

August 15 & 16, 2020

Please note: Some Mass times have changed & is reserved seating only. If you would like to reschedule your Mass, please contact the office at 342-1556 during the week.

MASS INTENTIONS ~ August 17 - 23

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

NO DAILY MASS THIS WEEK – Father Kerry is on vacation

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY 4 pm Parishioners
5:30 pm Eddie Scherr +
SUNDAY 9 am Deceased Members of the Del & Joann Solano Family
5:30 pm Corina Deeny +

FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

YOU CAN EVEN DO THIS IN YOUR HOMES!!



Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Ez 24:15-24 (Ps) Dt 32:18-21 Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday Ez 28:1-10 (Ps) Dt 32:26-28,30,35c-36b Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday Ez 34:1-11 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 20:1-16
Thursday Ez 36:23-28 Ps 51:12-15,18-19 Mt 22:1-14
Friday Ez 37:1-14 Ps 107:2-9 Mt 22:34-40
Saturday Ez 43:1-7ab Ps 85:9ab,10-14 Mt 23:1-12
Sunday Is 22:19-23 Ps 138:1-3,6,8 Rom 11:33-36 Mt 16:13-20

THE BASEMENT IS OPEN for Mass overflow.

Please see the greeter at the door! 

Want to come to Mass or Reconciliation?

Call 342-1556 for a Mass seating reservation BY FRIDAYS AT 3 PM!!

Please note... A reservation is needed for weekend Mass EACH week. No reservation needed for weekday Masses.

If you forget to call, just stop in to check available seats!

Contact the parish office at 342-1556 to set your time.

Reconciliation Schedule:

Saturday: 2:45-3:45 pm & 6:30 pm

Sunday: 6:30 pm

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4 pm & 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9 am & 5:30 pm

Daily Mass Schedule:

Monday: 7:30 am

Tuesday: Noon

Wednesday: 7:30 am

Thursday: Noon

Friday: 7:30 am

(followed by Adoration & Morning Prayer)

Reminder: The obligation to attend Mass is STILL lifted! The St. Therese Sunday Mass will still be on our Facebook page. The Mass will be streamed LIVE at 9 am, but will also be recorded so you may watch at a different time. Spread the link around! <https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

~ 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

In today's second reading, St. Paul tells the Romans, "God's gifts and his call are irrevocable." To what is God calling me today? What gifts are mine to share?

GENERAL & OTHER FUNDS: Contributions this week

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|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Envelopes | \$ 6478.00 |
| Plate Collections | \$ 696.00 |
| Building Improvements | \$ 170.00 |
| Assumption | \$ 45.00 |
| Priest Retirement Fund | \$ 135.00 |
| Seminarian Fund | \$ 100.00 |
| Electronic Tithing | \$ 2115.00 |
| Priest Retirement Fund-egiving | \$ 56.00 |
| Building Fund – egiving | \$ 4.00 |
| Seminarian Fund-egiving | \$ 4.00 |
| Camp. For Human Dev.-egiving | \$ 3.00 |
| Catholic Schools-egiving | \$ 3.00 |
| Families in Need-egiving | \$ 55.00 |
| Votive Candle Income | \$ 45.00 |
| TOTAL | \$ 9909.00 |

WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED: \$9762.00

"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Solidarity for Africa \$ 30.00

COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST:

Aug 15: Assumption Aug 16: General Fund

Aug 23: General Fund Aug 30: General Fund

AUG: Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

WE NEED CHECK-IN GREETERS & Ushers at ALL Masses!

If you can help,

PLEASE call Connie in the parish office at 342-1556.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule – August 22 & 23

SAT. 4 pm **Check-in:** Diane Ange **E.M.:** Sacristan NEEDED, Diane Ange
Lector: Julie Shauger **Ushers:** NEEDED **Altar Server:** Bob Heidgerken

SAT. 5:30 pm **Check-in:** NEEDED **E.M.:** Sacristan NEEDED, Ivan & Darlene Davignon
Lector: Tim Renelt **Ushers:** Bob & Kay Olson
Altar Server: Ben Schuch

SUN. 9 am **Check-in:** Tom & Melanie Parson **E.M.:** Mark Vedder, Ginny DeJager (S)
Lector: Dave VanCleave **Ushers:** NEEDED
Altar Server: Hayden Czerwonka

SUN. 5:30 pm **Check-in:** NEEDED **E.M.:** Dcn. Chuck Rausch (S), Jean French
Lector: Jean French **Ushers:** Kent & Jean French
Altar Server: Camden Walker

Attention Sacristans, E.M.s, Lectors, Altar Servers, Ushers: If you have returned to Mass and are willing to be a Liturgical Minister, please call Gayle Martin at 718-4631.

Bulletin Prayer List:

Mark Biggs, Yolana Blackman, Jim Bloom, Joan Feller, Floyd, Fr. Tony Grossenburg, Karla Grosz, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Hugh Hart, Tara Heinle, Jamie, Jolene, Josh, Karen, Don & Norene Lantz, Pat Osburn, Albert Oyler, Helen Quasney, Beverly Salvatore, Emma V., Bailey Weber, Carolyn Wise

Thank you for the continued prayers for Dale Hurtig +

Harvest Blessings

Attention Gardeners:

Please bring extra produce to your weekend mass of choice until the first frost. Totes are available to place the produce in as you enter for Mass.



You may purchase produce for a free-will offering (if able) with proceeds split between Church Response and St. Vincent De Paul for families in need.

Any individuals or families willing to help man the produce table after Mass are greatly appreciated. If there is even ONE Mass you can help at, please call Bobby at 342-1556, ext. 12 or 381-0053; or Irene Lee at 431-0358.

A LITTLE LAUGH ...

Father said, "The word of the day is Agoraphobia: meaning fear of open spaces."

Connie exclaimed, "Oh no! I have agoraphobia! I go to the gym and I'm afraid it'll be open!"

FOOD DRIVE UPDATE: Sooo close!!

1880 lbs so far! !!!!

Only 40 lbs. to go! Ya'll are great!

The St. Therese YOUTH are still collecting 2020 pounds of food and personal items and not stopping til they get there! You can help! Bring your donations to the church and place in the box in the Parish Center!

Thank you OVER A TON in advance!

Super easy! Just purchase your gift cards for Wal-mart/Sam's Club, Safeway & Family Fare BEFORE you go shopping there! Stop by the office during the week.

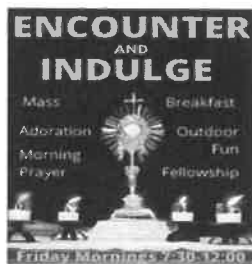
Each one you purchase brings back money for the needy at Church Response AND for use right here at St. Therese!

Watch Sunday Mass on the St. Therese Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

Attention all middle & high school students & young adults! Join us!! You'll be happy you did!!

Contact Bobby at 342-1556, ext. 12 with any questions.



== Fr. Kerry's Korner ==

Dear Friends,

I will be leaving for vacation this Monday through the 28th of August. During this time, with our Pastor emeritus (Father Zandri) in lockdown at his residence, we will not be able to have daily Mass. I am sure with Cathedral and St. Isaac Jogues you will find good alternatives for attendance. I will spend some time with my family in the Dickinson area and then head to Idaho to ride the Rails to Trails along Lake Couer d'Alene. My brother's family in Walla Walla will join me. I will not be camping. But I thought about it.

It is increasingly difficult to get away for a weekend. I have three priests agreeing to help me the one weekend I will be gone. In two years we hope to have two ordinations which will probably help us retire two more priests who are in their 70's. Please continue to pray for vocations in your home.

I want to thank Msgr. Gerry McManus, Fr. Mark McCormick and Fr. Matt Fallgren for assisting St. John's and St. Therese for next weekend.

We have decided to open the Social Hall for overflow seating. To accommodate this change and because our seminarians are leaving for school it is imperative that we have more hospitality ministers at the door to help folks find their assigned seating and direct overflow to the area set up downstairs. Please call Connie to volunteer for this ministry. I have done it myself and enjoy it for the chance to meet people and make them happy! You do have to come early, but you are doing it for others. Christ for others!

Peace, *Fr. Kerry Prendiville*

My house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples. As a church, let us pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. (Isaiah 56:6-7)

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

e-giving is Easy & SECURE and NEEDED right now during this time!

Online – Make a donation on our website:

www.sainttheresechurch.org

Text to Donate – Make a donation 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.



FINALLY! A SILENT AUCTION!

***All proceeds go towards our
St. Therese Youth!***

**Auction ends Sunday,
September 13th at 7 pm!**

**Yes, Sept. 13th ... to give EVERYONE an
opportunity to bid! You can even call the
office and place your bid too!**

- 1 Cornhuskers picture
- 2 Chinese tea set
- 3 John 3:16 wooden upright
- 4 Blue feather earrings
- 5 Chain necklace
- 6 Gold tie lapel
- 7 Round small Crystal Bowl
- 8 Clover shaped lead crystal bowl
- 9 Silver Seiko watch
- 10 Citizen quartz gold watch
- 11 Gold rimmed serving Bowl
- 12 Victoria Emerson bracelet
- 13 Kittens porcelain doll
- 14 fairy porcelain doll
- 15 boy fairy porcelain doll
- 16 purple dress porcelain doll
- 17 pink bird girl porcelain doll
- 18 Crystal butter serving Platte
- 19 Crystal serving Bowl
- 20 Crystal serving bowl with lid
- 21 Crystal Bowl with legs and lid
- 22 Mary Grotto
- 23 Medjugorje Mary
24. Purple necklace and earring set

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

LET US FILL OUR FATHER'S HOUSE

"I have called you by name, and you are mine!"

This week please pray about who God wants you to invite to join our parish, if a name comes to mind, invite them! Do you know someone who is not confirmed yet? Invite them! We are called to be intentional disciples, we are people of action not just words. **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults and Children (RCIA)** opens the doors of our church wide - to preach and teach the gospel, to prepare all of God's children to baptism and the rest of our amazing sacraments!

**RCIA INFORMATIONAL MEETING ON THURSDAY,
SEPTEMBER 17th OR 24th at 6:30 PM! See you there!**

For more info. or to sign up for RCIA, contact the office at 342-1556.

Parish website:

www.sainttheresechurch.org

You'll find the weekly bulletin, the button for e-giving, the liturgical schedule, registration forms & so much more!

ALSO FIND US (ST. THERESE CHURCH) ON FACEBOOK!!!!

(AND "follow" us & LIKE US!) ☺

<https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

**Local TV Mass *KNBN (NBC)*
SUNDAYS ~ 7 am & 4:30 pm**

ANOTHER LITTLE FUNNY ...

Let me put things into perspective for you.
Persp(things)ective. You're welcome!



Maybe Rumpelstiltskin kept his name secret so people
wouldn't make fun of it.

**DIVE IN WITH THE
SACRAMENTS**

A SUMMER FAMILY EDUCATION PROGRAM

WEEK ONE: BAPTISM
WEEK TWO: EUCHARIST
WEEK THREE: CONFIRMATION
WEEK FOUR: RECONCILIATION
WEEK FIVE: ANOINTING OF THE SICK
WEEK SIX: MATRIMONY
WEEK SEVEN: HOLY ORDERS

Find Them On Our Website or Grab a
Paper Copy in Our Offices!

ST. THERESE OF THE LITTLE FLOWER

***The seminarians have
put together Dive In
With The Sacraments: a
Summer Family
Education Program FOR
ALL AGES!***

The program is available on
the St. Therese website:
www.sainttheresechurch.org
OR by paper copy.
**Check it out!!! ALL weeks
are available NOW!!**

RAPID CITY RIGHT TO LIFE – UPCOMING EVENTS (MEN & WOMEN...Your help IS needed!)

CENTRAL STATES FAIR – at Soule Building

Aug. 21-29 Noon-7pm **HELP NEEDED** to staff booth. Would
work with another person.

Contact Diane at 721-3065 to volunteer

PIZZA RANCH SOUTH FUNDRAISER

Aug. 24 4:30-8PM **WORKERS NEEDED**

Contact Martha at 718-1999 to help

11th Annual GOLF TO URNAMENT – Executive Golf Course

Sept. 11 Fri Registration NOON - Start 1 pm cost: \$20 plus
green fees (includes food) – 9 Hole

Contact Jeff at 718-1999 to preregister.

LIFE CHAIN – Rapid City

Sept. 13 Sun. 2 – 3 pm

Organize your group and let Diane at 721-3065 know the approximate
size of your group so your location in the Life Chain can be determined.
Pro life signs will be available but you can bring your own appropriate,
pro life posters or banners.

A prayer for Spiritual Communion

*My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.*

*Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at
least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already
there and unite myself wholly to You.*

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Catholic Social Services Annual Banquet will honor the late John T. Vucurevich with its Founder's Award. **September 27th** at Rushmore Plaza Civic Center Order of St. Benedict Medal winners are Tom and Pam Fritz, Sandy Diegel and John Schmit. Tickets available at 348-6086 for \$20 or online at cssrapidcity.com for \$15.



Clothe-a-Kid

Clothe-a-Kid is still happening this year! It will just be a little different. Love, INC. is accepting monetary donations to cover the cost of the clothing. You may send directly to Love INC or simply drop in the collection basket with a note for Clothe-a-Kid. Also, seeking volunteers to help with the Life INC classes. **Contact Love INC with any questions.**

www.loveinonline.com p: 605.718.5683
140 North Street, PO Box 3255, Rapid City, SD 57709

Rapid City Catholic School System Job Openings

High School Religion Teacher - Part Time
Preschool Assistant – full and part time
Assistant Girls Soccer Coach – part time, seasonal
Girls Tennis Coach – Grades 7-12
Custodial Staff – Full Time

More information at rccss.org, or contact Molly Rausch 348-1477, mrausch@rccss.org

AND ONE MORE FUNNY ...

Connie found a piece of cake in the office fridge with a note saying "Please do not eat!" Now there's an empty plate and a note that says, "Don't tell me what to do!"

With faith in the Heavenly Father, today I kneel in prayer.

Dear God, I'm asking You to put peace in the hearts of those who are filled with hate for this country and for each other. I ask you God for help to find what will end COVID-19. I ask for the Holy Spirit to guide all people toward peace. And for the ones who do not know you Lord, I pray that they will open their hearts and let you come into their hearts. Thank You for all the blessings You have given me. Keep us ALL safe from harm and keep us well. Lord, I continue to pray that we all become one again; that we love each other and teach others more about You. Bless our military men and women. Take care of them and watch over them as we pray for blessings upon the United States of America and the whole world. Amen!

Spiritual Hospice Ministry:

to request prayers for the dying, call (605) 569-1012 or visit SpiritualHospice.com

What is The Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul offers tangible assistance to those in need on a person-to-person basis. It is this personalized involvement that makes the work of the Society unique. This aid may take the form of intervention, consultation, or often through direct dollar or in-kind service. An essential precept of the Society's work is to provide help while conscientiously maintaining the confidentiality and dignity of those who are served. The Society recognizes that it must assume, also, a role of advocacy for those who are defenseless or voiceless. More than 5 million persons are helped annually by Vincentians in the United States. The list of services of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in the United States is endless. *No work of charity is foreign to the Society. To quote our patron, St. Vincent de Paul: "Charity is infinitely inventive".* The Diocese of Rapid City has four parishes in Rapid City (Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Blessed Sacrament, St. Therese the Little Flower, and Saint Isaac Jogues) interested in combining our volunteers and resources to be one group. **We are in need of additional volunteers to help with the poorest of the poor. A training will be conducted SOON for anyone interested, for more information and to register for the training please contact Rita Dupres at 605-381-4988.**

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Bring a copy of your baby's ultra sound picture to the Church to be used by Right to Life at Christmas time for ornaments! Thank You!!



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