "Little Wilson & Big God" by Anthony Burgess HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 66) Eiler's Fur Coat - tan HIGHEST BID: \$0
- 67) Eiler's Fur Coat - brown HIGHEST BID: \$0

Bid on the awesome items in the display case & on cart by the offices in the Parish Center! See next week's bulletin for highest bids!

ONE MORE WEEKLY FUNNY...from Father Bill

Ole, Lena, and Little Ole went to the big city for the first time. They were walking down the street and looking in the windows of the big buildings. Little Ole spotted something that caught his eye and ran into a building. Big Ole and Lena followed him. There they all stood in front of a shiny metal door that was cut into a wall of black marble. A chubby, elderly, gray-haired lady walked up and pushed a button on the wall next to the door. The door opened and she walked into the little room behind the shiny door. The door closed and the numbers above the door counted up and then down again. The shiny doors opened and a beautiful young lady walked out. Little Ole said, "What kind of machine is dat, Pa?" Big Ole replied, "I don't know little Ole, but push dat button and shove your Ma in der."

CHECK THIS OUT!

MANDATORY Steubenville Parent/Student Meeting on April 24th at 5:30 pm. Both parents and students must be present! Final payment due May 1st.

THANK YOU to all who participated Chuck E. Cheese & Texas Roadhouse fundraisers for our trip to Steubenville!!

The youth are looking for a Wii with games and accessories and/or a Playstation 2 with games and accessories. If you have one you would like to donate, please let us know! ☺

Confirmants! Please stop by the office and pick up your confirmation certificate. They are signed by the Bishop and ready for you! *There are some additional gifts that anonymous parishioners have purchased for you too!*

Make sure you get your **raffle tickets** for the **hand made curio cabinet made by Mr. Matt Hersch.** *Drawing is May 5th.*

Attention all SENIORS!!! Mass and reception will be held for you on Saturday, May 11th at 5:30 p.m. Please notify the office if you will be attending.

Reminder **Teacher appreciation dinner**, May 8th at 6 p.m., please RSVP to the office.

Duc in altum ("Put out into the deep" - Luke 5:4), a summer catechetical youth program, at St. Therese, June 9-13th.

For grade school and middle school youth (grades 1-8) the program runs Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The day includes catechetical instruction, daily Mass, songs, games, and recess. For high school youth (grades 9-12), the program runs Sunday-Thursday 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. *Duc in altum combines catechisis and having FUN!!! The youthfulness and energy of the teachers is contagious, come out and join us!!!* All are invited to a potluck dinner on Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. Registration is available through the parish office. Participants in the grade school and middle school program should bring a sack lunch and recess equipment. Cost is FREE!!!!

Need volunteers for teacher's aids, musicians, kitchen help for meals and snacks. Please call the office if you would like to help or have questions.

The Church of St. Therese the Little Flower in Rapid City, South Dakota is seeking a full-time Coordinator of Youth Ministry.

The purpose of the Coordinator of Youth Ministry is to oversee and coordinate the Birth-to-30 Youth Ministry program in our parish. The coordinator must work directly with the young people of the parish community and with adult members of the parish community, especially those who are or will be involved with youth. The coordinator will insure that all components of Youth Ministry, specifically those of word, worship, creating community and advocacy, are being developed in the Youth Ministry program.

Hiring and Salary: Starting wages for this salaried position with benefits will depend on experience. The candidate must possess a valid driver's license and successfully pass a background check. An Associate degree is a minimum requirement, a bachelors degree is desired but equivalent experience will also be considered.

Application deadline is June 1. For a comprehensive job advertisement and application, inquiries may be made by calling the church at (605) 342-1556, or emailing the church at sttherese@rushmore.com with *Fr. Zandri – Youth Minister* in the memo line.

The Church of St. Therese the Little Flower in Rapid City, South Dakota is seeking a Part-time Religious Education Coordinator.

The function of the Religious Education Coordinator is to coordinate the religious education program of Pre-School through 5th grade and Adult Education Programs of St. Therese, the Little Flower church. The employee works on an as-need basis with the most hours needed during the start-up in the fall and on-going through the school year. Summer work includes recruiting and ordering materials for fall and coordinating Vacation bible School activities. **Wages: DOE Application deadline is June 1.** For a comprehensive job advertisement and application, inquiries may be made by calling the church at (605) 342-1556, or emailing the church at sttherese@rushmore.com with *Fr. Zandri – Religious Education Coordinator* in the memo line.



PARISH CARD NIGHT SOCIAL

hosted by the KC's

Every Tuesday from 7 to 9 pm

EVERYONE WELCOME!! Bring a friend (if you want) and come enjoy the evening. (Don't know how? We'll

show ya!) Questions? Call Ray Wagner at 343-7601.

Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ APRIL

Chairperson: Margaret Feist Co-Chair: Sharon Ludovissie

HOME REPAIR HELP Do you know

someone putting off basic home repairs because of finances? The Love INC Home Repair Team helps elderly or disabled homeowners with:

- Grab bar installation – Deck repairs & ramps –
- Minor home repair – Handyman projects –
- Window and door repair – Lock/doorknob changes –

Assembly of tables/stands – Smoke alarms – Window AC Installation Homeowners are required to pay for all materials. Call Love INC at 718-5683 for more information or to apply.



Dessert Auction and Dinner For Avery
April 24 ~ 4:30-6:30 pm ~ Blessed Sacrament

Fundraiser for Avery Craven to help defray Medical expenses. The dessert auction will take place at the Wednesday night meal. Join us and help Avery! Call Melissa Aberle at 348-7262 if you have questions. Monetary donations are also welcome. Checks can be made out and sent to Blessed Sacrament with "Avery" in the memo line.

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

For info. on the following ministries, call FLM, 716-5214 x236

CHRISTIAN FAMILY PLANNING SEMINAR, will be offered by the Natural Family Planning Ministry on **Saturday, May 18th, 9 am-Noon**, at St. John's in Custer. This seminar is a requirement for engaged couples getting married in the Diocese of Rapid City. The seminar is also for married couples or anyone wanting to learn more about Natural Family Planning. For more info., or to register, call FLM.

St. Elizabeth Seton at Terra Sancta is excited to offer **Summer Child Care**. Full and part-time children. For more information please contact St. Elizabeth Seton at 716-5213 or visit our website at www.rccss.net.

Happenings at St. Martin's ---

APRIL 27, INTRODUCTORY WORKSHOP ON CENTERING PRAYER – 9 am to 3:30 pm, Includes the history and practice of Centering Prayer with several times throughout the day for prayer. Cost: \$20 includes lunch. Presenters will be Sandi Ohlen and Sister Marmion Howe. For more information or registration, please call Sandi at 341-1078 or Sr. Marmion at 605-343-8011.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

The World Day of Prayer for Vocations is celebrated on April 21, 2013, the fourth Sunday of Easter. This year, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI asked us to meditate on the theme: *Vocations, a Sign of Hope Founded in Faith*. Let us pray that God would raise up many vocations to priesthood and consecrated life, and that our young people would be open to the gift of God's love. Let us also pray for all priests and for consecrated men and women at this time. Send a card to your parish priest or to someone you know who is consecrated this week, thanking them for the gift of themselves given to Christ and to His body, the Church, or invite them for dinner. Pray for more vocations to priesthood and consecrated life – and consider a vocation to priesthood or consecrated life! Posters promoting this day can be downloaded for print at www.Gods-call.org or mailed by calling Bridget Decker at 605-716-5214.

Open House : Historic St. Martin Church, Oelrichs, will be open from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. on **May 27. The church is listed on both national and state historic registries.**

YEAR OF FAITH The Year of Faith event that was cancelled due to the snowstorm in April has been rescheduled for May 15 at Terra Sancta. **"Receiving the Treasures of Divine Life" – Sacraments of Initiation** "The sacraments of Christian initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist—lay the foundations of every Christian life. The sharing in the divine nature given to men through the grace of Christ bears a certain likeness to the origin, development, and nourishing of natural life. The faithful are born anew by Baptism, strengthened by the sacrament of Confirmation, and receive in the Eucharist the food of eternal life. By means of these sacraments of Christian initiation, they thus receive in increasing measure the treasures of the divine life and advance toward the perfection of charity" (CCC 1212; Paul VI, DCN).

“Make Me Whole Again” – Sacraments of

Healing: The Church, in the power of the Holy Spirit, continues Christ’s work of healing and salvation, through the two sacraments of healing: the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation, and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick (CCC 1421). **Presenter: Father Tim Hoag.** May 1 Terra Sancta, Rapid City; May 5 St. Joseph Church, Gregory; St. Bernard Church, May 19 McLaughlin.

Catholic Daughters of America invite women of all ages to attend the annual Catholic Daughters of America Mother/Daughter Luncheon on May 18 from 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. at St. Therese.

Deadline for parish reservations is May 8. Cost between May 1-8, \$10 for adult, \$5 for children under 10 years of age, children under 2 are free. Discounted price before May 1, \$8 for adult, \$3.50 for children under 10, children under 2 are free. Questions and info., call Phyllis Kertzman, 342-8514.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS SCHOLARSHIP

Court St. Rita #916 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas is offering a \$500 scholarship in memory of Catholic Daughter, Mickey Becket, who passed away September 30, 2012. This scholarship is to be given to a 2013 graduating senior in public or private high school who will be majoring in Art in college. For information and application: contact your high school, e-mail: duduchan3@gmail.com, or call Florence Skinner, 605-393-8213.

Rachel's Vineyard, a retreat to help those hurting from abortion, will be held in our diocese April 26-28. We can help those organizing and those attending the retreat with our prayers. Adoration for the retreat will be held at Cathedral in Our Lady's Chapel Friday from 6 pm to 10 pm, Saturday from 8:30 am to 10 pm, and Sunday, Noon to 3 pm. Please sign up for an hour of prayer in your local parish or call Gail Wingert at 430-1190.

St. Thomas More presents....

Seven Brides for Seven Brothers

April 25-27, 2013 ~ 7:30 PM

Terra Sancta Gym

Call Shawna Hanson @ 923-2545 between April 10 & April 23 to reserve tickets anytime. Adults \$10 Children \$5

NPM Spring Meeting & Presentation on Cantor Training

Saturday, April 27, 2013 at St. Joseph's in Spearfish, SD
8:30am—Mass; 9:15am—Check-in and Coffee and Donuts;
9:30am—Presentation by Tammy Schnittgrund on Cantor Training; 10:30am—Break; 10:45am—Presentation Continued with Live Cantor Feedback by Tammy Schnittgrund; 12:00pm—Lunch (free will offering); 12:45pm—Spring NPM Business Meeting; 1:15pm—Closing Prayer
Please RSVP (for lunch count) by April 21st to:
[Katie Simonyak, Director, at 342-0507 or Katie@cathedralolph.org](mailto:Katie.Simonyak@dioceseofrapids.org)

JOB OPENING – ASSISTANT MAINTENANCE/CUSTODIAN, CATHEDRAL OLPH

The Cathedral has an opening for an assistant maintenance/custodian. Duties to include cleaning of church and rectory, repairs, setting up all activities and events, maintaining grounds, trees, gardens and parking lots. The assistant reports to the Maintenance Director. Position is full time. Experience is desirable. Organizational and motivational skills are required. Competitive salary and benefits package available. Contact Beth Strain at the rectory office at 605-342-0507, beth@cathedralolph.org, for an application and job description. Completed application and resume should be sent to:

Beth Strain, Parish Administrator; Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help; 520 Cathedral Drive; Rapid City, SD 57701

Lord, thank you for all my blessings!

HIGH SCHOOL COMPUTER SCIENCE TEACHER

St. Thomas More High School, 300 Fairmont Blvd., Rapid City, SD 57701
Knowledge of, or experience in, Computer Science topics: Advanced Excel and Access, desktop publishing, Web publishing, multimedia, and common programming languages (including HTML, Visual Basic, and Java.)
Requirements: Bachelor's degree in some field of business, technology, or computer science. Current certification or ability to obtain SD certification; Proficient in MS Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Access; Knowledge of several programming languages, including HTML, Visual Basic, and Java. Advanced degree a plus ability to teach AP class (AP Computer Science A) a plus – AP training is available. Classroom is well equipped with current technology. Excellent teaching environment in a Christ-centered school. Submit a completed certified teaching application (available for downloading and printing at <http://rccss.net/Employment Opportunities>), letter of interest, resume, copy of teaching certificate, transcripts, and three reference letters to:
Wayne Sullivan, Principal or wsully@rccss.net

ELEMENTARY MUSIC TEACHER POSITION: 13-14

School Year St. Elizabeth Seton School; 2101 City Springs Rd Ste 100; Rapid City, SD 57702 **Requirements:** Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education, Current SD certification, K-5 General Music, Beginning Band and Orchestra (4th-5th grade), Proficient in MS Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook; Excellent teaching environment in a Christ-centered school. Submit a completed certified teaching application (available for downloading and printing at <http://rccss.net/Employment-Opportunities>), letter of interest, resume, copy of teaching certificate, transcripts, and three reference letters to:
Colleen Lecy, St. Elizabeth Seton, 2101 City Springs Rd Ste 100
Rapid City, SD 57702 clecy@rccss.org

HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE TEACHER

St. Thomas More High School, 300 Fairmont Blvd., Rapid City, SD 57701
Knowledge of or experience in AP biology, anatomy and physiology, earth science, and MS Lego kit-based robotics (prepackaged curriculum). Astronomy and forensics teaching may be included.
Requirements: Bachelor's degree in some field of biology; Current certification or ability to obtain SD certification; Advanced degree a plus; Ability to teach AP classes a plus; Proficient in MS Word, PowerPoint, Excel. Classroom is well equipped with Smart Board, Student Response System, and current technology. Excellent teaching environment in a Christ-centered school. Submit a completed certified teaching application (available for downloading and printing at <http://rccss.net/Employment Opportunities>), letter of interest, resume, copy of teaching certificate, transcripts, and three reference letters to:
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Bookkeeper for Diocese of Rapid City

Minimum high school diploma, training and/or experience in the accounting field, demonstrated high degree of accuracy, detail oriented person. Prefer degree in accounting. Send or e-mail a resume and letter to request an application form. The letter should list three professional references. Send to: Office of the Chancellor, Diocese of Rapid City, 606 Cathedral Drive, Rapid City SD 57701, msimonson@diorc.org

Director of the Office of Native American Ministries for the Diocese of Rapid City

Serves as a liaison between the Native American community and the Diocese of Rapid City supporting the local Tekakwitha Circles, Sioux Spiritual Center, Pastoral Teams and any other Catholic Native American organizations. Serve as the diocesan Director for the Office of Almsgiving with the responsibility for special collections within the diocese.

QUALIFICATIONS: Practicing Catholic; Native American with college studies and/or a background in pastoral ministry, religious education, liturgy, and lay leadership reflecting Vatican II and the contemporary church; Experience of traditional tribal life and benefits, culture and religion; Excellent office management skills;

Interested individuals should submit via e-mail or regular mail, a letter of application along with their resume listing three professional references to msimonson@diorc.org or: Office of the Chancellor, Diocese of Rapid City, 606 Cathedral Drive, Rapid City SD 57701 Open until filled. The Diocese of Rapid City offers a competitive salary and benefits package.