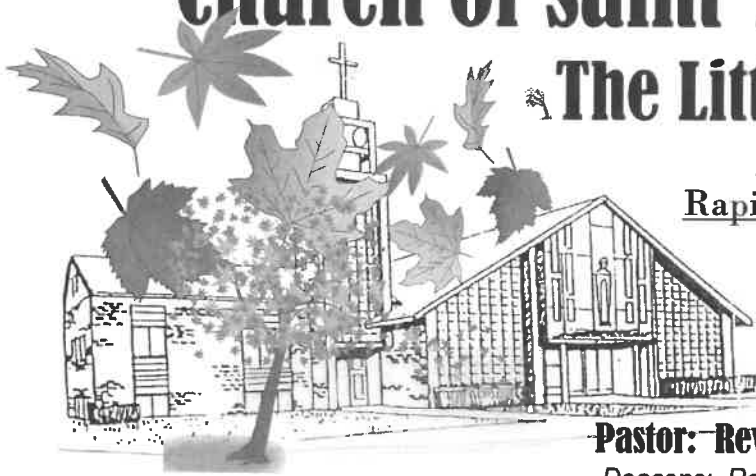


# Church of Saint Therese

## 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 |

### ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVES

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

Your Parish Council meets on the LAST Monday 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. Monthly meeting minutes e-filed on website: [sainttheresechurch.org](http://sainttheresechurch.org)

### 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:

**November 5 - 9**

**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**

**31st Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 3 & 4, 2018**

### Week of November 4th

**Saturday, November 3**

FALL BACK! Don't forget to set your clocks BACK 1 hour before bed!

**Sunday, November 4**

10:15 am Religious Education classes and Confirmation class

1-3 pm Larry Cole's RETIREMENT PARTY

7 pm FAMILY ROSARY – All welcome!

**Monday, November 5**

6:30 pm Light Weigh

7 pm Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, November 6**

6:30 pm RCIA

7 pm CARD NIGHT

**Wednesday, November 7**

9:30 am Mass at Good Samaritan Center

6 pm FAMILY POTLUCK – All welcome!

Bring a dish or two to share and come enjoy!

**Friday, November 9**

8 to 9 am Holy Hour of Adoration

*followed by Benediction & Morning Prayer*

### Prayer to St. Dymphna

Good Saint Dymphna, great wonder-worker in every affliction of mind and body, I humbly implore your powerful intercession with Jesus through Mary, the health of the Sick, in my present need. (Mention it.) Saint Dymphna, martyr of purity, patroness of those who suffer with nervous and mental afflictions, beloved child of Jesus and Mary, pray to Them for me and obtain my request. Amen.

### Down the Road

**Sunday, November 11**

8 am til all served following 9 am Mass

KC BREAKFAST

### 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.*

### YOUR PARISH STAFF

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

OFFICE STAFF ~ Karen Thorp, ext. 15 ~ Connie Heeren, ext. 10

ACCOUNTING ~ Diocese of Rapid City YOUTH FORMATION COORDINATOR ~ Bobby Myers, ext. 12

FACILITIES/OPERATIONS ~ Larry Cole FACILITY JANITOR ~ Elaine Duncan

### PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

Homebound Ministry: Jerry Kanta, Kathy Grebner, Joan Feller, Rick Edelen

Liturgy/Music: Sue Englin, Jeanne Schneider & Joleen Click 1st Communion & Confirmation: Bobby Myers

RCIA: Ralph & Rita Dupres, Deacon Chuck Rausch BAPTISM: Call the office: Deacon Chuck Rausch

Altar Society President: Doris Ann Werlinger Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight, Tom Baumgartner

## MASS INTENTIONS ~ November 5 - 11

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

|                                     |         |                                   |
|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|
| MONDAY                              | 7:30 am | Corrine Krebs +                   |
| TUESDAY                             | 7:30 am | Matthew Scott +                   |
| WEDNESDAY                           | 9:30 am | Mass New Underwood Good Samaritan |
| THURSDAY                            | 7:30 am | Agnes Amburn +                    |
| FRIDAY                              | 7:30 am | Don Wieseler                      |
| <b>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> |         |                                   |
| SATURDAY                            | 5:30 pm | Carrol Krause + & John Krause +   |
| SUNDAY                              | 9:00 am | Don Brunner +                     |
| SUNDAY                              | 5:30 pm | Parishioners                      |

### FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!

#### Our Daily Scriptures

|           |                  |                    |                               |
|-----------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| Monday    | Phil 2:1-4       | Ps 131:1-3         | Lk 14:12-14                   |
| Tuesday   | Phil 2:5-11      | Ps 22:26-32        | Lk 14:15-24                   |
| Wednesday | Phil 2:12-18     | Ps 27:1,4,13-14    | Lk 14:25-33                   |
| Thursday  | Phil 3:3-8a      | Ps 105:2-7         | Lk 15:1-10                    |
| Friday    | Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12 | Ps 46:2-3,5-6,8-9  | 1 Cor 3:9c-11,16-17 n 2:13-22 |
| Saturday  | Phil 4:10-19     | Ps 112:1-2,5-6,8-9 | Lk 16:9-15                    |
| Sunday    | 1 Kgs 17:10-16   | Ps 146:7-10        | Heb 9:24-28 Mk 12:38-44       |

#### Faithful Citizenship Catholics Care. Catholics Vote.

"We need to participate for the common good. Sometimes we hear: a good Catholic is not interested in politics. This is not true: good Catholics immerse themselves in politics by offering the best of themselves so that the leader can govern." - Pope Francis, 9/16/13

Confused about how to vote? Finding it difficult to express yourself on political matters? The USCCB has an incredible array of information on Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship, including a teaching document, videos and podcasts.

<http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/faithful-citizenship/index.cfm>

#### Liturgical Ministry Schedule - November 10 & 11

**SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Bob & Kay Olson (S) Dcn. Chuck Rausch, Ivan & Darlene Davignon, Tim & Joan Renelt **Lectors:** Jim Blackwell, Julie Shauger **Ushers:** Mac Coldwell, Dick Cuka, Jim Treloar, Todd Tellinhusen **Gift Bearers:** Jim & Roxie Quintus **Altar Servers:** Johanna Auriemma

**SUN. 9 am E.M.:** Diane Dahl, Ginny DeJager (S) Diane Ange, Holly Bossen, Rachel Edelen, Jean French, Kathy Grebner **Lectors:** Nadine Zeller, Judee Popken **Ushers:** Dik Dahlquist, Kent French, Clint Jolley, Joe Martin **Gift Bearers:** Marcy Morrison, Spencer Morrison, TJ Morrison, Luther Morrison **Altar Servers:** Hayden Czerwonka, Joshua French

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Chris VanCleave (S) Stephanie Gay, Nancy Palmer **Lector:** Tony Berendse **Ushers:** Bob Ormesher, Will Winch, Bill & Jan Winegar **Gift Bearers:** Don & Dottie Borowski **Altar Servers:** Elena Tillet, Harley Tillet



**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO donated CANDY &/or PARTICIPATED IN THE 1<sup>ST</sup> Annual TRUNK-or-TREAT! A BOO-TI-FUL time was had by all!**

### ~ 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 Karen Thorp at 342-1556, ext. 15 or [kthorp@diorc.org](mailto:kthorp@diorc.org)

*What percentage does God ask of me as a good steward? All of my heart, all of my soul, all of my mind, and all of my strength!*

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

|                                   |                   |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Envelopes                         | \$ 4354.50        |
| Plate Collection                  | \$ 1404.05        |
| Children's Collection             | \$ 88.29          |
| <b>Electronic Tithing</b>         | <b>\$ 1087.00</b> |
| <b>Families in Need-egiving</b>   | <b>\$ 25.00</b>   |
| <b>Text to Give</b>               | <b>\$ 75.00</b>   |
| Priest Retirement Aid Association | \$ 35.00          |
| Seminarian Fund                   | \$ 236.00         |
| Building Improvement Fund         | \$ 74.00          |
| Votive Candle Income              | \$ 58.00          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                      | <b>\$ 7436.84</b> |

#### WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED: \$9418.00

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

|                      |          |
|----------------------|----------|
| World Mission Sunday | \$ 50.00 |
|----------------------|----------|

#### COLLECTIONS FOR NOVEMBER:

**Nov. 4** General Fund **Nov. 11** General Fund **Nov. 18** General Fund  
**Nov. 25** Flowers & Environment / General Fund  
**NOV:** Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

#### Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ NOVEMBER

Chairperson: Deanna Johnson Co-chair: Lynn Loomer

Please add DOROTHY COATS & CAROLYN WISE to your prayers

#### Bulletin Prayer List:

Kathy Borkovec, Dewayne Borszich, Joyce Braun, Britney Weber Brouillette, Dorothy Coats, Mike Cole, Irene Cox, Bonnie Elwood, Maureen French, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Kelly Heintz, Bill Hershey, Marietta Hollinger, Norene Lantz, Erin Maddox, Kevin Maher, Mary Maher, Brad Maskovich, Susan McFadden, Jack Myers, Aggie Mousel, Leah Nixon, Jeff Pansch, Susie Powers, Helen Quasney, Jim Quinn, John Radziwon, Ted Rapp, Russ Rearick, Elizabeth Richards, Bennie Saldanha, Janice Simons, Karla Winland, Carolyn Wise, Angie Zacher

#### Still seeking volunteers for a new Pictorial Directory?!!

Yes! we're doing a new parish directory in January & February and we need YOUR HELP!!

Call the office at 342-1556.



#### A LITTLE LAUGH ...



Everyone come on down!

## KC BREAKFAST

Sunday, November 11th

8 am until all served following 9 am Mass

Fresh-made pancakes, hot-out-of-the-oven biscuits topped with scrumptious, country gravy, scrambled eggs and completed with sizzling sausage. Cost? Free-will offering with proceeds to KC charity.



## BURGER FEED & B-I-N-G-O



Hosted by the Knights of Columbus

SATURDAY, November 17th at 6:30 pm

Free-will offering for dinner – Cards 3 for \$1 per game

Activities for kids! FUN FOR ALL!!

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE KC CHARITIES!

### St. Therese Church is seeking a Janitorial & Maintenance Custodian:

Full time (30+ hours) Janitorial & Maintenance Custodian. Duties include janitorial work and maintenance of all equipment & facilities, including the buildings and grounds. The successful applicant will be handy with a variety of maintenance issues and be able to safely lift and move fifty pounds. They should be detail oriented, a self-starter, and able to budget time. Experience preferred. Salary and benefits DOE. Please send resume to Fr. Kerry Prendiville, 532 Adams St, RC, SD, 57701 or [kprendiville@diorc.org](mailto:kprendiville@diorc.org). Position will be open until filled.

### ANOTHER LITTLE LAUGH...

Little Max came into the kitchen where his mom was making dinner. His birthday was coming up and he thought this was a good time to tell his mother what he wanted. "Mom, I want a bike for my birthday. Little Max was a bit mischievous and his mom asked him if he thought he deserved a bike for his birthday, which of course he thought he did. Him mom, being a Christian woman, wanted Max to reflect on his behavior over the las year. "Go to your room, Max, and think about how you have behaved this year. Then write a letter to God and tell Him why you deserve a bike for your birthday." He stomped off to his room. Letter 1: "Dear God, I have been a very good boy this year and would like a red bike for my birthday. Your friend, Max." Max knew this wasn't true, so he tore it up and started again. Letter 2: "Dear God, this is your friend Max. I have been an 'OK' boy this year and would like a red bike for my birthday. Max." Max knew he couldn't send this letter to God either. He wrote letter 3: "God, I know I haven't been a good boy this year. I am very sorry. I will be good if you just send me a bike for my birthday.

PLEASE!!" Max knew, even if it were true, this letter was not going to get him a bike. He was very upset. He told his mom he wanted to go to Church. Him mom thought her plan worked, as Max looked very sad. "Be home in time for dinner." Max went to the church and up to the altar. He looked around to see if anyone was there, bent down and picked up a statue of the Virgin Mary, slipped it under his shirt and ran home. He shut the door to his room and sat down to write his letter. Letter 4: "I'VE GOT YOUR MAMA. IF YOU WANT TO SEE HER AGAIN, SEND THE BIKE! Signed, You Know Who."



## It's A NEW SILENT AUCTION!

All proceeds go towards sending our young people to the YOUTH PILGRIMAGE MARCH FOR LIFE In Washington DC In January 2019!!

ends Sunday, November 18th at 7 pm!

Check out & Bid on the awesome items in the Parish Center! Happy bidding!!

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DONATED

ITEMS & BID ON THE LATEST SILENT AUCTION! Together, we made \$238 to send our youth to Steubenville North in July 2019!

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

Dear Parish Family,

In the mid 90's I took a trip to Ireland alone to find family and see the sights. My elderly cousin, a recently retired religious sister, learned to drive in her 70's so she could take me around the country. Her reasoning was that it was unsafe for me to drive because we drive on the opposite side of the road. She brought me closer to our Lord daily! I asked her to show me what I should see. The first day we spent all day seeing the graves of my relatives. The second day asked what we were going to do today. Her response was, "It's a great day for a grave Kerry."

When I was a child we crossed ourselves as we went by cemeteries and would occasionally stop for a short prayer. While we never bought decorations, we would bring flowers in season and say a prayer for our relatives. This month we remember the traditions of our ancestors in faith who honored the dead with prayers for their souls and conversed with them in prayer as a sign of love and hope that one day we should see them again.

We also pray for the holy souls in Purgatory which the Catechism of the Catholic Church defines is #1030: *All who die in God's grace, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven (CCC 1030)*. The holy souls experience the joy of knowing that they shall see God face to face and receive the assurance that faithful Christians will remember them in prayer.

Let us remember them and meet with All Souls in the Eucharist.

~ Fr. Kerry

Did YOU get your cards yet??!!! The 'We Care' & Scrip 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 MANY BUSINESSES plus we can order a variety of amounts from a bunch of other local places! Come see us after mass or in the office.

The Lord has called us to love God and our neighbor. Are you called to love by becoming a priest, brother, or sister?  
(Mark 12:28-34) **PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

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

Nov. 4, 11, 18 Class  
Nov. 25 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving Break

**CONFIRMATION: SUNDAYS: 9 – 11:30 am ~ 7<sup>th</sup> Grade +  
(Includes Mass)**

Nov. 4, 11, 18 Class  
Nov. 25 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving Break

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

**WEDNESDAYS- 6 – 7:45 pm** (Grades 6-12)

**6 pm Dinner ~ Group starts at 6:30 pm**

Nov. 7 FAMILY POTLUCK – Bring a dish to share!!  
Nov. 14 Life Night  
Nov. 21 NO LIFE NIGHT – Thanksgiving Break  
Nov. 28 Life Core Team ONLY

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS members needed to deal Black Jack for Monte Carlo nights. Call Marv @209-1086. LET'S HAVE FUN!!!**

**PARISH PINOCHLE NIGHTS** hosted by the KC's



**Every Tuesday from 7 to 9 pm**

**EVERYONE WELCOME!! Bring a friend (if you want) and come enjoy the evening.**

**St. Therese Church now accepts credit/debit cards!! Easy & SECURE!**

**If you can't come into the office, you can use it these other ways:**

**Online** – Make a donation on our website:  
[www.sainttheresechurch.org](http://www.sainttheresechurch.org)

**Text to Donate** – Make a donation 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.

**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.

**The HOPE CENTER is in immediate need of Bus ticket punch cards, sugar, creamer, socks, tea, water bottles, back packs, laundry soap, toilet paper & Kleenex.**

615 Kansas City St., Rapid City or the Parish Center.

**SOUP, CRACKERS, CANNED BEANS, CANNED TOMATOES AND SOAP ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE**

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

**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.**

**Collecting for the new VETERAN'S Outreach Center**

Razors, shaving cream, bar soap, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, Tide pods, dryer sheets, female personal products, towels, wash clothes, (Trial sizes work great!) New socks & underwear, coffee, creamers, Equal, Individually wrapped snacks

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

**DIAPERS** especially sz 5 & **BABY WIPES, WINTER CLOTHING** to sz. 6, **SOCKS & UNDERWEAR** to sz 6,

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

**Hey! Register for Steubenville St. Paul 2019 ~ It's going to be AMAZING!!**

**When?** July 25-28, 2019

**Who?** Youth entering grades 9-2019 high school graduates

**How Much?** \$395 (includes youth conference, amusement park ticket, hotel, t-shirts, most meals, and bus transportation)

**Registration?** Pick up a form from the YOUTH bulletin board, or go to [www.sainttheresechurch.org](http://www.sainttheresechurch.org) and fill it out! We DO NOT need your individual registration, just need your commitment **BY NOVEMBER 25<sup>th</sup>!**

**More info?** Contact Bobby Myers at 605-381-0053!

**SPECIAL MEMORIAL MASS** November 12<sup>th</sup>, the Catholic Daughters and all area Knights of Columbus will host a Memorial Mass for all members who have passed away during the past year. Their names will be read aloud as we pray for their souls. All CDA and KC members, their families and friends of the deceased are invited to attend. It will be held on **Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm at St. Therese Church.** Dinner and a short meeting will follow the Mass in the church hall. Please place this date on your calendar. Contact information: 431-0851.

**Our Lady of the Black Hills in Piedmont FALL FESTIVAL & TURKEY DINNER**



**Sunday, November 11**

**COUNTRY STORE, Silent Auction,**

**Cake Walk, BINGO, and games for the kids.**

*Meal is \$10 per person or \$30 per family. Please join in our biggest family event of the year! For more info. call 787-5168.*

## Mother Butler Center Bazaar

November 4<sup>th</sup> ~ 10 am – 3 pm

ARTS & CRAFTS ~ BINGO ~ baked good, vendors, books & religious items, theme baskets, SILENT AUCTION, 50/50 chance, LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, GAMES, & SO MUCH MORE!!! Cash Prize Raffle: \$1000, \$500 & \$250 PRIZES!!! Tickets are \$1 each and can purchase at the St. Isaac Jogues Church office during the week or at the Bazaar. *We hope to see you at the Annual Bazaar, one of the oldest bazaars in the Rapid City area, Sunday, November 4, 10 am – 3 pm, at the Mother Butler Center, 231 Knollwood Drive (across from the AMC 10 theater). All proceeds go to support the operation and maintenance of the Mother Butler community center.*

## Men's Retreat—Man Up on the Cross

How can gazing at Christ on the cross affect our vocation as Men . . . Husbands . . . Fathers . . . Join Craig Dyke, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry on a journey to Calvary and the Cross, and a journey into your own heart. Craig received his master's degree in Theology and Christian Ministry from the Franciscan University of Steubenville, and since then has served as the Director of the Office of Evangelization and Family life for the Catholic Diocese of Peoria and the Director of Family Life for the Archdiocese of Boston. We are incredibly fortunate to have his passion for ministry here and particularly for our Men's Retreat. **The 2018 Men's Retreat will be November 9-12 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center.**

Accommodations for the retreat are: **Monastic Room-\$ 165 \***  
**Family Style Room: Single Occupancy-\$245/Double Occupancy-\$180**  
**\* No Lodging, Meals only \$110 Register on line at [www.terrasancta.org](http://www.terrasancta.org) or for information on the retreat contact Amy Julian at 605-716-5214 or [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org)**

## ONE MORE LITTLE LAUGH...

A lumberjack went into a magical forest to cut down a tree. He started to swing at the tree and it shouted, "Wait! I'm a talking tree!!" The lumberjack grinned and replied, "And you will dialogue." ☺

## Christmas Decoration Recycling!!



Do you have some gently-used Christmas decorations that need a new home? If so, Church Response would love to have them for our Christmas Decoration Recycling project. Many of our clients have very few, if any, holiday decorations, and we would like to pass along your donated items to these families to make their Christmas a bit more festive! If we receive enough decorations we would also like to sell them to the general public every December at reasonable prices and donate the money to Church Response. Cleaning out your Christmas storage boxes will result in a cheerier holiday for many Rapid City families and also provide additional income to Church Response – everybody wins! *Please bring your donations to your church, or the Church Response office at 30 Main St. Call (342-5360) for info.*

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

## Diocesan Masses for Life Matching Grant

Masses and prayers for all life challenges are critical to keeping the culture of life strong! For the last 12 years, the Diocesan Social Justice Commission has matched monetary donations made for the "Diocesan Masses for Life" project, up to a total of \$250. The "Masses," for the protection of all life, are coordinated by the Blessed Sacrament Parish Pro-Life Committee, but are offered daily at various parishes throughout the diocese. Please send your donation to: Diocesan Masses for Life, c/o Mary Mitchell, 113 Berry Pine Rd., Rapid City, SD 57702. Donations must be postmarked on or before December 31.

## ---- Happenings at St. Martin's ----

Before the bustle and busyness of the holidays, consider spending a day in prayer and reflection at St. Martin Monastery in Rapid City. A retreat on journal-writing and prayer called "New Wine: Your Life as Prayer" will be offered on Saturday, Nov. 17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The retreat leader is writer and artist Mary Askren. Her last retreat at St. Martin was in 2016. The cost is \$35 and includes lunch and a copy of her new book. To reserve a space, please call St. Martin at (605) 343-8011.

Dakota Choral Union presents ...  
a FREE Choral Concert



## LAND OF THE FREE, HOME OF THE BRAVE

Honoring all veterans in recognition of their service

With special guests: SDSM&T University Choir, SDSM&T Brass Quintet & Northern Hills Chamber Chorale

**Rushmore Plaza Civic Center Theater**

**Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm**

**FREE ADMISSION! For more information call 605-519-0749**

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| NOVEMBER 30TH 6PM @ SES GYM   |  |
| JOIN US FOR THE BEST<br>CHRISTMAS PARTY EVER!   | GET YOUR TICKETS -<br><a href="http://WWW.RCCSS.ORG">WWW.RCCSS.ORG</a><br>OR RCCSS APP   |
| LIVE MUSIC - NEW GAMES - RAFFLE BASKETS -<br>BEER - WINE - APPETIZERS - DESSERTS -<br><br>UGLY SWEATER ATTIRE<br>- VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE -<br><br>A FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT<br>THE RAPID CITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM | TICKETS:<br>\$40 INDIVIDUAL (ADVANCE)<br>\$50 INDIVIDUAL (WEEK OF EVENT)<br>\$20 DESIGNATED DRIVER<br><br><small>TICKET PRICE INCLUDES APPETIZERS, DRINKS, LIVE MUSIC<br/>GAMES ARE SOLD SEPARATELY AT THE EVENT</small> |

## Holy Hour for Sanctity of All Life, the U.S. Constitution, and especially Religious Freedoms

Election Day is November 6! Catholics, and our brothers and sisters in faith, are encouraged to spend an hour in Eucharistic Adoration, Mass or personal prayer for elected candidates in the U.S. who would defend the Sanctity of All Life, the U.S. Constitution, and especially Religious Freedoms.



## REAL PRESENCE RADIO Annual BANQUET

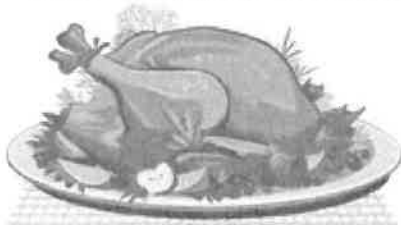
Real Presence Radio will host Teresa Tomeo as keynote speaker at their annual fundraising banquet on Tuesday, Dec 4th in Rapid City. We invite you to join us! Teresa Tomeo is host of EWTN's "Catholic Connection" as well as a bestselling author and print, radio, and television journalist with more than 30 years experience in media. For more information about the event, or to become a sponsor, host a table, or register to attend as a guest, please call (877) 795-0122 or email [jessica@yourcatholicradiostation.com](mailto:jessica@yourcatholicradiostation.com)

### 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.



## FREE THANKSGIVING TURKEY DINNER



Thursday,  
November 22  
11 AM TO 1 PM  
STM High School  
Commons

Hosted by the

Knights of Columbus. **Helpers are welcome to report to the kitchen at 10:15 AM.**

### Hope For New Life (HFNL) Ministry

**Behind Prison Walls** This month we would like to share with you a sample of the interaction we receive from the inmates to whom we minister every week. These excerpts are from our weekly summaries prepared after each of our HFNL Wednesday groups: [9 September] "We started off talking about the Catechism of the Catholic Church. We talked about free will and sin leading to violence. The inmates had several questions: Is Jesus really who He is? When did creation start? Do animals go to heaven? All the men seemed new to the faith of Jesus and were starving for answers. They were very appreciative we were there." [26 September] "This evening's presentation was on the Beatitudes. After reading them, we invited discussion which was very inspiring. Three of the men were very talkative and really shared their insights. One of the men asked about Purgatory. We explained what Catholics believe and read several Bible verses that pertain to Purgatory." We are now beginning to plan for our 12th annual Christmas Program of caroling at the jail. This year our program is scheduled for 19 December (Wednesday). We will need volunteers to assist with the preparation of the candy bags on 14 or 16 December. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Bill Gradoville (430-2697). You are welcome to attend our monthly HFNL business meetings every 3rd Monday of the month (6:30 pm) at Catholic Social Services.

**End Human Trafficking** "All of us are called by God to be free and each according to his or her own responsibilities is called to combat forms of enslavement".... Pope Francis. **U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking** – [sistersagainstrafficking.org](http://sistersagainstrafficking.org)

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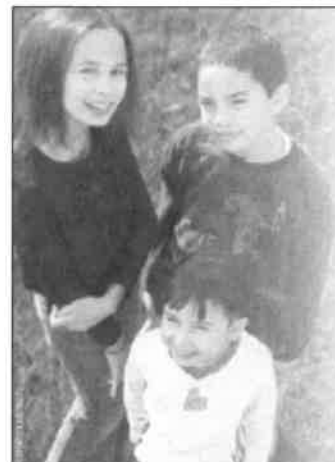
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November 10 – Our Lady of the Black Hills, Piedmont

**ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL** On Sunday, November 11 we will all be asked to consider our support for our diocese through the Annual Diocesan Appeal. You will be receiving information about the appeal over the next few weeks and will be provided the opportunity to contribute during mass on November 18. Please keep in mind all of the ministries that depend upon this appeal in order to continue meeting the needs of our diocese. Some of these ministries are Seminarian and Priest Education, Ministry Formation, Youth Ministry, Native Ministries, Faith Formation, Catholic Social Services, Family Life, West River Catholic, Religious Education, Marriage Tribunal, Office of the Bishop, the retirement and care for our elderly priests, Newman Centers on our college campuses and many others. Your pledge of financial support is absolutely critical for the mission of the Church in western South Dakota.



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## Rapid City Night of Prayer for Life

Blessed Sacrament Pro-Life Committee will host the annual Rapid City Night of Prayer for Life, on Friday, December 7. The event begins with the 5:30 p.m. Mass of the Immaculate Conception feast. Eucharistic Adoration, the Rosary for Life, and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy will follow, with Benediction at 9 p.m. Participants will pray for Mary's intercession to strengthen the "Culture of Life," protect against religious persecution, provide life-affirming solutions to societal problems, and for God to revive our land. Please join us for this special prayer event for all life!



## Eucharistic Adoration

**St. Therese ~ Holy Hour ~ Fridays**  
from 8 – 9 am followed by Benediction & Morning Prayer

**Cathedral ~ Perpetual**

Sign up for an hour of adoration on the Cathedral website – [www.cathedralolph.org](http://www.cathedralolph.org)

## March for Life Youth Pilgrimage '19

**When?** January 16-20, 2019

**Where to?** A Pilgrimage from Rapid City to Washington DC

**Who may attend?** All high school youth, their chaperones, and college age youth may attend.

**Cost?** \$490 (includes bus trip, some meals, youth rally, hotel accommodations, and a March for Life Hoodie)

**Registration?** <http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/yya/>

## PROGRAM MANAGER – LAKOTA CIRCLES OF HOPE

Full-time position with the Lakota Circles of Hope Program at Catholic Social Services. BA or BS Degree Required. Travel required. Must have working knowledge of Native American culture. Competitive salary and benefit package. Send resume to:

CSS, 529 Kansas City Street, Suite 100, Rapid City,

SD 57701 or email to: [css@cssrapidcity.com](mailto:css@cssrapidcity.com). Open until filled.

## Diocese of Rapid City Job Openings at St. Thomas More/St. Elizabeth Seton

Contact Molly Rausch – [mrausch@rccss.org](mailto:mrausch@rccss.org) – 605-348-1477

**Afterschool Childcare** - SES Campus, Mon.-Fri., 2:30 – 6 pm

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The Communication/Liturgical Administrative Assistant (CLAA) will oversee and administrate all aspects of parish communications and assist the pastor with administrative liturgical duties. The CLAA will occasionally fill in for the receptionist and or administrative assistant when needed. See BSC website for more information or contact Michael Johnson at [michael@blessedsacramentchurch.org](mailto:michael@blessedsacramentchurch.org).

## Diocese of Rapid City Vacancy Announcement

F time (40 hours per week) position of **Accountant II** to perform accounting activities for assigned entities and parishes. High School Diploma, training and /or experience in the accounting field, demonstrated high degree of accuracy, detail oriented person. A job description and a diocesan application form can be found on the website by clicking on the employment icon at <https://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/>. Interested individuals should submit via e-mail or regular mail, a letter of application along with their resume listing three professional references and a completed application form to: [msimonson@diorc.org](mailto:msimonson@diorc.org) or: Office of the Chancellor, Diocese of Rapid City, , 606 Cathedral Drive, Rapid City SD 57701. The Diocese of Rapid City offers a competitive salary and benefits package.

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## Diocese seeking full-time DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT

Job descriptions and a diocesan application form can be found on the website by clicking on the employment icon at <https://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/>. Interested individuals should submit via e-mail or regular mail, a letter of application along with their resume listing three professional references and a completed application form to: [msimonson@diorc.org](mailto:msimonson@diorc.org) or by mail: Office of the Chancellor, Diocese of Rapid City, 606 Cathedral Dr., Rapid City SD 57701. The Diocese of Rapid City offers a competitive salary and benefits package.

## St. Thomas More Fine Arts Presents our fall play "Our Miss Brooks"

Friday & Saturday, November 16 & 17 ~ 7 pm

(doors open 6:30 pm)

Adults \$10 ~ Students \$5 at [www.rccss.org](http://www.rccss.org)

*Synopsis: Miss Brooks has plenty of teacher troubles and her "escape" is in dreaming about her vacation. She has travel folders on several Caribbean cruises which she discusses with the athletic coach who owns his own little sailboat. Miss Brooks suddenly sees that perhaps he's "the man" for her. She's glad she isn't putting on the school play this year so she won't have to fight him for use of the gym. Then the ax falls. The play is thrust upon her! A battle royal develops. The coach's star athlete Ted gives up the team to play the leading boy's part. The daughter of the school board president is determined to play opposite him but she reads her lines so poorly that Miss Brooks gives the role to an attractive nobody with real talent.*

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