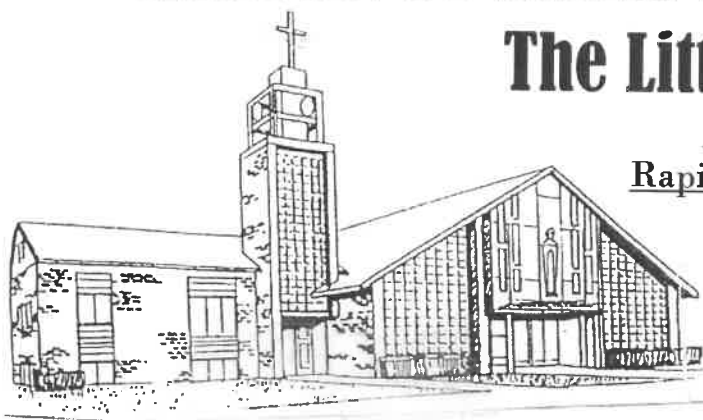


# Church of Saint Therese The Little Flower



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 ~ Patty Brunner	393-2577
VICE CHAIRPERSON ~ Ralph Dupres	381-6027
Council Secretary ~ Fred Solano	381-7783
Buildings & Grounds ~ Chad Carroll	341-4532
Faith Formation ~ Holly Bossen	209-3268
Council Member ~ Irene Lee	431-0358

## 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.

## NEW! WEEKEND

**Mass Schedule**

**Saturday 4:30 pm**

**Sunday 9:00 am**

**5:30 pm**

## RECONCILIATION

**Saturday 3 to 4 pm; 5:30 pm**

**Sunday 6:30 pm**

*Or by appointment!*

## Daily Mass Schedule:

**Monday 7:30 am**

**Tuesday 7:30 am**

**Wednesday 9:30 am Mass in  
New Underwood**

**Thursday 7:30 am**

**Friday 7:30 am**

*Followed by Adoration/Morning Prayer*

**MASK REQUIRED Mass ~Noon**

## YOUR PARISH STAFF

PASTOR ~ Father Kerry Prendiville, 342-1556 ext. 11 DEACONS – Rev. Mr. Charles Rausch, ext. 15

OFFICE STAFF: ~ Connie Heeren, ext. 10 ~ Karen Thorp, ext. 14

YOUTH FORMATION COORDINATOR– Bobby Myers, ext. 12

JANITORIAL & MAINTENANCE CUSTODIAN ~ Chuck Rausch, ext. 15 FACILITY JANITOR ~ Elaine Duncan

## PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

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

Jesus Christ the King  
November 22, 2020

## Week of November 22

**Sunday, November 22**

9 am Mass (also streamed on Facebook Pg.)

10:15 am Religious Education classes

7 pm FAMILY ROSARY – All welcome!

**Monday, November 23**

6:30 pm RCIA (still time to join!)

7 pm Boy Scouts meeting

**Wednesday, November 25**

9:30 am Mass in New Underwood

No Life Night – Thanksgiving Break

**Thursday, November 26 –**

**THANKSGIVING DAY ~ 9 am Mass**

**Thursday & Friday, November 26 & 27**

**Offices closed for Thanksgiving**

**Friday, November 27**

7:30 am Mass

7:30 to 8:30 am Holy Hour of ADORATION

*followed by Benediction & Morning Prayers*

**12 Noon MASK REQUIRED MASS**

## NEW Weekend Mass Time

**starting November 28<sup>th</sup>**

*Saturday: 4:30 pm*

*Sunday: 9 am & 5:30 pm*

## w/ NEW Reconciliation Schedule:

*Saturday: 3 to 4 pm; 5:30 pm*

*Sunday: 6:30 pm*

## DOWN THE ROAD

**Wednesday, December 1**

**KC BLOOD DRIVE ~ 3 to 6:30 pm**

*Call Bill Schneider at 391-7413.*

## St. Therese Advent Reconciliation Service

**Thursday, December 3  
at 6:30 pm**

## Welcome to St. Therese!

**We are truly happy you joined us in  
the Celebration of the Mass!**

*If you would like information about the parish, or to register, please call the office at 342-1556.*

**Please note:** If you would like to reschedule your Mass, please contact the office at 342-1556 during the week.

**MASS INTENTIONS ~ November 23 - 29**

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

MONDAY	7:30 am	Members of the Del & Joann Solano Family +
TUESDAY	7:30 am	Eugene & Ann Keller +
WEDNESDAY		Mass in New Underwood
THURSDAY	9 am	Special Intentions
FRIDAY	7:30 am	Jeff Mazzoni +
	Noon	Kenny Maxon +
		<b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent</b>
SATURDAY	4:30 pm	Parishioners ( <i>Please note time</i> )
SUNDAY	9 am	All Priests From Our Parish
	5:30 pm	Jerry Kocher +

**FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM**

**YOU CAN EVEN DO THIS IN YOUR HOMES!!**



**Our Daily Scriptures**

Monday	Rv 14:1-3,4b-5	Ps 24:1b-4b,5-6	Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday	Rv 14:14-19	Ps 96:10-13	Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday	Rv 15:1-4	Ps 98:1-3b,7-9	Lk 21:12-19
Thursday	Rv 18:1-2,21-23;19:1-3,9a	Ps 100:1b-5	Lk 21:20-28
Friday	Rv 20:1-4,11-21:2	Ps 84:3-6a,8a	Lk 21:29-33
Saturday	Rv 22:1-7	Ps 95:1-7b	Lk 21:34-36
Sunday	Is 63:16b-17,19b;64:2-7	Ps 80:2-3,15-19	1 Cor 1:3-9 Mk 13:33-37

**Ushers and greeters are NEEDED to help with social distance seating. Call Gayle at 718-4631 TODAY!**

**Liturgical Ministry Schedule – Thanksgiving Day**

**THUR. 9 am E.M.:** Del Solano (S) Toni Weber **Lector:** Bob Case  
**Ushers:** 2 NEEDED **Altar Server:** Patti Zephier

**Liturgical Ministry Schedule – November 28 & 29**

**SAT. 4:30 pm (Please note time!) E.M.:** Mary Ann Wheeler (S) Jim Blackwell, Renee Coldwell **Lector:** LouElla Vifquain  
**Ushers:** Mac Coldwell, NEEDED **Altar Server:** Ben Schuch

**SUN. 9 am E.M.:** Ginny DeJager (S), Paul Schneider  
**Lector:** David Dolan **Ushers:** NEEDED  
**Altar Servers:** Hayden Czerwonka

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Elaine Kocher (S), Jan Winegar  
**Lector:** Anthony Flores  
**Ushers:** David & Chris VanCleave, Ben VanCleave  
**Altar Servers:** NEEDED

If you have returned to Mass and are willing to be a Liturgical Minister, **PLEASE call Gayle Martin TODAY at 718-4631.**

**Watch the St. Therese 9 am Sunday Mass on the Facebook Page**

<https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

*When the Son of Man comes in glory, may we be among those who have fed the hungry, welcomed the stranger, and clothed the naked. For Jesus tells us clearly that it is those who have demonstrated good stewardship by sharing their gifts with the less fortunate who will receive God's blessing and inherit the kingdom.*

**GENERAL & OTHER FUNDS: Contributions this week**

Envelopes	\$ 3823.00
Plate Collections	\$ 939.00
All Saints Day	\$ 20.00
Building Improvements	\$ 97.00
Christmas Flowers & Environment	\$ 20.00
Priest Retirement Fund	\$ 30.00
Seminarian Fund	\$ 150.00
<b>Electronic Tithing</b>	<b>\$ 1885.00</b>
Priest Retirement Fund-egiving	\$ 63.00
Religious Ed Regis.-egiving	\$ 50.00
Building Fund – egiving	\$ 32.00
Seminarian Fund-egiving	\$ 57.00
Fall Festival/Security-egiving	\$ 5020.00
Families in Need-egiving	\$ 6.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 74.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$12266.00</b>

**WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED:**

*"Per our budgeted expenses, the amount needed per week is \$10,150. However, a grant from the Cares Act will cover \$928 of that amount leaving **\$9,222** per week needed from parish activities."*

**"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:**

Camp. For Human Development \$ 20.00

**COLLECTIONS FOR NOVEMBER:**

**Nov. 22:** General Fund **Nov. 29:** Christmas Flowers / General Fund  
**NOV:** Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

**Daily Mass Schedule:**

Monday: 7:30 am

Tuesday: 7:30 am

Wednesday: No Mass

Thursday: 7:30 am

Friday: 7:30 am

(followed by Adoration/Morning Prayer)

Friday: Noon (**Mask required**)

**(With seat yourself social distancing, every other pew).**

Reminder: The obligation to attend Mass is STILL lifted!

**The St. Therese 9 am Sunday Mass is on our Facebook page.**

*The Mass will be streamed LIVE at 9 am, but will also be recorded so you may watch at a different time.* <https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

**NEW! Reconciliation Schedule:**

Saturday: 3 to 4 pm & 5:30 pm

Sunday: 6:30 pm

**NEW Weekend Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9 am & 5:30 pm

Please add **PATTY FRITZIE & MARGIE WINEGAR** to your prayers.

**Bulletin Prayer List:**

Mark Biggs, Becky C., Sue Eagleton, Tom Farrar, Patty Fritzie, Tim Garrett, Ruth Geiger, Karla Grosz, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Isa Izaguirre, Kenny & Suzie, Zita Kwartek, Don & Norene Lantz, Rayne LeBeau, Pat Osburn, Albert Oyler, Helen Quasney, Rachel Rose, Veoma Renelt, Beverly Salvatore, Special Intention (Covid), Virginia, Bailey Weber, Margie Winegar

## Rest In Peace

### Carolyn Wise

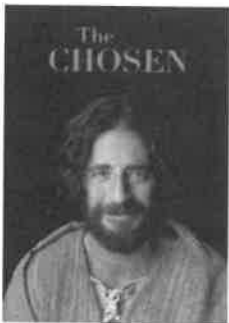
They go no further than God - and God is very near.

### The St. Therese Meals on Wheels Team is seeking drivers & helpers! A BIG "Thank you" to Milferd Best & Leona Best for their many years of service! You'll be missed!

St. Therese Team delivers the route around the church area every Friday. We pick up the meals around 10:30 am and it usually takes an hour or a little more. **AND AN ENORMOUS "THANK YOU: to those already volunteering AND willing to train for as long as needed! Linda Kroska, Del & Joann Solano, Tom Baumgartner, Ed Adams, & Bobbi Bloom & Kay Pomeranke!** Meals on Wheels is such a wonderful program & you make it happen! You're such a blessing! If interested (especially for the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday), please contact Connie at 342-1556. THANK YOU!

### A LITTLE LAUGH ...

Connie asked, "What if they close the grocery stores and we have to hunt for our food? I don't even know where Little Debbie lives!"



### Come Watch "The Chosen" Fridays at 7 pm

**You do not need to attend each week!**

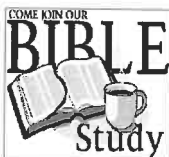
Join us for popcorn, fellowship and viewing of Season 1.

Call Ralph & Rita Dupres at 381-1988 for more information.

### BREAKING WORD BIBLE STUDY!

Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> THURSDAY of the month!

(Dec. 3 & 17) 6:30- 7:30 pm in the Confirmation Room -B4. Gain a better understanding of upcoming Sunday Mass Readings. For more info. contact Melanie Karp at 430-0459 (message or text).



**THANKSGIVING DAY MASS ~ November 26<sup>th</sup> at 9 am**

## Rest In Peace

### Wallace Pond

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

## == Fr. Kerry's Korner ==

*'Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.*

*For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me, naked and you clothed me, ill and you cared for me,*

*in prison and you visited me.'* Matthew 25.36

In the weeks following my return to ministry after recovering from Covid-19, I have gained in strength and energy, and I am truly grateful that I did not have a more difficult time of it. I have also seen how a manner of fatigue has set in with the precautions, restrictions, and management of the pandemic. As I write this on Thursday, 705 lives were lost of persons with Covid-19. Among these were people of all ages, but most were over the age of 70.

It is a deadly virus that affects people differently: some are asymptomatic, others require immediate hospitalization and intervention. There are so many who have died, struggled to get well and go home, or who have changed their lives to quarantine or care for loved ones. I venture that most of us know someone personally who has been affected. I found it particularly difficult to hear from an acquaintance, after the election, that he supposed the corona virus would now go away.

There has been a strong response among people that equated the virus with political manipulation, a made-up crisis, or even a cabal among the power elite to orchestrate an injectable microchip into unsuspecting citizens. What is being lost in speculation and drama is this: there are people dying, lonely people suffering alone, and an overworked and deeply stressed medical community that need the community and the state to rally around them and help control the local epidemic.

The first responders, caregivers, and hospital staff do not need our speculation, distrust, our political schemes, or our wild conspiracy theories. They do need our sacrifice and cooperation, our leadership in our community, and above all our charity. I was ill and you cared for me. You didn't minimize, make fun, expense humor or derision in social media, rather, you cared for me. When you aren't sure what to do, err on the side of charity.

Peace, ~ Fr. Kerry Prendiville

### Easy way to help those in need!

**YOU ARE HELPING THOSE IN NEED BY PURCHASING WE CARE GIFT CARDS!**

**Simply purchase your gift cards for Wal-mart/Sam's Club, Safeway & Family Fare**

**BEFORE you go shopping there!**

**Stop by the office during the week.**

Each one you purchase brings back money for the needy at Church Response AND for use right here at St. Therese

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

### Grades PreK - 5<sup>th</sup>: SUNDAYS- 10:15 - 11:30 am

Nov. 22 CLASS  
 Nov. 29 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving Break  
 Dec. 6, 13, 20 CLASS

### CONFIRMATION: ~ 7<sup>th</sup> Grade +: WEDNESDAYS: 6 – 8:30 pm

6 pm Dinner ~ Class starts at 6:25 pm

Nov. 25 NO GROUP – Thanksgiving Break  
 Dec. 2 CHOSEN  
 Dec. 9 CHOSEN BYOB

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

WEDNESDAYS-6 – 8 pm (Grades 6-12)

6 pm Dinner ~ Class starts at 6:25 pm

Nov. 25 NO GROUP – Thanksgiving Break  
 Dec. 2 Life Night  
 Dec. 9 Life Night BYOB

Remember to pray this month for the dearly departed. Some examples:  
 Our Father, Hail Mary, & Glory Be.  
 The Rosary for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.  
 Prayer at the cemeteries for anyone in the cemetery who needs prayers.



If you would like, pick up an ALL SOULS envelope from either entrance and write memorial names on the front and return it to the church. The names of your loved ones will be included on the Altar throughout the month.

Remember to pray for ALL SOULS especially this month. And let us remember in a special way all the people listed on the envelopes and in the book on the altar. Let us remember, in a special way, donations made in loving honor/memory of: Lloyd Peterson, Daniel Peterson, Katie McNally

## ANOTHER LITTLE FUNNY ...

Every day around midnight,  
 I'm shocked to find out it's only 6 pm."

## Parish website:

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

You'll find the weekly bulletin, the button for e-giving, the liturgical schedule, registration forms & so much more!

ALSO FIND US (ST. THERESE CHURCH) ON FACEBOOK!!!!

(AND "follow" us & LIKE US!) ☺

<https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

If you, or someone you know, would like to join or want more info. about the Catholic Church, or have been baptized but need the Sacraments of Initiation: Eucharist & Confirmation, we invite you to come to the RCIA program at St. Therese on MONDAYS at 6:30 pm. For more info. or to sign up for RCIA, call the office at 342-1556.

Yes, there will still be a much-needed

## KC BLOOD DRIVE

(with CDC safety precautions!)

Tuesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>

3:30 to 6 pm

There is a nation-wide shortage due to the virus. With the extra precautions, you need an appointment. Please call Bill Schneider at 391-7413 or [bloodhero.com](http://bloodhero.com) and enter sponsor code: there



## Collecting crushed aluminum cans for Greenhouse in the Snow project.

Which will teach life skills to the less fortunate  
 Bring them to the church and place them in the bin by the west entrance. THANK YOU!

## MMMM! ... Fresh-baked &/or Frozen CARMEL ROLLS



Yes! Fill out this order form and send in with payment NOW, then pick up your fresh-baked, or frozen Rolls on December 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>! It's that easy!! Packages of 6 or 12! We can even deliver to your car!!

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ SIX (\$6) \_\_\_\_\_ TWELVE (\$12) (write quantity)

\_\_\_\_\_ FROZEN? (Need to rise for 12 hours from frozen before baking)

\_\_\_\_\_ FRESH-BAKED?

When will you pick up December 5 OR 6?

(circle one) after 4:30 Sat. Mass after 9 am Sun. Mass  
 after 5:30 pm Sun. Mass

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. THERESE YOUTH

## ~ 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@dioc.org](mailto:sttherese@dioc.org)

What we've done to the least of our brothers and sisters we've done to Christ. Choose to serve in every instance; listen for a call to service as a priest, brother, or sister. (Matthew 25:31-46)

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

## ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICES

**6:30 pm ~ THUR., DECEMBER 3  
~ ST. THERESE ~**



**Thursday, December 10 ~ 6:30 to 9 pm ~ Cathedral OLPH**

**Friday, December 11 ~ 6 to 7:30 pm ~ Our Lady of the BH**

**Thursday, December 17 ~ 4 to 7 pm ~ Blessed Sacrament**

**& EVERY SATURDAY FROM 3 to 4 PM & 5:30 pm AND  
SUNDAY at 6:30 pm AT ST. THERESE**

## AND ONE MORE FUNNY ...

A man entered a doctor's office and shouted, "I'm shrinking!" The doctor calmly responded, "Sit down. You'll just have to be a little patient."

**Adopt-a-Mom Layettes**

Layettes are gifted to new moms as a "Starter Kit"

Inside each Layette:

**\$25**

Single Diaper Bib	Diapers Wipes Wash Cloth	Bath Gel Talcum Blanket
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Help us reach our goal to fund 300 layettes for the Day of Giving, December 1st.

Stop in for a cup of coffee between 9am - 3pm  
Or donate online anytime at:  
[www.BHPCpartners.org](http://www.BHPCpartners.org)

Black Hills Pregnancy Center  
1774 Centre St, Suite #1  
Rapid City, SD 57703  
605-241-4477

## Local TV Mass **KNBN (NBC)**

**SATURDAYS ~ 4:30 pm & SUNDAYS ~ 7 am**  
Or on their website [newscenter1.tv](http://newscenter1.tv)

## Have family and friends visiting from out of town?

Need a place to stay or gather during the Christmas season? Consider Terra Sancta Retreat Center! In addition to large gathering spaces, we have discounted lodging November 25 through December 31. Just \$75 per night for a family style room featuring two queen size beds with a private bath. Lodging guests have access to our guest kitchen, chapels, hiking trails, quiet and peaceful surroundings. Make your reservation online at <http://terrasancta.org/ChristmasLodging> or contact us at [stay@terrasancta.org](mailto:stay@terrasancta.org) or call 605-716-0925.



Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
Council 1489



**39TH ANNUAL  
THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2020  
ST. THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL  
11:00-1:00 P.M.**

We are very fortunate to have such an ideal facility to host our event. This year because of the Covid-19 situation, we will not have Dine in service. Meals will be delivered curbside only at the entrance of the High School. Meals will consist of turkey, mash potatoes, dressing, cranberry and corn only.

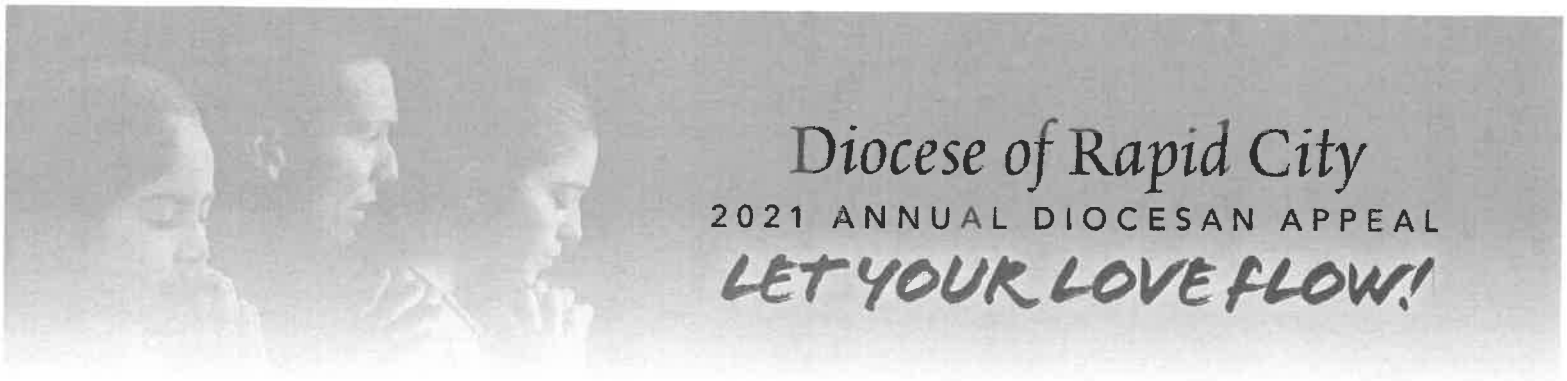
Volunteers are ask to report by 10:30 a.m. at the back entrance of the school. Masks are required for all volunteers.

**Real Presence Radio** Did you miss our November 12<sup>th</sup> fundraising banquet with Dr. Ray? Were you there, but he left you eager for more or wishing your friends could have joined you? Real Presence Radio invites you to a virtual fundraising banquet on **Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM MT.** Featuring completely different content than the in-person banquet, this special encore is guaranteed to entertain! If you are interested in virtually attending as a guest or hosting a watch party from your home, you can register online at [RealPresenceRadio.com](http://RealPresenceRadio.com), or call 877-795-0122. Sponsorship packages are also available at the \$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 or higher levels. Registration, sponsorship and additional information can be found at [realpresenceraudio.com/banquet](http://realpresenceraudio.com/banquet) by calling 877-795-0122 or emailing [Jessica@RealPresenceRadio.com](mailto:Jessica@RealPresenceRadio.com).

**FEEDING SOUTH DAKOTA is in need of volunteers to help with Distribution at various location sites. Would you like to gift approximately 2 hrs of your time to 'Help Feed the Hungry'?!** contact **Shawn Burke at 348-2689 x-203.** You could volunteer at a location close to you! St Andrews, Open Heart, Bible Fellowship Church, Rural American Initiatives, Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints, Community Health of the Black Hills, He Sapa, Lakota Homes, Career Learning Center, Mother Butler, Sheridan Heights - Queen Heights, Club for Boys, Star Village, Rapid Valley United Methodist Church. **You pick the date and the location that works best for you! Give us a call!!**

## Volunteers are needed at the Remote Learning

**Extension Centers** Volunteers are needed as learning buddies, student check-in, cleaning, and to serve prepared meals from the YMCA. Whether you can give a couple of hours a week or a full day, you are needed! Love INC of the Black Hills is ready to help students on their remote learning days by providing a safe place to connect to Wi-Fi for assignments along with learning support, activities, and lunch for \$10/week. Bethel Church and the Cathedral OLPH are taking registrations now. Register your student at [loveinonline.com/learn](http://loveinonline.com/learn) or go to the Love INC website and click on the L-E-C tab. Call Denise Sullivan-718-5683, [denise@love-inc.us](mailto:denise@love-inc.us) or [www.loveinonline.com/learn](http://www.loveinonline.com/learn)



Diocese of Rapid City  
2021 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL  
*LET YOUR LOVE FLOW!*

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On behalf of our entire diocese, our ministries and all the people we serve, I thank you. Many of you have generously responded to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. I am deeply grateful for your support. You are making a difference. If you have not yet made your pledge of support, I ask you to prayerfully seek the Lord's guidance. What is He asking of you during this year's appeal? Through your participation in the 2021 Appeal, you not only allow God's love to flow into your heart, but you make way for the abundance of God's love to overflow through you and pour out onto others through the ministries of our diocese.


Please continue to pray for the success of the Annual Diocesan Appeal. It is an important means by which every Catholic family can serve one another, thereby helping to build up the Body of Christ in western South Dakota. Your sacrificial support and your prayers are deeply valued and necessary for the Lord's work to continue and grow. Again, I am deeply grateful.



Sincerely in the peace and joy of Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter M. Muhich'.

Most Rev. Peter M. Muhich  
Bishop of Rapid City



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