

ST. JOSEPH INFORMATION

ST. JOSEPH PARISH HAPPENINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14

7:00 pm Folk Group practice

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

2:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration Rosary

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

6:30 pm RCIA Class

7:00 pm Folk Group practice

9:00 pm Benediction

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16

7:00 am Finance meeting

12 noon Parish Council meeting

5:00 pm Praise Group practice

6:30 pm First Communion class

7:00 pm Christmas Choir practice

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17

7:00 pm Reconciliation Service

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

9:30 am Baptismal class

**For Mass & Confession times refer to the first page.*

St. Joseph Weekly Collection 12/7/09

INCOME:

General Collection	\$5,336.43
Children's Collection	\$32.75
Building Fund	\$537.00
Joseph Fund	\$90.00
Newman Collection	\$170.00
RE Collection	\$401.00
Fr. Hickerson Organ memorial	\$166.00

*Today's Gospel provides a blueprint for good stewardship:
"Let the man who has two coats give to him who has none.
The man has food should do the same."*

December Renovation Donations: \$797.00
 Renovation Monthly Payment \$5,000.00
 Renovation Loan Balance: \$228,667.50
 Newman/Parking lot Monthly Payment: \$1,100.00
 Newman/Parking lot Loan Balance: \$88,371.80

EXPENSES:

City of Spearfish	\$260.81
GOF meals	\$187.03
Lueders	\$308.54
AV Solutions-new mic	\$145.56
Servall	\$252.76
House of Flowers-Advent greens	\$291.50
Word Among Us	\$250.20
Creative Communications	\$51.88
A&B Business-Copier supplies	\$236.00
BHP&L	\$1,823.54

THANK YOU

I would like to thank everyone for our cards, prayers, and condolences. Steve and I so enjoyed being part of your St. Joseph family, and for the opportunity to live in Spearfish and meet so many wonderful people.

May God bless you. Mary Christensen

CHOIRS

Christmas and Christmas Eve Choirs will rehearse Wednesdays at 7:00 on Dec 16, and 23. Everyone welcome!

MUSIC

St. Joseph Church needs parishioners to provide prelude music for 8:00pm Mass Dec 24 and 10:30 am Mass Dec 25. Please call Janet at 642-2306 ext 103 if you would like to help out in this way. All ages invited!

CHRISTMAS LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEEDED

It is time again to find liturgical ministers for our Christmas schedule. Please take some time to sign up to serve at one of the Christmas Masses. The sign-up sheets are in the church entryway. We are in need of EMHC, greeters, lectors, servers, sacristans, and ushers. There are 45 spots that still need to be filled.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ROSARY

Every Tuesday is Eucharistic Adoration Rosary from 2-3 pm in the chapel. Everyone is welcome.

ROSARY

The rosary is said every Saturday night at 5:00 p.m. before the 5:30 p.m. Mass.

BAPTISMAL CLASS

Baptismal classes are offered once a month. The next class is at St. Joseph on December 20th at 9:30 am. If you are planning on baptizing your baby soon, please

YEAR FOR PRIESTS

*"The minister of Christ and dispenser of the mysteries of God, therefore, looks up to Him directly as his model and supreme ideal."
-Pope Paul VI*