

## MASS INTENTIONS ~ Aug. 7 - 13

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

MONDAY 7:30 am – Wendy & Donna Baumgartner +  
TUESDAY 7:30 am – Chester Bennington +  
WEDNESDAY 9:30 am – Mass at Good Samaritan Center  
THURSDAY 7:30 am – Mariah Henson  
FRIDAY 7:30 am – Fe Hayden +

### 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30 pm – Elizabeth Gross + & Rebecca Russett +  
9:00 am – Parishioners  
5:30 pm – Betty Halverson +

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

Wednesday, August 9 For Life  
By Fr. Kerry Prendiville – Good Samaritan Center, New Underwood – 9:30 am

### FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

**PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!**

### Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Nm 11:4b-15 Ps 81:12-17 Mt 14:13-21  
Tuesday Nm 12:1-13 Ps 51:3-7,12-13 Mt 14:22-36  
Wednesday Nm 13:1-2,25-14:1,26-29,34-35 Ps 106:6-7,13-23 Mt 15:21-28  
Thursday 2 Cor 9:6-10 Ps 112:1-2,5-9 Jn 12:24-26  
Friday Dt 4:32-40 Ps 77:12-16,21 Mt 16:24-28  
Saturday Dt 6:4-13 Ps 18:2-4,47,51 Mt 17:14-20  
Sunday 1 Kgs 19:9a,11-13a Ps 85:9-14 Rom 9:1-5 Mt 14:22-33

**Faithful Citizenship** Jesus took Peter, James, and his brother, John, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light...then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings>

The Diocesan Social Justice Commission requests prayers for all unborn babies in danger of abortion. A sample prayer entitled Spiritual Adoption Prayer is as follows: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, with love for you I ask your intercession to protect the life of unborn children. May they all come to birth healthy and be a source of joy to their parents. For those in danger because of abortion, I adopt them as my own and pray for them and their mothers." (From [www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/social-j](http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/social-j))

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule – Aug. 12 & 13

**SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Paula Shull, Kathy Houston (S) Dcn. Chuck Rausch, Renee Coldwell, Pat Guerttman, Tim Shull, Jill Leberknight **Lectors:** Kevin & Kris Hittle **Ushers:** Michael & Sarah Crook **Gift Bearers:** Bill & Kathy Klemann **Altar Servers:** Adriana Young, Justice Moore

**SUN. 9 am E.M.:** Diane Dahl, Jerry Kanta (S) Ginny DeJager, Kathy Grebner, Stephanie Kinsella, Paul Schneider, Mark Vedder **Lectors:** Brenda Wills **Ushers:** Fred & Paula Welsch, Joe Martin, Clint Jolley **Gift Bearers:** Adam & Brandy Popken Family **Altar Servers:** Noah Popken, Abigail Popken, Chloe Thome, Connor Vernon

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Chris VanCleave (S) Beth Paris, Jan Winegar **Lectors:** Dave VanCleave **Ushers:** Ben VanCleave **Gift Bearers:** Don & Dottie Borowski **Altar Servers:** Cooper Sand, Riley Gay

**Please remember to find a substitute if needed.**  
**If you have changes for future schedules,**  
**call the office at 342-1556.**

**SEEKING EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & SACRISTANS at ALL Masses but especially on Sunday evenings.**

Call Lynn Loomer at 381-7662.

## Parish website:

[www.sainttheresechurch.org](http://www.sainttheresechurch.org)

Find the weekly bulletin here, plus LOTS MORE!

### Love, INC. CLOTHE-A-KID program

**Help!!! We need volunteers for Saturday mornings on August 12<sup>th</sup> &/or August 19<sup>th</sup> to help the kids shop for school clothes.**

If you know you can help, please fill out a volunteer form from the bulletin board and return to the office or mail to Love INC. You may also fill out form online at [www.loveinonline.com](http://www.loveinonline.com). PLEASE WATCH THE NEW TRAINING VIDEO! Questions call Diane 381-6389.

### Hey!!! PARISH PICNIC is Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>

**at College Park**

(224 College Ave.)!

**You won't want to miss it!!**

**Hope to see you there!**

**Starts at 12:47 pm!**

**ALL PARISH PICNIC! Just**

**bring a side dish and/or dessert to share! Oh, and you might want to bring chairs/blanket!**

☺ **FOOD ~ FUN ~ FOOD ~ FELLOWSHIP ~ FOOD ~ FAMILY** ☺

Please add GALA ROSE & RITA KUTIL to your prayers!

### Bulletin Prayer List:

Margo Aerts, Tim Ange, Bill Backhaus, James Birch, Shirley Black, Kathy Borkovec, Barbara Boyd, Lorraine Brooks, Britney Weber Brouillette, Rose Brunson, Kellee Callender, Janice Carlom, Nick Cederberg, Chad, Jeanette Christensen, Dorothy Coats, Mike Cole, Barb Collins, Irene Cox, Katherine Craig, Scott Crawford, Tom Crawford, Darlene Davignon, Debra, Ginny DeJager, Bob Doran, Brian Engle, Todd Ennen, Ron Eucher, Cathy Falcone, Judy Fisher, Elvina Follum, Vev Fuller, Haven Garrett, Tim Garrett, Joe Gruenwald, Laurie Gustaf, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Sue Hayden, Heather, Jaime Hopfauf, Rosemary Huggins, Angie Jangula, John, Jeff Jonas, Joshua, Chris Keuhler, Arlene Kingsley, Rita Kutil, Corky Leach, Gary Lewis, Lynn Loomer, Lorraine, Tom Lowry, Gayle Martin, Brad Maskovich, Susan McFadden, Bob Mercer, Steve Miller, Donna Moreland, Aggie Mousel, Ann Weber O'Connell, Millie Oreshoski, Pat Osburn, Margaret Paris, Donald Pазie, Travis Peterson, Helen Quasney, Ted & Judy Rapp, John Radziwon, Russ Rearick, Joel Rivera, Gala Rose, Claude & Bennie Saldanha, Carla Sandifer, Janelle Scherr, Allen Schwahn, Lillian Schwahn, Shirley, Steve & Britney, Leo Stulc, Greg Suto, Wilma Theis, Riley Thomas, Rob Tidball, Tim, Terry Usera, Patty Van Horn, Jean Wallman, Eileen Walters, Marjorie Walton, Janet Werner, Larry Wetsch, Willey, De Etta Young

### Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ AUGUST

Chairperson: Ginny Chandler

Co-chair: Margaret Feist

*Does your faith move mountains or  
do mountains move your faith?*

## Needed! Adoration coverage!

Thank you to those who came last Monday!

Jesus is here! Come share a part of your day with Him

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

**MONDAYS: 8 am to 4:45 pm**

**Benediction & Evening Prayer at 4:45 pm**

**ATTENTION!! PLEASE NOTE! Starting**

**September 8<sup>th</sup>, Adoration will be on**

**FRIDAYS with a Holy Hour from 8 to 9 am.**

**Benediction at 9 am.**

### **A LITTLE LAUGH ...**

A preacher asked one of his elder deacons to preach while he was away on vacation. When he returned, he ran into a member of his congregation. "How was church on Sunday?" the preacher asked. "Oh, we missed you," the church member replied. "We like the deacon a lot as a person, but his message wasn't good at all." Later in the week, the pastor called the deacon to get his perspective on how things went while he was away. "Oh the message went fine on Sunday," the deacon replied. "I just used the notes from one of your old sermons."



**The St. Therese Religious Education programs will begin in the fall, but we are seeking volunteers!** Volunteer openings for:

Preschool, Kindergarten, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, the \*New\* high-school program: LifeTeen, \*New\* middle-school program: Edge, and Confirmation! **WE NEED YOU!!!**  
Please call the office at 342-1556 TODAY!

**Do you, or someone you know have a desire to join the Catholic Church? Are you an adult that was baptized in the Catholic church but never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist?**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is 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. Classes will begin soon! For more information or to sign up for RCIA, please contact the office at 342-1556.

*Yeast which a woman kneaded... Say thanks today to that special woman who has kneaded the yeast of God's love into your life.*  
Pray God's blessing on all people who bring leaven and light.  
(Matthew 13:24-43) **PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

*"The hand of the Lord feeds us," sings the Psalmist; "He answers all our needs." Often, though, it is with the open hands of generous stewards willing to share His many gifts that God's people are fed and their needs met.*

<b>GENERAL FUND:</b> Contributions this week	
Envelopes	\$ 4346.00
Plate Collection	\$ 1821.12
Children's Collection	\$ 47.75
Rent from In Residence Priest	\$ 650.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 60.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 6924.87</b>
<b>Amount needed per week:</b>	<b>\$ 6805.00</b>

### **CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND**

Building Improvements \$ 47.00

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

Seminarian Fund \$ 7.00  
Priest Retirement Aid \$ 94.00  
Solidarity Fund for Africa \$ 50.00

### **COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST:**

**Aug. 6:** General Fund    **Aug. 13:** General Fund  
**Aug. 15:** Assumption of Mary    **Aug. 20:** General Fund  
**Aug. 27:** General Fund

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

## **CANNED MEAT & TUNA, MAC'nCHEESE, FRUIT SNACKS, JELLO & BODY SOAP**

**ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE**

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

## **MOMMY'S CLOSET** Items needed soon:

**SOCKS & UNDERWEAR** up to size 6

**DIAPERS:** size 3-5, and **CLOTHING** up to size 6,

*We greatly appreciate all your contributions.*

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

**NEWBORN Baby Items 0-3 months . . DIAPERS, new and/or very gently used Outfits, rattles, onesies, receiving blankets, etc. collected & donated to BIRTHRIGHT.**

**HELP NEEDED!** Selling WeCare & Scrip cards after the 2nd, 4th, & 5th Saturday night Mass!

Just call, text or leave a message at 430-0459.

You can even e-mail me at [ylw\\_flowers65@hotmail.com](mailto:ylw_flowers65@hotmail.com).

*I'll be happy to get you started. ~ Melanie Karp*

**Along with "We Care" cards for Fresh Start, Safeway, Walmart/Sam's Club, & Family Thrift Center/Prairie Market.. FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.... We have a few SHOPwithSCRIP cards for local businesses on hand at the We Care table after masses and in the Parish Office. Get them while they are available! AND... Let us know where you like to shop... recommendations are welcome.**

## ANOTHER LITTLE LAUGH...

A Doctor worked on the tenth floor of an office building. In the building on the ground floor was a pub, where the Doctor had a Lemon Daiquiri every day at quitting time. The bartender's name was Dick. One day Dick found out he didn't have any lemons and no time to get any. So he thought he would make up a Hickory Daiquiri instead and at the end of the day, the Doctor would be too tired to notice. The Doctor sat down, took a sip and said, "This isn't a Lemon Daiquiri, Dick!" To which Dick replied, "No, it's a Hickory Daiquiri, Doc!"

## MARY'S CIRCLE -----

**Wed., August 16th at 1:30 pm**

**We'd love to see new faces! Bring ideas for Fall Festival!! ALL ARE INVITED!**

Questions? Call DARLYS at 348-4269!

*EVERYONE  
WELCOME!!*

**Thank you to all involved in a ministry like the Funeral Meal ministry, Meals on Wheels ministry, the Homebound ministry, & the Mission Meal ministry!**

**What a blessing you are!**

*If you would like information on how YOU can be involved with these ministries, please call the office TODAY!! ☺*

## **Father Kari's NEW CD in the office!**

*"Father Kari's Old Time Classics"*

**1 for \$15; 2 for \$25!**

Please make check payable to: Fr. Arnold Kari  
*Get em while we got em and get your toes a tappin!*



**Boy Scouts Troop 7 meets Mondays at 7 pm @ St. Therese**

**-New Members Welcome! Boys ages 11 - 17**

Call Rick Edelen at 415-5764 for more information.

## ~ 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 Karen Thorp at 342-1556, ext. 15 or [ffkaren@rushmore.com](mailto:ffkaren@rushmore.com).

## Next Knights of Columbus Meeting

**Monday, August 14th ~ 7 pm**

If you are interested in becoming a Knight, call Grand Knight Bill Schneider at 391-7413 or any KC!



## CONGRATULATIONS 2017 ST. THERESE WOMEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM!



**CHAMPIONS! 1<sup>st</sup> Place in the "A" Division!! Wow! That's so great!!!**



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## Bishop's Golf Classic and Bunco Social

You are invited to join Bishop Gruss for the 4th Annual Western South Dakota Bishop's Golf Classic and Bunco Social for non-golfers on **Monday, August 14**. Tournament will take place at Arrowhead Country Club in Rapid City.

Tournament Schedule: 11a.m. Registration; Noon Shotgun Start; 1-5 p.m. Bunco Social for Non-Golfers. Golf and Bunco will be followed by Dinner & Awards.

Your support will help enrich the lives of Catholic families in western South Dakota including: Scholarships for the Catholic Social Services Uplifting Parents Program, Tuition assistance for Rapid City Catholic School System, Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation Grants to Catholic purposes throughout the diocese. For further information or sponsorship opportunities register online: [www.wsdcf.org](http://www.wsdcf.org) or contact Tim Henderson at Phone: (605) 343-3541 or [THenderson@diorc.org](mailto:THenderson@diorc.org)

### **ONE MORE LITTLE LAUGH...**

If A-B-C-D didn't drag out their part of the Alphabet Song, LMNOP wouldn't have to be so rushed.

## A Man in Love With God = Fr. McAlear

"Fr. Richard McAlear is a man in love with God: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. He is in love with the people of God. He greatly loves Our Lady. He is in love with the priesthood and the healing ministry. He has had a worldwide [healing] ministry since 1976. The Holy Spirit has given him a unique charism in which he communicates the tender, personal love of God." (Description from a book by Fr. McAlear) Come to the "Jesus, Healer of My Body and Soul" Healing Retreat at Blessed Sacrament Church in Rapid City on September 15-17. The retreat is free. Come experience the love of Christ. More information is available at [www.blessedsacramentchurch.org](http://www.blessedsacramentchurch.org) or call Jean at 605-399-9522. Bring your loved ones and tell others about it!

### **Are you a single, separated or divorced Catholic?**

**CONNECTED CATHOLICS OF SD** A group that provides a social and spiritual group of single, widowed, separated, and divorced Catholic men and women ages 35 & up a network of activities that offer companionship for singles.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Thursday, August 17 - Dine Out - Alpine Inn - Hill City - 5pm

If you need additional information or would like to be put on our email list please contact Brenda at 718-0954 or Larry at 355-9087.

*Nothing will separate us from the love of Christ.*

If God is calling you to full time service in the church do not be afraid.

The Lord is with you. (Romans 8:35-39)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

## **Rapid City Right to Life is looking for YOU!**

August 18-26 – Central States Fair – Volunteers needed to staff the booths – Looking for donations of notebooks, folders, and candy. Contact Diane Ange at 721-3065 or email name, address, and phone number to [heavenlysent2@juno.com](mailto:heavenlysent2@juno.com). The Right to Life address is PO Box 1072, Rapid City, SD 57709.

## **Rapid City Catholic School System Substitute Teacher Training is August 14<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm at St. Elizabeth Seton Elementary School Library, 2101 City Springs Rd., Ste 100.**

*All interested applicants and new substitute teacher applicants must attend this training. Substitute teacher positions are available for preschool through high school. The schedule will include Mandatory Safe Environment Training.*

Mark your calendar for August 13<sup>th</sup> for an afternoon that promises to be entertaining and inspiring!  
**HAUNTED BY GOD: THE LIFE OF DOROTHY DAY** is a compelling one-woman show about the cofounder of the Catholic Worker movement. After her death in 1980, the New York Times eulogized Dorothy as a "nonviolent social radical of luminous personality."  
Don't miss a second of this exciting new work!  
St. Isaac Jogues Parish, 221 Knollwood Dr., Rapid City, on Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm. Free-will offering.

*Produced in association with Call to Action.*

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

**2017/18 Teaching Positions available at St. Thomas More/St. Elizabeth Seton**

High School Spanish – Full time

SES Kitchen – Full time ~ Library Assistant – Part Time

Child Care – Part Time

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

## **Catholic Medical Association**

The Sacred Heart of Jesus Guild of the Catholic Medical Association has been officially chartered by the National CMA for the Rapid City Diocese. All medical professionals, clinical and administrative, are invited to be a part of this exciting physician led organization which seeks to inform and inspire its members, in steadfast fidelity to the teachings of the Catholic Church, to uphold the principles of the Catholic faith in the science and practice of medicine.

This year, the Annual Education Conference of the CMA will be in Denver, Colorado from September 7-9. The focus of the conference will be "*Medicine at the Service of Marriage and Family: Transforming the Culture with Love and Truth.*" Both the topic and location are incredibly timely for us as a new Guild. Some of the greatest challenges to medical professionals desiring to uphold the principles of the Catholic faith stem from society's misunderstanding of the family, and this convention offers a number of seminars ranging from NaPro Technology, to Bioethics in Family Decision Making, Gender Dysphoria in Children, Hospice Palliative Medicine and even Medical Marijuana! Incredibly fascinating topics, completely consistent with the Catholic faith, and many which offer CMEs.

For More information, see [www.cathmed.org](http://www.cathmed.org), contact Amy Julian at 605-716-5214 ext 236 or [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org), or contact George Ceremuga, president of the Sacred Heart Guild at [lamedeerdoc@yahoo.com](mailto:lamedeerdoc@yahoo.com).

## St. Therese Prayer

St. Therese, the Little Flower, please pick me a rose from the heavenly garden and send it to me with a message of love. Ask God to grant me the favors I ask, I thee implore, and tell Him I will love Him each day more and more.



**Cursillo Three Day Weekends** Cursillo, Spanish for short course, is a personal enrichment program, which concentrates on Christian piety, study and action. Weekends held at Firesteel Creek Lodge, Isabel, SD. Men's Weekend — August 10-13 and Women's Weekend — August 17-20. Applications can be found at <http://blessedsacramentchurch.org> and searching for Cursillo Application. The completed forms and \$25 registration fees may be mailed to Cursillo Movement, c/o Blessed Sacrament Church, 4500 Jackson Blvd., Rapid City, SD 57702. Questions can be directed to Richard Rangel (605) 391-418 or [richard.rangel@rushmore.com](mailto:richard.rangel@rushmore.com) or David Elkjer (605) 209-6782 [delkjer@vastbb.net](mailto:delkjer@vastbb.net)

## 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)**

**Heart to Heart: A Weekend Retreat for the Engaged**  
Sept. 22-24. Please register on-line at [www.WestRiverHeart2Heart.com](http://www.WestRiverHeart2Heart.com).

**NFP ~ Natural Family Planning**

Sept. 16 – St. Therese Church, Rapid City;  
Nov. 18- Cathedral OLP, Rapid City

## Courage and EnCourage

Two new support groups are forming in the Diocese of Rapid City — Courage ministry for those with same-sex attractions who want to participate more in the Catholic Church and EnCourage ministry for their friends and family. The chaplains can be reached by phone. To protect anonymity, a contact number for the chaplains is given here. Callers can leave a message, and a chaplain will contact the caller and give them ministry and meeting information as well as assistance in discerning if the ministry will be helpful to them. Call Courage at 605-646-3363 or EnCourage at 605-519-8688. To learn more about this ministry go to <http://couragerc.org> or email [office@couragerc.org](mailto:office@couragerc.org).

## All are invited for a COMMUNITY FOOT CARE CLINIC each month at St. Therese

Interim Healthcare will be providing a community foot care clinic. \$10 per person: feet soak, toenails cut and lotion applied. August 18th at 9 am til done with those present. Please call 348-5885 to sign up or ask questions.



## Terra Sancta Retreat Center is Celebrating 5 Years of Ministry!

Saturday, Aug. 19 – 4 p.m. Outdoor Mass, Potluck Dinner to follow – please RSVP on-line today. RSVP link: <https://terrasancta.org/celebrating5/>

## Diocesan Youth Rally—

### Encounter: “What Are You Looking For?”

**What:** The 2017 Diocesan Youth Rally is a full-day event of fun, food and faith featuring

Keynote speakers Bob Rice, Sean Forrest, and Mass celebrated by Bishop Robert Gruss.

**When:** Sunday, Oct. 8 from 9a.m.-5 p.m.

**Where:** Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City

**Who:** Students in grades 6-12

**Cost** \$35—Youth; \$25—Chaperones

**How:** Please ask your youth minister or parish office for registration forms or visit

[www.rapidcitydiocese.org/yya//Registration](http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/yya//Registration)

**Deadline:** Monday, Sept. 25

**More Info:** Contact Linda Batman at [lbatman@diorc.org](mailto:lbatman@diorc.org) or Craig Dyke at [cdyke@diorc.org](mailto:cdyke@diorc.org)

## NPM St. Cecilia Luncheon

**Saturday, Oct. 7— at St. Therese Church, Rapid City, from 9:30 a.m.-3:15 p.m.**

Please send \$15 to Pat McDowell, 4833 Pierre St., Rapid City, SD 57702, no later than Monday, Oct. 2.

Program agenda will include a concert by a variety of choirs, Name That Hymn, and an inspirational presentation by Fr. Kerry Prendiville. Awards and certificates of service will be presented as well. Call Jackie Schnittgrund for further info 390-7748.

*Rest In Peace*

**Father Gerald Scherer**

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

## Habitat for Humanity Volunteer Service Opportunities

**FAMILY SUPPORT TEAM  
CONSTRUCTION TEAM**

To become involved, please contact Nick at 348-9196 or [nick@blackhillshabitat.org](mailto:nick@blackhillshabitat.org)-610 E. Omaha St., Rapid City, SD 57701

## RELIGIOUS FREEDOM PUBLIC PROTEST

Every Friday from 4-5 by the statue of Abraham Lincoln on the corner of 9th and Main to pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

**We hope to see you at the PARISH PICNIC!**  
**Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup> at 12:47 pm at College Park!** Main dish is provided! Just bring a salad or side dish and/or a dessert to share! And maybe a lawn chair or blanket! SO MUCH FUN! Come enjoy your faith family!

**Real Presence Radio** - What is keeping you from becoming Catholic? This is the theme of a call-in show hosted by Dr. David Anders, catechist, speaker, writer, and former Protestant historian who now embraces the riches of the Catholic Church. "Called to Communion" answers questions about the Catholic faith and is very informative for non-Catholics as well as Catholics who want to learn more about what the Church believes and teaches. Tune in Monday – Friday at 12:00 noon MT on 94.7/89.9 (Rapid City).

### Hope For New Life (HFNL) Ministry

**What Message Does an Inmate Want to Hear?** If we had to list just ONE thing that makes the HFNL Jail Ministry a meaningful way to reach out to those in need, it would be that the inmates who attend our Wednesday evening programs want to be there. For the inmates the opportunity to attend HFNL is a choice and a privilege they must earn through good behavior. For some the choice means being outcast by other inmates. Certainly the path to follow Christ presents unique challenges if you find yourself "behind bars." Just what are these men and women hoping to hear? One message, in particular is sure to bring light to an inmates' eyes: *Imagine for a moment that Jesus sits among us in our Wednesday evening circle with these men and women. He says, "Let me show you how important each soul is to Me. Think of Me in My humanity—I know firsthand the pull of temptation, suffering, and anguish. Now let's say that Satan offered Me every soul on earth, but one. I could escape the cross by stepping away from saving this one soul—even though this one might reject Me and be lost anyway. Would I be tempted? Consider that this one soul was yours. What do you think I would say? I assure you, I said NO. My suffering was for YOU."* Isn't it interesting, this is the same message you and I yearn to hear: each individual soul is important to Our Lord. Jesus' endless mercy may be beyond our understanding, but its evidence knows no bounds, not even the bounds of prison walls. To learn more about HFNL, please contact **Bill Gradoville (341-2721)**. You are also welcome to attend our monthly HFNL business meetings every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month at Catholic Social Services at 6:30 pm.

### Share your gift of intercessory prayer & join the PRAYER MINISTRY FOR THE DYING

We pray 3 Divine Mercy chaplets for those near the end of life. Volunteers are contacted by text or email and asked to pray from home or church. Contact Patrick to join or request prayers. 569-1012  
[paidanflan@protonmail.com](mailto:paidanflan@protonmail.com).

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### Mass Schedule for the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Monday, August 14<sup>th</sup>**  
7 pm

**Tuesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**  
7 am & 7 pm

5 pm in New Underwood

### Travel with Fr. Timothy Castor, St. Francis of Assisi, Sturgis, on our Pilgrimage to England

**Where:** London, Kent, Canterbury, Amesbury, Glastonbury, Bath, Birmingham, Cambridge, Walsingham

**Sept 18-27, 2017** ~ \$4,000.00 Airfare and ALL-Included

**To register:** please contact (855) 842-8001 or (508) 340-9370. You can also register online at [www.proximotravel.com](http://www.proximotravel.com). You may also call Fr. Timothy at St. Francis for more information: (605) 720-3579.

### THE PASTOR STOLE OUR SPOON!

A pastor had dinner at the home of a couple in his church. After he left, the wife said to the husband, "I think he stole our spoon!" This bothered her for a whole year.



A year later the couple had the pastor for dinner again. Unable to resist, the wife asked, "Did you steal our spoon last year?" The pastor replied, "No, I put it inside your Bible."

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