MASS INTENTIONS ~ May 30 - June 5

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

MONDAY 7:30 am – William O. Campbell + 5:30 pm – Mike J. Vandeberg + TUESDAY 7:30 am – Damion & Lillian Joachim +

WEDNESDAY 7:30 am – Leo Grebner +
THURSDAY 7:30 am – Alois & Donna Krebs +
FRIDAY 7:30 am – Roger Alan Thorp

SATURDAY
SUNDAY
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10th Sunday of Ordinary Time
5:30 pm - Charles J. Ray +
9:00 am - Jay & Lori Feller +
5:30 pm - Don Brunner +

MASS INTENTIONS: Other than at St. Therese

Sunday, June 5 Esther Matz +

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 2 Pt 1:2-7 Ps 91:1-2,14-16 Mk 12:1-12
Tuesday Zep 3:14-18a (Ps) ls 12:2-3,4bcd,5-6 Lk 1:39-56
Wednesday 2 Tm 1:1-3,6-12 Ps 123:1-2 Mk 12:18-27
Thursday 2 Tm 2:8-15 Ps 25:4-5b,8-10,14 Mk 12:28-34
Friday Ez 34:11-16 Ps 23:1-6 Rom 5:5b-11
Saturday 2 Tm 4:1-8 Ps 71:8-9,14-15b,16-17,22 Lk 2:41-51
Sunday 1 Kgs 17:17-24 Ps 30:2,4,5-6,11-13 Gal 1:11-19 Lk 7:11-17

Faithful Citizenship "The Church is convinced that work is a fundamental dimension of man's existence on earth. She is confirmed in this conviction by considering the whole heritage of the many sciences devoted to man: anthropology, paleontology, history, sociology, psychology and so on; they all seem to bear witness to this reality in an irrefutable way. But the source of the Church's conviction is above all the revealed word of God, and therefore what is a conviction of the intellect is also a conviction of faith. The reason is that the Church believes in man: she thinks of man and addresses herself to him in the first place in the light of the revealed word of the living God. Relating herself to man, she seeks to express the eternal designs and transcendent destiny which the living God, the Creator and Redeemer, has linked with him." St. John Paul II

Liturgical Ministry Schedule - June 4 & 5

SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.: Jill Leberknight, Marcia Zacher (S) Renee Coldwell, Ivan & Darlene Davignon, Patty Fritzie, Ellen McGuigan Lector: Kristi Willard, Bob Case Ushers: Jacob French, Michael & Sarah Crook, Dick Cuka Gift Bearers: Fred & Paula Welsch Altar Servers: Benjamin Schuch, Allison Schuch, Matthew Theis, Rebecca Theis

SUN. 9 am ALL MINISTRIES BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

<u>SUN. 5:30 pm</u> <u>E.M.:</u> Beth Paris (S) Elaine Kocher, Needed <u>Ushers:</u> Lori Ashley, Tony Berendse <u>Gift Bearers:</u> Bob Ormesher, Greg Rausch, Rick & Rachel Edelen <u>Altar Servers:</u> Isabella Ashley, Olivia Ashley, Max Edelen, Seth Edelen

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

"Dear Friends In Christ, After five years of doing the Liturgical Ministry Scheduling, I've decided to retire. Thanks to all of you for your patience and support. May God Bless, Gayle"

The annual RUMMAGE SALE is June 2, 3 & 4!!!!



http://w2.vatican.va

Now is the time to save all your TREASURES that someone else can't live without!

Drop off your items BEGINNING MAY 24th!

(Sorry, no TVs or computers)

Also, seeking volunteers to sort, price, sell!
Call Sandi Jolley at 348-6840!

<u>Thursday, June 2nd is Early Bird Sale!</u> For \$5 you may shop first from 6 to 8:30 pm! Food available, too!

Friday, June 3rd from 7 am to 3 pm & Saturday, June 4th from 7 am to noon!



Through The Waters of Baptism:

Jeresen DELANEY, son of Jeremy & Shawna
John & Fredrick SOLANO. twin sons of Fredrick & Amber

FATHER BILL IS RETIRING! (8)

So....ALL MONTH LONG.... CARD SHOWER!!!
Send your cards to the office and mark them

"FATHER BILL RETIREMENT". We will put them in a big box for him to take on his next adventure!

Per his request, no big party... so Jerry's Donuts and coffee after each Mass June 25 & 26!

== The "Z" Gram ==

--- Notes From Father Bill --

The next big event for our parishes is the Annual Rummage Sale. This is a yearly event and it needs a great deal of help from YOU!! You can bring items for the sale now! Tuesday, May 31, from 4 to 8 pm, the Knights of Columbus will help with the drop off and pick up of items. Please call the office to schedule a pick-up of your large items. Please no computers or televisions. June 2nd there will be an early-bird sale. \$5 gets you in the door to be the first to buy. The youth will have food for sale too. June 3 from 7 am to 3 pm is the sale. June 4 is from 7 am to Noon. Please try to make donations and then come to the sale!

Bulletin Prayer List:

Diane Ange, Tim Ange, Maureen Bauer, Wendlin Baumgartner, Shirley Black, Rose Brunson, Kellee Callender, Dorothy Coats, James Coats, Alice Cole, Barb Collins, Irene Cox, Katherine Craig, Ed Davis, Todd Ennen, Cathy Falcone, Judy Fisher, Elvina Follum, Diane Fraser, Haven Garrett, Tim Garrett, Vern Goetz, Gary Gross, Laurie Gustaf, Harold & Judy Hansen, Sue Hayden, Michi Hittle, Rosemary Huggins, Jim Kampa, Father Kari, Jenny Keitges, Kaylan King, Arlene Kingsley, Meg Krause, Corky Leach, Melanie Lewis, Sharon Long, Josh Magbuhat, Susan McFadden, Steve Miller, Donna Moreland, Aggie Mousel, Ann O'Connell, Diane Orville, Helen Quasney, Jerry Quinn, Joyce Quinn, Ted & Judy Rapp, John Radziwon, Rose, Steve Rumbaugh, Peggy Russell, Carla Sandifer, Shirley, Rita Strand, Greg Suto, Mary Swanson, Louis Vanderslice, Eileen Walters, Sharon Weber, Rose Wickenheiser, Bernadette Zander

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION MONDAYS: 8 am to 5:30 pm

"In the presence of this mystery of the Eucharist, human reason experiences its limitations. The heart, however, responds and bows low in adoration and in love." —Pope John Paul II

<u>Parish website:</u> www.sainttheresechurch.org

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

Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ JUNE

Chairperson: Lynn Loomer Co-chair: Kathy Klemann

To be good is fine, but to be proud of it ruins the whole thing.

A WEEKLY FUNNY... from father Bill

Larry went to see a financial planner to finally check into a Retirement Account. At the meeting Larry explained his income, assets and goals. The financial planner nodded occasionally while Larry was talking. Then he sighed and leaned back in his office chair. Larry was anxious for the plan. After about a minute of silence, the financial planner said, "Well Larry, you'll only be working til noon the day of your funeral."

Do this in remembrance of me.
Feed the hungry; proclaim the good news of everlasting life.
(Luke 9:11-17) PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

~ 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.

Spring Fling has sprung! This week, we have received \$105 toward our Parking Lot Renovation!! Thank you for the donations! Keep em comin'! ©

In today's Gospel, the disciples suggest that Jesus disperse the crowd so that they might individually seek food and lodging. The miracle of the feeding of the five thousand is Jesus' powerful reminder that when we share our gifts in His name there is always more than enough!

GENERAL FUND: Contributions last week		
Envelopes	\$	5953.33
Plate Collection	\$	1505.30
Children's Collection	\$	77.46
Votive Candle Income	\$	93.00
TOTAL	\$	7629.09
Amount needed per week:	\$	6805.00

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements \$ 42.00

"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund \$ 595.00 Priest Retirement Aid \$ 562.42 Peter's Pence \$ 5.00

COLLECTIONS FOR MAY / JUNE:

May 29: General Fund June 5: General Fund

<u>June 12</u>: Peter's Pence / General Fund <u>June 19</u>: General Fund

June 26: General Fund

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

Congratulations on your 50TH ANNIVERSARY Dennis & Sheryl Feller June 11, 2016



Come help them

celebrate at an OPEN HOUSE at T.R.E.A.,
1981 E. Centre St. on June 12th from 1 to 4 pm!

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

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.

Love. Inc. CLOTHE-A-KID

Do you have a couple of hours you could spare for us? We could use your help with the Sign-Up on Mon., June 6 or Thurs., Jun 9 from 4:30 – 6:30pm. OR on Tues., June 7 or Wed., June 8 from 10:30am – 1:00pm. Sign-Up is at Bethel Assembly of God again this year, located at 1202 N. Maple Ave. Thank you! Questions?? Call Diane 342-2860 or 381-6389.

Attention youth!!! Café workers needed during the rummage sale, June 3 4 4.

Please call to sign up for shift.

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.

Taking a road trip? You can purchase your gas and help the needy at no extra cost to you by first purchasing 'We Care' gift cards. We have both WalMart/Sam's Club and Safeway cards that can be used at the store's pumps as well as from Family Thrift Center/Prairie Market so you can pack a basket of goodies for the kids to take along. Get yours at the table after mass or come into the parish office... we'll help get you on your way!

ANOTHER WEEKLY FUNNY...from Father Bill

Shortly before morning worship, a pastor was preoccupied with the thoughts of how he could ask the congregation for more money for church repairs. He was even more troubled when he learned the regular pianist was sick. When the last-minute substitute asked what to play, the pastor replied with a sigh, "Whatever you think best." Opening the service with announcements, the pastor said, "Brothers and sisters, we are in great difficulty. The roof repairs have cost twice as much as we expected and we need another \$4,000. Anyone who can pledge a hundred dollars or more, please stand up." At that moment, the pianist began playing "The Star-Spangled Banner."

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!



Take Me Out To The Ballgame!

St. Therese Softball ~ Whitehead Fields Canyon Lake Dr.

Women: (Wed.) June 1 7 & 8 pm

Men: (Tues.) May 31 7 & 9 pm (Sun.) June 5 3 & 4 pm

Hope to see you there!!

It takes both rain and sunshine to make a rainbow.

Young Adults Group 18 and older is forming at St. Therese!! There will be an informational/planning gathering on Friday, June 3, at 6 p.m. at Pizza Ranch. Cost is ONLY \$5!!

Contact Wendell Van Cleave, via text at 605-381-7730 or Rita Dupres at 605-381-4988 to let us know if you can make it. Our next outing will be June 11 so please come and find out the details.

YOUTH NEWS SUMMER 2016

R you gonna join us?????

June

<u>Grades K-8</u> — Duc in Altum — June 13-16, 2016, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost \$20 each or \$30 for family, (NON-PARISHIONERS \$30 Each \$40 family)

Middle School 6 – 8 –

Duc in Altum, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost \$20 each or \$30 for family, (NON-PARISHIONERS \$30 Each \$40 family)

Summer Stretch – Wednesday's 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., June 22, 29, Cost for 5 weeks plus a campout \$45, includes Works of Mercy (@ Boys Club, Girls Inc, Adult Day Care and Feeding America, Picnic Lunch (Bring your own lunch), and Fun Activity in the afternoon (Bear Country, Cosmos, Watiki)

<u>Little Flower Coffee House</u> – Fridays, 3-5, stop in for social time, an awesome snack, music and games. Social time with music, fun and food!!!

High School 9-12-

Duc in Altum 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost \$20 each or \$30 for family, (NON-PARISHIONERS \$30 Each \$40 family)

LOCK OUT – June 11, starting at 9 p.m.Glow in the dark Volleyball, Midnight Bowling at Meadowbrook Bowling Lanes, Giant Screen Movie under the stars, and Mass at the Medjagorje cross at 5 a.m., breakfast at 6 a.m. then GO HOME AND SLEEP!!!! Cost \$10 each

SLIP AND SLIDE KICK BALL – June 22 3 p.m. then Smores Following

Steubenville of the Rockies – June 23-26, 2016, \$375 each! – 22 signed up, 4 chaperones so far, Chris Van Cleave, Rita Dupres, Matt Schmall, and Beth Sand.

YDISCIPLE – Start meeting weekly following Duc in Altum, your group decides date, location and times!!!!

<u>Little Flower Coffee House</u> – Fridays, 3-5, stop in for social time, an awesome snack, music and games. Social time with music, fun and food!!!

MORE TO COME IN JULY & AUGUST! Look at the youth board!!

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!

And ONE MORE FUNNY... from father Bill

A mother decided it was past time that her three sons get baptized. On the designated Sunday morning as they were on their way to church, the mother noticed that her 9-year old seemed to be a bit preoccupied. When she asked him what the problem was, he said, "Mom, I want to go first." "Why do you want to go first?" she asked. "Because," he began and then paused for a few seconds, "I really don't want to be baptized in water that has all of my brothers' sins floating around in it."

St. Therese Meals-on-Wheels Team SEEKING SUBSTITUTE DRIVERS FOR OUR TEAMS!

We deliver on Fridays and seeking people to learn our route (church area) and fill in for the team in case needed.

Please call Connie at 342-1556 for information!

AND THANK YOU to those volunteering:

Bob Ormesher, Karen Thorp, Del & Joann Solano, Milferd Best, Leona Best, Melanie Karp Parson, Connie Lowe, Bobbi Bloom & Kay Pomerenke Meals on Wheels is such a wonderful program & you make it happen! You're a blessing!

A Vital Prayer Chain Dear Beloved God

in Heaven, Please give us a president that loves this country and everything it stands for. Please give us a president who respects you as the one true God. Please give us a president who will, with your help, restore this nation to its former glory, the way you created her. Please help us to respect what you have given to us and not take anything for granted ever again. Please God, weaken the evil and strengthen the good, both within and without. May our eyes be opened. In Jesus' name, Amen. God Bless America!

Get FORMED in the Catholic Faith! So many resources available to you for FREE!

NEW SERIES: The Bible and the Virgin Mary

a dynamic twelve-part video series that beautifully explains the Catholic truths about Our Lady showing how she has been a part of God's plan to bring salvation to the world since the beginning of time.

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. Programs, Movies, audios, and books are now available to you for FREE!! Check it out!! **We will be starting some classroom sessions here at the church for some of these programs, or you may contact the office if you would like to use our computer to view OR get started on your own now!

Yes! Thanks to Black Hills Works, we can now offer recycling for

toner cartridges!!! So.. SAVE YOUR EMPTY INK CARTRIDGES and toner cartridges!

Just place your empties in the box in Parish Center.

Must be original cartridges – not generic. Please see the list on the box for acceptable ink cartridges. Thank you for supporting OUR YOUTH!

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/Carmike for upcoming movies and email when a good movie comes up

- June 4 Saturday Crazy Horse Volksmarch 7am –lunch in Hill City. Meet at Mt Rushmore Safeway to carpool. 3 cans food for gate admission & \$3 hike fee.
- June 9 Thursday Main Street Square Concert- Abby Road 5pm -meet at the parking garage near the West stairs.
- June 11 RC Chapter of National Pastoral Musicians Concert Cathedral 7:30pm–followed by an Ice Cream Social and a free will offering for Love Inc.
- June 25 Saturday Dine Out Alpine Inn 5pm- Meet at Mt Rushmore Safeway at 4pm to carpool to Hill City.

MORE EVENTS IN JULY! See the bulletin board & watch bulletin.

How are parish clusters being realigned? Read the May *West River Catholic*, page 1

Totus Tuus Camps for Girls & Boys

Totus Tuus is a summer camp where we spend a few days reflecting on God's call to each of us. Religious Sisters from around the country & priests and seminarians will join us to pray with us, teach us about our faith and about religious life. We will enjoy hiking, campfires, kayaking, swimming, games and much more! Girls camp (completed grades 6-8) will be held at Terra Sancta, June 14-17, and leadership camp (completed 9th grade and above) is scheduled for June 13-17. Boys camp (completed grades 6-8) will be held at Terra Sancta, July 12-15, and leadership camp (completed 9th grade and above) is scheduled for July 11- 15. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at 716-5214 ext. 233 or shanson@diorc.org. Registration fee \$115 (scholarships are available). Deadline for registration is May 25; there is a \$20 discount for registering by May 15. Registrations on the youth board.

Totus Tuus Family Retreat Day

Join us Saturday, June 18 from 4:30 – 8 p.m. at Terra Sancta Retreat Center for an evening of fun, fellowship and prayer with some of the religious sisters that assist us in putting on the Totus Tuus Camp for Girls. To register, please call the Office of Vocations at 605-716-5214 ext. 233 or email us at: shanson@diorc.org.

Directory of Youth and Newman Ministry

St. Joseph Church, Spearfish, SD —The person in this position works with priests and staff serving the Catholic parishes of Spearfish, Belle Fourche and Newell in South Dakota. Responsibilities as follows: develop and direct Edge/Y-Disciple programs for middle and high school youth, and assist priest chaplains in developing and ministering to young adults attending Black Hills State University at Newman Center programs in Spearfish, SD. We are seeking a passionate and creative self-starter with strong interpersonal and organizational skills and a love for the church and her teachings. Bachelor's degree or higher in Religious Studies/Theology and experience with Edge and Y-Disciple programs is preferred. Full-time position begins on July 1, 2016. Salary is commensurate with education and experience. Health benefits offered. Interested persons should send a cover letter and resume to mwoster@stjosephspearfish.com or to St. Joseph Parish, Attn: Msgr. Michael Woster, 844 N. 5th St., Spearfish, SD 57783. Also you may call St. Joseph parish at 605-642-2306 for more information.

An Update from the Hope For New Life (HFNL) Jail Ministry

A Message of Hope and Love Saint Paul writes in Romans, Our Lord "is sending us out around the world to tell all people everywhere the great things God has done for them, so that they too will believe and obey Him (Romans 1:5)". For those in our Diocese involved in the Hope For New Life (HFNL) Jail Ministry, Paul's charge to carry the Good News to "all people everywhere" includes the men and women in the Pennington County Jail. Each Wednesday members of the ministry visit the jail to share the Gospel and our experience, strength, and hope with the inmates. Between the hours of 6-9 PM we conduct four ministry groups: two for the male inmates and two for the female inmates. Each of these groups is facilitated by two ministry members. The inmates are very welcoming and open to our message of hope and redemption. In turn, we are richly blessed by our encounter with each of them. Our outreach includes the provision of individual Bibles and bringing the prayers of those separated from children, family and friends to our ministry prayer partners. These prayers are always heartfelt. One young woman's prayer reflects the fear and despondency we try to comfort: "I've been so overwhelmed after being here for three and a half months, my mind is just starting to spin. I feel so lost and need help..." To learn more about the HFNL ministry please contact Bill Gradoville (341-2721). You are also welcome to attend monthly HFNL business meetings every 3rd Monday of the month at Catholic Social Services at 6:30 pm.

☺ Thank you. ☺ Just thank you. ☺

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.





Inspiring evenings that will change your life.



Balanced Life – Lt. Eli Dias, Rapid City Police Department Discover tools to live a balanced life.



Parenting That Makes Sense— Cathy Larsen, Catholic Social Services Helpful insights to give you an edge in parenting.



My Hope" - Hear several life changing stories.



When Addiction Grips Your Life — Trish Jurgerson. Lifeline Connections
When Addiction Grips Your Life "How You Know You're Free"



Brokenness— Pastor Sean McPherson, Real Life Church Find a pathway to wholeness.



Beginning Savings & Investment - Ken Bauman, 35 Years in the Banking Industry. Discover ways to keep and grow wealth.



Community Resources* - Multiple presenters share tools for life.

Gardening class is being offered during this same 7 week time period.

Free Kids Camp and Nursery Available

Attend one or all seven evenings of the Speaker Series!

Rapid City, Thursdays, 6-8 PM June 23-Aug 4, *Bethol Assembly of God* To Register or learn more: Call <u>Love INC</u> at 712-5683

Life WC is a ministry of Love INC of the Black relis, PO Box 3255, \$40 North Storer, Rapid City, \$0.57701.

<u>Positions Available - Rapid City Catholic School System</u> MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

St. Thomas More Middle School, 424 Fairmont Blvd., Rapid City, SD 57701

Requirements:~ Master's Degree in Educational Administration or related field OR South Dakota Administrative Services Credential

~ Administrative experience desirable~ Strong consideration for candidate with experience in curriculum development. Complete application available at: http://rccss.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/05/Application-MS-Principal-2016.pdf

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 approx. 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

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM PUBLIC PROTEST

<u>Every</u> 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.

It is essential that children see that prayer is something

truly important for their parents.

The home is the place where we learn to appreciate the beauty of the faith, to pray and serve our neighbor.

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

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

NFP, Good for your Body, Great for your Soul The next Natural Family Planning Seminars will be offered on: Saturday, June 4, 2016—St. John the Evangelist, Ft. Pierre (central time zone); Saturday, July 16, 2016—Blessed Sacrament, Rapid City Saturday, September 17, 2016—St. John the Baptist, Custer; Saturday, October 22, 2016—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 allnatural 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

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. Held at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, the dates for the final weekend retreats for 2016 are July 29-31 and September 23-25. Please register on-line at www.westriverheart2heart.com. For more information, contact Amy at Family Life Ministries, 716-5214 x 236 or 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.

KC Poker Run

Saturday, June 18, the Knights of Columbus Council 7079, Piedmont, will sponsor a poker run through the Black Hills. Three hands — \$25 and additional hands \$10. For more information contact Potthoff, 605-484-0681 or email flameinc07@hotmail.com

ANNUAL ST. THERESE RUMMAGE SALE INFO.!

<u>Desperately seeking volunteers to sort, price, sell!</u> Call Sandi Jolley at 348-6840!

Now! ~ Start bringing in your "treasures" for the sale! There will be carts in Parish Center for you to take items downstairs. (No tv's or computers please)

Tuesday, May 31 ~ 4 to 8 pm ~ Late night drop off and KC pick up (pick up of LARGE items only). Call the office to schedule pick up. Thursday, June 2 ~ EARLY BIRD SALE ~ 6 to 8:30 pm \$5 gets you in the door to be the first to shop! Food available, too!

Friday, June 3 ~ Sale from 7 am to 3 pm

Saturday, June 4 ~ Sale from 7 am to Noon

Solemnity of the Sacred Heart

June 3 — Pope John Paul II established that on the solemnity of the Sacred Heart, the church observes the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests. Please pray for our priests! A Rosary Relay is sponsored by WorldPriest.com. Join them in wrapping the world in prayer for priests. From the Office of Vocations.

Summit Dates Announced

From the Office of Stewardship — **Save the Date!** The Annual Stewardship Summit will be held on October 29-30 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. The Keynote speaker is Jim Beckman of the Augustinian Institute. Registration information, workshop topic details and times will be coming soon.

"I have learned to be content in whatever circumstances I am."

- Philippians 4:11

PRAYER MINISTRY FOR THE DYING.

We pray 3 Divine Mercy chaplets for those near the end of life. Volunteers are contacted by text or email and asked to pray from home or church.

Contact Patrick to join or request prayers. 569-1012 <u>patdanflan@protonmail.com</u>.

Prayer for the Jubilee of Mercy ~ Pope Francis

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.

Show us your face and we will be saved.

Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money; the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness only in created things; made Peter weep after his betrayal, and assured Paradise to the repentant thief.

Let us hear, as if addressed to each one of us, the words that you spoke to the Samaritan woman: "If you knew the gift of God!"

You are the visible face of the invisible Father, of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness and mercy: let the church be your visible face in the world, its Lord risen and glorified.

You willed that your ministers would also be clothed in weakness in order that they may feel compassion for those in ignorance and error: let everyone who approaches them feel sought after, loved, and forgiven by God.

Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy, you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.



Rachel's Corner

"... Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will quard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus." -Philippians 4:6-7

Can you imagine your heart guarded by the peace of God? If you are suffering from the effects of a past abortion, let your fear and anxiety be replaced by His abundant Peace and Mercy. Come and learn how to be forgiven on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat. Contact the national office for more information, at 877-467-3463 or www.rachelsvineyard.org. or Contact Carol Kling for information about local retreats at 605-374-5639 or kkling@sdplains.com

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Thank you to all ladies and children who attended the Mother/Daughter Brunch on May 14th. Wonderful food, beautiful decorations, fine entertainment and fellowship. Special thanks to Jan Winegar and Rene Brand, co-chairs, and to all the Catholic Daughters who helped to make the event a great success. Deanie Knudtson, the decorations were lovely. SAVE THE DATES: June 13th, Monday. Catholic Daughters will meet at St. Therese Parish Center, at 6 pm. No Installation at this meeting. Installation will be in the fall, Sept. 12th.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Winner of the Janet Lees Hubbeling Scholarship administered by the Catholic Daughters is Theresa Cronin. Congratulations to Theresa. *Thank you also to the Ed Hubbeling Family for sponsoring the scholarship and to the many young women who submitted outstanding entries.*