

## MASS INTENTIONS ~ March 21 - 27

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

MONDAY 7:30 am – Sr. M. Helen Borszich +  
5:30 pm – Mary Rieb +  
TUESDAY 7:30 am – Anita Miller +  
WEDNESDAY 7:30 am – Vince Allard +  
THURSDAY 7 pm – Hazel Smith +  
FRIDAY No Mass – Good Friday

### Easter Sunday

SATURDAY 8 pm – Fe Hayden +  
SUNDAY 9:00 am – Betty Halverson +  
5:30 pm – Alois & Donna Krebs +

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

Wednesday, March 23 Irene Hall  
*By Fr. Zandri – West Samaritan Center, New Underwood – 9:30 am*  
Thursday, March 24 Wayne, Carol & Aaron Sumner +  
*By Fr. Zandri – West Hills Village South – 4 pm*  
Sunday, March 27 Charles Shure +  
*By Fr. Zandri – St. John's in New Underwood – 11 am*

### FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!

### Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Is 42:1-7 Ps 27:1-3,13-14 Jn 12:1-11  
Tuesday Is 49:1-6 Ps 71:1-4a,5ab-6b,15,17 Jn 13:21-33,36-38  
Wednesday Is 50:4-9a Ps 69:8-10,21-22,31,33-34 Mt 26:14-25  
Thursday Ex 12:1-8,11-14 Ps 116:12-18 1 Cor 11:23-26 Jn 13:1-15  
Friday Is 52:13-53:12 Ps 31:2,6-17,25 Heb 4:14-16;5:7-9 Jn 18:1-19:42  
Saturday (1)Gn 1:1-2:2 Ps 104:1-2,5-14,24,35 (2) Gn 22:1-18 Ps 16:5,8-11  
(3) Ex 14:15-15:1 (Ps) Ex 15:1-6,17-18 (4) Is 54:5-14 Ps 30:2,4-6,11-13 (5) Is 55:1-11 (Ps) Is 12:2-3,4-6 (6) Bar 3:9-15,32-4:4 Ps 19:8-11 (7) Ez 36:16-17a,18-28 Pss 42:3-5;43:3-4 (8) Rom 6:3-11 Ps 118:1-2,16-17,22-23 (9) Lk 24:1-12  
Sunday Acts 10:34a,37-43 Ps 118:1-2,16-17,22-23 Col 3:1-4 Jn 20:1-9

**Faithful Citizenship** Community/Participation "But God did not create man as a solitary, for from the beginning "male and female he created them" (Gen. 1:27). Their companionship produces the primary form of interpersonal communion. For by his innermost nature man is a social being, and unless he relates himself to others he can neither live nor develop his potential. *The Church in the Modern World (Gaudium et Spes . . .)*, #12 "The nation's founders took daring steps to create structures of participation, mutual accountability, and widely distributed power to ensure the political rights and freedoms of all. We believe that similar steps are needed today to expand economic participation, broaden the sharing of economic power, and make economic decisions more accountable to the common good. [Economic Justice for All #297 www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) (From www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social)

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule – Holy Week ~ March 24 - 27

**THUR. 7 pm EM:** Diane Ange, Gayle Martin (S) Deacon Rausch, Del & Joann Solano, Ray & Mary Wagner **Lector:** Deanna Johnson  
**Ushers:** Joe Martin, Bill Schneider, John & Nadine Zeller  
**Altar Servers:** Sarah Johnson, One Needed

**FRI. 7 pm EM:** Gayle Martin (S) Deacon Rausch, Diane Ange  
**Lector:** Joann Solano **Ushers:** Joe Martin, Bill Schneider, John Zeller  
**Altar Servers:** 2 needed

**SAT. 8 pm E.M.:** Doug Meiron, Marcia Zacher (S) Deacon Rausch, Ivan & Darlene Davignon, Patty Fritzie, Ellen McGuigan, Diane Wilkinson, Ginny DeJager **Lector:** Bob Case, Scott Sime, Valeria Vifquain, Kristi Willard  
**Ushers:** Mac Coldwell, Michael & Sarah Crook, Dick Cuka  
**Gift Bearers:** Fred & Paula Welsch

**Altar Servers:** Benjamin Schuch, Allison Schuch, Matthew Theis

**SUN. 9 am ALL MINISTRIES BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Beth Sand (S) Elaine Kocher, Nancy Palmer  
**Lector:** Lori Ashley, Tony Berendse **Ushers:** Bob Ormsher, Ben VanCleave, David & Chris VanCleave **Gift Bearers:** Jerry & Elaine Kocher  
**Altar Servers:** Isabella Ashley, Olivia Ashley, Tyler Matt, Corten Dobesh

Please remember to find a substitute if needed. If you have changes for future schedules, call Gayle Martin at 718-4631.

The Lenten Soup Suppers have ended....

An enormous THANK YOU to the PARISH COUNCIL for serving last Friday's supper and BISHOP ROBERT GRUSS for speaking.

## == The "Z" Gram ==

--- Notes From Father Bill ---

This week is called Holy Week; the week that the Church recalls the last week in the life of Christ. There are many Liturgical events planned for this week. Please remember that on March 24, Holy Thursday, and March 25, Good Friday, that there is no 7:30 am Mass. On March 24, service will be at 7 pm with the Reenactment of the Last Supper and the Washing of Feet done by our First Communion class. On March 25, Good Friday, Stations of the Cross will be at 3 pm and at 7 pm we will have the reading of the Passion, Veneration of the Cross and Communion. On March 26, confessions will be heard at 3 pm until they end and the Easter Vigil starts at 8 pm. (There is NO 5:30 pm Mass). Easter Sunday Mass schedule is the same as any Sunday. *New Underwood will have service at 5 pm on March 24 and 5 pm on March 25.*

Our mission was a great experience for those who attended. A BIG "Thank You" to all who helped in any way with the reception held afterwards.

*"Thank you for coming to my big 80<sup>th</sup> birthday event. I appreciated all the beautiful cards! Thank you, dear faith family." ~ Margie Lovik*

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

### Holy Thursday, MARCH 24

No 7:30 am Mass  
5 pm Mass in New Underwood



7 pm Mass with reenactment of the Last Supper and Washing of the Feet by the First Communion Class

### Good Friday, MARCH 25 ~ No Mass

3 pm Stations of the Cross  
5 pm Veneration in New Underwood  
7 pm Veneration of the Cross

### Holy Saturday, MARCH 26 ~ No 5:30 pm Mass

3-7 pm Reconciliation  
8 pm EASTER VIGIL  
followed by RCIA Reception



### Easter Sunday, MARCH 27

*Alleluia! He is Risen!*

9 am Easter Mass  
11 am Mass in New Underwood  
5:30 pm Easter Mass



Blest are they who come in the name of the Lord! Am I being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, brother, or sister? (Luke 19:28-40) PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

*Rest In Peace*

**Calvin Neiss**

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

### Bulletin Prayer List:

Catherine Allard, Diane Ange, Tim Ange, Maureen Bauer, Wendlin Baumgartner, Shirley Black, Rose Brunson, Kellee Callender, Dorothy Coats, Alice Cole, Barb Collins, Irene Cox, Katherine Craig, Ed Davis, Donor & family, Todd Ennen, Cathy Falcone, Judy Fisher, Diane Fraser, Haven Garrett, Vern Goetz, Gary Gross, Laurie Gustaf, Harold & Judy Hansen, Sue Hayden, Rosemary Huggins, Jim Kampa, Jenny Keitges, Kaylan King, Arlene Kingsley, Meg Krause, Melanie Lewis, Sharon Long, Josh Magbuhat, Susan McFadden, Steve Miller, Ann O'Connell, Ron Oney, Diane Orville, Helen Quasney, Jerry Quinn, Joyce Quinn, Ted & Judy Rapp, John Radziwon, Steve Rumbaugh, Sand Family, Carla Sandifer, Eileen Sauer, Alice Schumacher, Rita Strand, Mary Swanson, Louis Vanderslice, Eileen Walters, Sharon Weber, Rose Wickenheiser, Betty Wilson, Bernadette Zander

Thank you for the continued prayers for Calvin Neiss +

## Rest In Peace

### Richard "Dick" Fraser

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

Seeking RUMMAGE SALE chairperson for our annual sale this summer!! Please call the office at 342-1556! Thank you very much!!! ☺

### A WEEKLY FUNNY...from Father Bill

Paddy was in New York .. He was patiently waiting and watching the traffic cop on a busy street crossing. The cop stopped the flow of traffic and shouted, "Okay, pedestrians!" Then he'd allow the traffic to pass. He'd done this several times, and Paddy still stood on the sidewalk.

After the cop had shouted, "Pedestrians!" for the tenth time, Paddy went over to him and said, "Is it not about time ye let the Catholics across?"

### Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ MARCH

Chairpersons: Margaret Rossknecht / Joyce Schlim  
Co-Chairperson: Mary Scott

*In the Gospel story of the first Palm Sunday we hear that the owners of the ass had only to be told, "The Master has need of it," to give the animal gladly. Do I give as readily to the Lord's work?*

#### GENERAL FUND: Contributions last week

Envelopes	\$ 4890.94
Plate Collection	\$ 2017.00
Children's Collection	\$ 59.85
Copier Maintenance - KC's	\$ 50.00
Facility Use Donation	\$ 10.00
Easter	\$ 25.29
Easter Flowers	\$ 57.00
Parish Mission	\$ 1212.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 68.00
TOTAL	\$ 8390.08
<b>Amount needed per week:</b>	<b>\$ 6805.00</b>

#### CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements	\$ 348.00
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#### "THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund	\$ 158.00
Priest Retirement Aid Association	\$ 73.00
Bishop's Overseas Aid	\$ 351.00
Holy Land	\$ 20.00
CSS - Ash Wednesday	\$ 908.00

#### COLLECTIONS FOR MARCH:

Mar. 20: General Fund

Mar. 25: Holy Land - Good Friday Mar. 27: Easter / General Fund

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



## ATTENTION SENIORS!!

To the Class of 2016... please call the office at 342-1556 and let us know you are graduating! ☺

## TRIDUUM CHOIR

Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday

Your choice of services, your schedule, your gift to God during this Holy time.

Only 2 Practices left: MONDAYS from 7 - 8 pm:  
Mar. 21



You do NOT have to be available for all services to participate. Can only sing at one or two of these services? THAT'S FINE! Come join us for this very Holy Week. Questions? Contact Sue Enclin at 343-8455 after 6 pm



PARISH PINOCHLE NIGHTS hosted by the KC's

Every Tuesday from 7 to 9 pm

EVERYONE WELCOME!! Bring a friend (if you want) !!

**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, and Family Thrift Center/Prairie Market

## ~ 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.

**"Knight" out with our YOUTH!** St. Therese Youth Connection would like to invite all our Knights of Columbus fellas to join us in a game night featuring a shoot out! We will have a little competition and dinner will be served ~ sloppy joes, and chips AND Banana Splits! April 20th from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Hope you can join us!!

**We have tickets for Night of Champions, Soul Surfer with Bethany Hamilton, March 31st at 7 pm at Civic Center. Only \$15. See Rita Dupres today!**

**All are welcome! The Mass explained!**  
**Walk Through the Mass** with Deacon John Osness  
April 6th 2016, Potluck at 6 pm, presentation in the church from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. This presentation will replace Father Zandri's Back to Basics class.



**St. Therese Steubenville kids will be having a SILENT AUCTION From April 1-May 1!!!!**

Accepting item donations now. Be sure to check out the auction and bid on some good stuff!

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE**

**Grades PreK - 7<sup>th</sup>: SUNDAYS- 10:15 - 11:30 am**

Mar. 20 Class  
Mar. 27 NO Class - Easter

**CONFIRMATION: SUNDAYS: 6:30 - 8:30 pm:**

Mar. 20 Class w/sponsors  
Mar. 27 NO Class - Easter

**Youth Connection: WEDNESDAYS- 6 - 7:30 pm (Grades 6-12)**

*Dinner is served, and fun activities are happening!*

Mar. 23, 30 NO Group - Holy Week & Easter

**Summer Youth Connection Schedule out soon!**

Highlights: Duc in Altum June 11-16; Steubenville June 22-26; Summer Stretch for Middle School, "Works of Mercy", Wednesdays June 29, July 6, 13 and 27<sup>th</sup>. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Camp out included!) **Lots of volunteers needed!!!!**

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

Father Murphy walks into a pub in Donegal, and asks the first man he meets, "Do you want to go to heaven?" The man said, "I do, Father." The priest said, "Then stand over there against the wall." Then the priest asked the second man, "Do you want to go to heaven?" "Certainly, Father," the man replied. "Then stand over there against the wall," said the priest. Then Father Murphy walked up to O'Toole and asked, "Do you want to go to heaven?" O'Toole said, "No, I don't Father." The priest said, "I don't believe this. You mean to tell me that when you die you don't want to go to heaven?" O'Toole said, "Oh, when I die, yes. I thought you were getting a group together to go right now."

**PASTA, SOUP, CRACKERS, OATMEAL AND LAUNDRY SOAP**

ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE

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

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

**DIAPERS:** size 3, **CLOTHES** up to size 6, **SOCKS & UNDERWEAR** up to size 6

*We greatly appreciate all your contributions.*

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

**Prayerfully consider joining our Homebound Ministry Team.**

Take Communion to the homebound parishioners, typically on Friday morning, but can be done anytime! If you would like more information on how YOU can join this ministry, please contact the office AND . . . **We'll be happy to share additional ways to reach out to our Homebound. . . perhaps with a weekly phone call . . . or sending a note of cheer!**

**Parish website:**

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

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

**BACK TO BASICS** **Bill**  
WEDNESDAYS at 7 p.m.  
Come one, or all Wednesdays

No Back to Basics on March 23rd



**WE NEED YOU!**  
**TO DONATE BLOOD AT THE KC BLOOD DRIVE**



**Monday, March 21st from 3:30 to 6:45 pm**

WALK-INS WELCOME! OR CONTACT Bill Schneider at 391-7413.

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

**Dear Lord, I ask You to bless my PRAYER PARTNER today, and also a special blessing for the person who is praying for me. Amen.**

**Get Father Kari's CD in the office!**

"Father Kari's Favorites"

**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!*



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

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

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

A guy buys a new car and is telling this lady about it. He says he really likes it, except for the fact that the headlights stay on all the time. She replies, "Oh, I totally understand! Some of my relatives that have their lights on all the time... but they're still in the dark!"

**Men's Conference**

Annual JourneyMen's Conference, Saturday, April 9th (see [www.JourneyMenSD.com](http://www.JourneyMenSD.com) for details & registration).

**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 and network of activities that offer companionship for singles. The group offers a variety of programs and experiences that enrich its members socially, educationally, and spiritually. 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.

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Movie Nights** - We will watch Elks Theatre for upcoming movies and will email.

**March 20 - Sunday** - Palm Sunday Brunch - Ramkota - Noon - Call the CSS office for Tickets

**March 31 - Thursday** - Night of Champions - 7 pm at Civic Center - call 517-0798 for tickets

**Don't forget! PRAYER PARTNER GATHERING on Sunday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:15 am in the Parish Hall to meet your Lenten prayer partner! ☺ (Bonus! The youth are serving caramel & cinnamon rolls that day!)**

## Catholics Returning Home

Have you been away from the church for a while? Have you ever thought about returning? Do you know someone who wants to return to the church? If so, there is a special ministry for people who have been away from the church. The six-week "Catholics Returning Home" series **begins on Tuesday, March 29, at 7 p.m. at St. Therese** the Little Flower Catholic Church, 532 Adams Street, Rapid City. For more information contact Deacon Greg Sass at [gsass@diorc.org](mailto:gsass@diorc.org) or 605-939-0579, or visit [ReturningCatholics.net](http://ReturningCatholics.net). There is no charge and pre-registration is not required.

**Spirit and Truth: A Life in the Spirit Seminar** will be held on Thursdays from March 31 to May 12 with a Pentecost Vigil Celebration Saturday, May 14. The Life in the Spirit seminar is designed as an evangelistic tool, a formation experience, and an introduction to a life lived in the power and the presence of the Holy Spirit. The eight weeks of sessions help participants realize the fire, the breath, the gifts, fruits and the charisms of the Spirit. The seminar invites us to gather and prepare for a very personal Pentecost, a new release or revitalization of the Spirit's presence. Cost is \$10. Sessions will be held at Terra Sancta Retreat Center from 7– 8:30 p.m. each evening. Sponsored by the Diocese of Rapid City Stewardship and Vocations Offices. Register online at: <http://terrasancta.org/LifeintheSpirit>

## "Do Whatever He Tells You" – Divine Mercy

**Conference** You are invited to participate in a Divine Mercy/Marian Conference including a healing service on April 15-16 at Blessed Sacrament Church. Fr. Chris Alar will be the speaker. He is the director of a 1.5 million member Association of Marian Helpers which is a spiritual benefit society. There is no charge for this Conference. Lunch on Saturday is available for \$10. Pre-registration is encouraged at [terrasancta.org/divinemercury2016](http://terrasancta.org/divinemercury2016). The schedule is also posted there. All are welcome!

**Sanctuary Stained Glass Tour** Rapid City churches will be sharing the beauty of their stained glass windows during the Sanctuary Stained Glass Tour, from noon to 4 p.m., Sunday, April 10. The public is invited to stop in at any of the participating churches to learn more about the beautiful windows, how they were made, and the scenes they depict. Admission is free. The churches may be visited in any order. **Participating churches:**  
~ Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 520 Cathedral Dr. ~ Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 717 Quincy St. ~ First Presbyterian Church, 710 Kansas City St. ~ Holy Cross Chapel at Terra Sancta, 2101 City Springs Rd. ~ South Canyon Lutheran Church, 700 44th St. ~ Trinity Lutheran Church, 402 Kansas City St.

**Vocations Speaker** Rhonda Gruenewald author of "Hundredfold: Building a Parish Vocation Ministry" will be speaking in the diocese. With energy, wit and wisdom, Rhonda will share with us her own successes and strategies for creating a culture of vocations in the parish and for reaching young people with a pro-vocations message. Rhonda will give priests and lay people practical know-how on how to build and sustain a healthy vocation ministry in our parishes. This workshop is for ordinary Catholics who want to inspire an extraordinary new generation of priests and religious. The Office of Vocations sponsors these workshops with generous help from local councils of the Knights of Columbus. Two identical workshops will be held Friday, April 22 at St. John Parish, Ft. Pierre and on Saturday morning, April 23 at Our Lady of the Black Hills Parish, Piedmont. For more information or to register, please visit [www.gods-call.com](http://www.gods-call.com) or call Shawna at 716-5214, ext. 233.

## CSS PROSPERITY INITIATIVE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Would you like to help reduce poverty in the greater Rapid City Area? The new Prosperity Initiative is designed to do just that, but we need your time and energy as a mentor for those struggling to earn a living wage and help them get out of poverty for good. Informational sessions are scheduled for March 31st at Noon – 1 pm and again at 6 – 7 pm at Catholic Social Services' Office at 529 Kansas City Street in Rapid City. If you might be interested but need additional information, please contact Kelsie Lawrence at 348-6086 or go to our website [www.catholicssocialservicesrapidcity.com](http://www.catholicssocialservicesrapidcity.com).

**Prayer for Peace ~ Every Thursday from Noon to 1 pm (noon hour) you are invited to come to the Cathedral in Rapid City to pray for peace.**



## Rachel's Corner

"The retreat has been a life-changing and spiritual awakening for me. I feel that any person who has had an abortion should come to Rachel's Vineyard to experience healing and forgiveness."

-Testimonial after a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat

Come experience a spiritual awakening and allow God to change your life forever. Come find the Healing Mercy of Christ on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat. Join us in S.Dak. on April 22-24. Contact the national office for more information, at 877-467-3463 or [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org). or Contact Carol Kling for information about local retreats at 605-374-5639 or [ckling@sdplains.com](mailto:ckling@sdplains.com)



## Rapid City Catholic Schools

**2016-2017 Registration  
ENROLLING ALL GRADES!**

**New Family Registration has begun! Call  
Marcia Werner at (605) 348-8484 x 1203 or  
[mwerner@rccss.org](mailto:mwerner@rccss.org) for more information**

**[WWW.RCCSS.ORG](http://WWW.RCCSS.ORG)**

## FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

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

**Heart to Heart ~ A Weekend Retreat for the Engaged** is a weekend getaway for engaged couples to deepen their relationship with each other and with God by exploring the Catholic Church's vision of marriage. The next weekend retreat will be held at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, April 15-17. Please register on-line at [www.terrasancta.org](http://www.terrasancta.org). For more information, contact Amy at Family Life Ministries, 716-5214 x 236 or [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org). Please note: Because this retreat is such a powerful preparation for the sacrament of marriage, attendance at a "Heart to Heart" Weekend Retreat is a requirement for couples doing marriage preparation in the Diocese of Rapid City.

**NFP, Good for your Body, Great for your Soul** The next Natural Family Planning Seminars will be offered on: **Saturday, April 23 — St. Therese Church, Rapid City** **Saturday, May 14 — Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City** The NFP Seminars are required for all couples planning to marry in the Diocese of Rapid City, however they are open to anyone who is interested in learning more about Natural Family Planning. NFP provides an all-natural morally acceptable way to plan your family or to monitor the health of your fertility, and can also aid in strengthening marriages. Attendees will have the opportunity to hear about the theology behind the use of NFP, a witness couple discussing the effect of NFP on their marriage, and the basics of one of the many sound, scientific methods of NFP currently available today. **Please note that the NFP requirement for marriage preparation is met with this seminar. There is no NFP presentation at the Heart to Heart Engaged Couples Retreat Weekend. Couples need to sign up for both the NFP Seminar and The Heart to Heart Weekend.** For more information or to register, contact Amy at 716-5214 x 236, [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org). **Natural Family Planning All Natural—No Hormones—No Foreign bodies**

**Beginning Experience Separated, Divorced & Widowed Support Group, "Coping with Life Alone."** Are you recently separated, divorced or widowed? Are you struggling with pain and loneliness? Healing can begin with the next nine-week session of the support group. The group starts at 7 p.m. on March 31 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 is \$30; need-based scholarships available. Pre-registration is requested but not required. For more information and to pre-register, call Amy with Family Life Ministries, 716-5214 x 236

**World Youth Day Seminarian Fundraiser** Sacred Heart Parish, Philip; St. Mary Parish, Milesville; & St. William Parish, Midland; have graciously donated two quarters of certified Angus beef to be raffled off to help defray the travel expenses of the seminarians going to Krakow, Poland for World Youth Day 2016. Tickets are \$15/each or 5 for \$50. Drawing May 1. Tickets can be purchased by calling the Vocations Office at 716-5214 ext. 233 or by stopping by the Chancery Office at either Rapid City location: Chancery Office Annex @ Terra Sancta or the Main Chancery Office, 606 Cathedral Dr. Also available at Cathedral, Rapid City; St. Joseph, Spearfish; and Sacred Heart, Philip. Thank you for supporting our seminarians!



## Take life in a new direction

Join the hundreds of people who have found financial freedom, parenting help and life skills. FREE tuition, children's program and activities, and incentives for completing weekly assignments. FREE meal for students and their families. Learn more & register at [www.loveinonline.com](http://www.loveinonline.com) or call Love INC at 718-LOVE (5683).

Apply NOW! New 9-week quarter will be starting soon.

Registration deadline for all classes is one week before class start dates. Pick up a flyer on bulletin boards at each entrance for class descriptions, list of locations and start dates.

~ Money 101 ~ Financial Freedom ~ Bridges to Freedom ~ Financial Peace University (Dave Ramsey) ~ Common Sense Parenting ~ Stepping in Freedom (Women only) ~ Stepping in Freedom (Men only) ~ Common Sense Parenting for Toddler/Preschoolers ~ Discipleship Explored ~ Modern Parables ~ Nutrition on a Budget ~ Vehicle Maintenance (4 weeks)

### Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration at Blessed Sacrament Church

Jesus said to St. Faustina, "No soul will be justified until it turns with confidence to My mercy, and this is why the first Sunday after Easter is to be the Feast of Mercy. (Diary 570) On that day, the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive the Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment." (Diary 699) Let us accept Jesus' unfathomable mercy by going to Confession, attending Holy Mass and receiving Holy Communion on Divine Mercy Sunday. (Reconciliation can be received before or after Divine Mercy Sunday.)

**Sunday, April 3 ~ 2:40 p.m.** Eucharistic Exposition after the Spanish Mass and veneration of Divine Mercy Image; **3:00 p.m.** Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Benediction, blessing of items, veneration of our relic of St. Faustina. **Please bring any items that you want to be blessed.**

The Catholic Church has been celebrating this feast since Pope John Paul II declared it official on April 30 in the Jubilee year 2000.

[www.divinemercysunday.com](http://www.divinemercysunday.com).

## Need a Perfect Job?

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

The Rapid City Catholic Schools has a part-time opening available in the Food Service Department at the St. Elizabeth Seton School. We are currently looking for a **lunch room assistant**. Hours are approxi. 10 am to 1:15 pm. 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)

St. Thomas More Middle School is looking for individuals interested in working around students for an hour a day for **playground supervision and a part-time or full-time day custodian**. If interested, please contact Principal Keiz Shultz at 348-1477 or [kshultz@rccss.org](mailto:kshultz@rccss.org).

**VOLLEYBALL COACHES NEEDED:** If you have a passion for growing the sport of volleyball by sharing your knowledge to help others gain a love for this sport, if you are committed to being fundamentally sound, and you have experience coaching, playing the game, then we would love to talk to you about our current coaching opportunities. Please, email letter of interest, resume, and non-certified teaching position application to Angela Estes at [stmvolleyball@hotmail.com](mailto:stmvolleyball@hotmail.com)

**And ye be kind one to another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, even as God, for Christ's sake, hath forgiven you.**

**Ephesians 4:32**



**THANK YOU to EVERYONE involved in The LIVE STATIONS of the Cross! What an amazing job!!**

**Choir Festival** Attention all music ministers. The National Association of Pastoral Musicians will be hosting a Choir Festival at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Rapid City. We will begin rehearsals on the evening of Friday, June 10, and continue all day on Saturday, June 11. The event will culminate at a concert on Saturday at 7:30 p.m. Our conductors will be Nelly and Clayton Southwick. They are very well respected musicians in our state and previously taught choir at Stevens and Central High Schools respectively in Rapid City. Music selections for the event will be fabulous and include men's and women's choirs as well as mixed (SATB). Registration will be \$15 prepaid which includes three meals on Saturday as well as an ice cream social. Send checks to Kathy Little, 14645 Country Rd., Rapid City SD 57701. Any questions, call Jackie Schnittgrund, 342-6132.

### The Rapid City Catholic School System 9th annual Packing

**Hope fundraising campaign.** The purpose of our Packing Hope program is to answer Christ's call to help the poor and vulnerable by bringing hope to our brothers and sisters who are starving and malnourished. Feed Just One is the name of a non-profit organization located in LeMars, Iowa that distributes highly nutritious food to hungry children in the United States, Honduras, and around the world. With the money we raise through our fundraising campaign, we purchase meal ingredients in bulk from Feed Just One and then work as Jesus' hands and feet as we carefully funnel the ingredients into individual packages that we weigh, seal, and ship to children in need on behalf of the Rapid City community. Our students and parishes donate close to \$20,000 annually for this cause, and to date we have packed an estimated 1,000,000 meals.

**Please prayerfully consider donating to this cause. Donations, in care of STM Packing Hope, are being received in the STM Office, 300 Fairmont, RC, SD 57701. Also, we'd like to invite to stop by the STM Middle School gym on April 13th, or the SES gym on April 14th and witness the packing event. Thank you for your prayers and consideration.**

### Christian Prayer Labyrinth Workshop

You are invited to a Christian Prayer Labyrinth Workshop on Saturday, Apr. 2 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. The labyrinth is a place of prayer and silence where we can focus on "being" with our Savior. It's a place to experience sacred presence in the present. In 1201 A.D. the Chartres Cathedral in France was built with the labyrinth placed in stone on its floor for all to walk. This same labyrinth is still present today for walking. During this time, nearly every Gothic Cathedral in Europe had a Prayer Labyrinth. Come learn and experience the labyrinth and walk St. Teresa of Avila's three-fold process of Releasing, Receiving, and Returning. This is a prayer tool that can lead us closer and deeper to our Lord. The cost is \$25 and it includes lunch. Sandi Ohlen is a trained *Veriditas* Labyrinth facilitator. To register go to <http://terrasancta.org/LabyrinthWorkshop> or call Sandi at 605-431-6956 or Terra Sancta at 605-716-0925.

**SCHOLARSHIP** The Ed Hubbling Family has notified us they would like to give a 1000.00 scholarship in memory of their wife and mother, Janet Hubbling who passed away in 2015. Since Janet was a very active Catholic Daughter and a Regent in her day, the family has asked the Catholic Daughters to administer this scholarship. The basic parameters are as follows: The applicant must be a practicing senior Catholic girl who will be entering an accredited college as an incoming freshman in the Fall, 2016. The college does not have to be Catholic. She should be an upstanding individual with good values who has been involved in church, school and community. Special honors will be considered. Letters of recommendation are required. For an application, please e-mail your request to [duduchan3@gmail.com](mailto:duduchan3@gmail.com). Deadline for applications is May 1, 2016.

This is a wonderful memorial scholarship, and we encourage all seniors girls who meet the basic requirements to apply. Thank you.

Florence Skinner, Catholic Daughters of the Americas Scholarship Chair