MASS INTENTIONS ~ July 8 - 14

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

MONDAY 7:30 am - Anita Miller

> 5:30 pm -- D.J. & Ginny DeJager 7:30 am - Jack Tennyson +

TUESDAY WEDNESDAY 7:30 am - Marilyn Madison + 7:30 am - Margaret M. Johnson + THURSDAY

FRIDAY 7:30 am - Vince Allard +

15th Sunday In Ordinary Time

SATURDAY 5:30 pm - Gordon Milam + **SUNDAY** 9:00 am - Parishioners

5:30 pm - Alois & Donna Krebs +

MASS INTENTIONS: Other than at St. Therese

Thursday, July 11

Special Intention

By Fr. Zandri - West Hills Village South - 4 pm

Our Daily Scriptures

Gn 28:10-22a Ps 91:1-4,14-15ab Mt 9:18-26 Monday Tuesday Gn 32:23-33 Ps 17:1-3,6-7,8b,15 Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday Gn 41:55-57;42:5-7a,17-24a Ps 32:2-3,10-11,18-19 Mt 10:1-7 Gn 44:18-21,23b-29;45:1-5 Ps 105:16-21 Mt 10:7-15 Thursday Gn 46:1-7,28-30 Ps 37:3-4,18-19,27-28,39-40 Mt 10:16-23 Friday

Gn 49:29-32:50:15-26a Ps 105:1-4.6-7 Mt 10:24-33 Saturday

Sunday Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14,17,30-31,33-37 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

Faithful Citizenship "A hundred years ago, on 6 July 1902, Maria Goretti died in the hospital at Nettuno, brutally stabbed the day before in the little village of Le Ferriere, in the Pontine Marshes. Her spiritual life, the strength of her faith, her ability to forgive her murderer have placed her among the best-loved saints of the 20th century. ... St. Maria Goretti was a girl whom God's Spirit endowed with the courage to stay faithful to her Christian vocation even to the point of making the supreme sacrifice of her life. ... I am especially holding up this saint as an example to young people who are the hope of the Church and of humanity. ... In the heart of the night we can feel frightened and insecure, and we impatiently await the coming of the light of dawn. Dear young people, it is up to you to be the watchmen of the morning (cf. Is 21, 11-12) who announce the coming of the sun who is the Risen Christ!" Blessed John Paul II, Message of John Paul II to the Bishop of Albano for the Centenary of the Death of St. Maria Goretti, July 6, 2002. www.vatican.va (From Diocesan Social Justice Commission

www.rapidcitydiocese.org/WP/offices/social-justice-commission)

Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ JULY

Chairperson: Carolyn Wise / Beth Sand Co-Chair: Linda Birgenheir

FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM EVERYONE WELCOME!!

Liturgical Ministry Schedule - July 13 & 14

SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.: Bob & Kay Olson (S) Martha Cook, Mary Ann Ries, Liz Myscofski, Sharon Ludovissie, Joe Zacher Lector: Paula Bailie, Tim Shull <u>Ushers</u>: Jim & Roxie Quintus, Bradley Quintus, Jim Theis <u>Gift Bearers</u>: Becky Huber, Diane Wilkinson Altar Servers: Juliene Moore, Justice Moore, Karen Witcraft

E.M.: Ann Keller, Ginny DeJager (S) Dewayne & Joanne Borszich, Julie Heintz, Rachel Edelen, Kathy Grebner Lector: Diane Ange, John Zeller Ushers: Clint Jolley, Bill Schneider, Zach Schneider, Paul Schneider Gift Bearers: Don & Mary Fitzpatrick Altar Servers: Joshua French, Jacob French, Seth Edelen, TJ Morrison

SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.: Elaine Kocher (S) Chris VanCleave, Chuck Rausch **Lector**: Deanna Johnson Ushers: Connie Lowe, Kellen Lowe, Bill & Jan **Gift Bearer:** Tim & Molly Rausch Family Altar Server: Winegar Max Lowe, Tyler Matt, Alexia Wright

Please remember to find a substitute if needed.



Through The Waters of Baptism:

Oakley ENGLIN, daughter of Joshua & Casey

We have lost one of our WE CARE sellers for Saturday night. If you are interested in selling after Mass one Saturday evening (or any other Mass), please contact Melanie at 430-0459

== The "Z" Gram == --- Notes From Father Bill --

Due to the financial generosity of YOU and due to the increased members of young people in the parish, both the Parish Council and Financial Council have interviewed and hired two people. One will be the Religious Education Coordinator. The function of this position is to coordinate the religious education program of pre-school through the 5th grade. Summer work includes recruiting and ordering materials for fall and coordinating the Vacation Bible School activities. Kathy Haselhorst was selected for that position. 10+ hours per week is the average time for that position.

The other position is the full-time, 40 hours, Coordinator of Youth Ministry. The coordinator will ensure that all components of Youth Ministry, specifically those of word, worship and creating community are being devoloped in the Youth Ministry Program. The coordinator is to oversee and coordinate the Birth-to-30 Youth Ministry Program. Grades 6 thru 12 will be the primary grades for the coordinator. Randy Vette has been selected to fulfill that position.

Many people applied for both of these positions and I want to thank them and both of the Councils for their selection of Kathy & Randy.

Please add SHARON WEBER to your prayers

Bulletin Prayer List:

Larry Amburn, Tim Ange, Don Anton, Jerry Bartholmay, Kellee Callender, Eleanor Clarich, Richard Cooper, Brandon Eastman, Kelli Eastman, Don Everett, Denny & unborn baby, Dick Fraser, Ralph Gunther, Sue Hayden, Jacob Heil, Ed Hellman, Margaret Johnson, Vera Jonas, Baby Kash, Dennis Keller, Fern Keller, Shirley Kenoyer, Laura & unborn baby, Mickey (Joseph) Maher, Anita Miller, Cody Murner, Leo & Joyce Quinn, Dorothy Rapp, Ted & Judy Rapp, Mary Rieb, Doyle Roseland, Jim Russell, Karla Sandifer, Linda Schooley, Leota Sidel, Tom Slattery, Janice Tarras, Jim Theis, Elizabeth Torp, Stephanie Trautman, Mike Volk, Sharon Weber, Marion & Betty Wilson, Al Winland

> Thank you for the continued prayers for Lynn Loomer Names will be listed on the prayer list for 30 days. Please call the office so we can update our list.

" A sincere thank you to all my fellow parishioners for all your thoughts and prayers." - Lynn Loomer

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...

If you have any suggestions on any of the other pages, contact Connie in the office at 342-1556.

The youth / religious education page will be updated as soon as our Youth Minister, Randy Vette, arrives and gets settled!



The annual RUMMAGE SALE is July 12. 13 & 14!

Special PRE-SALE sale on Thursday evening, July 12! This let's you in to buy before the sale

for only \$5! @

Now is the time to bring in all your TREASURES that someone else can't live without!
The Knights of Columbus will have a late night pick up/drop off on July 9th from 6 to 8 pm. Call the office at 342-1556.

Also, seeking volunteers to sort, price, and sell!

Call or text Beth Sand at 209-0800.

THE WEEKLY FUNNY ... from father Bill

Abe and Esther are flying to Australia for a two-week vacation to celebrate their 50th anniversary. Suddenly, over the public address system, the Captain announces, "Ladies and Gentlemen, I'm afraid I have some very bad news... Our engines have ceased functioning and we will attempt an emergency landing. Luckily, I see an uncharted island below us and we should be able to land on the beach. However. the odds are that we may never be rescued and will have to live on the island for the rest of our lives!" Thanks to the skill of the flight crew, the plane lands safely on the island. An hour later Abe turns to his wife and asks, "Esther, did we pay our VISA and MasterCard bills yet?" "No, sweetheart," she responds. Abe, still shaken from the crash landing, then asks, "Esther, did we pay our American Express card yet?" "Oh, no! I'm sorry. I forgot to send the check," she says. "One last thing Esther. Did you remember to send the estimate check to the IRS this guarter?" he asks. "Oh, forgive me, Abe," begged Esther. "I didn't send that one, either." Abe grabs her and gives her the biggest kiss in 40 years. Esther pulls away and asks him, "What was that for?" Abe answers, "They'll find us!"

SWEATS FOR VETS

Remember to watch for sales, and remember us as you clean out your closets for the rummage sale, those gently used sweats could go to the VETS! Please place your items in the box in the Parish Center & THANK YOU for making a difference. Contact Sheryl Allen at 342-6178.

"The harvest is rich," Jesus tells the seventy-two in today's Gospel, "but the workers are few." The situation is the same today. How can / help with God's harvest? Am / called into the field? Am / one who could provide food or shelter or wages to those who toil in the fields of the Lord?

GENERAL FUND: Contribution	ons	last week
Envelopes	\$	4732.00
Plate Collection	\$	1118.56
Children's Collection	\$	35.50
Votive Candle Income	\$	51.00
TOTAL	\$	5937.06
Amount needed per week:	\$	6805.00

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements \$ 195.00

"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund \$ 195.00 Clothe-A-Kid \$ 60.00 Storm Recovery Special Collection. \$ 1734.57

COLLECTIONS FOR JULY:

<u>July 7</u>: General Fund <u>July 14</u>: Building Improvements / General Fund July 21: Seminarian Fund / General Fund July 28: General Fund

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.



Congratulations on your 40TH ANNIVERSARY Dick & Marcia CUKA July 7, 2014

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

Having company coming in for a visit and need to stock your pantry? The 'We Care' gift cards are available from many local area stores and help benefit the church too at no extra cost to you. We have a variety of amounts from WalMart/Sam's Club, Don's Valley Market, Safeway and Family Thrift Center/Prairie Market. Come to the table after mass or get them in the parish office... we'll be waiting!

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, 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.

ANOTHER WEEKLY FUNNY... from father Bill

Canadian geese are known to fly in a "V" shaped as they migrate across the county. The lead goose in the "V" cuts through the air making it easier for the rest of the geese behind him. As that lead goose becomes tired, he will drop off and join one of the sides and a new lead goose will take over. This is done several times as they are flying long distances. So if you look up in the sky and see a "V" shape of geese and one side is longer than the other, do you know what that means?

A: (There are more geese on that side)

SAVE YOUR EMPTY INK CARTRIDGES!

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

Please join us in celebrating the 50™ WEDDING ANNIVERSARY of **Don & Florence SKINNER**

Renewal of vows Saturday, July 13th at 5:30 pm Mass at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cathedral.

Cake reception to follow in the parish hall. No gifts please.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAYS: 8 am to 5:30 pm

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

Take Me Out To The Ballgame!

St. Therese Softball ~ Whitehead Fields Canyon Lake Dr.

Men play on Tuesdays & Thursdays Women play on Wednesdays July 10 8 pm

Come out and cheer!



CANNED MEAT, CEREAL, CANNED POTATOES, CANNED FRUIT, JELLO & LAUNDRY SOAP ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE

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

Looking for Blood Donors for the July 22nd KC BLOOD DRIVE!

Especially type "O" donors! Your community needs YOU AND your blood!! @

WALK-INS WELCOME! OR CONTACT: Sheryl Allen at 342-8585.

Get Ready, Get Set --- GO for Fall Festival Fall Festival ~ Sunday, Sept. 29, 2013 10:30 AM to 2:00 PM

Hello to all members of St Therese Parish,

I know it is awfully early to be asking for chairman and workers for the Fall Festival but time keeps running and we need to get things in place and ready to go for our biggest event of the year for fund raising!!!

Our first planning meeting will be a brief one, August 12th -6:30 PM in the Church Basement - everyone is invited --- we need each of you and your ideas. I need chairman for kitchen; dining room; cleaning up; washing dishes; plates-salad plates-silverware; helpers for our people that need help; someone at the beginning of the area; coffee, tea, water, lemonade; cleaning off tables; setting up tables; trays for plates at beginning of line; anything you can think of please let me know, call me, email me I really appreciate any input.

Thanks to everyone for all they do for our Parish, Children, Youth and Young People. Everyone needs a kind smile and a Hello.

> God Bless, Doris Ann E. Werlinger **President Altar Society**

Cell phone 484-1888 Email - pndwerlinger@rushmore.com

MOMMY'S CLOSET Items in need are: 18 TO 24 MONTH CLOTHING FOR BOYS AND GIRLS, 2T & 3T BOYS CLOTHING

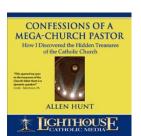
We greatly appreciate all your contributions. Please place all items in the cradles at either entrance.

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.



Confessions of a Mega-Church Pastor



Based on his powerful new book, Allen Hunt shares the insights and details of his 15-year journey into the Catholic Church. In 2007, Allen stepped aside as pastor of a Methodist congregation that served more than 15,000 persons each week. He entered the Catholic Church in 2008. His daily talk radio show is heard by over half a million listeners and is syndicated on 140 stations nationwide. Find this CD, and many others and

books in the entrance of the Church. Just place your donation in the box provided.

ONE MORE FUNNY... from father Bill

A very well-known international furniture and interior decorating store recently set up a customer assistance department. The first call they got was from a lady who had purchased a wardrobe early in the morning. She explained that after assembly the wardrobe had crumbled three times when the public transport bus passed in front of her house. The store sent a technician over to her place. He reassembled the wardrobe- which was in the bedroom on the second floor - and then went into it to observe what would happen when the bus, which was due a few minutes later, went by. The phone rang just then and the lady went downstairs to take the call. Just then her husband came home from work with a terrible flu condition. Hearing his wife on the phone he trudged upstairs where he found the wardrobe; on opening one of the doors and seeing the man inside he exclaimed "What the dickens are you doing in there!?!" To which the guy replied, "I know you'll never believe this, but I'm waiting for the bus!!"

HOLY Elders Thursday, July 11, 4:30 PM,

"under the apple tree" near the rectory garage at Blessed Sacrament Church.

Chicken, beverages and dinnerware will be provided. Please bring a dish to share at our picnic. Bean bag games, cards, etc. will follow. Please bring a friend! All attending get another chance to win a beautiful quilt which will be given away in a drawing in September. Need a ride? Call 341.5682.

SUMMER STRETCH...for all youth entering 6th-12th grade This is a community service & recreation program based on social justice teaching of the church.

Every Wednesday July 3 - 31, 9 am to 3:30 pm **Blessed Sacrament Church**

Community Service Locations: Clarkson Assisted Living Center, Boys Club, WAVI, Love INC., Terra Sancta Recreation Sites: Putz N' Glo, the Ranch, WaTiki, Canvas 2 Paint, Game, Fish & Parks Outdoor Campus

Registration forms available online at www.blessedsacramentchurch.org

or call Jenny at 342-3336.

THANK YOU ST. THERESE PARISHIONERS! We recently received a letter from Bishop Gruss

"Dear Members of St. Therese Parish, Many, many thanks for your generous contributions totaling \$12,000.00 for the 2013 Adopt-a-Seminarian appeal. Your generosity is very helpful and important in providing support for the increasing costs of the seminarian education and formation. I am sure that our seminarians are very grateful for your support as well. I also appreciate the efforts you are undertaking as a parish in supporting and encouraging vocations to the priesthood in our diocese."

(A copy of the complete letter is located on the bulletin board at each entrance)



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Happenings at St. Martin's ---

JULY 27, MARIAN TAPE by Father Thomas Keating– Followed by discussion. Father Thomas presents a powerful discussion on the life of Mary. Donation. If we have time, we will also study the tape on "The Fruits of the Spirit." Refreshments.

Sister Marmion Howe, 343-8011; cell, 451-3758; srmarmion@knology.net

The harvest is rich, but the workers are few. Ask the harvest master to send workers into the harvest. Pray for vocations! (Luke 10:1-9)

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

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

CHRISTIAN FAMILY PLANNING SEMINAR, will be offered by the Natural Family Planning Ministry on Saturday, July 20th, 9 am-Noon, at St. Mary's in Lemmon. This seminar is a requirement for engaged couples getting married in the Diocese of Rapid City. The seminar is also for married couples or anyone wanting to learn more about Natural Family Planning. For more info., or to register, call FLM.

Silent Retreats at Terra Sancta

Come aside and rest in God at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. Silence, solitude, reflection and prayer. Open yourself to a deeper relationship with God. Find out more and register on-line at http://terrasancta.org/retreats. Upcoming silent retreats include: August 8-11 – for men, directed by Fr Tim Hoag --October 3-6 – for adults, directed by Fr Rick Abert, SJ--December 12-15 – for women, directed by Susan Safford

Veritatis Splendor Institute

This fall, the diocese will begin a new diocesan program of certification for catechists, the Veritatis Splendor Institute (VSI), named for Bl. Pope John Paul II's great encyclical, *The Splendor of Truth*. The goal of the VSI is the mission of the Church, that of proclaiming the Gospel to all people, and bringing people to a deeper encounter with Jesus Christ. This program will be an opportunity to grow as evangelists and teachers. The VSI will provide courses of instruction in the content of the Faith, catechetical methodology, classroom management, and courses for particular apostolates or ministries: youth ministry, RCIA, liturgy, music, retreats, adult education, children's catechesis, and more! The program will also offer formation in prayer, spirituality, and discipleship. The VSI will offer a Basic Level Certification (one-year program), and a Master Level Certification (two-year program, following after completion of Basic Certification), with courses offered once a month on Saturdays. If you are interested in this program of catechist certification, you can request an Information Packet with Application Form from your pastor, or from the Office of Faith Formation (ssafford@diorc.org, 605-716-5214 x230). Forms and information are also available online at our website: rapidcitydiocese.org.

Year of Faith -- "Created In the Image & Likeness of God" – Dignity of the Human Person & the First Three Commandments

"The dignity of the human person is rooted in his creation in the image and likeness of God; it is fulfilled in his vocation to divine beatitude. It is essential to a human being freely to direct himself to this fulfillment" (CCC 1700). The first three Commandments deal with our relationship with God.

Presenter: Father Brian Lane

July 14, **St. Thomas the Apostle Church**, Mission (2 pm CT) July 17, **St. Therese Church**, Rapid City (6:30 pm) July 28, **St. Mary Church**, Lemmon (2 pm)

Please consult flyer for Mass times and other information or check www.yofrc.org.

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.

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.

School of Leaders July 20, Noon-4 p.m. at Terra Sancta. For information contact, Pat Calvetti, 716-9796.

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

http://rccss.net/Employment-Opportunities
Currently seeking a Preschool Teacher, Elementary Music

Teacher, High School Science Teacher and High School Computer Science Teacher

Need a Perfect Job?

NO NIGHTS NO WEEK-ENDS NO HOLIDAYS

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

The Rapid City Catholic Schools has full-time and part-time openings available in the Food Service Department for the 2013-2014 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 St. Elizabeth Seton. Send or email to: Barb Fritz, RCCSS; 2101 City Springs Rd., Ste 100, Rapid City, SD 57702 bfritz96@gmail.com

Eucharistic Conference in ND

The Catholic Diocese of Bismarck is planning its first-ever THIRST 2013 Conference at the Bismarck Civic Center, Oct. 25-27, 2013. The Eucharistic Congress will feature speakers Cardinal Timothy Dolan and Scott Hahn. The Diocese of Bismarck hopes to make this a regular event. More information is available here: http://www.bismarckdiocese.com/events/

"'I am a sinner.' Reach this awareness. Make this confession; it is the first condition for salvation."

From "Mustard Seeds: Daily Thoughts to Grow With" By Matthew Kelly