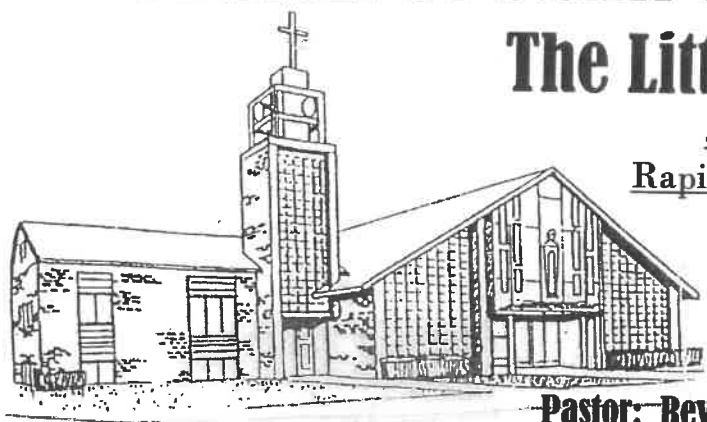


Church of Saint Therese

The Little Flower



532 Adams Street
Rapid City, SD 57701

(605) 342-1556

sttherese@diorc.org
sainttheresechurch.org

Pastor: Rev. Kerry Prendiville

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Charles Rausch

Our parish, dedicated as St. John the Evangelist on November 27, 1941, is presently known as Saint Therese the Little Flower. We have and will continue to proclaim and celebrate the gospel message by building community and serving in the name of Jesus Christ. We celebrate our gifts: a strong loyal parish community and our Catholic bond of faith dedicated to service and love of the Church.

Our Stewardship Mission is to love God first and commit ourselves to be the heart, hands and feet of Christ in our community.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday – Friday:

8:00 am – Noon & 1:00 – 3:00 pm

(We're PROBABLY there earlier/later or through lunch hour, so call daily for additional hours!)

YOUR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

**PASTOR ~ Father Kerry Prendiville,
605-591-9991**

CHAIRPERSON ~ Rita Dupres	381-4988
VICE CHAIRPERSON ~ Patty Brunner	393-2577
Council Secretary ~ Fred Solano	381-7783
Buildings & Grounds ~ Jim Quintus	593-1207
Faith Formation ~ Holly Bossen	209-3268
Stewardship ~ Chris VanCleave	716-5526
Elected – Ralph Dupres	381-6027

ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVES

Altar Society ~ Doris Ann Werlinger	348-6311
Knights of Columbus ~ Jim Blackwell	923-2955

Your Parish Council meets on the LAST Tuesday of each month at 7 pm. You are WELCOME to attend or contact any member. If you have new business, contact a council member prior to meeting.

WEEKEND Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:30 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

5:30 pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 - 8:30 am

Or by appointment!

Daily Mass Schedule:

March 25 - 29

Monday 7:30 am

Tuesday 7:30 am

**Wednesday 9:30 am Mass at
Good Samaritan New Underwood**

Thursday 7:30 am

Friday 7:30 am

YOUR PARISH STAFF

PASTOR ~ Father Kerry Prendiville, 342-1556 ext. 11	DEACONS – Rev. Mr. Charles Rausch
OFFICE STAFF: ~ Connie Heeren, ext. 10	Trish Peterson, ext. 15
YOUTH FORMATION COORDINATOR – Bobby Myers, ext. 12	
JANITORIAL & MAINTENANCE CUSTODIAN ~ Marty Tobacco	FACILITY JANITOR ~ Elaine Duncan

PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

Homebound Ministry: Ron Miller, Jerry Kanta, Kathy Grebner, Joan Feller, Rick Edelen	1st Communion & Confirmation: Bobby Myers
Liturgy/Music: Sue Englin, Jeanne Schneider & Joleen Click	BAPTISM: Call the office: Deacon Chuck Rausch
RCIA: Ralph & Rita Dupres, Deacon Chuck Rausch	Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight, Tom Baumgartner
Altar Society President: Doris Ann Werlinger	

3rd Sunday of Lent
March 23 & 24, 2019

Week of March 24th

Sunday, March 24

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DEACON CHUCK!!

Thank you for ALL you do!!

7 pm Adult Education class w/Rita Dupres

10:15 am Religious Education classes

Confirmation Retreat @ Storm Mountain

Please pray for all of our Confirmands!

7 pm FAMILY ROSARY – All welcome!

Monday, March 25

7 pm Boy Scouts

7 pm Triduum Choir Practice

7 pm Adult Education class w/Fr. Kerry

Tuesday, March 26

3 – 6:15 pm KC BLOOD DRIVE

6:30 pm RCIA

6:30 pm CARD NIGHT

7 pm Parish Pastoral Council meeting

Wednesday, March 27

9:30 am Mass at Good Samaritan Center

6 pm TEAM ONLY

6 pm Hearts of Fire class

Thursday, March 28

6:30 pm Bible Study

Friday, March 29

7:30 am Mass

8 to 9 am Holy Hour of Adoration

followed by Benediction & Morning Prayer

6 pm Soup supper by Knights of Columbus

Speaker: KC State Advocate Ryan Sutton

7 pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 30

after Mass Saturday Night Snack

Heavenly Father, please bless all my friends & family in whatever it is that You know they may be needing this day! And may their life be full of Your peace, prosperity and power as he/she seeks to have a closer relationship with You. Amen.

DOWN THE ROAD

Sunday, March 31

after Masses Sunday Snack

MASS INTENTIONS ~ March 25 - 31

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

MONDAY	7:30 am	Donna Moreland +
TUESDAY	7:30 am	Mike Smith
WEDNESDAY	9:30 am	Mass New Underwood Good Samaritan
THURSDAY	7:30 am	Ron Myscofski + & Andy
FRIDAY	7:30 am	Marlys Johnson +
4th Sunday of Lent		
SATURDAY	5:30 pm	Sarah Bingham +
SUNDAY	9:00 am	Eden Pozorski +
SUNDAY	5:30 pm	Parishioners

MASS INTENTIONS: Other than at St. Therese

Monday, March 25	Nick Trask	<i>By Fr. Bill Zandri - Somerset</i>
Tuesday, March 26	Jane Rausch	<i>By Fr. Bill Zandri - Somerset</i>
Wednesday, March 27	Bennie Saldanha +	<i>By Fr. Bill Zandri - Somerset</i>

FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!

Our Daily Scriptures

Monday	Is 7:10-14;8:10	Ps 40:7-11	Heb 10:4-10	Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday	Dn 3:25,34-43	Ps 25:4bc-5ab,6-7bc,8-9	Mt 18:21-35	
Wednesday	Dt 4:1,5-9	Ps 147:12-13,15-16,19-20	Mt 5:17-19	
Thursday	Jer 7:23-28	Ps 95:1-2,6-9	Lk 11:14-23	
Friday	Hos 14:2-10	Ps 81:L6c-11b,14,17	Mk 12:28-34	
Saturday	Hos 6:1-6	Ps 51:3-4,18-21b	Lk 18:9-14	
Sunday	Jos 5:9a,10-12	Ps 34:2-7	2 Cor 5:17-21	Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Faithful Citizenship Excerpts from A Catholic Framework for

Economic Life As followers of Jesus Christ and participants in a powerful economy, Catholics in the United States are called to work for greater economic justice in the face of persistent poverty, growing income-gaps, and increasing discussion of economic issues in the United States and around the world. We urge Catholics to use the following ethical framework for economic life as principles for reflection, criteria for judgment and directions for action. In economic life, free markets have both clear advantages and limits; government has essential responsibilities and limitations; voluntary groups have irreplaceable roles, but cannot substitute for the proper working of the market and the just policies of the state. Society has a moral obligation, including governmental action where necessary, to assure opportunity, meet basic human needs, and pursue justice in economic life. By our choices, initiative, creativity and investment, we enhance or diminish economic opportunity, community life and social justice. The global economy has moral dimensions and human consequences. Decisions on investment, trade, aid and development should protect human life and promote human rights, especially for those most in need wherever they might live on this globe. www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life

Liturgical Ministry Schedule - March 30 & 31

SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.: Mary Ann Wheeler, Marcia Zacher (S) Kathy Houston, Ellen McGuigan, Bob & Kay Olson, Tim Shull **Lectors:** Scott Sime, Louella Vifquain **Ushers:** Mike & Betty Quasney, Jim Treloar, Dan Shank **Gift Bearers:** Schuch Family **Altar Servers:** Johanna Auriemma

SUN. 9 am E.M.: Del & Joann Solano (S) Bob Heidergerken, Jerry Kanta, Ginny DeJager, Mark Vedder, Darlys Zeller **Lectors:** Judee Popken, Nadine Zeller **Ushers:** Tom & Melanie Parson, Randy Rapp, Brenda Wills **Gift Bearers:** Kent & Jean French **Altar Servers:** Joshua French, Rock Kinsella, Jillian Vernon

SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.: Julie Heintz (S) Dcn. Chuck Rausch, Greg Rausch **Lector:** Deanna Johnson **Ushers:** David & Chris VanCleave, Bill & Jan Winegar **Gift Bearers:** Jerry & Elaine Kocher **Altar Servers:** Riley Gay, Ryan Gay

Please remember to find a substitute if you will be gone. PLEASE call GAYLE MARTIN at 718-4631 if you have any changes.

~ 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 the office at 342-1556 or sttherese@diorc.org

YOU'RE INVITED! Fridays during Lent!

SOUP SUPPER
6:00 PM



STATIONS
7:00 PM



Speaker featured
at the supper

March 29 - THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will host the supper! Huge THANK YOU to BOY SCOUTS for hosting March 22nd!

The parable in today's Gospel clearly warns that we, like the fig tree, will be judged by our fruit. While God mercifully provides us with time and opportunity, let us give witness to our faith with deeds of kindness and generosity!

GENERAL & OTHER FUNDS: Contributions this week

Envelopes	\$ 5180.00
Plate Collection	\$ 1464.75
Children's Collection	\$ 49.22
Building Improvements	\$ 76.00
Copier Maintenance - KC's	\$ 50.00
Electronic Tithing	\$ 1135.00
TEXT TO GIVE	\$ 225.00
Families in Need-egiving	\$ 5.00
Priest Retirement Aid Association	\$ 111.75
Facility Use Donation	\$ 25.00
Adult Religious Ed Books	\$ 15.00
Seminarian Fund	\$ 529.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 36.51
TOTAL	\$ 8902.73

WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED: \$9418.00

"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Ash Wednesday-CSS	\$ 40.00
Ash Wednesday-CSS - egiving	\$ 135.00
Black & Indian Missions -egiving	\$ 20.00
Black & Indian Missions	\$ 371.00
Bishops' Relief (CRS) Collection	\$ 5.00
Church in Central & Eastern Europe	\$ 30.00

COLLECTIONS FOR MARCH:

Mar. 24: General Fund **Mar. 31:** Flowers & Environment / General Fund
MAR: Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

Please add WILL WINCH to your prayers.

Bulletin Prayer List:

Mandy Aarkfeld, David Ange, Diane Ange, Rick & Kathy Borkovec, Dewayne Borszich, Joyce Braun, Britney Weber Brouillette, Mike Cole, Irene Cox, Bonnie Elwood, Ruth Geiger, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Kelly Heintz, Bill Hershley, Debbie Himrich, Ron Langseth, Norene Lantz, Erin Maddox, Kevin Maher, Mary Maher, Dwyla Martin, Brad Maskovich, Susan McFadden, Jack Myers, Leah Nixon, Terry Nold, Nancy Palmer, Bruce C. Peterson, Susie Powers, Helen Quasney, Jim Quinn, Ted Rapp, Russ Rearick, Elizabeth Richards, Blakelynn Sharkey, Janice Simons, Bruce Wiesner, Will Winch, Carolyn Wise, Angie Zacher

Thank you for the continued prayers for Judy Herrick & Dolores Lawson +

A LITTLE LAUGH ...

Connie explained, "I can't diet because it would just not be fair to all the thin people if I were this adorable, intelligent, funny AND thin! It's a public service really."

(Lord please don't strike her down) ☺

Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ MARCH

Chairperson: Bobbi Bloom Co-chair: Paula Welsch

Did YOU get your cards yet??!!! The 'We Care' gift cards spend just like cash at many stores & benefit the church at no extra cost to you! If you're going to spend the money anyway, why not help a good cause while you're at it? ON HAND from WALMART / SAMS CLUB, FAMILY FARE & SAFEWAY! We still have on hand: \$10 cards from Target. \$25 cards from Kohls, Dominos Pizza, Holiday, Michaels, & Red Lobster! Get them before they're gone! (We are no longer doing Scrip program, BUT WILL continue the We Care cards!) Come see us after mass or in the office.

Knights News....

The Knights of Columbus

WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS:

Kaleb Hedman & Gerald Kanta II

If you haven't tried e-giving yet, you should!!! It's easy & SECURE!

If you're still not sure, but want to try it, just stop into the office or call the office at 342-1556.

Online - Make a donation on our website:

www.sainttheresechurch.org

Text to Donate - to our Number: 605-250-1952

Simply text an amount (no dollar sign needed) to the number above and follow the prompts to complete your donation! See the text code word listing at both entrances but "Donation" is default.

Give+ App Search "GivePlus Church" in your phone App store, download- find St. Therese Church by 57701.

Cut this out for easy reference!

If you haven't checked out this FREE website, do it today and Get FORMED in the Catholic Faith!

You can even download the app for FORMED ON THE GO!

So many resources available to you for FREE!

E-Books, Lighthouse Catholic Media audio presentations & more!!

Go to: FORMED.ORG

Our Parish Code: 2ad1be

You will be asked to set up a profile and a password to access all of the info. FREE!! Check it out!!

KC Wives Appreciation Dinner ~ April 13th

St. Therese K of C #8025 is having a Wives Appreciation Dinner as a way to say "Thank You!" at the Moose Club (841 E. St. Patrick St. in Rapid City). Social at 4:30 pm with meal @5:30 pm. The council will pay for the wives/widows/priests-deacon. Payment for each man {18.00} will have to be received @ the door in check {made out to the K of C #8025} OR cash. <NO credit/debit cards can be used> Meal will be a two meat buffet of pork roast or chicken breast. There will be a cash bar. RSVP to Ed Mills at 605-209-4745 or email to jawjam47@msn.com by SATURDAY, APRIL 6th.

The Lord is kind and merciful, and calls us to proclaim his name. Considering a call to priesthood or religious life? (Psalm 103)
PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

The new VETERAN'S Outreach Center IS IN IMMEDIATE NEED OF TRIAL-SIZE SHAMPOOS, CONDITIONERS & BODY WASHES (especially 3-in-ones)! We will be collecting these items for March & April.

Please place your items in the basket in the Parish Center. **THANK YOU!** The Veteran's Outreach Center is located at 111 New York St. Rapid City, SD 57701 ~ 605.341.8336

SEEKING ITEMS FOR Addiction Recovery Centers:

Pens/Pencils, Crossword puzzles, word puzzles, word search, Sudoku, and regular puzzles. Place in the box in the Parish Center by the offices.

CHURCH RESPONSE is still in need of the following: canned meat, canned pastas, oatmeal, and toilet paper.

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

The Hope Center is in need of deodorant, razors, travel size lotion and conditioner, laundry soap, Kleenex, disinfecting wipes and cleaning supplies such as Pine-Sol or toilet bowl cleaner!
615 Kansas City St., Rapid City or the Parish Center

Mommy's Closet continues to seek donations for: children's clothing to sz. 6, **socks and underwear** to sz 6, **diapers** especially sz 5 & up & **baby wipes**

We greatly appreciate all your contributions.

Please place all items in the cradles at either entrance.

NEWBORN BABY ITEMS 0-12 months new and/or very gently used Outfits, rattles, onesies, receiving blankets, etc. & MATERNITY CLOTHING in all sizes are collected donated to BIRTHRIGHT. Also, if you are interested in volunteering with Birthright, call Cathy at 347-6190.



PARISH PINOCHLE NIGHTS

hosted by the KC's

Every Tuesday from 6:30 to 9 pm

EVERYONE WELCOME!!



LIVE STATIONS are April 12th
7 pm After the Soup Supper
Performed by our YOUTH

AND ONE MORE LAUGH...

A woman was flying from Seattle to San Francisco. Unexpectedly, the plane was diverted to Sacramento along the way. The flight attendant explained that there would be a delay, and if the passengers wanted to get off the aircraft the plane would re-board in 50 minutes. Everybody got off the plane except one lady who was blind. The man had noticed her as he walked by and could tell the lady was blind because of her guide dog. The dog lay quietly underneath the seats in front of her throughout the entire flight. He could also tell she had flown this very flight before because the pilot approached her, and calling her by name, said, "Kathy, we are in Sacramento for almost an hour. Would you like to get off and stretch your legs?" The blind lady replied, "No thanks, but maybe Buddy would like to stretch his legs." *Picture this: All the people in the gate area came to a complete standstill when they looked up and saw the pilot walk off the plane with a GUIDE DOG! The pilot was even wearing sunglasses. People scattered. They not only tried to change planes, but they were trying to change airlines! Supposedly a true story.*

ST. THOMAS MORE THEATER DEPARTMENT'S
 Production of
 A New Version of Gilbert & Sullivan's
The Pirates of Penzance

AS PRESENTED ON BROADWAY BY
 NEW YORK SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL
 Produced by JOSEPH PATE
 Musical Adaptation by W. S. Gillette
 Lyrics by G. K. Lovell

April 4 - Opening Night, 7pm
 April 5 - 7pm
 April 6 - Final Performance, 7pm

Seton Gym Stage at
 Terra Sancta
 Doors open at 6:30 pm

Purchase tickets online beginning March 2nd at www.rccss.org

Presented in our special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI). All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI. (entertainment.com)

Cursillo Weekends

Men's & Women's 3-day Cursillo Weekends

Women's Weekend May 2-5, Storm Mountain Center, Rockerville;

Men's Weekend May 16-19, Storm Mountain Center, Rockerville.

Application fee \$25. A free-will offering is taken at the end of the weekends.

Applications: <http://www.natl-cursillo.org/rapidcity>. For questions contact:

Richard Rangel 605-391-4187 richard.rangel@rushmore.com or David Elkjer

605-209-6782 delkjer@vastbb.net. Cursillo, Spanish for short course, is a

world-wide personal enrichment program that concentrates on Christian piety,

study and action. See the website for more information.



From the USCCB Office of Pro-Life Activities: Prayer for an End to Infanticide

The U.S. Senate recently failed to pass the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act — legislation that prohibits infanticide by ensuring that a child born alive following an attempted abortion would receive the same degree of care to preserve her or his life and health as would be given to any other child born alive at the same gestational age. South Dakota was well represented, as both Senators John Thune and Mike Rounds co-sponsored and voted for the bill. However it fell seven votes short of passing. Please join us in prayer for an end to infanticide:

"Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life."

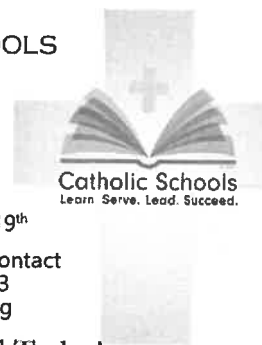
Pastoral Ministry Days: April 7-9, 2019 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City. Theme "One Spirit — Priests and Laity Working Together to Form the Mystical Body of Christ" Based on 1 Corinthians 12:12-13. Keynote Speaker — **Rev. Charles Lachowitz**, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia for the Archdiocese of St. Paul & Minneapolis. The cost is \$80, but if you register before March 15, you can get an early bird rate of \$65. **Online registration and information can be found here: www.PMD2019.com** We encourage everyone to register online, if possible, for purposes of accuracy of information, but if you are unable, you can also register by calling the Terra Sancta Retreat Center at **605-716-0925**, and they can register you over the phone. For more info., Dionne Eastmo (deastmo@diorc.org) or Susan Safford (ssafford@diorc.org) 716-5214.

**RAPID CITY CATHOLIC SCHOOLS
 2019-2020 REGISTRATION**

**Returning Family and
 New Sibling Registration**
 Jan. 25-Feb. 8, 2019

New Family Registration begins Feb. 19th

For a tour or more information please contact
 Marcia Werner at (605) 343-8484 x. 1203
mwerner@rccss.org ~ www.RCCSS.org



Class Sizes are Limited - Enroll Today!

Ireland Faith of the Irish with Fr. Adam Hofer July 9-20, 2019, 12 glorious days, Deposits and Registrations due March 27. Room for 8 more, sign up today! \$4,395. includes air, hotel, ground transportation, most meals, deluxe motor coach, entrance fees per the itinerary, daily mass at very holy places! Call Rita to reserve your spot, 605-381-4988.

River Cruise Danube River Cruise, plus Munich, Budapest and Prague with Fr. Michel Mulloy. 13 Day Cruise and Land from Rapid City October 25 to November 7, 2019. Deposit of \$1,000 due by April 29, 2019, final payment due May 29, 2019. Prices start at \$5,190, depends on room on ship. Includes Air, food, 7day cruise, motels, ground transportation, fees, daily mass. A late payment fee of \$100 will be charged per person for all registration received after the final payment date. We have reserved spots for 30 pilgrims so hurry and get registered as soon as possible. Call Rita to reserve your spot, 605-381-4988

S.N.S.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY NIGHT SNACK

The youth will be serving bags of yummy popcorn & other treats after Masses on March 30 & 31! Be sure to pick up a bag or two or three...*All proceeds go to send our young people to Steubenville St. Paul in July!*

KC BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, March 26th ~ 3 pm – 6:15 pm

For an appointment contact: Bill Schneider at 605.391-7413 or bloodhero.com and enter sponsor code: therese WALK-INS WELCOME, TOO!



Join us for a Lenten journey...

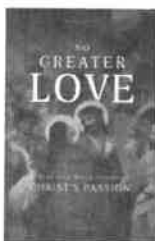
NO GREATER LOVE

A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion

Sundays at 10:15 am with Rita Dupres

Mondays at 7 pm with Father Kerry Prendiville

OPTIONAL: Books are \$15 & Workbooks are \$10



THURSDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY @ 6:30 pm

Bring a Bible, if you have one, and gain a better understanding of upcoming Sunday Mass Readings. For more information contact Melanie Karp at 430-0459 and leave a message or text.

TRIDUUM CHOIR

Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday

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

Practice: MONDAYS at 7 pm!!

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 Englin at 343-8455 after 6 pm



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Grades PreK - 5th: SUNDAYS- 10:15 - 11:30 am

Mar. 24, 31 CLASS

CONFIRMATION: SUNDAYS: 9 – 11:30 am ~ 7th Grade +

Mar. 24 CONFIRMATION RETREAT @ Storm Mountain

Mar. 31 CLASS

Life Teen (High School) & Edge (Middle School):

WEDNESDAYS- 6 – 7:45 pm 6 pm Dinner ~ Group starts at 6:30 pm

Mar. 27 Core TEAM ONLY

SEEKING ITEMS FOR THE NEXT

Steubenville SILENT AUCTION!

COMING SOON! Watch the bulletin for more information. Item donations may be brought to the office or call Bobby at 342-1556, ext. 12.



ANOTHER LITTLE LAUGH...

Actual call center conversations!

Caller: I deleted a file from m6y PC last week and I just realized that I need it. So, if I turn my system clock back two weeks will I get my file back again?

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Information Caller: "I'd like the number of the Argo Fish Bar, please." Operator: "I'm sorry, there's no listing. Are you sure that the spelling is correct?" Caller: "Well, it used to be called the Bargo Fish Bar but the 'B' fell off."

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, April 4 - Dinner - 5pm -Fiesta Tequila

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.

2019 Joy-Filled Marriage Classes Joy-Filled Marriage is a marriage preparation program that offers a comprehensive approach to marriage preparation. It covers not only the sacramentality and theology of marriage, but the practical life skills necessary to live out the rich Catholic vision of marriage. The Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Rapid City, is scheduling all of the 2019 dates in advance. The staff is sharing the dates in case anyone has a conflict with the dates at their own parish. **2019 Joy Filled Marriage Classes – Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help:** March 29-30; May 31-June 1; September 6-7; December 13-14 *These classes are a requirement for marriage in the Diocese of Rapid City. Please contact Dori O'Connor zottie13@yahoo.com or 391-3204, to register.*

Benefit Dinner for Regina Palmer ~ April 10 ~ 4:30-6:30 pm ~ Blessed Sacrament Church

Parish Hall, 4500 Jackson Blvd. Rapid City, S.D. The money will go towards treating her for severe aplastic anemia. Menu: pulled pork sandwiches, sides, drinks and a dessert. A silent auction will be held. *More ways to help — donate blood at your local blood bank: vitalant.org; join the national bone marrow donor registry: bethematch.com; donate a dessert: Contact Deb Ross at 605-381-7677 or djross@rap.midco.net; Give at Regina's Go-Fund-Me page: gofundme.com/reginas-bone-marrow-transplant*

SCHOLARSHIP FOR CATHOLIC SENIOR GIRL

The Ed Hubbeling Family of Rapid City is offering a \$1000.00 college scholarship. This scholarship is given in memory of their parents, Janet and Ed Hubbeling. It is awarded to a graduating senior girl who is a practicing Catholic and will be a freshman in any 4 year college in the fall of 2019. Because of Janet's active involvement and love for the Catholic Daughters, she requested Ct. St. Rita. #916 of the Rapid City area, to be the administrators of this scholarship. For an application, email duduchan3@gmail.com, giving your name and home address. You may also contact: CDA Scholarship Committee, 4731 Patricia Street, Rapid City, SD 57703 **COMPLETED SUBMISSIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MAY 1, 2019.**

Sioux Spiritual Center & St. Isaac Jogues Church to Host National Speaker Richard May, a catechist and past speaker at the National Tekakwitha Conference, will speak twice in the Diocese of Rapid City. On Saturday, April 6, he will be speaking from 10 a.m.-noon on Nicholas Black Elk, Servant of God, at the Sioux Spiritual Center, Howes. The price of lunch is \$10, or \$35 for a family of four or more. Please register on the website www.siuousspiritualcenter.org, or RSVP to Carole Brown at 605-985-5906. At 6:30 p.m. that day he will speak at St. Isaac Jogues Church, Rapid City, on the Florida Martyrs.

Way of the Cross at Terra Sancta

Join us for Stations of the Cross each Wednesday at 3 p.m. during Lent (March 13-April 17) in the Cenacle (small chapel) at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. We typically pray The Women's Way of the Cross by Sr. Marie Schwan. All are welcome. Please use the west entrance for easy access to the Cenacle.

Lectio Divina at Terra Sancta

Join us for an hour of quiet reflection on the Sunday Gospel reading each Wednesday at 5:15 p.m. in Hebron at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. Please use the south entrance for easy access to the meeting area.

Hope For New Life (HFNL) Ministry

Prison Encounter: Sharing the Lord's Prayer

Our Wednesday evening encounters with the inmates of Pennington County Jail are as spiritually moving for us as they are for those to whom we minister. To illustrate this truth, consider the following testimony from HFNL ministry member **Sharen Lagrande** following the February 20, 2019 session: "We opened our program by playing a CD by Dr. Scott Hahn: *"Understanding the Lord's Prayer."* I have often prayed and asked God to help me see Christ in other people. I have to admit I have struggled with this. But after listening to Dr. Hahn, especially his talk about the beginning of the prayer, "Our Father" and not "My Father," I had an awareness of how God sees us as a family, and also wants us to pray as a family. We are truly brothers and sisters in Christ. It was a very powerful moment for me. I am still very touched by the hand of God bringing to my awareness how a simple shift in our focus can open our hearts to feel and express God's love. Wow! What a moment." If you would like to learn more about our ministry, please contact **Bill Gradoville 605 430-2697**. If you would like to volunteer to be a HFNL prayer partner, call or text **Jennifer Shama 605 381-1118**. We also invite you to attend our monthly HFNL business meetings every 3rd Monday of the month (6:30 pm) at Catholic Social Services.

Paschal Triduum Retreat: Enter the silence and experience the rich liturgies of Holy Week with the monastic community of the Benedictine Sisters of Sacred heart Monastery in Yankton. Retreat begins 4:30 pm, April 18, Holy Thursday, and ends with noon dinner Easter Sunday, April 21. For more information www.yanktonbeneditines.org/triduum-retreat/. To register, e-mail BenedictinePeaceCtr@mtmc.edu or call 605-668-6292 before April 12. A personal retreat may be arranged at another time that better fits your schedule.

Spiritual Hospice Ministry: to request prayers for the dying, call (605) 209-0667 or visit SpiritualHospice.com



AN EVENING IN PARIS

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National Pastoral Musicians Spring Meeting

On Saturday, April 6, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. the NPM meeting will be at St. Michael Church, Hermosa. Topics to be covered include maximizing functionality of electronic keyboards, seasonal planning for the liturgical year, and tips on forming/leading a funeral choir. Contact Pat McDowell to register (605-787-0638, or patmcdowell44@gmail.com).

SAVE THE DATE for a MOTHER/DAUGHTER BRUNCH

ALL Women! Bring your daughter, granddaughter, family member, friend, or just yourself (Catholic or otherwise)

When: Sunday, May 5, 2019

Where: Terra Sancta

Sponsored by CDA, Court St. Rita, #916

More information on registration and cost to come.



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"Behold, I stand at the door and knock." —Rev 3:20

March 2019

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During the weekend of March 30-31, our diocese will take up the **Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC)**. Your support of this collection serves Jesus in disguise in some of the most marginalized communities in our world. Proceeds from this national collection provide services for immigrants and refugees, humanitarian aid in the wake of natural disasters, and advocacy for peace and justice around the world. Please join in this collection to support those suffering on the margins around the world.

In rural communities in Afghanistan, for example, children have limited access to education because of distance and the danger of commuting to public schools. In a remote village in Ghor, one of the poorest provinces of the country, an estimated 80% of adults are illiterate, and the illiteracy rate is even higher for women. Most villagers are farmers who never attended school. The closest school was too far and the road too dangerous for young children to attend.

But you helped bring a community-based classroom to this remote village. Your generosity made it possible for the children to attend school and has offered them a more hopeful and secure future. Such programs have been implemented across Afghanistan for 15 years and have helped more than 23,000 students build more prosperous lives. Children across Afghanistan, and indeed the world, depend on your support to go to school and have bright futures.

Your support of this collection makes a difference for so many around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support it this year. If you want to learn more about the collection and the people who benefit, please visit www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.


Be assured of my prayers for you and your intentions. May many respond generously to this opportunity to answer the knock of **Jesus in disguise**.

Sincerely in the love of Christ,

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