

MASS INTENTIONS ~ Aug. 19 - 25

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

MONDAY 7:30 am – Mark Biggs
5:30 pm -- Henry L. Stanko +
TUESDAY 7:30 am – Special Intention
WEDNESDAY 7:30 am – Donna Baumgartner +
THURSDAY 7:30 am – Rose Lorene Brooks +
FRIDAY 7:30 am – Special Intention
21st Sunday In Ordinary Time
SATURDAY 5:30 pm – Steve McIntyre +
SUNDAY 9:00 am – Tony Quinn +
5:30 pm – Parishioners

MASS INTENTIONS: *Other than at St. Therese*

Sunday, August 25 Special Intention
By Fr. Zandri – St. John's in New Underwood – 11 am

Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Jgs 2:11-19 Ps 106:34-37,39-40,43-44 Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday Jgs 6:11-24a Ps 85:9,11-14 Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday Jgs 9:6-15 Ps 21:2-7 Mt 20:1-16
Thursday Jgs 11:29-39a Ps 40:5,7-10 Mt 22:1-14
Friday Ru 1:1,3-6,14b-16,22 Ps 146:5-10 Mt 22:34-40
Saturday Rv 21:9b-14 Ps 145:10-13ab,17-18 Jn 1:45-51
Sunday Is 66:18-21 Ps 117:1-2 Heb 12:5-7,11-13 Lk 13:22-30

Faithful Citizenship "Building the Tower of Babel was not easy. They had to make bricks; and how is a brick made? Mud and straw must be fetched, they must be mixed and the bricks brought to the kiln. It involved a lot of work. And after all this work a brick became a real treasure! They then had to hoist the bricks in order to build the Tower of Babel. If a brick fell it was a tragedy! But if a man fell nothing happened! It is this crisis that we are living today, this same crisis. It is the crisis of the person. Today the person counts for nothing, it is coins, it is money that counts. And Jesus, God, gave the world, the whole creation, to the person, to men and women that they might care for it; he did not give it to money. It is a crisis, the person is in a crisis because today — listen carefully, it is true — the person is a slave! We must liberate ourselves from these economic and social structures that enslave us. This is your duty."

Pope Francis, Meeting with Students of Jesuit Schools-Q&A, June 7, 2013.
www.vatican.va (From Diocesan Social Justice Commission)

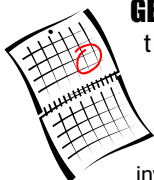
Liturgical Ministry Schedule – August 24 & 25

SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.: Bob & Kay Olson (S), Jeff Cook, Jim Blackwell, Ivan & Darlene Davignon, Sharon Ludovissie **Lector:** Julie Shauger, Scott Sime
Ushers: Paula Bailie, Dick Cuka, Dan Shank, Tim Shull
Gift Bearers: Vic & Kathleen Espinosa Family **Altar Servers:** Kaleb Hedman, Brian LeBrun, Karen Witcraft

SUN. 9 am E.M.: Diane Dahl, Ginny DeJager (S) Dewayne & Joanne Borszich, Nancy Deranleau, Kayla Deranleau, Gayle Martin **Lector:** Sarah Rapp, Brenda Wills **Ushers:** Larry Cole, Rachael French, Joe Martin, Randy Rapp **Gift Bearers:** Don & Mary Fitzpatrick **Altar Servers:** Jacob Achbach, Mike Gorman, Thomas Gorman, Sidney Schurger

SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.: Elaine Kocher (S) Holly Bossen, Clarice LeBrun **Lector:** Chuck Rausch **Ushers:** Chuck Bossen, Greg Suto, David & Chris VanCleave **Gift Bearer:** Matt & Kati Skinner Family
Altar Server: Max Bossen, Patrick Bossen, Benjamin VanCleave

Please remember to find a substitute if needed.



GET OUT YOUR CALENDAR! Believe it or not . . . the NEXT Liturgical Schedule is in the works for the months of Oct - Nov - Dec.

Going to be out-of-town? Let me know. New contact number? Give me a call. Need to change Mass times? I can switch you around. Maybe you want to get *more* involved, or maybe you're available *less* often. JUST CALL

ME! – with any questions, or concerns, but especially with dates you're not available. Yep, your input makes my job easier! Thanks for your help. . . and your service!! ~ Gayle Martin, 718-4631.

== The "Z" Gram ==

--- Notes From Father Bill ---

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING The Diocese of Rapid City is implementing a new Safe Environment Training (SET) to be used for this coming school year. The Diocese is requiring all volunteers who work with children and some adult situations to take this new training. The training is a three hour class. We belong to Deanery 1 and the Deanery has scheduled an opportunity to attend the training citywide. AUGUST 18, AT St. Therese from 5 yo 8 pm. This training will be for volunteers, any adult who might be required (catechists, team members, drivers, chaperones, etc) or anyone interested. Thank you for taking this training and continuing your volunteer work at the Cathedral. Our programs are powered by VOLUNTEERS!

On Mondays at 4 pm we gather to say a Rosary for Life, Marriage and Religious Liberty. We do this as part of our Celebration of the Year of Faith. After the recitation of the Rosary, we have various intercessions. Please join us for this service.

Do you know a spouse, family member or friend who is open to the possibility of becoming Catholic?

Are you an adult that was baptized in a Catholic church but never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) will begin for those who are considering joining the Catholic Church. The RCIA process begins with an inquiry period of a few months where people can learn the basics of the Catholic faith.

There is no commitment to join the Church during this period – it's rather an opportunity to ask questions and learn the truth about the Catholic faith.

For more information, contact the office at 342-1556.

Please add JIM HANSEN, LUKE MARS & PAMELA to your prayers

Bulletin Prayer List:

Larry Amburn, Tim Ange, Don Anton, Jerry Bartholmay, Kellee Callender, Margaret Chronos, Tina Chronos, Eleanor Clarich, Brandon Eastman, Kelli Eastman, Don Everett, Denny & unborn baby, Dick Fraser, Darlene Grass, Jim Hansen, Judy Hansen, Sue Hayden, Jacob Heil, Ed Hellman, Vera Jonas, Jerry Kaiser, Baby Kash, Dennis Keller, Fern Keller, Shirley Kenoyer, Albert Kittelson, Laura & unborn baby, Agnes Kurtenbach, Luke Mars, Anita Miller, Cody Murner, Leo & Joyce Quinn, Dorothy Rapp, Ted & Judy Rapp, Joel Reed, Mary Rieb, Doyle Roseland, Jim Russell, Karla Sandifer, Linda Schooley, Leota Sidel, Donna Stulken, Tom Slattery, Jim Theis, Elizabeth Torp, Mike Volk, Sharon Weber, Marion & Betty Wilson, Al Winland

FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

EVERYONE WELCOME!!

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAYS: 8 am to 5:30 pm

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

ALL of the WE CARE certificates, including those from Walmart/Sams Club, Safeway, Family Thrift/Prairie Market & Don's Valley Market can be used to

purchase gas, clothing, toiletries, and other non-food items (where applicable)

Get yours today! Either after Mass on weekend or in the parish office during the week!

Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ AUGUST

Chairperson: Linda Birgenheir Co-Chair: Deanna Johnson



GAMES~FOOD~FUN~FOOD~FELLOWSHIP~FOOD

Sunday, August 18th ~ 12:47 pm ~ College Park

Knights of Columbus, Altar Society, & Parish Life will provide the meat, buns, paper plates, napkins, silverware, pop, and various games & activities.

YOU are asked to provide delicious side dishes & desserts. So bring a dish (or two!) to share, a chair, and your smile and be prepared to fellowship with your brothers and sisters in Christ. . . and let the good times roll!!

Make plans to attend!!

BRING YOUR BLANKETS or LAWN CHAIRS!

~~ MARK YOUR CALENDARS! FUN FOR ALL! ~~

THE WEEKLY FUNNY . . . from Father Bill

The boss of a big company needed to call one of his employees about an urgent problem with one of the main computers. He dialed the employee's home phone number and was greeted with a child's whispered, "Hello?" Feeling put out at the inconvenience of having to talk to a youngster the boss asked, "Is your Daddy home?" "Yes," whispered the small voice. "May I talk with him?" the man asked. To the surprise of the boss, the small voice whispered, "No." Wanting to talk with an adult, the boss asked, "Is your Mommy there?" "Yes", came the answer. "May I talk with her?" Again the small voice whispered, "No". Knowing that it was not likely that a young child would be left home alone, the boss decided he would just leave a message with the person who should be there watching over the child. "Is there anyone there besides you?" the boss asked the child. "Yes" whispered the child, "A policeman." Wondering what a cop would be doing at his employee's home, the boss asked, "May I speak with the policeman?" "No, he's busy," whispered the child. "Busy doing what?" asked the boss. Talking to Daddy and Mommy and the fireman," came the whispered answer. Growing concerned and even worried as he heard what sounded like a helicopter through the ear piece on the phone the boss asked, "What is that noise?" "A hello-copper," answered the whispering voice. "What is going on there?" asked the boss, now alarmed. In an awed whispering voice the child answered, "The search team just landed the hello-copper." Alarmed, concerned and just a little frustrated, the boss asked, "Why are they there?" Still whispering, the young voice replied along with a muffled giggle, "They're looking for me."

2013/2014 St. Therese Religious Education

TEACHER'S meeting

Sunday, August 18 from 4 – 5 pm followed by

****New** MANDATORY "Safe Environment Training"**

training from the Diocese from 5-8 pm



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

Msgr Allen J Wolf, Air National Guard, 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.

THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO ARE INVOLVED WITH THIS MINISTRY!

~ 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.

Following Jesus sometimes means being rejected by others. Speak an encouraging word this week to someone you know who is trying to follow Jesus through the fire. Say a prayer for those who are discerning a call to priesthood or religious life. (Luke 12:49-53)

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

MOMMY'S CLOSET Items in need are:

3T to 5T clothing, baby soaps/lotions

We greatly appreciate all your contributions.

Please place all items in the cradles at either entrance.

In today's second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

GENERAL FUND: Contributions last week

Envelopes	\$ 4049.00
Plate Collection	\$ 1569.64
Children's Collection	\$ 27.00
Assumption	\$ 10.00
Copier Maintenance – KC's	\$ 50.00
Adult Education Book	\$ 10.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 52.00
TOTAL	\$ 5767.64

Amount needed per week: \$ 6805.00

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements	\$ 162.00
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"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund	\$ 33.00
Priest Retirement Aid Assoc	\$ 447.00

COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST:

August 18: Seminarian Fund / General Fund **August 25:** General Fund

Sainttheresechurch.org has past bulletins and loads of other info. Check it out!

CANNED OR BOXED POTATOES, RICE, TOMATO SAUCE AND TOILET PAPER ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE Please place your items in box at either entrance! **THANK YOU !!**



“Thank you for your generosity to all who contributed to CLOTHE A KID! ...from those who volunteered their time for sign up and/or shopping, those that sponsored children monetary gift, and also for those who supported the program with prayers. You are a true blessing! Thank you! ~ Diane Dahl

FURNITURE MINISTRY

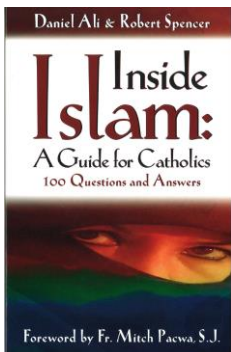
Give your furniture a second life. Love INC of the Black Hills helps families in need with furniture. We have a great need right now for donations of mattresses, couches, dressers, tables, chairs, kitchen items and linens. The people we serve earn their furniture by meeting 3 requirements: income through employment, time in residence and a willingness to serve at our Life INC classes. Our goal is to meet their immediate need but also to encourage them to join one of Life INC's classes which include Money management, Parenting, Life Skills, Bible Study and more. If you have clean, used furniture to donate, please call Love INC at 718-5683. Free pickup is available. Thank you.

ANOTHER WEEKLY FUNNY...from Father Bill

This police officer sees an old lady driving and knitting at the same time so after driving next to her for awhile he yells to her, "PULLOVER". She replies, "No, a pair of socks for my little Grandson".

Contribution Envelopes are in the mail - - ... OR MAYBE NOT!!!

If you did NOT receive your contribution envelopes for Aug-Sept, please contact the parish office, 342-1556 ext 15 or email ffkaren@rushmore.com ASAP so we can correct the error.



BACK TO BASICS With Fr. Bill
Wednesdays at 7 pm starting
September 18th. Everyone welcome!
This year's topic:
Inside Islam: A Guide for Catholics.
Books for sale for \$10.
Get yours today in the office.
Come one, or every Wednesday!



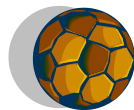
PARISH CARD NIGHT SOCIAL
hosted by the KC's
Every Tuesday from 7 to 9 pm starting
September 10th!
EVERYONE WELCOME!! Bring a friend (if you want)
and come enjoy the evening. (Don't know how? We'll show ya!)
Questions? Call Ray Wagner at 343-7601.

SAVE YOUR EMPTY INK CARTRIDGES!

Just place your empties in the box in Parish Center.
Thank you for supporting St. Therese YOUTH!

---- Happenings at St. Martin's ----

AUGUST 24, HALF DAY OF PRAYER, A morning of silence & periods of Centering Prayer. We begin with coffee & rolls and registration at 8:30 am. Prayer 9 – 11:30 am. Come and join "to rest awhile with the Lord." Pre-register if you can, walk-ins are welcome. \$10 Donation.
Sister Marmion Howe 343-8011; cell 451-3758; srmarmion@knology.net



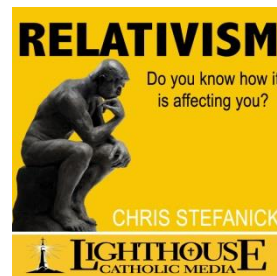
2013 Soccer Challenge

LOCAL & DISTRICT COMPETITION for ages 9-14.
Penalty Kick Performance, Tues. Aug. 20 at 5:30 pm
Rushmore Field on E. Minnesota St.

Open to ALL participants – no need to be affiliated with any church.
Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Districts 16 & 18, Rapid City, SD

Relativism Pope Benedict XVI considers Moral Relativism to be the most dangerous dictatorship existing in the world today. In this presentation, Chris Stefanick debunks the powerful and epidemic myth of relativism with honesty, relevance, humor, and logical validity, offering a much-needed perspective on the current status quo of morality.

This talk is proudly presented by **Lighthouse Catholic Youth**. Find this CD, and many others and books in the entrance of the Church. Just place your donation in the box provided.



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Saint Thomas High School Adoration

Where: Saint Thomas More High School Chapel
Where? Adoration is held at STM Middle School Chapel; former St. Elizabeth Seton building

Date: 1st Tuesdays of every month

Time: 9.00-noon

All invited. Morning Mass at 8.30 am.

If you are willing to commit to certain time of the morning and sign up for adoration on regular basis, please contact Stephanie Hurd at 605-721-8750 or email her at StephanieAHurd@gmail.com



“Love One Another Even as I Have Loved You” – Human Community & the Last Seven Commandments

“All men are called to the same end: God himself. There is a certain resemblance between the unity of the divine persons and the fraternity that men are to establish among themselves in truth and love. Love of neighbor is inseparable from love for God” (CCC 1878). The last seven Commandments deal with our relationship with one

another. **Presenter: Jeff Hurd.** AUG. 21, TERRA SANCTA, RAPID CITY , 6:30 P.M. MT; Aug. 25 ST. JOSEPH CHURCH, Faith, 2 P.M. MT

An Update from Hope For New Life Jail Ministry **Touching Lives and Hearts**

When one considers our Jail Ministry, it is understandable that some may wonder about the participating inmates' level of commitment. The first thing that needs to be understood is that the inmates must earn the privilege of attending our ministry groups through good behavior. A request for attendance to jail authorities is required and there is sometimes a waiting list. When inmates attend our groups most, if not all, actively participate in prayers and discussions. Our discussion topics are as varied as our individual ministry members who present them every Wednesday. In just the past month, discussion topics and presentations have included: the Marion apparition site in Green Bay, Wisconsin; praying the rosary; the lives of Saint Kateri and Saint Rita; human suffering; and the true and false self in each of us. It is exciting and deeply inspirational for us in HFNL to witness the work of the Holy Spirit in regenerating faith and hope in lonely lives. The inmates often tell us of their joy and gratitude for our weekly visits. We truly believe Our Savior is present in our ministry, touching the lives and hearts of all participants. To learn more about HFNL, please contact Tony Galles (348-2301) or Jennifer Shama (381-1118).

We now have a website!! **sainttheresechurch.org**

The weekly bulletin can be found there, as well as other information about our parish. This is a work in progress... contact Connie in the office at 342-1556.

Left to Tell

Immaculée Ilibagiza's life was transformed dramatically during the 1994 Rwandan genocide where she and seven other women spent 91 days hiding silently in a cramped 3x4 foot bathroom of a local pastor's house. Immaculée tells her story of faith in Left to Tell, a New York Times Best Seller. She is coming to speak in the Black Hills this fall!

Spearfish: Donald E. Young Center, Sept. 10 at 7 p.m.;
Rapid City: Rushmore Plaza Civic Center, Sept. 11 at 7 p.m. For ticket information:

www.RapidCityCatholicSchools.com/LeftToTell

ONE MORE FUNNY...from Father Bill

The local sheriff was looking for a deputy, so Gomer, who was not exactly the sharpest nail in the bucket, went in to try out for the job. "Okay," the sheriff drawled, "Gomer, what is 1 and 1?" "11" he replied. The sheriff thought to himself, "That's not what I meant, but he's right. What two days of the week start with the letter 'T'?" "Today and tomorrow." The sheriff was again surprised that Gomer supplied a correct answer that he had never thought of himself. "Now Gomer, listen carefully: Who killed Abraham Lincoln?" Gomer looked a little surprised himself, then thought really hard for a minute and finally admitted, "I don't know." "Well, why don't you go home and work on that one for a while?" So, Gomer wandered over to the barbershop where his pals were waiting to hear the results of the interview. Gomer was exultant. "It went great! First day on the job and I'm already working on a murder case!"

Rapid City Catholic Schools Opening

Development/Public Relations Assistant

Responsible for all administrative aspects of development, marketing, and public relations activities for PreK-12 Catholic School System. Also responsible for coordination of volunteers and assisting with the execution of all special events. ~ Proficient in Microsoft Office with the ability to manage, merge and configure databases, spreadsheets, and reports. Experience with Adobe Photoshop a plus. Ability to assist with planning, organizing, and executing large fundraisers. Must be detail oriented, able to coordinate mass mailings, draft letters, write press releases, and design promotional materials. This position requires excellent verbal and written communication skills. Due to working with donor information, this position also requires a high level of confidentiality. Submit a letter of interest, resume, and three references to nbrown@rccss.org, or mail to: Nate Brown, Director of Development, STM High School, 300 Fairmont Blvd., Rapid City, SD 57701

YOUNG ADULT GROUP [18-35]

For Catechism & Bible Study

Join us at the Cathedral on TUESDAY nights at 7 pm!

Call Randy Vette at 641-3303 for more info.

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

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

The next **Christian Family Planning Seminar** will be offered by the Natural Family Planning Ministry on **Saturday, October 19, 9:00 a.m. - Noon at Blessed Sacrament in Rapid City.** This seminar is a requirement for engaged couples getting married in the Diocese of Rapid City. Married couples, or anyone who wants to learn more about Natural Family Planning, are encouraged to attend. For more information or to register, contact Family Life Ministries: Jill at 716-5214 x 236, jslegner@diorc.org; or Kathy at 716-5214 x 220, kcordes@diorc.org.

Beginning Experience® Level 1 Separated, Divorced & Widowed Support Group. "COPING WITH LIFE ALONE." Are you recently separated, divorced or widowed? Are you struggling with the pain and loneliness? Healing can begin with the next the nine-week session of the support group. The group starts at **7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 12th** at St. Therese the Little Flower Church, 532 Adams St., Rapid City. The non-denominational group is open to all Christian men and women who are hurting following a separation, divorce, or the death of a spouse. Registration fee: \$30.00; need-based scholarships available. Pre-registration is requested! For more information and to pre-register, call Jill with Family Life Ministries, 716-5214 x. 236.

"HEAL YOUR GRIEF" Bereavement Support Group is an eight-week non-denominational support group for anyone grieving the loss of a loved one. The group begins at **7:00 p.m. on Monday, September 30th** at Blessed Sacrament Church, 4500 Jackson Blvd., Rapid City. Please come early to register! For information or to pre-register, call Janece Rieman, 343-5547 or Jill with Family Life Ministries, 716-5214 x. 236.

Annual Diocesan Women's Retreat - This year's retreat will be directed by Sr. Sarah Manchester, OSF and held October 25-27, 2013 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City. Entitled, **Come Follow Me: Elements of Personal Faith**, the retreatants will reflect on how Jesus invites us to know and follow him when he asks, "Come follow me". Sr. Sarah comes to us with a wealth of experience and perspective, not only as a member of her religious community, but also as a wife, mother, step-mother, grandmother and great-grandmother! For more information, contact Jill at Family Life Ministries, 716-5214 x 236 or jslegner@diorc.org.

Retreat with Bishop Gruss

During his Lenten prayer retreat Bishop Robert Gruss called all parishes to be "schools of prayer." He further explained that "then they will desire other things which will stem from it." To facilitate this appeal, the bishop will be presenting a four-hour retreat at Blessed Sacrament Church on Saturday, Sept. 21, from 8 a.m. to Noon. All are welcome to join in for a "Contemplative Prayer Mini Retreat" and hear the bishop's testimony how he formed his close relationship with the Lord through prayer, learn the steps of contemplative prayer and the difference between sin and sinfulness. The retreat is free of charge and there is no registration. Detailed information can be found at Blessed Sacrament website: www.blessedsacramentchurch.org.

ST. JOSEPH NEWMAN CENTER GOAL IS TO REACH ALL CATHOLIC COLLEGE STUDENTS ATTENDING BHSU!!

ATTENTION!!!!

MOVE-IN BRUNCH ON AUGUST 24TH.

August 24 – Free Brunch 10:30-11:30 AM @ Newman Center, 115 W. Lincoln, (parking lot is located in back adjacent to St. Joseph Catholic Church). Make sure to stop by for a quick bite to eat before move-in, a tour, and receive your FREE gift!

Newman leaders will assist you at Black Hills State University campus to move students into their dorm rooms. Look for the St. Joseph Newman Center, Green and Yellow T-shirts!