

# Church of Saint Therese

## The Little Flower

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Rapid City, SD 57701

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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 ~ OPEN

### ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVES

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

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

### WEEKEND Mass Schedule

**Saturday 5:30 pm**

**Sunday 9:00 am**  
**5:30 pm**

### RECONCILIATION

**Saturday 4:00 – 5:00 pm**

**Sunday 8:00 - 8:30 am**  
*Or by appointment!*

### Daily Mass Schedule:

**September 16 - 20**

**Monday 7:30 am**

**Tuesday 7:30 am**

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

**Thursday 7:30 am**

**Friday 7:30 am**

### YOUR PARISH STAFF

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

OFFICE STAFF: ~ Connie Heeren, ext. 10 Trish Peterson, ext. 14

YOUTH FORMATION COORDINATOR– Bobby Myers, ext. 12

JANITORIAL & MAINTENANCE CUSTODIAN ~ Chuck Rausch FACILITY JANITOR ~ Elaine Duncan

### PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

Homebound Ministry: Jerry Kanta, Kathy Grebner, Joan Feller, Rick Edelen, Ron Miller, Sandi Jolley  
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, Tom Baumgartner

23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time  
September 14 & 15, 2019

### Week of September 15th

Sunday, September 15

10:15 am Religious Education classes

START for PreK-5th grade &

CONFIRMATION (grade 7 +)

### CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

Heavenly Father, you are the source of life and love. Send down your Spirit upon all catechists. Inspire them to be not only teachers of your truth, but witnesses of your love. Give them the courage to heal. Help them to see the pain of those around them so that they may offer hope through loving gestures of support and prayer. May they be merciful to others as you are merciful. Give them the joy to proclaim the Good News of salvation. Help them see your will at work in their lives so that they may share it with others. May they, in their words and deeds, offer continual praise to the one who saves us. Give them the wisdom to teach. Help them discover the mysteries of our faith in new and exciting ways. May their curiosity inspire those who they instruct to become your loyal disciples. We pray to you, almighty Father, in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ the Master-Teacher, the Healer, and the Savior, and in unity with the Holy Spirit who inspires us with knowledge, courage, and understanding. Amen.

7 pm FAMILY ROSARY – All welcome!

**Monday, September 16**

7 pm Boy Scouts meeting

**Wednesday, September 18**

9:30 am Mass at Good Samaritan Center

6 pm Life Teen & Edge

**Thursday, September 19**

6:30 pm RCIA (Still time to sign up!)

6:30 pm Bible Study

**Friday, September 20**

7:30 am Mass

8 to 9 am Holy Hour of ADORATION

*followed by Benediction & Morning Prayer*

9 am FOOT CLINIC

### 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.*

## MASS INTENTIONS ~ September 16 - 22

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

MONDAY	7:30 am	Claude Saldanha +
TUESDAY	7:30 am	Don Wuieseler
WEDNESDAY	9:30 am	Mass -New Underwood Good Samaritan
THURSDAY	7:30 am	Dewayne Borszich +
FRIDAY	7:30 am	Dewayne Borszich +
<b>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>		
SATURDAY	5:30 pm	Sherry Blackwell +
SUNDAY	9:00 am	Parishioners
SUNDAY	5:30 pm	Ralph & Agnes Mousel +

### MASS INTENTIONS: *Other than at St. Therese*

Sunday, September 22 Elvina Crawford-Follum +  
By Fr. Bill Zandri - Edgewood

### FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

PLEASE COME! EVERYONE WELCOME!!

#### Our Daily Scriptures

Monday	1 Tm 2:1-8	Ps 28:2,7-9	Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday	1 Tm 3:1-13	Ps 101:1b-3b,5-6	Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday	1 Tm 3:14-16	Ps 111:1-6	Lk 7:31-35
Thursday	1 Tm 4:12-16	Ps 111:7-10	Lk 7:36-50
Friday	1 Tm 6:2c-12	Ps 49:6-10,17-20	Lk 8:1-3
Saturday	Eph 4:1-7,11-13	Ps 19:2-5	Mt 9:9-13
Sunday	Am 8:4-7	Ps 113:1-2,4-8	1 Tm 2:1-8 Lk 16:1-13

**Faithful Citizenship** *"My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours. But now we must celebrate and rejoice, because your brother was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found."* Among the most lost in our society today are the homeless. The Church's teachings remind us that housing is not a luxury, but a core part of what it means to live a dignified human life. Having adequate shelter is a basic human right. People find themselves homeless for a number of reasons including the loss of a job, domestic violence or physical or mental illness. Rapid City is currently developing a vision for the answer to the issue of homelessness, the One Heart Campus. Take some time today to learn about this exciting proposal, and to pray about how Christ might be calling you to be a part of this mission.  
<http://www.rccimpact.org/oneheart/>

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule - September 21 & 22

**SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Doug Meiron, John Mowry (S) Dcn. Chuck Rausch, Jeff Cook, Bob & Kay Olson, Joe Zacher **Lectors:** Jim Blackwell, Jeff Cook  
**Ushers:** Bob & Kay Olson, Dan Shank, NEED 1 **Gift Bearers:** Ron & Barbara Schuch **Altar Servers:** Johanna Auriemma, Ben Schuch

**SUN. 9 am E.M.:** Del & Joann Solano (S) Ray & Mary Wagner, Bob Heidgerken, Marcy Morrison, Mark Vedder **Lectors:** Jean French, Jerry Kanta  
**Ushers:** Tom Baumgartner, Bob Heidgerken, Randy Rapp, NEED 1  
**Gift Bearers:** Tom & Melanie Parson  
**Altar Servers:** Dixon Heizelman, Destinee Heizelman, Drake Heizelman

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Elaine Kocher (S) Dcn. Chuck Rausch, Nancy Palmer  
**Lector:** Deanna Johnson **Ushers:** Dave & Chris VanCleave, Will Winch, NEED 1 **Gift Bearers:** Jerry & Elaine Kocher **Altar Servers:** Jude Sand, Cooper Sand

Reminder... If you are unable to make your scheduled ministry, please find a substitute.  
Call Gayle Martin at 718-4631 with any changes.

Would you like more information or training on any Liturgical Ministry? Call the office TODAY at 342-1556!

# WELCOME

----- to the Faith Community

## New Parishioners

Jeremy & Evelyn GALLARDO,  
and Danielle, Yoyo, Aliyah & Nates  
Lisa WATTENHOFER  
Brian & Jeannette SCHROEDER  
Toni WEBER  
Gordon & Jean BACKHAUS

Apologies from the office for the delayed WELCOME!

Please let us know if we missed anyone!

## Through the Waters of Baptism

Livie STETSON, daughter of Nickolas & Kinlee

We can hear God speaking to us today in the words of the father to his elder son: "You are with me always, and everything I have is yours." What is my response to such remarkable generosity? Do I give joyfully and generously as God gives to me?

### GENERAL & OTHER FUNDS: Contributions this week

Envelopes	\$ 5022.67
Plate Collection	\$ 2017.61
Children's Collection	\$ 52.75
Calvin Neiss Memorial	\$ 50.00
Building Improvements	\$ 307.66
Religious Education Registrations	\$ 450.00
<b>Electronic Tithing</b>	<b>\$ 1040.00</b>
<b>TEXT TO GIVE</b>	<b>\$ 250.00</b>
<b>Building Improvements-e-giving</b>	<b>\$ 3.00</b>
<b>Families in Need-egiving</b>	<b>\$ 14.00</b>
<b>Catholic School - egiving</b>	<b>\$ 3.00</b>
<b>Priest Retirement-egiving</b>	<b>\$ 4.00</b>
<b>Seminarian Fund-egiving</b>	<b>\$ 3.00</b>
Priest Retirement	\$ 176.00
Seminarian Fund	\$ 101.00
Votive Candle Income	\$ 29.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 9523.69</b>

### WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED: \$9418.00

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

Catholic University	\$ 1199.73
Campaign for Human Development	\$ 30.00
Campaign for Human Dev.-egiving	\$ 3.00

#### COLLECTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER:

**Sept. 15:** General Fund **Sept. 22:** General Fund  
**Sept. 29:** Campaign for Human Development / General Fund  
**SEPT:** Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

## THURSDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY!

Starts at 6:30 pm. Bring a Bible, if you have one, and gain a better understanding of upcoming Sunday Mass Readings. For more information contact Melanie Karp at 430-0459 (message or text).



Please add MARY ELLEN SOLANO to your prayers

**Bulletin Prayer List:**

Mandy Aarkfeld, David Ange, Diane Ange, Rick Bell, Rick & Kathy Borkovec, Joyce Braun, Mike Cole, Irene Cox, Bonnie Elwood, Tim Garrett, Ruth Geiger, Aaron Gregerson, Jenna Ham, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Kelly Heintz, Joleen H., Bill Hershley, Debbie Himrich, Cindy Hise, Alvin Jochim, Sally LaCroix, Ron Langseth, Norene Lantz, Lynn Loomer, M.E., Kevin Maher, Mary Maher, Rosie Mansfield, Dwyla Martin, Brad Maskovich, Susan McFadden, Jack Myers, Leah Nixon, Terry Nold, Vera O'Grady, Nancy Palmer, Kara Parsons, Susie Powers, Elizabeth Pozorski, Helen Quasney, Jim Quinn, Ted Rapp, Russ Rearick, Elizabeth Richards, Jean Rounds, Janice Simons, Mary Ellen Solano, Jim Tynen, Will Winch, Carolyn Wise, Angie Zacher, Darlys Zeller

**MARY'S CIRCLE SEEKING CRAFTS FOR FALL FESTIVAL! CHRISTMAS CRAFTS, TOO!**

We are combining the Fall Festival and Christmas craft sales again this year. If you have anything you have made, please bring it to the office by SEPTEMBER 28<sup>th</sup>. Please price your items and let us know if you want any unsold items returned to you. WE LOOK FORWARD TO ALL THE CRAFT ITEMS YOU HAVE MADE OR ARE MAKING!! If you have any questions, please call Kathy Grebner at 718-1404 before 9-9-19.

**A LITTLE LAUGH ...**

Connie said, "It's been 6 months since I joined the gym and still no progress. Tomorrow I am going down in person to see what is going on!"

**HEARTS OF FIRE Adult Education  
33 Days to Morning Glory**

will meet on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8 pm beginning October 16<sup>th</sup>. **Ready to set your heart on fire?**  
**Call the office at 342-1556 to reserve your book!**  
Questions about the class? Call Jeff or Martha Cook at 718-1999.  
**ALL are welcome!**

**LET US FILL OUR FATHER'S HOUSE**

**"I have called you by name, and you are mine!"**

This week please pray about who God wants you to invite to join our parish, if a name comes to mind, invite them! Do you know someone who is not confirmed yet? Invite them! We are called to be intentional disciples, we are people of action not just words. **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults and Children (RCIA)** opens the doors of our church wide - to preach and teach the gospel, to prepare all of God's children to baptism and the rest of our amazing sacraments!

**R.C.I.A. is on Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm!!**

For more info. or to sign up for RCIA, contact the office at 342-1556.

**Get your tickets for the DELICIOUS ROAST BEEF DINNER at the Fall Festival! Only \$8 bucks if you get them before the 22<sup>nd</sup>! You won't find that deal ANY WHERE ELSE!!**

**Wow! You can donate, buy Fall Festival dinner tickets, pay for religious education registration & so much more electronically with a debit/credit card!!  
It's easy & SECURE!**

**Online** - Make a donation on our website:

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

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

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

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

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

**== Fr. Kerry's Korner ==**

Dear Friends,

I am with my sister Teresa and brother Kelly on vacation. Yesterday we did a nice long bike ride on the Paul Bunyon Trail. It was a beautiful day and included a life lesson. Teresa is just getting into biking again, learning the benefits of a 21-speed compared to the one-speed she remembered. For the last three months she has been riding frequently and "gaining strength in my legs; it's hard!" Just before the ride Kelly and I discovered she had been biking with half-inflated tires. With the proper pressure application, she led the whole way for a 24-mile ride.

Clunky segue: Application, what we can do to respond to God's word each week is one of the most difficult parts of preaching. I thought I would share some of my favorite phone apps with you today. A few are new, others are time tested.

One of my favorites is **iBreviary**. It has innumerable prayers and devotions, but the most important is the Divine Office, the Liturgy of the Hours of the Church. For beginners it is the easiest way to find your place every day as we pray the Psalter, readings, and intercessions of the Church. If I forget my Baptism Ritual or Funeral book, it also serves.

Another, **Holy Rosary**, has verbal recitation of the rosary. I can use it if I feel like praying with someone else in the car. I like it for long drives. **Sacred Space** has daily guided meditations often with music. I don't use this frequently, but it may be especially useful to folks who appreciate more input on any given prayer day. The last for today is **JesuitPrayer**. It has scripture and meditations in the Ignation manner along with a prayer from a Jesuit saint. It also keeps you in touch with the Pope's prayer requests for the month.

My mobile phone does me a great service in keeping me on track with its calendar function and news sources. It can also help me apply my energy to life in Christ.

All the best to you,

*Fr. Kerry Prendiville*



Tootsie Roll Industries

**The Knights of Columbus will be handing out Tootsie Rolls after Masses on October 5 & 6. All proceeds go to charity. Be sure to get yours!**

**We Care cards are regular store gift cards that benefit the church AND those in need at the same time!! Pick up your Walmart/Sam's Club, Safeway & Family Fare cards today! Each gift card purchase brings a percentage back to St. Therese AND helps those in need!!**

**GET SOME TODAY! You know you're going to use them anyway! Come see us after Mass or in the office.**

**Altar Society Funeral Chairpersons ~ SEPT.**

Chairperson: Margaret Feist

Co-chair: Ellen McGuigan

If you would like to be involved in this meaningful ministry, please call the office today at 342-1556.

**~ PRAYER CHAIN ~**

*This is not the list in the bulletin.*

If you would like prayers or would like to be a link in the prayer chain, please contact the office at 342-1556 or sttherese@diorc.org

**Have you signed up for YOUR hour at the Fall Festival yet? Don't forget to plan your LARGE salad and pie for the dinner!**



Our Clothe A Kid was very successful because of St Therese and 28 other churches. We shopped for 575 children from 298 families. St Therese had 8 volunteers at the

shopping Saturdays at Kohls, also 2 volunteers at the sign-up in June. We couldn't have done it without the prayers and financial support that we received. I am sure that there were many happy students in new clothes when school started. God Bless You All!

*God is the father with the open arms.*

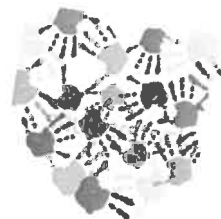
*Who will preach this good news of reconciliation?*

*Consider service as a priest, deacon, brother or sister.*

*(Luke 15:1-32) PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!*

**HELPING HANDS**

**We are TAKING DONATIONS for the following:**



**ADDICTION RECOVERY CENTERS:** PUZZLE  
BOOKS: crossword, word find, Sudoku, etc.,  
PENS/PENCILS

**BIRTHRIGHT PREGNANCY SUPPORT:** Newborn-6 mo. BABY-CARE PRODUCTS, CLOTHING, DIAPERS, & MATERNITY WEAR  
And VOLUNTEERS! 343.1732

**VETERAN'S OUTREACH CENTER:** This month: Laundry pods, trial-size personal hygiene items, shavers, trial-size shaving cream!

**CHURCH RESPONSE:** Non-perishable food items & personal hygiene items: This month: CANNED MEAT, CANNED FRUIT, MACARONI N CHEESE & DISH SOAP!!

**MOMMY'S CLOSET:** DIAPERS especially sz 5+, Children's CLOTHING to sz. 6, SOCKS & UNDERWEAR to sz 6, BABY WIPES

**HOPE CENTER:** HYGIENE ITEMS, SOCKS (Adult), BUS PASSES (orange-color), SLEEPING BAGS (Adult), & LAUNDRY PODS

**The boxes for ALL organizations are located in the Parish Center. We will get them to the appropriate places. THANK YOU FOR SHARING YOUR GIFTS!**

**St. Therese parishioners are so amazing and generous! Truly showing your "Little way".**

**Only 2 weeks away!!!!**

**FALL FESTIVAL**



**Sunday, September 29th!!**

**10:15 am to 2 pm!**

**HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!**

**REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR SALAD & PIE!!!**



**How can you help?**

**SET UP is Saturday, September 28th at 9 am.** You may bring all your home-made crafts, goodies and silent auction baskets at this time. **We ask each family to bring a LARGE salad and a pie for the dinner! Those may be dropped off beginning Sunday at 8:30 am! AND Don't forget clean up!** The FALL FESTIVAL is our big event that requires everyone to help, in their own little way, to do their part. **SIGN UP ON THE SHEETS on the BULLETIN BOARD in Parish Center! THANK YOU!!**

**We look forward to another successful year!**

**ANOTHER LITTLE LAUGH...**

Really enjoy running over geese in my car....

Gives me goosebumps!

Ba da da [cymbal crash] ☺

## SAVE YOUR EMPTY Ink Cartridges\*!!!!!!

Just place your empties in the box in Parish Center.

\*\*Must be original cartridges – not generic.

Thank you for supporting OUR YOUTH!

“Why did Jesus come? ... He did not come just to tell stories or to do miracles... He came to fight. He came to rescue you and me.”

~Fr. Riccardo

### Summit 2019: Our Story. Created. Captured. Rescued.

Please join us for this inspirational day with Fr. John Riccardo, author and speaker, to be held **Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>** beginning at **10:00 am** at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. This is a family event, with activities for all ages, but in order to ensure we have enough catechists and caregivers, the deadline to register a family is **TODAY**. Cost is \$25 for an individual and \$50 for a family. To register, please visit: [www.CatholicWayOfLife.org/events](http://www.CatholicWayOfLife.org/events) or call the Office of Stewardship at: 605-716-5214 ext. 233.



### Keep those FAMILY FARE receipts

**coming!** We're getting there!! We need a total of \$150,000 in receipts to receive a \$1,000 check! Also, we will still collect the Box

**Tops for Education** but will no longer take the Campbell's Soup labels. They are no longer offering this program.

### Light Weigh One King

God has answers for our weight, food struggles and all temptations. Light Weigh is a 12-week Catholic Bible Study and DVD program recommended by an archbishop, priests, doctors, nurses, nutritionists and "Prevention Magazine" for weight-loss and health. There are no weigh-ins. An **ORIENTATION SESSION** will be held **Wednesday, OCTOBER 2nd** at **St. Therese Church, Rapid City, room 103**. Questions? Contact Sharen LaGrande 390-5496

**Fall Live Drive**  
Tune in from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT  
**September 18, 19 & 20**  
**RPR**  
**NE WORK**

To participate call:  
**877-795-0122**  
[yourCATHOLICradiostation.com](http://yourCATHOLICradiostation.com)

**How will you share your "little way" this week?**

## Year of the EUCCHARIST

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**Sign of the Cross –We will make the Sign of the Cross in just a moment. This gesture reminds us that our whole Christian life stems from the life of the Trinity, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We often begin our prayers with the Sign of the Cross reminding us that our lives as Christians stem from the saving actions of Jesus Christ crucified and resurrected. Jesus said, "Where two or three are gathered in my name, I am present." Where Jesus is present, the Trinity is present. We use the words that were prayed when we had water poured over us in our baptism to call to mind the gift of the Holy Spirit that was given to us in that Sacrament. Baptism has brought us into the life of the Trinity. We are also reminded that Jesus died to free us from our sins. His cross was given to each of us in Baptism. We begin with the Sign of the Cross because it is through the cross of Jesus that brings us here to pray to God together with one another. Finally, this gesture calls to enter this sacrifice of Jesus, to join ourselves to Jesus in his sacrifice to God the Father. The Sign of the Cross is a declaration that we want to be here and participate in this act of worship.**

### Searching for a way to serve alongside your teenage son or daughter? Are you looking for a way to serve with your men's group? Longing for connection as you serve side-by-side?

There is opportunity to help complete the renovation of the Love INC Church Mobilization Center in the evenings and Saturdays, as well as regular work days Tuesdays 8am-3:30pm and Thursdays 8am-12:30pm. Contact Sharon at 719-246-2539 or John at 605-863-0101 to learn more!

### AND ONE MORE LAUGH...

Bobby asked the rancher,  
"How do you wash all your heifers and bulls?"  
The rancher replied, "Take 'em through the cowwash."

**Catholics Returning Home** Most non-practicing Catholics are waiting for an invitation to return. Many mistakenly think they are excommunicated and are not welcome to return for a variety of reasons and are afraid of approaching the church for fear of being rejected. You can make a tremendous difference in someone's life simply by reaching out to them and telling them that we miss them and would like for them to come back home to our Church family. There are special ministries for people who have been away from the Church throughout the Northern Black Hills. **Rapid City—The six-week "Catholics Returning Home" series is on Mondays, at 7:00 pm at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. For more info. contact Margaret at [info@returningcatholics.net](mailto:info@returningcatholics.net) or 605-939-0579, or visit [ReturningCatholics.net](http://ReturningCatholics.net). No charge or registration required.**



## Taste & See the Goodness of Terra Sancta Retreat Center

We invite you to our Open House on Thursday, October 3 from 4 p.m.-6 p.m. so that you can taste some of our amazing foods prepared by our catering staff; see the multiple ways our meeting rooms and gathering spaces can be utilized; meet our staff and experience all that is Terra Sancta Retreat Center! Questions? Contact us at [stay@terrasancta.org](mailto:stay@terrasancta.org) or call 605-716-0925. Terra Sancta is located at 2101 City Springs Rd, Rapid City.

### A Different Kind of Prayer

Join us and bring a friend for Taizé at Terra Sancta Retreat Center Sunday, October 6 at 5:30 p.m. in Holy Cross Chapel. A style of Christian worship practiced by the ecumenical Taizé community in France, Taizé features repetitive singing of simple harmonized tunes, interspersed with scripture readings, prayers, and periods of silence. Questions? Contact us at [stay@terrasancta.org](mailto:stay@terrasancta.org) or call 605-716-0925. Terra Sancta is located at 2101 City Springs Rd, Rapid City.



### St. Cecilia Fall Meeting and Awards Luncheon

Musicians and interested others are invited to this NPM event Saturday, October 5, 2019, from 9:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Fr. Michel Mulloy will be the featured presenter, speaking on the Holy Eucharist. ForkReal will cater the awards luncheon, and attendees will be charged \$15 to cover the meal cost. Please make checks out to "NPM" and mail by Monday, September 23, to Pat McDowell (605-787-0638), 4833 Pierre St. Rapid City SD 57702.

## Custodial Staff Needed

### at St. Thomas More - part time

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

### DIOCESE OF RAPID CITY VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Applications are being accepted for the full time (40 hours per week) position of Administrative Assistant/Benefits Coordinator for the Diocese of Rapid City. FUNCTIONS: To assist the Finance Office by managing employee benefits, payroll preparation, mailings, cash receipts, data input and secretarial support. QUALIFICATIONS: Above average secretarial and computer skills, demonstrated high degree of accuracy, detail oriented person with a high level of confidentiality. APPLICATION PROCESS: 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.

### Job Opening at St. Joseph, Spearfish

Looking for a full-time/part-time (30-40 hours weekly) Faith Formation Coordinator/Administrator to serve and oversee various catechetical programs at St. Joseph Church. For more information contact the parish office. Phone 605-642-2306. A job description is posted on parish website [www.stjosephspearfish.com/](http://www.stjosephspearfish.com/). To apply submit cover letter and resume to Msgr. Michael Woster at [mwoster@diorc.org](mailto:mwoster@diorc.org). Applications may also be mailed to: St. Joseph Church, 844 N 5th St., Spearfish, SD 57783.

## Register today! South Dakota Right to Life Annual Convention

*Defending Human Life from Conception to Natural Death*

### Mueller Center, Hot Springs

September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019

Featured Speakers include: Dr. Joseph Bottum—*Author & Essayist*; Alan Shlemon—*Author and Speaker for Stand to Reason*; Cheryl Sulleger—*Author & Sr. Vice President, Operation Rescue* Hosted by: Hot Springs Area Right to Life [hotspringsareartl@gmail.com](mailto:hotspringsareartl@gmail.com) [www.hsartl.org](http://www.hsartl.org)

### "Heal Your Grief" Bereavement Support Group

is an 8-week non-denominational support group for Christian adults grieving the loss of a loved one. Begins Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 6 pm, at Blessed Sacrament Church. Please come early to register! For info. or to pre-register, call Janece Rieman, 343-5547 or George Wallace 721-3811. Sponsored by Family Life Ministries. For other questions call Amy Julian 605-716-5214 or [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org).

## Hope For New Life (HFNL) Ministry

### Spiritually Inquiring Minds

When one considers the Jail Ministry, it is understandable some may wonder about the participating inmates' level of commitment. When inmates attend our groups most, if not all, actively participate in prayers and discussions, accept Holy cards and devotional literature, request Bibles which our ministry provides, and share with us their written prayer requests. It is exciting and deeply inspirational for us to witness the work of the Holy Spirit in regenerating faith and hope in lonely lives. The inmates come from a diverse Faith background. Many are Catholics, but an equal number are Protestants while some profess no faith. Nearly all who attend share a genuine hunger to know more about Our Lord and spiritual matters in general. At one of our sessions in July, for example, we had a number of inmate inquiries for more information on Catholic Saints and relics, the story of Nicholas Black Elk, the Bible Books of the Apocrypha, and three men wanted to know how to join the Catholic Church. For many of us in the Jail Ministry, Jesus' Parable of the Sower (Mt. 13:3-8) has special meaning and helps place our work in His name in glorious perspective. Throughout the course of the year, we minister to hundreds of men and women sharing the hope, forgiveness, and love of the Gospel. Like the seeds in Jesus' parable, our efforts often fall into good ground and bring forth fruit. If you would like to learn more about our ministry, please contact Bill Gradoville 605 430-2697. If you would like to volunteer to be a HFNL prayer partner, call or text Jennifer Shama 605 381-1118. We also invite you to attend our monthly HFNL business meetings every 3rd Monday of the month (6:30 pm) at Catholic Social Services.

**WSDCF Grants** The Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation (WSDCF) is now accepting proposals for its annual grant program. We are pleased to provide this grant opportunity as we provide financial resources for meeting the spiritual needs of Catholics throughout our diocese. The grant application and guidelines can be found on the WSDCF website at <http://wsdcf.org/> and the application deadline is October 15, 2019. Please feel free to contact Tim Henderson, WSDCF Executive Director (605-721-6843), if you have questions.

**Are you a single, separated or divorced Catholic?**

**CONNECTED CATHOLICS OF SD** A group that provides a social and spiritual group of single, widowed, separated, and divorced Catholic men and women ages 35 & up a network of activities that offer companionship for singles.

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**September 17, Tuesday - Dine Out - 5 Guys Burgers & Fries**

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.

**Be Still and Know** Get away from the weekly grind and join us each Thursday from 5-6 p.m. for *Lectio Divina!* A contemplative form of prayer focused on the Gospel reading for the upcoming Sunday, *Lectio Divina* offers you the opportunity to come away and rest in God for an hour each Thursday. Starting on October 3 and running through May 7. 5 p.m.-6 p. m each Thursday at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. Please use the South Patio entrance. Questions? Contact us at [stay@terrasancta.org](mailto:stay@terrasancta.org) or call 605-716-0925. Terra Sancta is located at 2101 City Springs Rd, Rapid City. *Lectio Divina* during September will continue on Wednesdays at 5:15 p.m.

**NFP, Good for your Body, Great for your Soul**

Have you considered NFP lately? Natural Family Planning, also known as Fertility Awareness is a great avenue for women to take charge of their own health, naturally! Charting monthly signs and symptoms can give women an insight into their health that goes far beyond fertility. **NaProTECHNOLOGY** (Natural Procreative Technology) is the first women's health science to network family planning with reproductive health monitoring and maintenance. It is a fertility-care based medical approach rather than a fertility-control approach to family planning and gynecological health. If you would like more information about NFP or would like to begin learning how to take charge of your own reproductive contact Family Life Ministries. *A free and easy way to learn about NFP is to attend an NFP Seminar. Natural Family Planning Seminar of 2019 will be offered:*

**September 21— St. Joseph, Spearfish**

**November 23—Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City \***

\*NFP Seminars offered at Terra Sancta will be open for Distance Learning opportunities for out of town couples

**Please note that the NFP requirement for marriage preparation is met with this seminar.** For more information or to register, visit

[www.rapidcitydiocese.org/natural-family-planning/](http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/natural-family-planning/) contact Amy or Linda at 716-5214, or email [ajulian@diorc.org](mailto:ajulian@diorc.org).

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My dearest Jesus, truly present, Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity, in this Most Blessed Sacrament, Thank you for coming in the form of bread and wine, in your great desire to bring me into union with you. Strengthen my faith in you, fortify my hope in you, and deepen my love for you. Increase my hunger for you in the Most Holy Eucharist. Help me to submit my heart to you and surrender completely my whole life to you. Have mercy on me, transforming my life by your most Holy Body and Blood. In this Year of the Eucharist, increase my longing for you, that I may seek you with my whole heart, and receive you with love and joy in this your Most Blessed Sacrament. Amen.

**US Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking.**

**VISIT: [www.sistersagainstrafficking.org](http://www.sistersagainstrafficking.org)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday Rosary October 12<sup>th</sup> at 10 am**

A rosary and few other prayers every second Saturday of the month on the corner of 5th St. and Cathedral Dr. Rain or shine. Please join us and invite others as well. The more people praying, the more powerful the prayers. If you have any questions, please call Melinda at 255-4459.

**Telehealth Counseling Available**

Catholic Social Services has launched telehealth counseling across western SD. *A caring and professional therapist is only a smart phone, tablet, or laptop away through confidential video counseling technology. Please call us at 348-6086 for more info. or to schedule an appointment.*

**Courage & Encourage**

**Courage** is an international apostolate which ministers to persons with same-sex attraction who desire to live chaste lives following the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church. **EnCourage** is a ministry within Courage dedicated to the spiritual needs of parents, siblings, children and other relatives and friends of persons who experience same-sex attraction. Members in both groups support one another through discussion prayer and fellowship. For information on Courage please contact [courage@diorc.org](mailto:courage@diorc.org) or 605-646-3363. For information on EnCourage, please contact [encourage@diorc.org](mailto:encourage@diorc.org) or 605-519-8688.

**A Safe Environment for Children and Young People**

The Catholic Diocese of Rapid City is firmly committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for our children and young people. To report allegations of sexual abuse by church personnel, contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Barbara Scherr. To insure her independence in outreach to victims, she can be contacted at **605-209-3418** (cell). The phone has caller ID and messaging features. All information will be treated confidentially. Alleged victims are advised of their right to report alleged abuse to civil authorities. The diocesan sexual misconduct policy and the code of conduct are posted on the diocesan website at:

<http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/safe-environment/policy-documents/>. In accordance with diocesan policy, all allegations of sexual misconduct involving children or young people and priests, deacons, lay employees, or volunteers serving the Diocese of Rapid City will be investigated. The Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People is posted on the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops website at: [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org). It is also linked through our diocesan website at: <http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/safe-environment/>.

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