

FOURTH SUNDY OF EASTER
APRIL 25, 2010

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

MONDAY, APRIL 26

7:30 am Morning Prayer at St. Paul

TUESDAY, APRIL 27

7:00 am Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Mike Furois+

10:30 am Funeral Mass at St. Paul

Intention: Helen Figuora+

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28

7:00 am Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Bob Weber

10:00 am Mass at BF Nursing Home

THURSDAY, APRIL 29

7:30 am Mass at St. Paul

12:15 pm Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Mike Furois+

FRIDAY, APRIL 30

7:00 am Mass at St. Joseph

Start of 24 hour Adoration

10:00 am Mass at Dorsett Nursing Home

12:15 pm Mass at St. Paul

SATURDAY, MAY 1

8:00 am First Saturday Mass

Intention: Audrey Cash

5:30 pm Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Michael Finley+

SUNDAY, MAY 2

8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: For the people of our parishes

10:30 am Confirmation Mass at St. Paul

1:00 Mass at St. Paul

Extraordinary Form (Latin Mass)

1:30 pm Confirmation Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Confirmation students

5:30 pm Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Gene Fujan+

CONFESSIONS TIMES:

St. Joseph: 4:00—5:00 pm on Saturday & Sunday

11:30—12:30 pm on Thursday

St. Paul: 2:00—3:00 pm on Saturday.

REST IN PEACE

Prayers for the repose of the soul of
Helen Figuora.

May she rest in peace.

Prayers also for the comfort of her family.

FREE COMMUNITY CONCERT

“Elders” Wisdom, Children’s Song”

Honoring: Linda Hughes, Hank Frawley, Lyle Berry

4th Grade Classrooms involved are: Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. Merchen, Ms. Schlup

Thursday, April 29th at 6:30 p.m.

Spearfish High School Auditorium

Funded by the Spearfish Foundation for Public Education

THANK YOU

Thank you to all the parents who have cooked for Life Teen this year. A very big thank you goes to Jerri Heggem for coordinating all the meals for this year! Couldn't have done it without her! Thank you to Lynne Larson, Punky Engesser & Deb Kullerd for cooking this Sunday.

NEWMAN CENTER

Thank you to all the generous parishioners who provide meals for the BHSU college students at the Newman Center. Also thank you to Jan Fillingim and Marilyn Luscombe for cooking a meal this Sunday, April 25. Below is the last night:

May 2 Carol Athow

NEWMAN CENTER FINALS MEALS

The Newman Center serves lunch at 11:45 a.m. and dinner at 4:45 p.m. all five days of finals week. Below is the schedule:

May 3 - Liz Young (lunch)

LaVonne Weich (dinner)

May 4 - Sherri Engesser (lunch)

Tom & Jeanne Freece (dinner)

May 5 - Jaon Mutchler (lunch)

Laurie Driscoll (dinner)

May 6 - Mike & Nancy Barnes (lunch)

Chele Damuth (dinner)

May 7 - Alvina Lenerville (lunch)

Contact Shari Dahlke at 717-2582 or newmanbhsu@rushmore.com for more information.

STEBENVILLE ROCHESTER

It is coming quick! July 16-18, 2010. The cost is \$285 and is for those entering 9th grade in 2010 through college aged students. Experience Christ in the Mass, reconciliation, and adoration. We will be traveling to the Mayo Civic Center in Rochester, MN. Contact Shari Dahlke at 642-2306. Registration instructions and forms are available at www.rapidcitydiocese.org or on the bulletin boards by the church office.

DIOCESAN PRO-LIFE COMMISSION

"The Church offers the world a positive and inspiring vision of human life, the beauty of marriage and the joy of parenthood. It is rooted in God's infinite, transforming and ennobling love for all of us, which opens our eyes to recognize and love his image in our neighbor. ... Be sure to present this teaching in such a way that it is recognized for the message of hope that it is. All too often the Church's doctrine is perceived as a series of prohibitions and retrograde positions, whereas the reality, as we know, is that it is creative and life-giving, and it is directed towards the fullest possible realization of the great potential for good and for happiness that God has implanted within every one of us."

Pope Benedict XVI, Ad Limina Address to the Bishops of Scotland, February 5, 2010. www.usccb.org

WORLD YOUTH DAY- NEW LOWER PRICE!

World Youth Day is August 9-22, 2011 in Madrid Spain and is for youth between the ages of 18-35. This will be an unforgettable event in your life and may change it forever! The new lower cost is \$2,100, and a \$250 deposit is required with the application by June 2010. There is only space for 40 pilgrims from our diocese; so let Shari know ASAP if you want to apply!

Application forms and a flyer are posted in the youth section of the diocesan Web site at www.rapidcitydiocese.org.

Iron Sharpens Iron Conference

June 12, 2010

You are in the midst of an epic battle...

Are you ready to face the challenges set before you?

Come and be prepared for the battle.

www.ironsharpeniron2010.com

DID YOU KNOW...SISTER MOVE INTO NEW MONASTERY

In August, 2009, the Benedictine Sisters of St. Martin Monastery moved from their old building into their new monastery. The new building features a chapel, offices, meeting rooms, a health care unit, and living quarters for the sisters. It is called St. Martin Monastery and is located on 160 acres adjacent to the St. Martin property acquired by the Diocese of Rapid City and the Rapid City Catholic School System and now called *Terra Sancta*. When the first-phase renovations to the buildings on the *Terra Sancta* property are finished, the diocese and the school system will continue the work of the sisters by offering spiritual direction and education.

BELLA PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER

Slow down! There's still time to participate in Bella's 2010 Walk for Life. All you have to do is pick up a pledge sheet at your church office; call up some friends, relatives and associates to sponsor you; and then come walk, run, or bike this easy 2 mile walk with us on Saturday, May 8th at the Spearfish City Park. We'll even collect the pledges for you...what could be easier? See you at the Spearfish City Park on May 8th!

Excerpts of an article written by non-Catholic Sam Miller - a prominent Cleveland Jewish businessman:

"Why would newspapers carry on a vendetta on one of the most important institutions that we have today in the United States, namely the Catholic Church?"

Do you know - the Catholic Church educates 2.6 million students everyday at the cost to that Church of 10 billion dollars, and a savings on the other hand to the American taxpayer of 18 billion dollars. The graduates go on to graduate studies at the rate of 92%.

The Church has 230 colleges and universities in the U.S. with an enrollment of 700,000 students.

The Catholic Church has a non-profit hospital system of 637 hospitals, which account for hospital treatment of 1 out of every 5 people - not just Catholics - in the United States today.

But the press is vindictive and trying to totally denigrate in every way the Catholic Church in this country. They have blamed the disease of pedophilia on the Catholic Church, which is as irresponsible as blaming adultery on the institution of marriage.

Let me give you some figures that Catholics should know and remember. For example, 12% of the 300 Protestant clergy surveyed admitted to sexual intercourse with a parishioner; 38% acknowledged other inappropriate sexual contact in a study by the United Methodist Church, 41.8% of clergy women reported unwanted sexual behavior; 17% of laywomen have been sexually harassed.

Meanwhile, 1.7% of the Catholic clergy has been found guilty of pedophilia. 10% of the Protestant ministers have been found guilty of pedophilia. This is not a Catholic Problem.

A study of American priests showed that most are happy in the priesthood and find it even better than they had expected, and that most, if given the choice, would choose to be priests again in face of all this obnoxious PR the church has been receiving.

The Catholic Church is bleeding from self-inflicted wounds. The agony that Catholics have felt and suffered is not necessarily the fault of the Church. You have been hurt by a small number of wayward priests that have probably been totally weeded out by now.

Walk with your shoulders high and your head higher. Be a proud member of the most important non-governmental agency in the United States. Then remember what Jeremiah said: 'Stand by the roads, and look and ask for the ancient paths, where the good way is and walk in it, and find rest for your souls'. Be proud to speak up for your faith with pride and reverence and learn what your Church does for all other religions.

Be proud that you're a Catholic."

ST. JOSEPH INFORMATION

ST. JOSEPH PARISH HAPPENINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, APRIL 26

5:00 pm Altar Society meeting

TUESDAY, APRIL 27

2:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration Rosary

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

6:30 pm RCIA

9:00 pm Benediction

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28

5:00 pm Praise Group practice

6:30 pm First Communion class

THURSDAY, APRIL 29

4:00 pm Wedding rehearsal

FRIDAY, APRIL 30

5:00 pm Wedding

SATURDAY, MAY 1

SUNDAY, MAY 2

7:00 am Knight Pancake breakfast

WEDDING

Join us in celebrating the matrimonial union of Eric Smith and Erin Talsma united in marriage on April 24, 2010. May their hearts be united by the Lord in a never ending bond of pure love.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast is May 2nd starting at 7:00 a.m.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

The Daiss family is having a party to celebrate Emma Daiss' 95th Birthday. Please join us for this very special occasion.

Date: Sunday, April 25

Time: 2 to 4 pm

Place: Spearfish Senior Center

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

There will be an open house to celebrate Leo McGuigan's 90th birthday on May 1st from 2:00 -4:00 pm at the Snapper's Club.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

This Sunday, April 25th, is the last session of Children's Liturgy of the Word before summer break.

THANK YOU

To Brett Bachand and Kevin Pummell for donating their time and equipment in changing the light bulbs in the parking lot.

24 HOUR ADORATION

24 Hour Adoration starts on Friday, April 30th beginning with the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite Mass at 7:00 am and ending with First Saturday Mass at 8:00 a.m. (24 hour Adoration will not be on the First Friday this month, because of the First Saturday date of May 1st.)

For those signed up, please remember to come at your assigned times. If anyone who is signed up to adore needs a substitute please contact your "captain" for these time periods.

- 7:30 am - 2:00 pm (Friday)
Mary Ann Kortmeyer 642-8102
- 2:00 pm - 9:00 pm (Friday)
Logan Roberts 641-5106
- 9:00 pm (Friday) - 7:00 am (Saturday)
Kathie Klinckman 641-5140

We are still in need of people to volunteer as substitutes. Please contact any of the above mentioned names if you can help.

Thank you, Kathie Klinckman

St. Joseph Weekly Collection 4/11/10

INCOME:

General Collection	\$8,733.50
Building Fund	\$542.00
Joseph Fund	\$125.00
Seminarian	\$70.00
Newman Collection	\$1,415.00
Newman Fundraising	\$330.00
Holy Land	\$175.00
Easter Flowers	\$555.00

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells Peter again and again, "If you love Me, feed my sheep," He says the same to each of us, "If you love Me, use the gifts I have given you to serve your brothers and sisters."

Renovation Monthly Payment \$5,000.00

Renovation Loan Balance: \$207,571.81

Newman/Parking lot Monthly Payment: \$1,100.00

Newman/Parking lot Loan Balance: \$85,30457

Pledge forms sent: 698

Pledge forms returned: 148 (21%)

Remember to return your pledge forms

EXPENSES:

Service First	\$102.04
Root-liturgy supplies	\$68.68
KONE-elevator maintenance	\$207.87
Electrical Pros	\$341.23
Office supplies	\$269.33
Property Insurance	\$10,727.00

St. Paul's Catholic Church - Belle Fourche, SD

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Rosary: April: Nick Tippmann **May:** C. O'Rourke

Apr 25: 10:30 am

L: Mary and Mike Day

SAC: Leslie Barker

EM: Ron & Marilyn Schwans, Dick and Char Davis, Margaret Logan, Jake Kraft

G/G: Confirmation Students

MC: Alex Kiley

AS: Cory Sowers, Kassie Willard, Fehrin Ward

U: N Rhoads*, D Anderson, J Wolf, J Thompson

Music: Jody Sowers, Maggie Sowers

May 2: 10:30 am

L: Brett Bachand, Larry Weich

SAC: Aydalou Cazer

EM: Dennis & Linda Schumacher, Dick & Char Davis, Clark Sowers, Steve Clouten

G/G: Steve Clouten Family

MC: Alex Kiley **AS:** Maggie & Richard Sowers, Jacob Butler, Alisha Absher, Zach Wager

U: T. Cazer*, J. Kraft, G. Swanz, R. Bisgaard

Music: Janet Higbee, Liz Day

Altar Server Training/Retraining

All CURRENT servers are asked to attend training on **May 5th** at 4 pm.

For those interested in making a commitment to Jesus by becoming Altar Servers, training will begin on May 5th and continue on each of the Wednesdays in May. Parents are encouraged to attend the first session. Training will begin at 4 pm. Eligibility is easy - you must have received your First Communion.

For more information contact Clark Sowers at bhlaundry@midconetwork.com.

Extraordinary Ministry Training - The next training session for NEW ministers will be Sunday, **May 9** at 9:15 am. PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF TIME Please plan for approximately 30 minutes for training.

Tour: The tour of Terra Sancta (previously St. Martin's) is TODAY - **April 25**. Come to the 10:30 am mass - eat breakfast served to you by our Knights of Columbus and carpool or drive to Terra Sancta. There will be a guided tour beginning at 2 pm. Don't miss out!!

Budgeted 09-10 year (Jul 1 09 - Jun 30, 10)

Annual Contribution Budget:	\$ 122,065.00
Received to Date:	\$ 87,357.43
Weekly Contribution Budget:	\$ 2,328.65
<u>Received</u> Apr 18	\$ 1,798.00
Extraordinary Form	\$ 308.00
E-tithing	\$ 2,320.00
Net	+ \$ 2,097.35

Mass Intentions:

Apr 28: Joe Smith +
May 9: Chuck Logan +

May 30: Joe Hinker +
Jun 1: Joe Smith +

Jun 6: Allen Tetrault +
Jun 20: Allen Tetrault +

Apr 28: Joe Smith +

May 30: Joe Hinker +

Jun 6: Allen Tetrault +

Aug 22: Allen Tetrault +

A special **THANK YOU** to the parents who will be providing the meals for the **Edge** students. We now plan for 60 people!!

Apr 28: Julie Erskin, Christine Lambert, Claudia Rodriguez

May 12: Lisa Jensen, Leslie Speirs, Karen Walton Frasier

May 26: Nancy Swedlund, Kim Huck, Jennifer Reiners

Don't forget to look at pictures at www.stjosephspearfish.com

THANK YOU - THANK YOU - THANK YOU: A huge thanks to all who came and helped with the spring cleanup. A great deal was accomplished in a short amount of time! Just a reminder that now our weekly lawn maintenance will be required. Please sign up for a weekend that your family could mow the lawn. Sign up sheet on the table in the entry.

Ditch cleanup: Everyone in the parish is invited to assist with the cleanup of the ditches along Hwy 212. Please meet at the bypass highway of 212 on **April 28** at 5 pm. The more people that help - the faster our task will be accomplished...plus it's more fun when we all get together!!!

Handicap Accessibility: On **May 15** please come join as we build a ramp/deck to make our Rectory/Office handicap friendly. We will begin at 8 am with a luncheon at noon. All prep work will be completed - so we should be able to finish the project in one day. Come help make this a reality!

Start saving your items for the Annual Garage Sale!!

Saturday, June 5 8:00 am to noon

If you have large items that need to be picked up, please call the Office or Steve Clouten at 210-3270.

Additional this year: There will be spaces in the church base-ment for you to sell your own clothing items. Space includes a round table and a long table - all for only \$10.00. Its like being involved in a multi-family garage sale. Spaces are reserved on a first come - first serve basis. Call the Office today to reserve your spot - currently there are 8 places left.

ST. PAUL'S PARISH HAPPENINGS

Apr 25: Knights Breakfast - Terra Sancta Tour

Apr 28: Hwy 212 Ditch Clean up - 5:00 pm

Edge - 5:30 - 7:30 pm

First Communion Class - 6:30 pm

May 1: First Communion Interviews

May 2: Confirmation Mass - 10:30 am

May 6: Parish Council - 7:00 pm

May 8: Cinco de Mayo Festival - 4 to 7 pm

May 12: Edge 5:30 pm

May 23: First Communion Mass - 10:30 am