

# September 26 & 27, 2020

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

## MASS INTENTIONS~ September 28 – October 4

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

MONDAY	7:30 am	Anna Marie Kocher +
TUESDAY	7:30 am	Eugene & Ann Keller +
WEDNESDAY		Mass in New Underwood
THURSDAY	7:30 am	Dewayne Borszich +
FRIDAY	7:30 am	Carol DenOtter +
	Noon	
		<b>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
SATURDAY	4 pm	
	5:30 pm	Barbara Tschosik +
SUNDAY	9 am	Joe Engelhardt +
	5:30 pm	Parishioners

## FAMILY ROSARY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 7PM

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



### Our Daily Scriptures

Monday	Jb 1:6-22	Ps 17:1b-3,6-7	Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday	Dn 7:9-10,13-14	Ps 138:1-5	Jn 1:47-51
Wednesday	Jb 9:1-12,14-16	Ps 88:10b-15	Lk 9:57-62
Thursday	Jb 19:21-27	Ps 27:7-9c,13-14	Lk 10:1-12
Friday	Jb 38:1,12-21;40:3-5	Ps 139:1-3,7-10,13-14b	Mt 18:1-5,10
Saturday	Jb 42:1-6,12-17	Ps 119:66,71,75,91,125,130	Lk 10:17-24
Sunday	Is 5:1-7	Ps 80:9,12-16,19-20	Phil 4:6-9
			Mt 21:33-43

**AS YOU KNOW, October 3 & 4 is the first weekend with seat yourself social distancing. This means we will have to join together and be courteous and kind to one another as we learn to seat ourselves in the pews WHILE SOCIAL DISTANCING.**

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

## Liturgical Ministry Schedule – October 3 & 4

**SAT. 4 pm E.M.:** Mary Ann Wheeler (S) Tim & Joan Renelt  
**Lector:** Julie Shauger **Ushers:** NEEDED **Altar Server:** NEEDED

**SAT. 5:30 pm E.M.:** John Mowry (S), NEEDED  
**Lector:** Kevin & Kris Hittle **Ushers:** Bob & Kay Olson, NEEDED  
**Altar Server:** Mercedes Solano

**SUN. 9 am ALL MINISTRIES BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**SUN. 5:30 pm E.M.:** Julie Heintz (S), NEEDED **Lector:** Deanna Johnson **Ushers:** Anthony Flores, Dave, Chris & Ben VanCleave  
**Altar Server:** NEEDED

Working on the Liturgical Schedule for October/November. If you have returned to Mass and are willing to be a Liturgical Minister, **PLEASE call Gayle Martin TODAY at 718-4631.**  
*(And THANK YOU Gayle for all your help!)*

*The first son in today's Gospel said he would do his father's bidding, but did not. The second son balked at first, but then repented and did as he was asked. What service is God calling me to do? Which son am I more like?*

### GENERAL & OTHER FUNDS: Contributions this week

Envelopes	\$ 2566.00
Plate Collections	\$ 543.00
Building Improvements	\$ 70.00
Copier Maintenance-KC's	\$ 50.00
Rent From Rental House	\$ 675.00
Priest Retirement Fund	\$ 132.00
Seminarian Fund	\$ 365.00
Campaign for Human Dev.	\$ .52
<b>Electronic Tithing</b>	<b>\$ 2199.00</b>
<b>Priest Retirement Fund-egiving</b>	<b>\$ 98.00</b>
<b>Building Fund – egiving</b>	<b>\$ 119.00</b>
<b>Seminarian Fund-egiving</b>	<b>\$ 59.00</b>
<b>Families in Need-egiving</b>	<b>\$ 56.00</b>
Votive Candle Income	\$ 71.25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 7003.77</b>

## WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED: \$9762.00

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

Catholic University	\$ 50.00
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### COLLECTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER:

**Sept. 27:** Campaign for Human Development / General Fund  
**Oct. 4:** General Fund **Oct. 11:** General Fund  
**Oct. 18:** World Mission / General Fund **Oct. 25:** General Fund  
**OCT:** Priest Retirement Aid Assoc., Building Improvements, Seminarian Fund

### Daily Mass Schedule:

Monday: 7:30 am

Tuesday: 7:30 am

Wednesday: No Mass

Thursday: 7:30 am

Friday: 7:30 am

(followed by Adoration & Morning Prayer)

Friday: Noon (Mask required)

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

Reminder: The obligation to attend Mass is STILL lifted!

The St. Therese Sunday Mass will still be on our

Facebook page. *The Mass will be streamed LIVE\* at 9 am, but will also be recorded so you may watch at a different time. Spread the link around!* <https://www.facebook.com/TheLittleFlowerRapidCity/>

### Reconciliation Schedule:

Saturday: 2:45-3:45 pm & 6:30 pm

Sunday: 6:30 pm

### Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4 pm & 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9 am & 5:30 pm

Please add BECKY C. to your prayers.

### Bulletin Prayer List:

Mark Biggs, Yolana Blackman, Becky C., Joleen Click, Joan Feller, Floyd, Karla Grosz, Tom Haney, Harold Hansen, Margaret Hansen, Hugh Hart, Tara Heinle, Isa Izaguirre, Jamie, Jolene, Josh, Karen, Kenny & Suzie, Jerry Kocher, Don & Norene Lantz, Pat Osburn, Albert Oyler, Helen Quasney, Beverly Salvatore, Emma V., Bailey Weber, Carolyn Wise

Thank you for the continued prayers for Jim Bloom +

## KC BURGERS & FRIES to go

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus

**SATURDAY, October 24th**

**Starting at 6:30 pm**

The Knights will be grilling up fresh burgers and

Fries AND will even deliver them to your car!!

PRE-ORDERS SUGGESTED! Contact any KC or the parish office. You will just pay at the door! (or car ☺)

Free-will offering with proceeds to St. Vincent DePaul.



### **DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES! Confirmation & LifeTeen/Edge begin Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> & PreK-5 on Sunday, October 18**

Registration forms and schedules are up on the bulletin board by the offices or online.

If you are interested in helping with the Religious Education program, PreK-High School OR RCIA, please call Bobby in the office

#### **A LITTLE LAUGH ...**

Sam: "Josh and I go way back.  
We served together for eight years!"

Me: "Oh wow! Army? Navy?"

Sam: "Olive Garden." ☺

**If you, or someone you know, would like to join or want more info. about the Catholic Church, or have been baptized but need the Sacraments of Initiation: Eucharist & Confirmation, we invite you to come to the RCIA program starting October 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Therese on Thursdays at 6:30 pm.**

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

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

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

**BEFORE you go shopping there!**

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

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

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

Dear Friends,

I recently received a note with a gift enclosed that reminded me this weekend should have been the Annual Fall Festival and Bazaar. The decision to cancel The Festival was made some time ago due to Covid-19. I notice that some churches in the area are just now cancelling their fall dinners.

The family that sent me the note said they knew we would be unable to have our dinner and enclosed a gift of \$10,000 dollars to make up some of the lost income! I tell you this only so you may share in the joy of their gift, but also give you the opportunity to augment their generosity with your own gift.

One of the long term goals of the parish Pastoral Council and Finance Council has been to install an effective security system that would give us indoor and outdoor camera views, and the ability for our office staff to keep track of visitors in the facility. It also has some fine safety features that would give them a direct link to police dispatch and keep the camera feed in digital storage for about a month. I feel that our neighborhood in which we serve, and the work we do with the poor and homeless would be helped by acquisition of this security system. It would help my staff and me make wise decisions when one of us is alone in the facility.

The Finance Council and I agree that anything we collect for the Fall Festival account should be designated for the security system. If you would like to make a special gift, what you normally would have donated or spent at the Festival, please use a separate envelope or specially marked check "Fall Festival" in the regular collection or mail to the office. If you would like to donate electronically simply click the donate now button on our website and it will lead you through the steps.

In the meantime enjoy these beautiful Autumn days.

Peace and Prayers,

*Fr. Kerry Prendiville*

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

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

#### **ANOTHER LITTLE FUNNY ...**

When the three-year-old son opened the birthday gift from his grandmother, he discovered a water pistol. He squealed with delight and headed for the nearest sink. His dad was not so pleased. He turned to his mom and said, "I'm surprised at you. Don't you remember how we used to drive you crazy with water guns?" His mom smiled and then replied.... "I remember."

## Parish website:

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

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

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

(AND "follow" us & LIKE US!) 😊

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## ~ PRAYER CHAIN ~

*This is not the list in the bulletin.*

If you would like prayers or would like to be a link in the prayer chain, please contact the office at 342-1556 or [sttherese@dioc.org](mailto:sttherese@dioc.org)

## CHECK OUT THE BACK PAGE OF THE BULLETIN!

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## e-giving is Easy & SECURE and NEEDED right now during this time!

**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!

Jesus emptied himself and took the form of a slave. Am I willing to empty myself to follow the Lord? Consider a call to priesthood or religious life. (Philippians 2:1-11)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!**

## Birthright is now open

Monday, Wednesday & Friday from Noon to 4 pm!

Free pregnancy tests & layettes.

**BIRTHRIGHT IS IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS!**

Please call 343.1732

## JOIN IN PRAYING THE ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY CAMPAIGN

**GOAL = 100,000 Rosaries**

Join Robert Sass on this journey. He has committed to pray 3 rosaries per day for this campaign.

To join him or to get more information, visit [www.robertsass.com/praytherosary](http://www.robertsass.com/praytherosary) or email [robert.sass@gmail.com](mailto:robert.sass@gmail.com) or call 605-390-2688.



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## AND ONE MORE FUNNY ...



## Foster parents needed in western S.D.

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## Can you help?!

**Church Response** is in dire need of canned vegetables!  
Also, canned meats, canned pasta, soups & cup o'soups!  
**The Hope Center** is in need of coats/jackets,  
blankets/sleeping bags, and warm clothing & shoes!!

## Join the Rapid City Catholic School System Family

**Elementary Classroom Teacher** – St. Elizabeth Seton will be adding an additional classroom in 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Experienced, dynamic teachers needed! Reach out for more information.

**Part-time Kitchen Staff** – St. Elizabeth Seton is seeking a part-time assistant to support the kitchen staff in meal delivery. Regular duty hours will be Mon-Fri, 10 am – 1 pm.

**Part-time Custodial Staff** - St. Thomas More Middle School is seeking a part time custodian to support the existing custodial staff. Regular duty hours will be 2-3 mornings or afternoons per week, with the ability to increase working hours if another custodian is away. Regularly 10-15 hours per week. Duties include sanitizing high contact surfaces, sweeping and mopping, emptying trash cans, cleaning bathrooms and other miscellaneous building care tasks.

**Substitute Teachers** - All grade levels. Assignment days and hours are flexible. Teaching certificate not required.

More information at [rcss.org](http://rcss.org), Contact Molly Rausch 348-1477, [mrausch@rcss.org](mailto:mrausch@rcss.org)

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