

## MASS INTENTIONS ~ July 21 - 27

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

MONDAY 7:30 am -- Gertrude Kopp +  
5:30 pm -- Mike Smith  
TUESDAY 7:30 am -- Special Intention  
WEDNESDAY 7:30 am -- Carolyn Gruenwald +  
THURSDAY 7:30 am -- Donna Baumgartner +  
FRIDAY 7:30 am - Special Intention  
**17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
SATURDAY 5:30 pm -- Irene Cuka +  
SUNDAY 9:00 am -- Parishioners  
5:30 pm -- Jan Winegar

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

Wednesday, July 23 Delores Kiddy +  
By Fr. Zandri -- Good Samaritan Center, New Underwood -- 9:30 am  
Thursday, July 24 Leona Best  
By Fr. Zandri -- West Hills Village South -- 4 pm  
Sunday, July 27 Special Intention  
By Fr. Zandri -- St. John's in New Underwood -- 11 am

### Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Mi 6:1-4,6-8 Ps 50:5-6,8-9,16bc-17,21,23 Mt 12:38-42  
Tuesday Mi 7:14-15,18-20 Ps 85:2-8 Jn 20:1-2,11-18  
Wednesday Jer 1:1,4-10 Ps 71:1-4a,5-6b,15,17 Mt 13:1-9  
Thursday Jer 2:1-3,7-8,12-13 Ps 36:6-7b,8-11 Mt 13:10-17  
Friday 2 Cor 4:7-15 Ps 126:1b,2-6 Mt 20:20-28  
Saturday Jer 7:1-11 Ps 84:3-6a,8a,11 Mt 13:24-30  
Sunday 1 Kgs 3:5,7-12 Ps 119:57,72,76-77,127-130 Rom 8:28-30  
Mt 13:44-52

**Faithful Citizenship** What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? If a brother or sister has nothing to wear and has no food for the day, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well," but you do not give them the necessities of the body, what good is it? So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead. Indeed someone might say, "You have faith and I have works." Demonstrate your faith to me without works, and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works. **James 2: 14-18** (From Diocesan Social Justice Commission [www.rapidcitydiocese.org/WP/offices/social-justice-commission](http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/WP/offices/social-justice-commission))

### FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

EVERYONE WELCOME!!

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule – July 26 & 27

**SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Pat Guerttman, Jill Leberknight (S) Jeff Cook, Ivan & Darlene Davignon, Patty Fritzie, Ellen McGuigan **Lector:** Jim Blackwell, Tom Baumgartner **Ushers:** Mac Coldwell, Dick Cuka, Dan Shank, Jim Theis **Gift Bearers:** Jack & Diane Tomac Family **Altar Servers:** Abby Wagner, Arin Wagner, Karen Witcraft

**SUN. 9 am E.M.:** Diane Ange, Diane Dahl (S) Larry Cole, Kim Dolan, Kelly Heintz, Del & Joann Solano **Lector:** Brenda Wills, John Zeller **Ushers:** Joe Martin, Randy Rapp, John & Nadine Zeller **Gift Bearers:** Jason & Donna Gorman Family **Altar Servers:** Mikey Gorman, Thomas Gorman, TJ Morrison

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Chris Van Cleave (S) Nancy Palmer, Greg Rausch **Lector:** Lynn Loomer, Michael Tischler **Ushers:** Chuck Bossen, Will Winch, Bill & Jan Winegar **Gift Bearer:** Jerry & Elaine Kocher Family **Altar Server:** Brendan Lefevre, Tyler Matt, Jacob Rausch

### Please remember to find a substitute if needed.

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

## ~ 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.

## WELCOME

----- to the Faith Community

***Through the Waters of Baptism***

Grady UHRIG, son of Justin & Hannah

**THANK YOU FOR ALL THE HELP on the annual Rummage Sale!! From those that brought items, those that sorted, priced and sold items, and those that took home some "treasures"!**



**Together we raised about \$2000!!**

## == The "Z" Gram ==

--- Notes From Father Bill ---

Please remember in your prayers many people from our parish who left last week to attend the Steubenville of the Rockies that was held in Denver, Colorado. You made that retreat a reality by your generous contribution to the many fundraisers that were held.

Many people helped out for the funeral for Don Fitzpatrick and the lunch for his family, friends and parishioners. He was very active with Knights of Columbus and many Knights were present. The Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus provided the honor guard.

Please add MARGARET HANSON, DOROTHY COATS & MIKE WISE to your prayers

### Bulletin Prayer List:

Larry Amburn, Judie Amo, Tim Ange, Don Anton, Jerry Bartholmay, Wendlin Baumgartner, Sharon Baumgartner, Jeanne Carey, Carrol, Margaret Chronos, Tina Chronos, Cindy, Eleanor Clarich, Dorothy Coats, Shania Coats, Alice Cole, Barb Collins, Mary Kay Coughlin, Brandon Eastman, Kelli Eastman, Denise & Bert, Don Everett, Lena Fagen, Cathy Falcone, Gene Farrell, Joan Feller, Sheryl Feller, Judy Fisher, Vic Gaudette, Darlene Grass, Leo Grebner, Alma Gruenig, Jim Hanna, Judy Hansen, Margaret Hanson, Sue Hayden, Jacob Heil, Charles Hewitt, Ellen Horan, Rosemary Huggins, Tim Irvine, Baby Kash, Fern Keller, Shirley Kenoyer, Jerry & Elaine Kocher, Kathy Krause, Luke Mars, Susan McFadden, Robert Melvin, Jr., Anita Miller, Steve Miller, Zane Morris, Heather Popken, Helen Quasney, Joyce Quinn, Dorothy Rapp, Ted & Judy Rapp, Joel Reed, Mary Rieb, Andrea Rivera, Doyle Roseland, Margaret Rosknecht, Jim Russell, Peggy Russell, Karla Sandifer, Claude & Eileen Sauer, Leota Sidel, Mike Smaltz, Donna Stulken, Nick Tomac, Bud & Betty Torp, Elizabeth Torp, Betty Wilson, Al Winland, Mike Wise

Thank you for the continued prayers for Darlys Zeller

## FALL FESTIVAL 2014

Sunday, September 21st

Yes, that's right! We're already planning for this year!!

## FALL Festival planning meeting July 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:15 am in Main Hall

The FALL FESTIVAL is a HUGE event, and it requires everyone to help, in their own little way. "Thank You!" *in advance*, to all the soon to be volunteers from committees & organizations, from families & friends, to kids young & old who take part in one (or more!) areas.

### SEEKING FESTIVAL CHAIRPERSON(S) & COMMITTEE CHAIRPEOPLE!

Thank You! – Thank You! – Thank You!

We look forward to another smashing, successful year!  
We need your ideas & input! HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!  
Call Doris Ann at 484-1888 with questions.

# EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



**MONDAYS: 8 am to 5:30 pm**

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

*Rest In Peace*

**Donald J. Fitzpatrick**

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

**WE NEED YOU!**

**TO DONATE BLOOD AT THE  
KC BLOOD DRIVE**



**Monday, July 28th from 2:30 to 5 pm**

WALK-INS WELCOME! OR CONTACT Ray Wagner at 343-7601.

Or [www.bloodhero.com](http://www.bloodhero.com) & enter code: therese

**WE NEED MORE DONORS!!!** Among its other benefits, giving liberates the soul of the giver –maya angelou

## **THE WEEKLY FUNNY** ...from Father Bill

A pastor was giving the children's message during church. For this part of the service, he would gather all the children around him and give a brief lesson before dismissing them for children's church. On this particular Sunday, he was using squirrels for an object lesson on industry and preparation. He started out by saying, "I'm going to describe something, and I want you to raise your hand when you know what it is." The children nodded eagerly. "This thing lives in trees (pause) and eats nuts (pause)" No hands went up. "And it is gray (pause) and has a long bushy tail (pause)" The children were looking at each other, but still no hands raised. "And it jumps from branch to branch (pause) and chatters and flips its tail when it's excited (pause)" Finally one little boy tentatively raised his hand. The pastor breathed a sigh of relief and called on him. "Well," said the boy, "I \*know\* the answer must be Jesus ... but it sure sounds like a squirrel to me!"

## **MOMMY'S CLOSET** Items in need are:

**Summer clothes size 12 mo – 6T & baby lotions/soap**

*We greatly appreciate all your contributions.*

*Thank you for your kindness to mothers and their little ones!*

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

## **SAVE YOUR EMPTY INK CARTRIDGES!**

Just place your empties in the box in Parish Center.

Thank you for supporting St. Therese YOUTH!

## **Take Me Out To The Ballgame!**

**St. Therese Softball** ~ Whitehead Fields Canyon Lake Dr.

**WOMEN play on Wednesdays**

July 23 & 24 Tournament!!

**MEN play on Sundays**

July 28 & 29 Tournament!! *Come out & cheer!*



## **MAC N CHEESE, RICE & PASTA RONI, TUNA FISH, DEODORANTS & LAUNDRY SOAP**

**ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE**

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

## Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ JULY

Chairpersons: Linda Birgenheir

Co-Chair: Lynn Loomer

## **CLOTHE-A-KID SHOPPERS NEEDED!**

**DO YOU LOVE TO SHOP?**

We are looking for 150 shoppers August 9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 10 am at Kohls. Short training provided. Shopping starts at 7 am. We have 326 families we need shoppers for!! Sign up on the bulletin board at either door or call Kathy Grebner at 718-1404 or Diane Dahl at 381-6389.

*"Those who are just must be kind," says today's first reading. If our words and deeds are kind and selfless, we will be like the good seed in the Gospel parable and gathered as wheat in the Lord's harvest.*

### GENERAL FUND: Contributions last week

Envelopes	\$ 4762.00
Plate Collection	\$ 1499.50
Children's Collection	\$ 35.26
Votive Candle Income	\$ 62.73
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 6359.49</b>
<b>Amount needed per week:</b>	<b>\$ 6805.00</b>

### CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements	\$ 339.00
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### "THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund	\$ 240.00
Church In Africa	\$ 779.11
Priest Retirement Aid Association	\$ 73.00

### COLLECTIONS FOR JULY:

July 20: General Fund

July 27: General Fund

JULY: Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvement, Seminarian Fund



**Mark your calendar!!!**

**PARISH PICNIC is Sunday,  
August 17<sup>th</sup> at College Park!**

**You won't want to miss it! Watch the bulletin!!**

**Starts at 12:47 pm!**

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

## **ANOTHER WEEKLY FUNNY** ...from Father Bill

Joe's wife likes to sing so she decided to join the church choir. From time to time she would practice while she was in the kitchen preparing dinner. Whenever she would start in on a song, Joe would head outside to the porch. His wife, with hurt feelings, said, "What's the matter, Joe? Don't you like my singing?" Joe replied, "Honey, I love your singing, but I just want to make sure the neighbors know I'm not beating you."



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

*Msgt Allen J Wolf, Air National Guard, A-1 Christopher Fraser, SRA. Brandon Eastman, Tsgt. Charles Henriksen, Ssgt. Ryan Emery, 2Lt.*

*Zachery Feterl, Jake Rivers, Ssgt. Amber Emery, Pfc. Nick Weishaar, Ssgt. Jeff Weishaar, Pfc. Brian Berendse, Ryan Blindert-Willms, Tony LaCroix, Airman, Josh Sunstrom, Maj. Marvin Wade, A1C Michael Fraser, Brandon Whitney, Tom O'Grady, Bob O'Grady, Father Dave Reinhardt, Eddie Byrns, SRA Terry Irvine, 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, Navy; Capt. Cory W. Wallace*

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

## **Psst!!! You are loved!**

**[www.saintherechurch.org](http://www.saintherechurch.org)**

The weekly bulletin can be found there, as well as other info. about our parish.

CHECK IT OUT!!! [www.saintherechurch.org](http://www.saintherechurch.org)

### **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, September 20th, 9 a.m. - Noon at St. Patrick's in Lead. 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, call Family Life Ministries; Jill at 716-5214 x 236 or Kathy at 716-5214 x 220

**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 11th** 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 29th** at Blessed Sacrament Church, 4500 Jackson Blvd., Rapid City. Please come early to register! For information or to pre-register call Janece Rieman, 605-343-5547 or Jill with Family Life Ministries, 605-716-5214 x. 236.

**Ladies, mark your calendar! The Annual Diocesan Women's Retreat is November 14-16, 2014.** Watch your bulletin for more information or contact Jill at Family Life Ministries, 605.716.5214 x 236 or [jslegner@dioc.org](mailto:jslegner@dioc.org).

**Hey! Check out the back of the bulletin too!! ->>**

### **HAVE YOU LOOKED AT THE BACK PAGE?**

These are advertisers that help support YOUR parish.

**Please support them & THANK THEM!**

Interested in advertising? Contact Mike Quasney at 716-0387.

**Calling all Disciples!** I am planning an exciting Youth Program for next year and I need lots of help! I'm looking for good and holy volunteers who want to invest in our youth and in the future of our Church. There are plenty of ways you can give your talents: we need leaders for disciple groups, games, music, meals and hospitality, and more! Please prayerfully consider and let Christ's love for His children compel you! If you are interested in being more involved with the youth or have any questions, please contact me at 342-1556 ext. 12 or email [rvette@rushmore.com](mailto:rvette@rushmore.com). In the Peace of Christ, Randy Vette

**What ARE food certificates/gift cards?** They are gift certificates/cards you use when you purchase groceries and other items from the participating stores. They are used the same as cash.

**Where do I purchase them?** After weekend mass in the Parish Center or you can purchase them in the office during the week.

**Why should I use them?** ~3% of each gift card goes to Church Response to help families in Rapid City ~2% goes to help St. Therese ~It's easy!!! ~It doesn't cost you anything!!! ~They make a great gift!

**How can I help?** ~Purchase food certificates/gift cards

~Help sell them after mass

*Available in a variety of denominations for Wal-Mart/Sam's Club, Safeway, Don's Valley Market and Family Thrift Center/Prairie Market*

A friendly reminder... please be mindful of your keys & pocket "bling" while sitting in the pews. We have, and continue to get, some big gouges in the wood.

THANK YOU!



## **Ride with the Bishop Poker Run and Rally**

Join Bishop Robert Gruss on **July 27** for a motorcycle ride benefitting the Black Hills State University Newman Center. Begins at 8:30 a.m. with Mass followed by a Blessing of Bikes and breakfast at St. Joseph Church, Spearfish. Ride through Spearfish Canyon, over to Devils Tower, ending with a BBQ and silent auction at St. Paul Church, Belle Fourche. Poker Run only, \$25 — three hands of poker and BBQ. Full registration, \$50 — three poker hands, breakfast and BBQ, t-shirt, & swag bag. Don't ride? Cars welcome! [www.stjosephspearfish.com](http://www.stjosephspearfish.com).

### **ONE MORE FUNNY... from Father Bill**

Three men wanted to cross a river. They had no idea how to cross it, so one man knelt down on his knees and prayed "Lord give me the power and strength the cross the river." Suddenly the man became very strong and swam across the river. The next man thought: if it worked for him, it'll work for me. So he knelt down and prayed "Lord give the skills and the strength to cross the river." the man built a canoe and rowed himself across the river. The last man thought: if it worked for both of them, I know it'll work for me. So he also knelt down and prayed, "Lord give me the wisdom and knowledge to cross the river." He turned into a woman and walked across the bridge.

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!**

### **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. *Please prayerfully consider joining us every Friday to pray for our religious freedom.*

### **3rd Annual Bishop's Fishing Tournament for Seminarians**

Please plan to join Bishop Robert Gruss, priests, seminarians, Knights of Columbus members and others for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Bishop's Fishing Tournament benefitting seminarians in western S.D. The tournament begins at 7:30 a.m., on Saturday, August 16 with registration. *New this year is the Knights of Columbus challenge and fishing from the shore.* Following the day of fishing, Bishop Gruss will celebrate evening Mass at St. John the Evangelist Church in Ft. Pierre. A fish fry dinner served at the parish hall after Mass followed by an awards presentation and a silent auction. For further info. contact Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation 605-343-3541 or go to [www.wsdcf.org](http://www.wsdcf.org). A discounted block of rooms has been reserved at the Holiday Inn Express in Ft. Pierre. Deadline for registration is August 8, 2014.

**BHSU Newman Center** Join us **September 4, for the first annual BHSU Newman Center Charity Golf Invitational with Bishop Robert Gruss.** For more information on registration and sponsorships, please email [newmanbhsu@stjosephspearfish.com](mailto:newmanbhsu@stjosephspearfish.com) online signup <https://stjosephspearfish.weshareonline.org> For questions call: 605-642-2306

### **Contemplative Prayer Workshop**

Save the date! Contemplative Prayer presentation by Bishop Robert Gruss, Monday, September 29, at 7 p.m., Blessed Sacrament Church, Rapid City. The Book of Sirach 35:16 inspires us: "He whose service is pleasing to the Lord will be accepted, and his prayer will reach to the clouds. The prayer of the humble pierces the clouds." Take this time to deepen your prayer life and learn this humble, quiet way to pray. Visit [www.blessedsacramentchurch.org](http://www.blessedsacramentchurch.org) for details.

**Sometimes God calms the storm...  
Sometimes He lets the storm rage and calms His child.**

## Gregorian Chant Summer Camp for children ages 8 to 18

August 4 – 8 at Terra Sancta, 9:30 am to 3 pm.

Culminating with a Missa Cantata on Friday sung by chant participants. Instruction in solfege sight-singing, vocal technique, ensemble singing and aural skills. \$50 per child, \$75 per family. Contact [jeanmarie@rap.midco.net](mailto:jeanmarie@rap.midco.net) or 391.8307 for more information.

## 500 Catholics Perpetual Adoration

At the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Please take the time to go online ([www.cathedralolph.org](http://www.cathedralolph.org)) and begin this wonderful journey for yourself.

## Work Weekends at Terra Sancta

We're in need of assistance for several outdoor projects at Terra Sancta. We'll have project coordinators on-site during the following times  
~ 4-7 p.m., with a meal at 7 p.m., on Friday – Aug 8  
~ 9 a.m.–Noon, with a meal at noon on Saturday – Aug 9

Please bring appropriate work clothes, shoes and gloves – we'll be doing trail maintenance, linking the main trail to quiet sitting areas, building the labyrinth, cleaning up around the outdoor stations and more! If you haven't previously volunteered at Terra Sancta, please be sure to complete a volunteer form - available on-line at <http://terrasancta.org/retreat-center/volunteers>; we'll have forms available for you to complete at the retreat center, too. Questions? Please contact us at 605-716-0925 or email [retreatcenter@diorc.org](mailto:retreatcenter@diorc.org). Lodging at a discounted rate is available for anyone who would like to stay overnight on any of the work weekends.

## Need a Perfect Job?

**NO NIGHTS NO WEEK-ENDS NO HOLIDAYS**

This job is for the person who wants to work around child's school schedule.

The Rapid City Catholic Schools has part-time openings available in the Food Service Department for the 2014-2015 school year. For more info., contact Barb Fritz at 716-5213 or leave message. Please complete a non-certified application available for downloading and printing at <http://rccss.net/EmploymentOpportunities> or pick up at any school office. Send or email to: Barb Fritz, RCCSS; 2101 City Springs Rd., Ste 100, Rapid City, SD 57702 [bafritz@rccss.org](mailto:bafritz@rccss.org)

**BE SURE TO CHECK OUT ALL THE JOB OPENINGS WITH THE RAPID CITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM at**

<http://rccss.net/Employment-Opportunities>

## Bus Drivers wanted

The Rapid City Area Schools District is hiring eight Public School Bus Drivers. By working part-time, Mon-Fri while receiving full benefits, you could make a competitive hourly wage. Applicants must have a good driving record and must be able to obtain and maintain CDL endorsements. Training will be provided for successful candidate. Apply at [www.rcas.org](http://www.rcas.org) or call 355-3707. EOE

**Mary's Way Pilgrimage to Medjugorje, join Father Tony Grossenburg, Lisa Wattenhofer, and Rita Dupres Sept 29 to Oct 7, 2014, \$2995.00 (air, land and taxes), optional 5 day extension to Paris/Lourdes Oct 8-12, 2014 for additional \$995, registrations being accepted now, \$500 deposit due NOW to reserve your airfare and final payment is due July 23, 2014;** Please contact Susan at Select International Travel 1-800-842-4842 or [ritadupres@msn.com](mailto:ritadupres@msn.com) or visit our website [www.selectinternationaltours.com](http://www.selectinternationaltours.com)

Other Upcoming Adventures in 2015 from Rapid City:

**Foot steps of Paul, to Greece and Turkey** with a 3 night Aegean Cruise, April 7-18, 2015 with Father Michel Mulloy, \$3,895.00 (all lodging, taxes, fuel surcharge, and most meals included)

**Routes of the Polish Faith**, August 3-12, 2015 with Father Janusz Korban, \$3,695.00 (all lodging, taxes, fuel surcharge, and most meals included)

## Bighorn Mountains Young Adult Retreat

Join us for a retreat with Fr. Mark McCormick – we'll camp & hike the beautiful Bighorn Mountains of Wyoming, while we talk about the spiritual life and discernment, celebrate daily Mass and spend time in prayer and fellowship. For young adults (18 or older). Tuesday - Thursday, August 12-14. Cost: \$50. Limited space! Deadline for registration is Wednesday, July 30. Contact the Office of Vocations for more information, 716-5214 ext. 233, [bdecker@diorc.org](mailto:bdecker@diorc.org).



"Your ways, Lord, make known to me..." As the Psalm pleads, come and get away to hear the voice of God for your marriage. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** are **September 12-14, 2014 in Irene, SD** and **October 24-26, 2014 in Rapid City, SD**. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our

website at: [sdwvme.org](http://sdwvme.org) or contact John & Dawn Elsinger at [applications@sdwvme.org](mailto:applications@sdwvme.org) or 605-362-0924.

## Totus Tuus 2014, Messengers of Hope

Still space to register for Boys Totus Tuus—Hiking, Campfires, Swimming, Games, and much more!

Boys Camp, completed grades 6, 7, or 8: July 22-25.

Boys Leadership, completed grades 9-12 and older: July 21-25.

Registration forms available online at [www.Gods-call.org](http://www.Gods-call.org) or at your parish. Contact the Office of Vocations for more information, 716-5214 ext. 233, [bdecker@diorc.org](mailto:bdecker@diorc.org).

## An Update from the Hope For New Life (HFNL) Jail Ministry Bill Gradoville's Testimonial

This month we are continuing with our ministry members' testimonials for joining HFNL. The following is Bill's story: I first learned of HFNL jail ministry after attending an informational night at the Cathedral. I initially hesitated to join the ministry because, not being totally confident in all aspects of my Catholic Faith, how could I feel comfortable sharing it with others? I also told myself that the time commitment required for this ministry might be greater than my busy schedule would allow. So, I prayed to the Holy Spirit for guidance. The Holy Spirit reminded me that one of the Corporal Works of Mercy is to visit the imprisoned, and one of the Spiritual Works of Mercy is to comfort the afflicted. Jail ministry would fulfill both of these requirements, so I joined HFNL. Of all of the various things I have volunteered for, jail ministry has been the most satisfying and fulfilling to me. The Holy Spirit is definitely working in this ministry each and every Wednesday that I have been at the jail with the inmates we serve. The most satisfying thing to me is when an inmate thanks me for coming and being there for him or her. Our ministry is Jesus Christ to these men and women, who are searching for answers and hope. I believe our jail ministry is one important reason some of the men and women who are released never end up in jail again. We are making a difference. God is great! To learn more about the HFNL ministry please contact **Bill Gradoville (341-2721)** or **Jennifer Shama (381-1118)**. You are also welcome to attend our monthly HFNL meetings every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month at Catholic Social Services at 6:30 pm.

## Divine Mercy Youth Day at Terra Sancta

**Attention all kids grades 6 – 12, come spend the day at Terra Sancta for fun and games, food and fellowship, Mass and Divine Mercy on Wednesday, August 13.**

Lunch is included in your free admission! Meet us at either Blessed Sacrament (at 8:30 a.m.) or at Terra Sancta at 9 a.m. We will return to Blessed Sacrament around 5 pm, where dinner will be provided. That evening Fr. Michael Gaitley will speak at Blessed Sacrament at 7 p.m. so be sure to have your parents there! The missionaries of the Marians of the Immaculate Conception are sponsoring this Youth Day. To register or details - call Scott 605-391-3235 or Kim 605-381-2801.

## Divine Mercy Tour 2014

Come and hear Fr. Michael Gaitley speak on Divine Mercy at Blessed Sacrament Church in Rapid City, on Wednesday, August 13 at 7pm. He is the author of the popular books, "33 Days to Morning Glory" and "Consoling the Heart of Jesus". Plan to join us for this special event. No registration necessary. Free-will offering accepted

## CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Jesus said to St. Faustina, "Say unceasingly this chaplet that I have taught you. Even the most hardened sinner, if he recites this Chaplet even once, will receive grace from my infinite Mercy. I want the whole world to know my infinite Mercy. I want to give unimaginable graces to those who trust in my Mercy."

**All are invited to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy & the Rosary every Sunday at 3:00 p.m. in the chapel at Cathedral.**