

MASS INTENTIONS ~ Nov. 7 - 13

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

MONDAY 7:30 am – Vic Zumpano +
TUESDAY 7:30 am – Norm Toso +
WEDNESDAY 9:30 am Mass at Good Samaritan Center
THURSDAY 7:30 am - Fr. Bill Zandri
FRIDAY 7:30 am – Travis Livesay +
33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
SATURDAY 5:30 pm -- Parishioners
SUNDAY 9:00 am – Leo & Fern Keller +
5:30 pm - Alois & Donna Krebs +

MASS INTENTIONS: *Other than at St. Therese*

Sunday, November 13 Chris Matz +
By Fr. Prendiville – St. John, the Evangelist, New Underwood – 11 am

FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!

Our Daily Scriptures

Monday Ti 1:1-9 Ps 24:1b-4b,5-6 Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday Ti 2:1-8,11-14 Ps 37:3-4,18,23,27,29 Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday Ex 47:1-2,8-9,12 Ps 46:2-9 1 Cor 3:9c-11,16-17 Jn 2:13-22
Thursday Phlm 7-20 Ps 146:7-10 Lk 17:20-25
Friday 2 Jn 4-9 Ps 119:1-2,10-11,17-18 Lk 17:26-37
Saturday 3 Jn 5-8 Ps 112:1-6 Lk 18:1-8
Sunday Mal 3:19-20a Ps 98:5-9 2 Thes 3:7-12 Lk 21:5-19

Parish website:

www.sainttheresechurch.org

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

Liturgical Ministry Schedule – Nov. 12 & 13

SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.: Doug Meiron (S) Deacon Rausch, Martha Cook, Liz Myscofski, Mary Ann Wheeler, Diane Wilkinson, Pat Guertman
Lector: Kris & Kevin Hittle **Ushers:** Mac Coldwell, Michael & Sarah Crook, Dick Cuka **Gift Bearers:** Becky Huber, Kay Olson, Diane Wilkinson
Altar Servers: Justice Moore, Emily Myscofski

SUN. 9 am E.M.: Diane Ange, Ginny DeJager (S) Kim Dolan, Paul Schneider, 3 NEEDED **Lector:** Judee Popken, David Dolan
Ushers: Al Thome, Jim Treloar, John & Nadine Zeller
Gift Bearers: Adam & Brandy Popken Family **Altar Servers:** Noah Popken, Abigail Popken, Sidney Schurger, Chloe Thome

SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.: Chris Bossen (S) Deacon Chuck Rausch, Greg Rausch
Lector: Deanna Johnson **Ushers:** Chuck Bossen, Bob Ormasher, Jim Treloar, Will Winch **Gift Bearers:** Matt & Kati Skinner Family
Altar Servers: Max Bossen, Patrick Bossen, Elena Tillett, Harley Tillett

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

Liturgical Schedule is prepared by the OFFICE now.

If you have dates you will be out of town or will be working; or changes in your involvement, please call 342-1556.

SPAGHETTI, PASTA SAUCE, CANNED MEAT & DEODORANT

ARE NEEDED AT CHURCH RESPONSE

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

MOMMY'S CLOSET Items needed soon:

DIAPERS: size 3-5, **FALL 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.



COME ON DOWN!

KC BREAKFAST

Sunday, November 13th

8 am until all served following 9 am Mass

Cost? Free-will offering, with proceeds to charity

Please add JAMES BIRCH, CHRIS, JORDAN, TERI & ELLA to your prayers

Bulletin Prayer List:

Tim Ange, Wendlin Baumgartner, James Birch, Shirley Black, Kathy Borkovec, Barbara Boyd, Lorraine Brooks, Britney Weber Brouillette, Rose Brunson, Kellee Callender, Chad, Chris, Jordan, Teri & Ella, Dorothy Coats, Alice Cole, Barb Collins, Irene Cox, Katherine Craig, Tom Crawford, Ed Davis, Ginny Elliott, Todd Ennen, Cathy Falcone, Albert Fernandez, Judy Fisher, Haven Garrett, Tim Garrett, Vern Goetz, Gary Gross, Laurie Gustaf, Harold & Judy Hansen, Sue Hayden, Cyndy Henriksen, Michi Hittle, Jaime Hopfauf, Rosemary Huggins, Father Kari, Jenny Keitges, Arlene Kingsley, Meg Krause, Corky Leach, Melanie Lewis, Fr. John Lule, Gayle Martin, Susan McFadden, Steve Miller, Donna Moreland, Aggie Mousel, Margaret Paris, Helen Quasney, Jerry Quinn, Ted & Judy Rapp, John Radziwon, Rose, Steve Rumbaugh, Carla Sandifer, Scott, Allen Schwahn, Shirley, Steve & Britney, Greg Suto, Wilma Theis, Louis Vanderslice, Eileen Walters, Rose Wickenheiser, De Etta Young, Bernadette Zander, Nadine Zeller

Funeral Luncheon Ministry Chairpersons Needed!!

Matthew 5:4—Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

St. Therese is known for their willingness to prepare and serve a funeral luncheon to families following the funeral service of their loved one. This is the greatest gift of love and caring we can show our fellow parishioners during a difficult and sad time in their lives. Caring Chairpersons rotate on a monthly basis to make calls asking for food donations (casserole, salad, cake) and to line-up workers for the luncheons. You would be paired with an experienced person, so don't worry about the newness!! We invite you to be a part of this very important ministry which will eventually affect every family. Please call Renee Coldwell at 721-0808 to add your name to the list to provide food or update your "gift" to help call, set-up, serve and clean up after a meal.

Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ NOVEMBER

Chairperson: Deanna Johnson Co-chair: Paula Welch

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAYS: 8 am to 4:45 pm

Benediction & Evening Prayer at 4:45 pm

A LITTLE LAUGH ...

People walking into a church hall were surprised by a sign placed there by the janitor, who had just mopped the tile floor: PLEASE DO NOT WALK ON THE WATER.

Are you still eating and shopping for groceries?

Remember to purchase We Care cards!

NOTE: We Care shopping cards will be sold after the Saturday 5:30 Masses on the 1st & 3rd weeks of the month; Sunday 9 am Masses on the 2nd & 4th weeks of the month; AND you can still purchase through the office during work hours.

In today's second reading, St. Paul prays that the Thessalonians may be strengthened "in every good deed and word." May we, too, be strengthened and empowered to use our time and talents for the good of others.

GENERAL FUND: Contributions last week

Envelopes	\$ 5292.19
Plate Collection	\$ 2100.79
Children's Collection	\$ 85.80
All Saints Day	\$ 45.00
Religious Education Registration	\$ 250.00
Rent from In Residence Priest	\$ 650.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 87.00
TOTAL	\$ 8510.78

Amount needed per week: \$ 6805.00

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Building Improvements	\$ 35.00
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"THANK YOU" FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:

Seminarian Fund	\$ 105.72
Priest Retirement Aid	\$ 26.00
Archdiocese for the Military Services	\$ 1813.00

COLLECTIONS FOR NOVEMBER:

Nov. 6: Hurricane Matthew / General Fund **Nov. 13:** General Fund
Nov. 20: General Fund **Nov. 27:** Christmas Flowers / General Fund
NOV.: Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund



**THANK YOU! THANK YOU!!
 THANK YOU!!!**
For all who donated and came to the spaghetti dinner/auction! Special thanks to our wonderful auctioneer MILFERD BEST!! What a great time was had by all! Watch for an update on totals!!

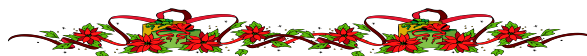
Sponsorship wall for Italy

How does it work? Simply take an envelope with a number on it, then put that amount of donation inside, seal it and return to the office, either at Mass or during the week. If you include your name, address and phone number we will bring you back a small gift from Italy which has been blessed at each of the most holy masses at the churches we go to and will be blessed at the papal audience by our Holy Father Pope Francis. Please see youth board for our destinations while in Italy! AND THANK YOU SO MUCH!! By making this donation you are making it possible for us to go on this amazing pilgrimage!

Italy with Father Kerry, June 8 to 19, 2017 –

room for 4 more, but that's it! Need registration form, deposit and copy of your passport.

Fundraising, sponsorship and prayer, selling Avon 40% per order goes to student, QDOBA cards \$10 each (over \$100 in coupons!), Perkins Pie Fundraiser, Terry Redlin Art Raffle, book sale!



Annual CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

After Masses: NOVEMBER 12 & 13 (9 am)

STOP BY TO SHOP for all your Thanksgiving & Christmas gift items, handmade crafts and homemade "goodies"!!!!



Mary's Circle will be setting up at 9:30 am on Saturday, November 12 for the Christmas Bazaar. Everyone welcome to help and/or drop off your handmade crafts & homemade goodies for the sale! ☺



Italy Pilgrims are selling Avon (40% of your order goes to youth!) AND Qdoba cards for \$10 (Such Amazing deals!!)

See Rita, one of the youth going to Italy, or stop by the office! AND THANK YOU!

SEEKING CHRISTMAS PAGEANT DIRECTOR for December 4th pageant. And...Don't worry you will get LOTS of help!

Seeking gift bags, gift tags and small gift items for the Santa Store at the annual St. Therese "Happy Birthday Jesus" Party to be held December 18.



If you have any you would like to donate, please bring them by the office! Also...if you would like to volunteer for the party, contact Patrick Schmadeke or the office!

And thank you for making this such a wonderful event for our Religious Education youth! It is a fantastic time for all!

ALSO...seeking volunteers to wrap, group leaders, shopper help, etc. Contact the office!

TEC, Together Encounter Christ Retreat, Feb 18-20, age 16-25!! Sign up today!

PLEASE TURN IN YOUR RECEIPTS FROM PAIRIE MARKET & FAMILY THRIFT CENTER! We will send them in! For every \$150,000 in receipts, we receive \$1,000!!! Thank you!! -- St. Therese Youth



Youth Connection has chosen the mission of "being the hands and feet of Jesus". One of our service projects is **care packages for the street angels** God puts in

our path. *The care packages include a bottle of water, gloves, socks, soaps and shampoos, a toothbrush and toothpaste, lotion, simple food/snack, mints, and money or a gift card is optional for those taking the kit.* If you want to help us please drop off donations (items or monetary) at the office. We have decided to keep at least one kit in our vehicle to hand out when God asks us to help someone!

BEAUTIFUL 3D postcards for sale! \$1 each or 12 for \$10. You have to see them!!
Get from the office TODAY!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Grades PreK - 6th: SUNDAYS- 10:15 - 11:30 am

Nov. 6, 13, 20 Class

CONFIRMATION: SUNDAYS: 4 to 5:30 pm ~ 7th Grade

6:30 – 8:30 pm ~ 8th grade +

Nov. 6 Class

Nov. 12 (Sat.) MANDATORY NET Retreat for all Confirmands. Both Grades. No class on 13th due to NET retreat.

Nov. 20 4 to 8 pm Mini Retreat (Mass & meal included)

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

Nov. 9, 16 Group

~ 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 ffkaren@rushmore.com.



The HOLLY TROLLEY is ready to board!

Grab your hat, get your coat and a large shopping bag and ride with your gal pals on the 4th annual Holly Trolley adventure on Saturday, December 3!

We'll hit the Angel Bazaar at the Cathedral, Weathered Vane, and Someone's in the Kitchen, then head to the southern hills for a fun filled day. **There will be music, lots of laughter, prizes galore and great food.** *Two special prizes this year: Ugliest Christmas Sweater and Blingiest Christmas Sweater!* Leaving St. Therese parking lot at 8 am sharp! Don't be late. **Send your check for each person for \$35 along with the names** to Sandi Jolley at 2602 Tomahawk Drive, Rapid City, 57702. We are looking for volunteers to help us and possibly take over for 2017 Trolley. We are so excited for this year's event and hope to see you soon!

~ Sandi Jolley and Kim Dolan

Doing some holiday shopping? Gift cards make great gifts and you can get them in various denominations from a variety of stores and restaurants while helping the needy at the same time. Just visit the 'We Care' table after mass on weekends or come to the Parish Office during the week and we'll get you started. The sky is the limit!

MEMORIAL MASS for the deceased members of **The Catholic Daughters of the Americas & the local Knights of Columbus**
November 14th at 5:30 pm at St. Therese
Everyone is invited. Please join us for Mass & dinner to follow. Any questions, call Bonnie at 342-1651



Mass to Honor Veterans

Friday, November 11 ~ 7 am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cathedral

All are invited to come celebrate! A special invitation is extended to men and women military veterans and their families to join in celebration of Mass. We pray in gratitude for your service to God and to our country. A coffee, pastry and fruit reception for all will follow in the church hall.

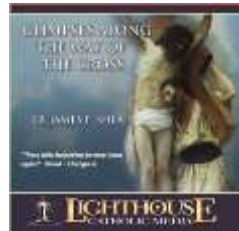
Share your gift of intercessory prayer & join the PRAYER MINISTRY FOR THE DYING

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 patdanflan@protonmail.com.

Glimpses Along The Way of the Cross

In these three beautiful talks, Monsignor James Shea guides us along the Stations of the Cross, teaching us how to better open our hearts to the suffering and loneliness of Jesus on His way to Calvary. Weaving together the insights of keen believers like Fr. Richard Neuhaus, Caryll Houselander, Archbishop Fulton Sheen, and Dr. James Edwards, these powerful meditations take us into the depths of Christ's agony, and back out again into the relief and joy of what His sacrifice means for us.

You will find this CD and other titles and items in the case in the front of the church. Check it out! I'm sure you'll see something you'll enjoy!



Let us pray that the Word of the Lord will make progress. Let us pray for an increase in vocations to priesthood and religious life. (2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5) **PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

ANOTHER LITTLE LAUGH...

The church custodian prided herself on keeping the building spotless. However, she began to notice several brown bags under the pews each week. Usually she picked them up and threw them away, but curiosity got the best of her and she decided to check them out. Upon opening a couple she went straight to the pastor's office. "Pastor," she began. "You might want to consider cutting the length of your sermons. People are starting to bring their lunches."

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 more information.



A special night of celebration and generosity



Food, Fellowship & Delicious Desserts

Annual Love INC. BANQUET November 21st

The Love INC. Fall Fundraising Event ensures that the work of Love INC will continue to touch lives with hope and truth of Christ so people can learn to live new lives.

Here are ways that you can get involved:

- ~ Donate a scrumptious dessert for the dessert auction. Please email your name, address, phone number to Julie, our dessert chairman at jeep54@gmail.com She will contact you with all instructions and can answer any questions you may have.
- ~ Become a table host that invites a table (8 guests) to attend the banquet. Tickets are \$35.
- ~ Purchase a ticket by texting "hopeandlove" to 91999, or visiting our website www.loveinonline.come/banquet or calling the office at 718-5685.

ALL HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE AGE STUDENTS! Join the Diocese March for Life 2017 January 24 – 28, 2017

Join us for a trip to Washington D.C. to participate in the Pro-life Rally and March for Life on Friday, January 27th. We depart at approximately 9 pm on Tuesday, participate in the Youth Rally and March on Thursday and Friday, and arrive back in Rapid City late on Saturday night. Cost \$450 (includes travel and hotel). Meals not included. Registration forms available from your parish youth minister OR contact Randy Vette for more information: rvette@dioc.org or 716-5214 ext. 228

Faithful Citizenship

"LAUDATO SI', mi' Signore" – "Praise be to you, my Lord". In the words of this beautiful canticle, Saint Francis of Assisi reminds us that our common home is like a sister with whom we share our life and a beautiful mother who opens her arms to embrace us. "Praise be to you, my Lord, through our Sister, Mother Earth, who sustains and governs us, and who produces various fruit with coloured flowers and herbs". 2. This sister now cries out to us because of the harm we have inflicted on her by our irresponsible use and abuse of the goods with which God has endowed her. We have come to see ourselves as her lords and masters, entitled to plunder her at will. The violence present in our hearts, wounded by sin, is also reflected in the symptoms of sickness evident in the soil, in the water, in the air and in all forms of life. This is why the earth herself, burdened and laid waste, is among the most abandoned and maltreated of our poor; she "groans in travail" (Rom 8:22). We have forgotten that we ourselves are dust of the earth (cf. Gen 2:7); our very bodies are made up of her elements, we breathe her air and we receive life and refreshment from her waters. <http://w2.vatican.va/content/fr>

The Diocesan Social Justice Commission requests prayers for all unborn babies in danger of abortion. A sample prayer entitled Spiritual Adoption Prayer is as follows: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, with love for you I ask your intercession to protect the life of unborn children. May they all come to birth healthy and be a source of joy to their parents. For those in danger because of abortion, I adopt them as my own and pray for them and their mothers." (From www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/social-justice-commission)

Boy Scouts Troop 7 meets Mondays at 7 pm @ St. Therese -New Members Welcome! Boys ages 11 - 17

Call Rick Edelen at 415-5764 for more information.

ONE MORE LITTLE LAUGH...

Some friars were behind on their belfry payments, so they opened up a small florist shop to raise the funds. Since everyone liked to buy flowers from the men of God, the florist across town began to lose business. Thinking this was unfair, he asked the priests to close down, but they would not. He went back and begged them to close. Still they refused. Then the rival florist, becoming desperate, hired the roughest and most vicious thug in town, a man named Hugh, to "persuade" them to close. The thug roughed up the friars and trashed their store, saying he'd be back if they didn't close up shop. Terrified, they did so. And all this goes to prove that Hugh, and Hugh alone, can prevent florist friars.

HELP WANTED: St. Martin's Monastery sisters seeking a part-time employee in our dietary department. Please contact Sister Florence at 343-8011 if you are interested or know of someone interested in more information regarding the position.

JOB OPENINGS WITH RAPID CITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

All job descriptions and requirements are available online at <http://rccss.org/district-information/employment-opportunities/>

Substitute Teachers Needed – Certified and Non Certified
Please call/email Molly Rausch: mrausch@rccss.org, 348-1477 ext 103
Middle School Science Teacher – Full Time
Custodial Staff – Full & Part Time

For more information regarding these positions, please visit www.rccss.org
Or see the bulletin board for more details!

Birthright is looking for dedicated volunteers to help run our center for 2-4 hours, 1 day per week. Training is provided and you won't have to work alone! If interested please call Cathy at 347-6190 or Kay at 484-6222.

Job Opportunity Diocese of Rapid City

Due to continued growth, applications are being accepted for a full time **Accounting Clerk** in the Parish Financial Services Accounting Office. Applicants should possess high level of accuracy and attention to details. Education, training, and/or experience in the accounting field are desired. Submit a letter of application and a resume to:

Accounting Manager, PO Box 678, Rapid City SD 57709-0678

St. Vincent Orientation The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be offering Ozanam Orientation sponsored by the SSVdP Rapid City Diocese District Council on Saturday, Nov. 12, at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Inspired by Gospel values, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, a Catholic lay organization, leads women and men to join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to the needy and suffering in the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frederic Ozanam, and patron, St. Vincent de Paul. Existing members, new members, prospective members, and interested parties are welcome. There is no charge for the orientation. To register online visit www.ssvdprapidcity.org/formation or call 605-791-4977.

JUBILEE of MERCY and BEYOND A Very Special Mini-Conference "COME AS YOU ARE"



A very, very special gathering and celebration. A loving invitation to all without exception!

**Sunday, November 20th
Our Lady of Perpetual
Help Cathedral
1 to 6 pm**

A lite lunch/snack provided.

Guest speakers: Dr. Bryan Thatcher, Kristin Taylor and Stephanie Jacquot.
Music and Dance Presentation by Vui Siasoi and Malama Taufa'asau Asiata Anderson.

Please RSVP for snack/lunch to 605-381-4999, Rapid City Diocese Divine Mercy Cenacle's Pam Eckberg.

For Conference questions, contact Stephanie Jacquot, [jqc6jw@msn.com](mailto:jcq6jw@msn.com) or 605-939-8644.

KC CARD PARTY ~ November 12th at 7 pm

KC Hall - 1220 E. Minnesota St.

Bring a friend & snack. See you there!

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

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

NFP, Good for your Body, Great for your Soul

Natural Family Planning Seminars:

Sat, Nov 19, 2016—Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Martin

Dead Theologian Society – Grades 9 to 12 only
will meet Sunday, November 13th - 6:30 to 8:30 pm
in Room 103 New members welcome!!!
Come find out what it's all about!

Live Marriage Life Abundantly!!

Looking for a way to increase the love and romance in your marriage?
Do you need time just for the two of you?

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Experience may be the answer! Instead of simply listening to lectures about how to improve your marriage, you will actually learn a practical communication technique and have an opportunity to rediscover your hopes and dreams for your marriage. Your marriage is your most important relationship! NOW is a good time to invest time in your health, happy relationship, and reconnect with your spouse. Renew the commitment, intimacy and passion in your marriage.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is Nov 18-20, 2016 in Rapid City, SD. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: sdwwme.org or contact John & Dawn at applications@sdwwme.org or 605-359-1533.

RESTORE COMMUNICATION * RENEW COMMITMENT * REKINDLE ROMANCE

2016 Rapid City Right to Life Essay Contests Topic: Why Are You Pro-Life?

Divisions are as follows:

Grades 7-8, 9-10, 11-12

Prizes awarded for each division:

1st \$75, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$25 in each grade division

Essay Contest Guidelines:

1. Typed essays should be submitted between Dec. 1, 2016 and Dec. 16, 2016. Essays must be postmarked by Dec. 16, 2016.
2. Essays may be submitted to Rapid City Right to Life, P.O. Box 1072, Rapid City, SD 57709.
3. Essays must be double spaced and pages numbered.
4. Essays shall be 300-500 words in length.
5. If typed use no smaller than 12pt font.
6. Use a cover sheet that includes: full name, full mailing address, phone number, grade level, student date of birth, parent's name, and word count.
7. By submitting an entry the contestant and parent or guardian agree A. to allow Rapid City Right to Life to reprint the winning essay and B. That the essay is original but not copyrighted.
8. Cite any sources noted.
9. Please do not include artwork, pictures, or plastic covers.

Essays will be read and judged on originality, content, and accuracy. The announcements will be made as soon as possible, but judging time depends on the number of entries received.

National Right to Life Essay Contest information can be found at www.nrlc.org
Please contact Diane Ange at 721-3065 for more information.

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:**

Sunday, November 6 - Turkey Dinner at Our Lady of the BH - 11:30am

Friday, November 18- Dine Out - Minerva's at 5pm

Thursday, November 24 - Thanksgiving- Deliver Meals to the Shut-Ins for K of C

Tuesday, November 29 - Music Bingo at Thirsty's - 7pm

MORE EVENTS IN DECEMBER & JANUARY!

Movie Nights – We can take in movies over the winter at Elks Theatre or Carmike on \$5 Tuesdays. Watch for emails!

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE... We now have a few SHOPwithSCRIP cards for local businesses on hand at the We Care table after masses and in the Parish Office. Get them while they are still available: Bed Bath & Beyond \$25, Burger King \$10, Pizza Ranch \$25, Starbucks \$10, Target \$25, Texas Roadhouse \$25, and Walgreens \$25. So many more gift cards to choose from! ORDER THIS WEEKEND, PICK UP NEXT WEEKEND! IT'S THAT EASY!! Let us know where you like to shop... recommendations are welcome. WE CARE now has gift cards of \$25, \$50 & \$100 to Fresh Start (formerly Don's Valley Market)! Purchase yours today!

Annual DIOCESAN APPEAL "Sowing Seeds"

"On November 13th we will 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. 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 include: Seminarian and Priest Education, Ministry Formation, Youth Ministry, Native Ministries, Faith Formation, Catholic Social Services, Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Newman Center, Campus Ministries, Family Life, West Rive Catholic, Religious Education, Marriage Tribunal, Office of the Bishop, The Retirement and Care for our Elderly Priests, and many others. Your pledge of financial support is absolutely critical for the mission of the Church in western South Dakota."

Hope For New Life (HFNL) Ministry

10th Annual Christmas Jail Program

One of the traditional events presented each year by the HFNL Ministry is the Christmas Program for the inmates of Pennington County Jail. This will be our 10th annual program. During our Christmas program, we sing carols and distribute between 500-600 bags of holiday candies and Holy cards to the inmates we entertain. Because our regular weekly jail groups average about 45-50 men and women (10 percent of the jail population of 500 people), the Christmas Program gives us a wonderful opportunity to reach out to many more inmates in several different cell blocks. This year's Christmas Program will take place on Wednesday December 21. We are seeking volunteers to help with this program, so if you like to sing or you can play a musical instrument, our ministry would welcome your participation. In order to enter the jail, volunteers have to submit to a routine background check to the jail. HFNL will assist you in this. We are also asking for donations of puzzles (especially those with a Christian theme), Christmas cards, and paperback books (themes: action, Westerns, historical). Donation boxes are available at the HFNL Display Shelves in the Cathedral, Blessed Sacrament, and St. Therese. To volunteer for the Christmas program, or to learn more about our ministry please contact **Bill Gradoville (341-2721)** or **Tony Galles (348-2301)**. You are also welcome to attend our monthly HFNL meetings every 3rd Monday of the month at Catholic Social Services at 6:30 pm.

Ultreya is November 14th at Blessed

Sacrament at 6:40 pm. Please come to meet new people or renew friendships with fellow *Cursillistas*. We will share our Christian experiences, hear a witness and the follow up by our spiritual director, sing and pray together! You are invited to bring a snack to share if you wish. Any questions, please call Bob Melvin, 605 484 0324.



34th Annual Thanksgiving Dinner

Date: November 24th, 2016

Time: 11:00 am - 1:00pm

Where: St. Thomas More School
(Corner of 5th Street and Fairmont Street)

Rapid City, South Dakota

Please join us. All are welcome!

(Meal is free of charge)

Hosted by the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Council 1489

All VOLUNTEERS please report to St. Thomas More Cafeteria at 10:15am.

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM PUBLIC PROTEST

Every 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.

14 FREE MOVIES – Family Movie Night!

All available on Formed.org!

It's easy to get started:

1. Go to: FORMED.ORG
2. First time users, type in the parish access code: Our Parish Code: 2ad1be
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Right to Life Fundraiser ~ Nov. 15 after 5 pm

North side Pizza Ranch, 1556 Luna Dr., near Sam's Club Buffet is \$11 for adults and children's prices based on age. Right to Life Team members will be busing tables for a percentage of the proceeds. Come and support us. Contact information 721-3065.



Attention Medical Professionals

Thank you to all those who participated in our first ever "White Mass" for Medical Professionals!

We have many medical professionals who are interested in forming a Catholic Medical Association Guild in our diocese. If you are a Medical Professional of any type, physicians, chiropractors, physical therapists, dentists, optometrists, mental health professional, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, assistants, technicians, administration, . . . please consider this opportunity to grow in your spiritual life, while supporting your medical vocation. All are welcome!! For information please call Amy Julian at 605-716-5214 ext. 236 or visit www.cathmed.org.