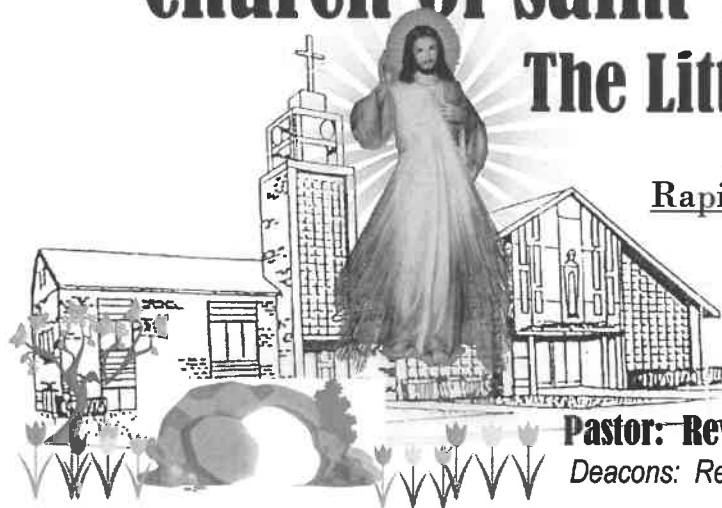


# Church of Saint Therese The Little Flower



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Rapid City, SD 57701

(605) 342-1556

sttherese@diorc.org  
sainttheresechurch.org

**Pastor: Rev. Kerry Prendiville**

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Charles Rausch

*Our parish, dedicated as St. John the Evangelist on November 27, 1941, is presently known as Saint Therese the Little Flower. We have and will continue to proclaim and celebrate the gospel message by building community and serving in the name of Jesus Christ. We celebrate our gifts: a strong loyal parish community and our Catholic bond of faith dedicated to service and love of the Church.*

**Our Stewardship Mission is to love God first and commit ourselves to be the heart, hands and feet of Christ in our community.**

## OFFICE HOURS:

**Monday – Friday:**

**8:00 am – Noon & 1:00 – 3:00 pm**

*(We're PROBABLY there earlier/later or through lunch hour, so call daily for additional hours!)*

## YOUR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

**PASTOR ~ Father Kerry Prendiville,  
605-591-9991**

CHAIRPERSON ~ Rita Dupres	381-4988
VICE CHAIRPERSON ~ Patty Brunner	393-2577
Council Secretary ~ Fred Solano	381-7783
Buildings & Grounds ~ Jim Quintus	593-1207
Faith Formation ~ Holly Bossen	209-3268
Stewardship ~ Chris VanCleave	716-5526
Elected – Ralph Dupres	381-6027

## ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVES

Altar Society ~ Doris Ann Werlinger	348-6311
Knights of Columbus ~ Jim Blackwell	923-2955

Your Parish Council meets on the LAST Tuesday of each month at 7 pm. You are WELCOME to attend or contact any member. If you have new business, contact a council member prior to meeting.

## WEEKEND Mass Schedule

**Saturday 5:30 pm**

**Sunday 9:00 am  
5:30 pm**

## RECONCILIATION

**Saturday 4:00 – 5:00 pm**

**Sunday 8:00 - 8:30 am**  
*Or by appointment!*

## Daily Mass Schedule:

**April 22 - 26**

**Monday 7:30 am**

**Tuesday 7:30 am**

**Wednesday 9:30 am Mass at  
Good Samaritan New Underwood**

**Thursday 7:30 am**

**Friday 7:30 am**

**Divine Mercy Sunday  
April 27 & 28, 2019**

## Week of April 28th

**Sunday, April 28**

10:15 am Religious Education classes

**5:30 pm CONFIRMATION MASS**

*Reception to follow*

7 pm FAMILY ROSARY – All welcome!

**Monday, April 29**

7 pm Boy Scouts Court of Honor

**7 pm RETURNING CATHOLICS**

**Tuesday, April 30**

6:30 pm Last CARD NIGHT of the season

7 pm Parish Pastoral Council meeting

**Wednesday, May 1**

9:30 am Mass at Good Samaritan Center

6 pm YEAR-END FAMILY POTLUCK

*Everyone welcome!! Please bring a dish or two to share and come enjoy the evening!*

**Thursday, May 2**

9:30 am Mass at Black Hills Care Center

6:30 pm Bible Study

**7 pm RETURNING CATHOLICS**

**Friday, May 3**

7:30 am Mass

8 to 9 am Holy Hour of ADORATION

*followed by Benediction & Morning Prayer*

**Saturday, May 4**

**9 am First Communion Retreat**

**5:30 pm FIRST COMMUNION MASS**

*Reception to Follow*

## Down the Road

**Sunday, May 5**

after Mass YOUTH ROLLS

10:15 am Altar Society meeting

10:15 am LAST Religious Ed classes

7 pm Silent Auction ENDS!

*Get in your final bids!*

## **Welcome to St. Therese!**

**We are truly happy you joined us in  
the Celebration of the Mass!**

*If you would like information about the parish, or to register, please call the office at 342-1556.*

## YOUR PARISH STAFF

PASTOR ~ Father Kerry Prendiville, 342-1556 ext. 11 DEACONS – Rev. Mr. Charles Rausch

OFFICE STAFF: ~ Connie Heeren, ext. 10 Trish Peterson, ext. 14

YOUTH FORMATION COORDINATOR– Bobby Myers, ext. 12

JANITORIAL & MAINTENANCE CUSTODIAN ~ Marty Tobacco FACILITY JANITOR ~ Elaine Duncan

## PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

Homebound Ministry: Ron Miller, Jerry Kanta, Kathy Grebner, Joan Feller, Rick Edelen

Liturgy/Music: Sue Englin, Jeanne Schneider & Joleen Click 1st Communion & Confirmation: Bobby Myers

RCIA: Ralph & Rita Dupres, Deacon Chuck Rausch BAPTISM: Call the office: Deacon Chuck Rausch

Altar Society President: Doris Ann Werlinger Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight, Tom Baumgartner

**"The Eucharist is Jesus,  
present in all simplicity and love,  
inviting us to come into His  
presence to stay awhile."  
From Come Stay Awhile by Fr. Richard McAlear, OMI**

## MASS INTENTIONS ~ April 29 – May 5

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

MONDAY	7:30 am	Agnes Mousel +
TUESDAY	7:30 am	Kay Wehrle +
WEDNESDAY	9:30 am	Mass New Underwood Good Samaritan
THURSDAY	9:30 am	Mass Black Hills Care Center
FRIDAY	7:30 am	Dorothy Rostad +
<b>3rd Sunday of Easter</b>		
SATURDAY	8:30 pm	Ron Myscofski + & Andy Myscofski
SUNDAY	9:00 am	Eugene & Ann Keller +
SUNDAY	5:30 pm	Parishioners

### MASS INTENTIONS: *Other than at St. Therese*

Sunday, May 5 James Gray

By Fr. Bill Zandri - Somerset

### FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!



#### Our Daily Scriptures

Monday	Acts 4:23-31	Ps 2:1-9	Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday	Acts 4:32-37	Ps 93:1-2,5	Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday	Acts 5:17-26	Ps 34:2-9	Jn 3:16-21
Thursday	Acts 5:27-33	Ps 34:2,9,17-20	Jn 3:31-36
Friday	1 Cor 15:1-8	Ps 19:2-5	Jn 14:6-14
Saturday	Acts 6:1-7	Ps 33:1-2,4-5,18-19	Jn 6:16-21
Sunday	Acts 5:27-32,40b-41	Ps 30:2,4-6,11-13	Rv 5:11-14 Jn 21:1-14

#### Faithful Citizenship The Church Response to Immigration

"First and foremost, the Church must provide for the religious and spiritual needs of newly arriving immigrants and refugees and ensure that the sacraments and the full life of the Church are made available to people living in these communities, regardless of their legal status. Second, the Church must help to provide for the material needs of immigrants and their communities. For this reason, the bishops call on local parishes and other Catholic institutions to develop a network of social services for migrants and their families as they transition to their new life in America and, where possible, to provide affordable or free legal services to assist in the often arduous immigration process, particularly for those who are caught up in detention." "Beyond the immediate goal of securing passage for comprehensive immigration reform, the bishops affirm that the most effective, long-term solution to prevent unauthorized immigration is to address the root causes that prompt migration. The United States must work in solidarity with the international community to help raise the standard of living, uphold human rights, and implement complementary political institutions in the underdeveloped world so that people have the chance to prosper in their homelands, rather than having to migrate to find opportunities elsewhere."

<https://justiceforimmigrants.org/2016site/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/We-are-Strangers-No-Longer-2013-NMW.pdf>

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule – May 4 & 5

**SAT. 8:30 pm E.M.:** Kathy Houston, Doug Meiron (S) Jeff Cook, Ellen McGuigan, Ron Schuch, Tim & Joan Renelt **Lectors:** Kevin & Kris Hittle **Ushers:** Jim & Roxie Quintus, Fred & Paula Welsch **Gift Bearers:** Jim & Roxie Quintus **Altar Servers:** Allison Schuch, Benjamin Schuch

**SUN. 9 am ALL MINISTRIES BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Elaine Kocher (S) Stephanie Gay, Jan Winegar **Lector:** Lori Ashley **Ushers:** Bob Ormesher, Greg Rausch **Gift Bearers:** Don & Dottie Borowski **Altar Servers:** Thomas Rausch, Camden Walker

**THE LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR JUNE-JULY-AUGUST IS IN THE WORKS! Call Gayle Martin at 718-4631 if you know you will be gone any time during those months. ALSO, call the office if you would like training for any of the ministries!**

### Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ APRIL

Chairperson: Paula Welsch Co-chair: OPEN

#### Bulletin Prayer List:

Mandy Aarkfeld, David Ange, Diane Ange, Rick & Kathy Borkovec, Joyce Braun, Britney Weber Brouillette, Jim Cole, Mike Cole, Irene Cox, Bonnie Elwood, Ruth Geiger, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Kelly Heintz, Bill Hershley, Debbie Himrich, Ben Lang, Ron Langseth, Norene Lantz, M.E., Erin Maddox, Kevin Maher, Mary Maher, Rosie Mansfield, Dwyla Martin, Brad Maskovich, Susan McFadden, Jack Myers, Leah Nixon, Terry Nold, Nancy Palmer, Bruce C. Peterson, Susie Powers, Helen Quasney, Jim Quinn, Ted Rapp, Russ Rearick, Elizabeth Richards, Joel Rivera, Blakelynn Sharkey, Janice Simons, Bruce Wiesner, Will Winch, Carolyn Wise, Angie Zacher

**Psstttt... did you hear about the new pictorial directory coming out? Look in this bulletin for more information! ☺**

*"Blessed are they who have not seen and have believed," Jesus says in today's Gospel. For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. Then, in our time too, "men and women in great numbers" will be "added to the Lord."*

#### GENERAL & OTHER FUNDS: Contributions this week

Envelopes	\$ 2921.18
Plate Collection	\$ 1977.99
Children's Collection	\$ 446.25
Easter	\$ 2127.00
Building Improvements	\$ 42.00
Electronic Tithing	\$ 1717.00
Families in Need-giving	\$ 5.00
TEXT TO GIVE	\$ 50.00
Priest Retirement Aid Association	\$ 72.00
Seminarian Fund	\$ 106.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 45.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 9509.42</b>

#### WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED: \$9418.00

#### "THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Catholic Relief Services (CRS)	\$ .93
Holy Land	\$ 1187.00
Church in Europe	\$ 30.00

#### COLLECTIONS FOR APRIL / MAY:

**Apr. 28:** Catholic Home Missions / General Fund **May 5:** General Fund

**May 12:** Catholic Communication Campaign / General Fund

**May 19:** General Fund **May 26:** General Fund

**MAY:** Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

## Congratulations



### Ray & Mary

**Wagner**

**On your 60<sup>th</sup>**

**WEDDING**

**ANNIVERSARY**

**On April 25<sup>th</sup>!**

Cards may be sent to: 3410 Gray Fox Ct.,  
Rapid City, SD 57701

THANK YOU FOR SHARING YOUR WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF LOVE WITH US!



## Get excited! A new pictorial directory is coming soon!!

Hello parish family/friends!  
It's time! Time to reflect over the past five years since our last pictorial directory, (now there's some reminiscing!) and to reunite with familiar faces, and welcome new

parish families/members. Time to celebrate our church family and strengthen the bond within our congregation. Time to bring together a new pictorial directory.

St. Therese partnered with Lifetouch Church Directories and Portraits in 2014 and will use their services again. Our directory will allow us to connect names and faces and stay connected. It will unite the past and present in spirit. Lifetouch is providing their services at no cost to our church, and all photographing will be done here, at the church. The dates for photoshoots will be May 30<sup>th</sup> and May 31<sup>st</sup>, June 4<sup>th</sup> thru June 8<sup>th</sup>, June 18<sup>th</sup> thru June 22<sup>nd</sup>, and June 25<sup>th</sup> thru June 29<sup>th</sup>. Time slots will be from 2 pm to 8 pm. In the message I included in the bulletin several weeks ago, I mentioned there would be four ways of signing up. This has now been narrowed down to two. Before and after mass on May 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, and 26<sup>th</sup> there will be volunteers at the west entrance of the church to help you select a day/evening and timeframe. Beginning April 29<sup>th</sup> you can call or stop in the office, and I will be able to help schedule your appointment. Our directory won't be complete without you!

Volunteers are needed to help in signing up, and at the time of photoshoots. Please let me know if you can help. More information will be coming your way in next week's bulletin.

May the peace of Christ continue to guide you,  
*Trish Peterson*

### A LITTLE LAUGH ...

If we get rid of all the margarine,  
the world will be a butter place.



I just deleted all the German names off my phone.  
It's now Hans free.



## Hurray! It's a SILENT AUCTION!

*All proceeds go towards sending our young people to the amazing Steubenville St. Paul Retreat in July 2019!*

**Auction ends Sunday, May 5th at 7 pm!**

**Check out & Bid on the awesome items in the Parish Center! Happy bidding!!**

## THURSDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY @ 6:30 pm

Bring a Bible, if you have one, and gain a better understanding of upcoming Sunday Mass Readings. For more information contact Melanie Karp at 430-0459 and leave a message or text.

*Rest In Peace*

**Reynold Rausch**

*They go no further than God - and God is very near.*

**WE CARE CARDS WORK JUST LIKE CASH, MAKE GREAT GIFTS AND HELPS THOSE IN NEED AT THE SAME TIME!!!! We have WE CARE cards on hand for WALMART/SAMS CLUB, SAFEWAY & FAMILY FARE! Come see us after mass or in the office.**

## Altar Society Meeting

**Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 10:15am in Room 103!**

Hope to see NEW, and many of the Familiar Faces. We'll be discussing graduation mass and other things. ☺

## Seeking Stewardship Committee Chairperson! To start in June 2019.

Long-time volunteer, Chris VanCleave's position is opening. If interested, see Father Kerry or any Parish Council member!

*Rest In Peace*

**Corey Klocker**

*They go no further than God - and God is very near.*

## Have you tried e-giving? It's easy & SECURE!

**Online** - Make a donation on our website:  
[www.sainttheresechurch.org](http://www.sainttheresechurch.org)

**Text to Donate** - to our Number: 605-250-1952  
Simply text an amount (no dollar sign needed) to the number above and follow the prompts to complete your donation! See the text code word listing at both entrances but "Donation" is default.

**Give+ App** Search "GivePlus Church" in your phone App store, download- find St. Therese Church by 57701.  
If you're still not sure, but want to try it, just stop into the office or call the office at 342-1556.

## ATTENTION SENIORS!! CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Let your Parish Family celebrate with you!

## GRADUATION MASS

**Sunday, May 19th at 9 am!**

A reception will follow in the Parish Hall  
**SENIORS! Please contact the office and let us know EVEN IF YOU CAN'T ATTEND!!**



# ~ 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 the office at 342-1556 or sttherese@diorc.org

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED MAKE OUR CHURCH (upstairs and down) SO BEAUTIFUL TO CELEBRATE OUR RISEN LORD!**

**You are truly a gift to our parish! God Bless You!**

**And**

**THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU to the musicians and Triduum Choir for the beautiful music during Holy Week and Easter Services! Thank you for sharing your talents with us!! What a special gift you shared!**



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

**Grades PreK - 5<sup>th</sup>: SUNDAYS- 10:15 - 11:30 am**

April 28 CLASS  
May 4 - 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Retreat @ 9 am 1<sup>st</sup> Communion @ 5:30 pm Mass  
May 5 Last CLASS - NO 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

**Life Teen (High School) & Edge (Middle School):**

**WEDNESDAYS- 6 - 7:45 pm** 6 pm Dinner ~ Group starts at 6:30 pm

May 1 YEAR-END FAMILY POTLUCK *Bring a dish or two to share and come enjoy the evening!*  
May 8 LIFE NIGHT: Life Teen / Edge  
May 15 LAST LIFE NIGHT: Life Teen/Edge

**Catholics Returning Home** Have you been away from the church for a while? Have you ever thought about returning? Do you know someone who wants to return to the Church? If so, there is a special ministry for people who have been away from the Church. The six-session "Catholics Returning Home" series will run on Mondays and Wednesday, from 7 - 8:30 pm at St. Therese. For more information contact [info@returningcatholics.net](mailto:info@returningcatholics.net) or 605-939-0579, or visit [ReturningCatholics.net](http://ReturningCatholics.net). There is no charge and pre-registration is not required.

## ANOTHER LITTLE LAUGH...

Connie said, "I heard if I stood on Mars I would weigh 20% less. I now know this to be false! Does anyone want to buy 48 flattened chocolate bars?"

**PARISH PINOCHE NIGHTS** *hosted by the KC's*

**LAST ONE is Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Tuesdays from 6:30 to 9 pm**

**EVERYONE WELCOME!!**



## Diocese of Rapid City Job Openings at St. Thomas More/St. Elizabeth Seton

Contact Molly Rausch - [mrausch@rccss.org](mailto:mrausch@rccss.org) - 605-348-1477

Elementary Classroom Teacher  
Middle School English Teacher  
Middle School Enrichment Teacher (part time)  
High School English Teacher  
High School Spanish Teacher  
High School French Teacher  
High School Computer Teacher (part time)  
Preschool Teaching Assistant  
Kitchen Staff

**The Hope Center is in need of** travel size hygiene items, bus passes (orange-colored), reading glasses (all strengths), Ziploc bags, paper plates, laundry items!  
615 Kansas City St., Rapid City or the Parish Center

**CHURCH RESPONSE is in need of:**  
**CANNED FRUIT, JELLO & PUDDING CUPS, CEREAL & BODY SOAP!**

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

**MOMMY'S CLOSET continues to seek donations for:** children's clothing to sz. 6, socks and underwear

to sz 6, diapers especially sz 5 & up & baby wipes

*We greatly appreciate all your contributions.*

*Please place all items in the cradles at either entrance.*

**NEWBORN BABY ITEMS 0-12 months new and/or very gently used Outfits, rattles, onesies, receiving blankets, etc. & MATERNITY CLOTHING in all sizes are collected donated to BIRTHRIGHT.** Also, if you are interested in volunteering with Birthright, call Cathy at 347-6190.

**The new VETERAN'S Outreach Center IS IN IMMEDIATE NEED OF TRIAL-SIZE SHAMPOOS, CONDITIONERS & BODY WASHES (especially 3-in-ones)!**

**We will be collecting these items thru April.** Please place your items in the basket in the Parish Center. **THANK YOU!** The Veteran's Outreach Center is located at 111 New York St. Rapid City, SD 57701 ~ 605.341.8336

**SEEKING ITEMS FOR Addiction Recovery Centers:**

Pens/Pencils, Crossword puzzles, word puzzles, word search, Sudoku, and regular puzzles. Place in the box in the Parish Center by the offices.



**Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration at Blessed Sacrament ~ Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup>**

At 2:40 p.m. Eucharistic Exposition and veneration of the Divine Mercy Image; 3 p.m. Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Benediction, blessing of items, veneration of the relic of St. Faustina. **Please bring any items that you want to be blessed.** Reconciliation will be available during Eucharistic Adoration.

You're invited!

## Mother-Daughter Brunch "Celebrating Women"

Sponsored by: Catholic Daughters  
Court St. Rita

Who: Mothers, daughters, any women  
who'd like to join us, bring a female relative or friend

When: **May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Where: Terra Sancta Retreat Center

What: 9 am Mass, 10:30 Brunch with entertainment  
& door prizes

Why: Semi Formal Day Out for Ladies,  
Celebrate Upcoming Mother's Day

Cost: Adults \$12, 6-12 yrs \$6, 5 yrs & Under Free

Must Register by May 1<sup>st</sup> at:

[www.terrasancta.org/CDABrunch](http://www.terrasancta.org/CDABrunch).

If no computer access, call Rene Brand  
at 787-3044 to assist with registration



### AND ONE MORE LAUGH...

Connie's Communication tips: 1) Break the ice in a crowded elevator by asking how much everyone weighs. 2) The next time there is an awkward silence, lean over and whisper, "Did you forget your lines?"

## Join us for An Evening in Paris Mayfest Auction and Dinner

Live & Silent Auction Fundraiser to benefit the  
Rapid City Catholic School System  
Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm

Rushmore Plaza Civic Center LaCroix Hall

Doors open at 5 ~ Dinner at 6 pm ~ Live Auction at 7 pm  
RSVP [www.rccss.org](http://www.rccss.org) Reserved seating for tables or 8 or more  
Corporate Sponsorships available. Contact [rsatter@rccss.org](mailto:rsatter@rccss.org)  
Featuring: Tuition for a Year Raffle – All registered students will be  
entered in a drawing for one student for one year tuition free! Must be  
present to win. Drawing will be held at the end of the Live Auction.

*This is my beloved Son, hear him. Take some time to hear the  
beloved Son speaking to you. What does he say?*  
(Luke 9:28-36) **PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

# RPR NETWORK

Your Family of Faith and Hope

**RPR Network Spring Live Drive  
fundraising event May 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>  
and 10<sup>th</sup>.** You can call in from 7am to  
7pm each day to donate to support RPR's  
mission to assist the Roman Catholic

Church in drawing all people to the knowledge and love of Jesus and  
His Church. **Tune in on Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>,** when the broadcast comes  
live from Dickinson. The program will be hosted by Msgr. Patrick  
Schumacher from 6:00AM – 8:00 AM MT.

You can donate to the RPR fundraising event in two ways:

- Call 877-795-0122 – 7AM – 7PM CST - May 8, 9, 10
- Donate online at [www.yourCATHOLICradiostation.com](http://www.yourCATHOLICradiostation.com)

Your donation supports one of the greatest resources we have to find answers  
about the Catholic faith and grow in your companionship with Jesus.

## Hope For New Life (HFNL) Ministry

Neither snow, nor rain, nor gloom of night... stays these couriers  
from the swift completion of their appointed rounds. Many of you  
will recognize this quote as the unofficial motto of the US Postal Service. The  
Postal Service's motto could also apply to our HFNL Gospel Couriers who  
strive each Wednesday to bring the Good News to the inmates of Pennington  
County Jail. Since our weekly jail visits began almost 13 years ago (July 2006),  
we have maintained an almost continuous weekly presence at the jail. There  
have been only three occasions when inclement weather in the form of  
blizzards kept us from our appointed rounds. The latest absence occurred on  
Wednesday March 13, 2019 as a result of the bomb cyclone blizzard that  
paralyzed our city and state for over 24 hours. On Wednesday April 10, we  
experienced our second bomb cyclone blizzard in less than a month. Thanks  
be to God, the fury of this storm could not keep one of our intrepid Gospel  
Couriers from our ministry's appointed rounds with the inmates. That night,  
one of our ministry volunteers braved the storm and carried on our Easter  
tradition of sharing The Passion of Christ video with the inmates. Thankfully,  
the Holy Spirit both watched over and inspired our volunteer that night. We  
remain prayerfully confident Our Lord will continue to bless our efforts to  
courier the Good News of our faith— despite inclement weather or any other  
possible barrier— to those in our community most in need of God's mercy and  
forgiveness. If you would like to learn more about our ministry, please contact  
Bill Gradoville 605 430-2697. If you would like to volunteer to be a HFNL prayer  
partner, call or text Jennifer Shama 605 381-1118. We also invite you to attend  
our monthly HFNL business meetings every 3rd Monday of the month (6:30  
pm) at Catholic Social Services.

**Pregnancy Center 5K** Join the fun at the Black Hills  
Pregnancy Center 5K-Walk-Run, Jog for Life, **Saturday, May  
11**, beginning at 9 a.m. at Old Storybook Island Shelter. Register  
by May 4 for your free T-Shirt. The event is a fundraiser for Black Hills  
Pregnancy Center. Visit [www.BHPCPartners.org](http://www.BHPCPartners.org) to register or  
sponsor a walker/team. Honor your mother for giving you life by  
donating to the Black Hills Pregnancy Center Walk for Life. Put  
on your walking shoes and join the BHPC Walk for Life 2019.

**JUMPSTART: An Opportunity to Discover Your  
Mission! At a crossroads in life? Dissatisfied with  
your current job? Have a desire to serve and make a  
difference in the world but not sure how? Searching  
for a deeper purpose in life?** The Office of Stewardship is  
proud to partner with the Sioux Spiritual Center to offer you a day and  
half retreat on Saturday evening June 1 -Sunday, June 2, designed to  
assist you in discovering your strongest natural and spiritual gifts, your  
ideal motivational environment and the quirky bits of your personality  
that help you know what God made you for. Dr. Carole Brown, Director  
of the Sioux Spiritual Center will lead this insightful retreat and brings  
many years of experience and wisdom to all who participate. Cost is  
only \$70 and includes a night's stay, meals and all necessary  
materials. Space is limited! Please register before May 24<sup>th</sup> at  
<http://catholicwayoflife.flywheelsites.com/events/jumpstart/>

## Cursillo Weekends

**Men's & Women's 3-day Cursillo Weekends**  
**Women's Weekend May 2-5**, Storm Mountain. Center, Rockerville;  
**Men's Weekend May 16-19**, Storm Mountain Center; Rockerville.  
Application fee \$25. A free-will offering is taken at the end of the weekends.  
Applications: <http://www.natl-cursillo.org/rapidcity>. For questions contact:  
Richard Rangel 605-391-4187 [richard.rangel@rushmore.com](mailto:richard.rangel@rushmore.com) or David Elkjer  
605-209-6782 [delkjer@vastbb.net](mailto:delkjer@vastbb.net). Cursillo, Spanish for short course, is a  
world-wide personal enrichment program that concentrates on Christian piety,  
study and action. See the website for more information.



**2019 Joy-Filled Marriage Classes** *Joy-Filled Marriage* is a marriage preparation program that offers a comprehensive approach to marriage preparation. It covers not only the sacramentality and theology of marriage, but the practical life skills necessary to live out the rich Catholic vision of marriage. The Cathedral is scheduling all of the 2019 dates in advance. **2019 Joy Filled Marriage Classes – Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help:** May 31-June 1; September 6-7; December 13-14 *These classes are a requirement for marriage in the Diocese of Rapid City. Please contact Dori O'Connor zottie13@yahoo.com or 391-3204, to register.*

**Ireland! Only 4 spots left!** Faith of the Irish with Fr. Adam Hofer July 9-20, 2019, 12 glorious days, Deposits and Registrations due March 27. Room for 8 more, sign up today! \$4,395. includes air, hotel, ground transportation, most meals, deluxe motor coach, entrance fees per the itinerary, daily mass at very holy places! Call Rita to reserve your spot, 605-381-4988.

**Telehealth Counseling Available** Catholic Social Services has launched telehealth counseling across western SD. A caring and professional therapist is only a smart phone, tablet, or laptop away through confidential video counseling technology. Please call us at 348-6086 for more info. or to schedule an appointment.

**Save the Date! South Dakota Right to Life Annual Convention** *Defending Human Life from Conception to Natural Death* ~Mueller Center, Hot Springs ~ September 21<sup>st</sup> **Featured Speakers include:** Dr. Joseph Bottum—Author & Essayist; Alan Shlemon—Author and Speaker for Stand to Reason; Cheryl Sulleger—Author & Sr. Vice President, Operation Rescue Hosted by: Hot Springs Area Right to Life [hotspringsareartl@gmail.com](mailto:hotspringsareartl@gmail.com) [www.hsartl.org](http://www.hsartl.org)

**Spiritual Hospice Ministry:** to request prayers for the dying, call (605) 209-0667 or visit [SpiritualHospice.com](http://SpiritualHospice.com)

**St. Martin's Monetary has an opening for a part-time CNA position. Please contact Sister Mary at 605-343-8011 for information.**



### From the USCCB Office of Pro-Life Activities: Prayer for an End to Infanticide

The U.S. Senate recently failed to pass the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act — legislation that prohibits infanticide by ensuring that a child born alive following an attempted abortion would receive the same degree of care to preserve her or his life and health as would be given to any other child born alive at the same gestational age. South Dakota was well represented, as both Senators John Thune and Mike Rounds co-sponsored and voted for the bill. However it fell seven votes short of passing. Please join us in prayer for an end to infanticide:

**“Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life.”**

## FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

**For info. or to register for the following ministries, call Amy at FLM, 716-5214 x236 or [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org)**

**NFP, Good for your Body, Great for your Soul** Have you considered NFP lately? Natural Family Planning, also known as Fertility Awareness is a great avenue for women to take charge of their own health, naturally! Charting monthly signs and symptoms can give women an insight into their health that goes far beyond fertility. **NaProTECHNOLOGY** (Natural Procreative Technology) is the first women's health science to network family planning with reproductive health monitoring and maintenance. It is a fertility-care based medical approach rather than a fertility-control approach to family planning and gynecological health. If you would like more information about NFP or would like to begin learning how to take charge of your own reproductive contact Family Life Ministries. *A free and easy way to learn about NFP is to attend an NFP Seminar. Natural Family Planning Seminar of 2019 will be offered: April 13— St. Joseph, Spearfish*

*Please note that the NFP requirement for marriage preparation is met with this seminar. For more information or to register, visit [www.rapidcitydiocese.org/natural-family-planning/](http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/natural-family-planning/) contact Amy or Linda at 716-5214, or email [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org).*

**Surviving Divorce --Helping You Find Peace, Power, and Passion After Your Divorce** Separated or Divorced? The Surviving Divorce Aftercare Group is meeting monthly as an ongoing ministry to offer support, hope and healing to those who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. This group is for the newly separated and divorced and those still struggling with issues many years later. It will help them find answers to their questions, restore their hope, and begin authentic healing. We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month at Terra Sancta Retreat Center and are open to Christian men and women of all denominations. For more information, contact Amy Julian at 716-5214 or [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org).

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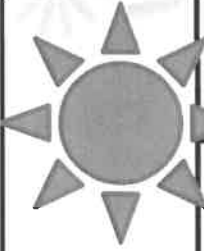
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**Courage & Encourage** **Courage** is an international apostolate which ministers to persons with same-sex attraction who desire to live chaste lives following the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church. **EnCourage** is a ministry within Courage dedicated to the spiritual needs of parents, siblings, children and other relatives and friends of persons who experience same-sex attraction. Members in both groups support one another through discussion prayer and fellowship. For information on Courage please contact [courage@diorc.org](mailto:courage@diorc.org) or 605-646-3363. For information on EnCourage, please contact [encourage@diorc.org](mailto:encourage@diorc.org) or 605-519-8688.

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday 5:30 pm  
 Sunday 9:00 am  
 Sunday 5:30 pm



# MAY 2019



**RECONCILIATION**  
 Saturday: 4 to 5 pm  
 Sunday: 8 - 8:30 am

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>Welcome to the Lord's Table and CONGRATULATIONS to those receiving their First Communion on May 4th!</b></p> <p><b>5</b>                      after Mass YOUTH ROLLS                      10:15 am LAST Religious Ed class                      10:15 am Altar Society meeting                      7 PM Silent Auction ENDS                      Get your final bids in!                      7 pm Family Rosary</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      7pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p>Thank you Lord for Momma's of all kinds!!</p> <p><b>7</b>                      7:30 am Mass                      7 pm Returning Catholics</p>	<p>9:30 am Mass @ Good Samaritan</p> <p><b>6 pm YEAR-END POTLUCK</b>                      Bring a dish or two to share and come celebrate!</p> <p>9:30 am Mass @ Good Samaritan</p> <p><b>6 pm Edge - Life Teen</b></p>	<p>9:30 am Mass at BH Care Center                      6:30 pm BIBLE STUDY                      7 pm Returning Catholics</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      HOLY HOUR 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM in Reconciliation</p>	<p><b>4</b>                      First Communion Retreat 9-11 am  <b>FIRST COMMUNION at 5:30 pm</b>                      Reception to follow</p>
<p><b>12</b>                      Family Rosary</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      6:30 pm Catholic Daughters                      7pm Boy Scouts                      7 pm KC meeting</p>	<p><b>14</b>                      7:30 am Mass</p>	<p>9:30 am Mass @ Good Samaritan</p> <p><b>Women's softball games begin</b></p> <p><b>6 pm LAST Edge - Life Teen</b></p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      6:30 pm BIBLE STUDY                      7 pm Returning Catholics</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      HOLY HOUR 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM in Reconciliation</p> <p>FOOT CLINIC 9 AM</p>	<p><b>18</b>                      2 pm Wedding</p>
<p><b>19</b>                      9 am GRADUATION MASS                      please call the office!                      Men's softball games BEGIN                      7 pm Family Rosary</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      7pm Boy Scouts                      7 pm Parish Council</p>	<p><b>21</b>                      7:30 am Mass</p>	<p>NO Mass @ Good Samaritan</p> <p><b>CLERGY DAYS at Terra Sancta</b></p> <p><b>Women's softball games Teacher Appreciation Night</b></p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      6:30 pm BIBLE STUDY</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      HOLY HOUR 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM in Reconciliation</p>	<p><b>25</b>                      Holy Land Wood Sale</p>
<p><b>26</b>                      Holy Land Wood Sale                      Men's softball games                      7 pm Family Rosary</p>	<p><b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>                      *office closed                      7:30 am Mass</p>	<p><b>28</b>                      7:30 am Mass                      7 pm Parish Council</p>	<p>9:30 am Mass @ Good Samaritan</p> <p><b>Women's softball games</b></p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      6:30 pm BIBLE STUDY</p>	<p>7:30 am Mass                      HOLY HOUR 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM in Reconciliation</p>	<p><b>31</b>                      7:30 am Mass                      HOLY HOUR 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM in Reconciliation</p>



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